

Remarks on Board of The Bark

Tuesday August the 1: 1843
 Their 24 hours commences with fresh winds from the N.E. course & the watch employed in various jobs of ship's duty &c. the middle part passes with moderate breezes and cloudy from the same quarter the ship laying to windward shorted sail on the larboard tack. at 3 P.M. called all hands and made sail with the wind from the S.E. after making sail the ship was kept off to her course S.E. the latter part passes with moderate breezes and cloudy. Sounding their 24 hours

Wednesday August the 2
 The first part of their 24 hours passes with fresh winds and cloudy from N.E. by E course & the watch employed in various jobs of ship's duty at 4 P.M. shortened sail & halled in a wind too the eastward the middle part passes with mild weather at 4 P.M. called all hands and made sail the latter part passes with light winds & pleasant weather from the eastward steering to the southward the watch employed in various jobs of ship's duty &c. sounding their 24

Thursday August the 3: 1843
 The first part of their 24 hours with light winds & pleasant weather from the northward & eastward steering to the southward & eastward the watch employed in various jobs of ship's duty &c. at 4 P.M. shortened sail as usual & all but the watch went

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Below to mread write & to spin yarn a Bout the girls that had left behind them the yarn consisted of their Beauty and their pleasant ways &c. A few words was spoken about their old land lady & land board &c. and how they would conduct if they should live to return the new courses they would steer and the Rocks and shoals they would try to avoid. &c. it is generally the hope of conversation on ship boards when at sea but very few live up to their pleasant and pleasing thoughts when once more a storm do will lead them to night with the watch playing the fiddle & turning with the hoops of sealing some whales on the morrow. so as we can have some other a muscivore may it be a large one & not less than ninety five barrels now we will see what the morrow will bring forth hoap is my last a waking thought after my head is on the pillow hoap. may the sun shine brighter to morrow & the middle part passes with pleasant weather from the northward. at 4 P.M. called all hands and made sail & stood to the eastward the watch employed making cines &c. the latter part passes with fresh winds & cloudy from the northward & accompanied with light squalls of rain. The morrow has come but with out any whales so we passed day looking & a thinking about them &c. sounding their 24 hours