

Ship Plover, of New Bedford, cruising
Saturday, December 1st 1860

S. Breeze, Calm with strong wind from N.E. and rugged
heading to the North under double reefs, &c. at 11 A.M.
were ship to the East and took in the Sibs &
spanker, saw the Land, So Ends, Lat. 24.57 S. Long 48.11 E

Rugged, Sunday, December 2nd 1860
All these 24 hours, N. N. E. winds and rugged under
short sail, spoke the Eagle, and saw her run
off, So Ends, Lat by Obs. 25.13 S. Long 48.30 E

S. Trades, Monday, December 3rd 1860
Begins with strong trades, heading East under
short sail, middle part rainey, latter part heavy
rainey weather, heading in shore the wind backing
So Ends, no observation, Sun obscured.

S. Boat
Falls, Tuesday, December 4th 1860
Calm with a moderate breeze from S.W. with
squalls of fine rain, heading N.W. under
short sail, at sunset were ship to the S. E. &
at daylight made sail & steved to the west
repaired the Main top sail & gave new falls to
the Starboard Boat, and new Fore Braces,
So Ends, Lat by Obs. 25.33 S. Long 48.38 East

S. Trades, Wednesday, December 5th 1860
Begins with light trades, under all sail heading
N.W. at sunset took in sail, at daylight made
sail & steved N.W. saw Finbacks, So Ends
Lat by Observation, 24 48 S. Long 48.52 East.

Finbacks, Thursday, December 6th 1860
Calm with a light breeze from the East, and fine
weather, steering N.W. under all sail, saw Finbacks
at sunset took in sail, and luffed by the wind
to the South, at daylight made sail & steved
N.W. by N. saw nothing but Finbacks, So Ends.
Lat by Observation, 24.36 S. Long 48.10 East

Off. Port Dauphin, Augustus, N. Perkins, Master,
Friday, December 7th 1860

B. America, Breeze from the E.S.E. and fine weather
steering N.W. under all sail, at sunset luffed
to the South & shortened sail, at daylight
made sail & were ship to the N.W. saw a sail,
at 11.30 A.M. spoke the Bark America, Lucas, Master,
11.4 p.m. the 420 S. So Ends, strong breeze, Lat 24.37 S.

S. Trades, Saturday, December 8th 1860
Begins with a strong breeze from N.E. heading
in for the land under short sail, saw the land
at 3. P.M. were ship to the S.E. at sunset
shortened sail, middle part more moderate, at
daylight were ship and set double reefs &
saw the America, So Ends, Lat. 24.50 S. strong breeze

Finbacks, Sunday, December 9th 1860
Begins with strong winds from E.N.E. & rugged
steering N.W. under double reefs & at 3 P.M.
took in sail, were ship to the S.E. & saw the
land, & the America, saw Finbacks, middle
part moderate, at daylight made sail & were
ship to the N.W. latter part strong breeze,
So Ends, Lat by Obs. 25.07 S. Long 48.00 East,

B. America, Monday, December 10th 1860
Calm with a strong breeze from N.E. and rugged
heading N.W. under double reefs, spoke the
America, at sunset were ship to the E.S.E.
and shortened sail, at 12 midnight were
were ship to the N.W. at daylight made sail,
latter part moderate, So Ends, Lat. 24.56 S. Long 48.34 E

B. America, Tuesday, December 11th 1860
Begins with a light breeze from N.E. and smooth
weather, under whole top sails &c. at dark took in
sail saw Port Dauphin Point, about 35 miles dist.
latter part the wind S. E. W. heading E.S.E. spoke
the America, So Ends, Lat. 25.03 S. Long 48.30 E