

Ship *Balaena* of New Bedford Capt John Dorman

No	Hour	Courses	Winds	Sea	Remarks
16	2 6	S.W.	N.N.W.		Friday Nov 18 th 1853
4	7				Came in with fresh breeze from
6	7				N.N.W. the ship steering S.W.
8	7				Middle and latter part much
10	7				the same saw porpoises the
12	8				watch employed making spinn
2	8				garn the two sick ones about
4	8				the same
6	7				
8	7				
10	6				
12	4				

Lat by D. R. 30.00 Long D. R. 40.45

No	Hour	Courses	Winds	Sea	Remarks
16	2 5	S.W.	N.N.W.		Saturday Nov 19 th
4	5				First part moderate breeze from
6	6				N.W. the ship steering S.W.
8	5				Middle part nearly calm ends
10	5				with light breeze from S.E.
12	4				the watch employed breaking
2	3				out for bread &c - so ends
4	1				nothing seen
6	1				Lat by obs 31.22 Long by Chron 41.15
8	1				Lat by D. R. 31.15 Long by D. R. 41.15
10	3				
12	3				

No	Hour	Courses	Winds	Sea	Remarks
16	2 6	S.W.	E.S.E.		Sunday Nov 20 th
4	6				Came in with moderate breeze
6	6 1/2				from E.S.E. the ship steering off
8	7				S.W. Middle part thick weather
10	7				latter part much the same saw
12	7				a large ship standing to the
2	6 1/2				N.W. on the wind from the
4	6				Heanacka has got well and gone
6	6				to duty again and the Dutchman
8	7				is some better
10	7				Lat by obs 32.00 Long by Chron 42.30
12	7				Lat D. R. 32.55 Long D. R. 43.15

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16	2 6	S.W.	E.S.E.		Monday Nov 21 1853
4	6				Whse twenty four hours moderate
6	6				breeze and variable weather the
8	6				ship steering S.W. Middle and
10	6				latter thick weather and rain
12	7				squalls saw finbacks the sick
2	6				ones about the same
4	5				
6	5				
8	5				
10	5				
12	5				

Lat by D. R. 34.35 Long by D. R. 45.40

No	Hour	Courses	Winds	Sea	Remarks
16	2 3	S.W.			Tuesday Nov 22 nd
4	4				This day light breeze from E to S.
6	4				E. the ship steering S.W. at 11.16
8	3				saw sprouts of the Lee Bow run
10	3				off and found they were finbacks
12	4				luffed to the wind to the S.W.
2	4				at sunset took in the light sails
4	3				and double reefed the topsails
6	3				at daylight made sail again
8	3				tacked to the S.E. during the
10	3				night and back again at daylight
12	3				Lat by obs 35.08 Long by Chron 47.18
					Lat by D. R. 35.00 Long by Chron 47.27

No	Hour	Courses	Winds	Sea	Remarks
16	2 3	S.S.W.	N.W.		Wednesday Nov 23 rd
4	3				Whse twenty four hours moderate
6	3				breeze and variable the ship
8	2				steering to the S.S.W. Middle and
10	2				latter much the same at sunset
12	2				shortened sail double reefed the
2	2				topsails. took in the mainsail
4	2				at daylight made all sail the
6	2				ship heading E.S.E. ends with
8	3				fair weather
10	3				Lat by obs 36.08 Long by Chron 47.37
12	3				Lat by D. R. 36.00 Long D. R. 47.30