

Remarks on Board of Ship Ontario of New Bedford

Monday August 10th 1853

Continues strong breeze from the South heading N. S. W. by the wind. Middle part the same. Latter part fresh breeze from S. by E heading S. W. by W. Nothing in sight worthy of remark. The Watcher employed in ordinary jobs &c. &c.
Tall Obs 02.34 N. Long by Chron 18.28 W

Tuesday Augth 11th

Commences with from S. by E. heading S. W. by W. Middle and latter part fresh breeze from S. E. heading S. W. S. W. by S. and S. S. W. Saw one strange sail. Watcher employed in various jobs
Tall Obs 02.48 N. Long by Chron 19.33 W

Wednesday Augth 12th

First part fresh breeze from S. E. steering S. S. W. Middle part the same. Latter part fresh Trades steering S. by E. Watcher employed variously. Nothing in sight remarkable
Tall by Obs 01.35 S. Long by Chron 19.30 W

Thursday Augth 13th

The wind and weather continues the same steering S. by W. Middle part heading S. W. by S. Latter part moderate heading S. W. by S. One strange sail in sight. Watcher employed
Tall Obs 3.43 S. Long by Chron 20.00 W. (Variously)

Friday Augth 14th

Moderate breeze the first part of this day heading S. S. W. 2nd part in sight. Middle part squally with rain. Heading S. W. by S. Latter part strong breeze heading S. S. W. Watcher employed in various jobs
Tall Obs 5.04 S. Long by Chron 20.37 W

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Saturday August 15th 1853

Throughout these 24 hours strong Trades and squally heading for the most part of the time S. S. W. Watcher employed in Sunday jobs
Tall Obs 08.22 S. Long by Chron 21.35 W

Sunday Augth 15th

Continues strong breeze and Rugged heading S. S. W. Middle and latter part the same heading to the S. W. & S. W. by S. & only strong breeze
Tall Obs 10.39 S. Long by Chron 22.18 W

Monday Augth 17th

Strong breeze and Rugged from S. E. heading S. W. & S. W. by S. the first part of this day. Middle and latter part the same heading to the S. W. by S. Watcher employed in various jobs
Tall Obs 12.45 S. Long by Chron 22.54 W

Tuesday Augth 18th

Continues strong breeze and Rugged weather from S. E. heading S. S. W. Middle and latter part strong breeze with squally of rain steering S. S. W. Saw 2 macks. Watcher employed in various jobs about the rigging
Tall Obs 15.12 S. Long by Chron 23.38 W

Wednesday Augth 19th

Continues strong breeze and squally from S. E. steering S. S. W. put 2 Reefs in Fore top sail. Middle part more moderate made sail. Latter part the same steering S. S. W. Saw 2 macks. Watcher employed as usual
Tall Obs 17.25 S. Long by Chron 23.38 S