

Ship Balaina of New Bedford Capt Dorman
1856 Wednesday July 23rd

This day comes in with fresh trades the ship standing to the Eastward Middle and latter part much the same saw Blackfish and one Humpback, several vessels in sight one man sick
Lat 0.20 S Long by Chron 82.13

Thursday July 24th

Comes in with moderate trades the ship standing to the Eastward at Sunset wore round to the Westward several vessels in sight saw nothing of the Whale kind
Lat 0.08 S Long

Friday July 25th

This day comes in with fine weather and moderate trades the ship standing to the Eastward at Sunset spoke ship Whisp of Fair Haven middle and latter part steering to the Northward
Lat. 0.55 S Long 82.55 W
Under 82.35

Saturday July 26th

Comes in with moderate breezes and fine weather the ship steering off a North saw nothing two men off duty sick one Kanak and J. Williams an American

Lat 2.00 N Long 82.00 W

Sunday July 27th

This day comes in with fine weather and moderate trades the ship standing to the Eastward saw porpoises a Bark in sight steering to the N. off?
Lat 1.40 N Long 81.41

Monday July 28th

This day comes in with strong trades the ship steering East at Sunset luffed to the wind with the maintop sail a back latter part standing to the Westward under Double reefs saw nothing
Lat 1.34 N Long 81.07

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Ship Balaina of New Bedford Capt Dorman
1856 Tuesday July 29th

This day comes in with fine weather and strong trades the ship standing to the Eastward middle and latter part much the same a Bark in sight steering to the Eastward two men sick
Lat 1.20 N Long 80.17 W

Wednesday July 30th

This day comes in with fine weather the ship steering E. at 12 P.M. saw the land about 30 miles dist. at 5 P.M. spoke the Joshua Bragdon latter part fresh trades & rainy weather a Bark in sight steering to the Eastward, unbent the old maintop sail and bent a cotton one nearly new, condemned the old one two men off duty sick
Lat 1.52 N Long 81.15 W

Thursday July 31st

This day comes in with fresh breezes and rainy weather the ship standing to the Eastward middle and latter part much the same saw Humpbacks and killers and looked for them without success employed repping up the old maintop sail two men sick
Lat 1.37 N Long 80.40

Friday Aug 1st

This day comes in with fine weather and fresh trades the ship steering to the Westward saw a Bark in sight standing to the Eastward
Lat 2.02 N Long 81.50 W

Saturday Aug 2^d

Comes in with fresh trades and squally weather the ship standing to the Westward saw Humpbacks, employed repairing maintop Galtail & making bunt
sacks, two men off duty sick
Lat 1.47 N Long 81.44 W

Sunday Aug 3^d

Comes in with strong trades the ship standing to the Westward middle and latter part much the same saw nothing two men off duty sick
Lat 2.03 N Long 82.34 W