

Remarks *See* *On* *Board* *Bk. Ocean N. Bedford On a Whaling Voyage*  
*May 1881*  
 730 Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> *Cow.* with light breezes from N & N.W. to  
 Horned & N steering E & E until 4 P.M. then changed to  
 Fish splat N & half E by compass spiced a home till box of coffee  
 dia and found them splendid. Cow kept the gloves of  
 butter & then made and latter part fine breezes from N.W.  
 and N.N.W. steering N.E. & saw a few sails Lat 32° 58'  
 Long 47° 36' W  
 731 Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> *Cow.* with fine breezes from N.N.W.  
 Cleared the steering N.E. & under all sail Middle and Latter  
 part light winds from the Westward at daylight  
 took down the rials & shawl of Whales some distance off could not  
 get near enough to tell what kind of Whales they  
 saw a school was they being to the mainward Lat 32° 00' S  
 of some kind whales Long 45° 47' W  
 732 Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> *Cow.* with light airs and calms the  
 took in the cooper employed in Repairing Starboard Part see  
 Boat & but nothing Middle and Latter part light Calms and  
 a S. Harker cloudy weather ship on opposite tacks  
 One of the Ship's boats & 2<sup>nd</sup> Lat 32° 18' S  
 733 Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> *Cow.* with fresh Gales N.E. some  
 saw one rain squalls ship on opposite tacks Middle at  
 first down Midlight rain shifted N & N.W. with rain squalls  
 South steering N.E. Latter the same saw one vessel bound  
 B. Fish South saw Black Fish unpleasant Lat 30° 18' S  
 Long 45° 03' W  
 734 Friday 27<sup>th</sup> *Cow.* with fresh gales N.W. N steering  
 left out N.E. some cloudy Middle and Latter part the same  
 saw a few sailing vessels bound South Lat 27° 58' S  
 Long 42° 16' W  
 735 Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> *Cow.* with fresh Gales from N steering  
 saw Fish N.E. by compass under all sail Middle and Latter  
 backs pleasant Gales from N to N.W. steering N.E. Lat 25° 29' S  
 Long 39° 57' W  
 736 Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> *Cow.* with light pleasant Gales N to N.W.  
 light steering N.E. Middle and Latter part light winds from  
 rain N & N.W. to N.W. steering N.E. under all sail saw  
 and fine Fishbacks but no sperm Whales still. Live in  
 weather hopes of seeing them by and by may kind fortune  
 smiles on the good Bk. Ocean and guide her in  
 the right path to success is my earnest Prayer & Love

While Cruising or On Her Passage North from Montevideo 1881  
*June 1881*  
 737 Monday 30<sup>th</sup> *Cow.* with light winds from N.W. to  
 saw Hump N.W. steering N.E. same day and a few passing rain  
 Backs & Puffblows Middle and Latter part light winds from the  
 South and Meteor boats steering N.E. Lat 22° 56' S  
 Long 37° 46' W  
 738 Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> *Cow.* with light airs and calms  
 E and S ship on the Northward took some light rain  
 squalls Middle light airs from N.E. ship on opposite  
 M. Starboard tack Latter the same saw Humpbacks Lat 23° 11' S  
 Long 38° 18' W  
 739 Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> *Cow.* with fresh winds N.E. the  
 Repairing ship on Northward Meteor tak Middle and Latter  
 part rain from N.E. and N.W. ship on opposite tack the  
 Lat top water employed in Repairing E. top. sail Lat 23° 10' S  
 Long 37° 27' W  
 740 Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> *Cow.* with fresh winds from N.E.  
 saw two ship on the Eastern tack Middle and Latter part the same  
 N. Barks ship on opposite tacks saw a few Fishbacks Lat 21° 55' S  
 741 Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> *Cow.* with fresh winds N.E. and N.W.  
 Butter the ship on the Eastern tack Middle part the same Latter  
 saw a ship some equal wind E to N.E. ship on the Northward tack  
 bound & Lat 21° 39' S  
 742 Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> *Cow.* with variable winds some few rain  
 saw a much squalls hanging around Middle light winds from  
 N.W. & all points of the compass with rain squalls Latter part  
 rain squalls fresh winds from E & ship on the Northward tack Lat 20° 35'  
 Long 35° 35' W  
 743 Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> *Cow.* with fresh breezes & ship on Northward  
 saw a merchant ship at 4 P.M. pass a merchant ship bound S Middle and  
 Bk. bound & Latter part the same see Fishbacks. Lat 18° 20' S  
 Long 35° 08' W  
 744 Monday 6<sup>th</sup> *Cow.* with light Gales from E and  
 strong trades E. & E. steering N.E. by N air some times half North  
 with squalls Middle and Latter strong trades from E & E with rain squalls  
 steering N.E. by N unpleasant weather Lat 15° 52' S  
 Long 34° 23' W  
 745 Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> *Cow.* with strong trades E. & E. with squalls steering N.E. by  
 strong trades N Middle and Latter part the same saw a Lat 13° 30' S  
 & E & squalls few passing merchant vessels Long 33° 43' W