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Remarks On Board *Burke Roscoe*
Thursday Sept 3rd 1846

All these 24 hours fine breezes from EBS to ESE
smoky with flying clouds watch employed
squaring main rig in Lark overhauling main blocks
Latitude Obs 23.28 Long at 3 P.M. 25.50

Friday 4th

First & Middle parts fresh breezes from EBS
fine weather later strong breezes from EBS
to ESE some squally. At 11 took in fore sails Course
steered South Latitude Obs 19.58 Long At 1 P.M. 25.47.30

Saturday 5th

First & Middle fresh breezes from SEBE to SEBS hazy smoky
weather by the wind to South westward At 5 A.M. commenced
raining. At 8 A.M. a Whale ship past about 1 mile to windward
on the opposite tack called her the Octavia N. Bedford
At 11 clear up some the sun came out Latitude Obs 18.32
Longitude At 2 P.M. 26.30

Sunday 6th

First Part Moderate breezes from SEBS fair by the
wind to SEBS A high swell from South saw a brig to
windward on opposite tack. At 2 A.M. wind headed off
to N by S backed ship small airs At 7 A.M. backed to SW
light airs & clear weather during the day Latitude 17.56
A ship to leeward steering to Southward ^{ward} Long At 10 27.20.45

Monday 7th

Commences with small airs from ESE At 4 P.M.
A light breeze from SE set studsails Middle &
later lively & flying clouds & smoky Steered SEBE
& South watch employed fitting rig in Latitude 16.06
Long At Merid 26.30

Tuesday 8th

First part lively SE trades flying clouds
steered South Middle hall'd to Eastward squally
& showery later fresh breezes from SE ship's head SW
under all sail watch fitting rig in Latitude 13.56
Long 26.22

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From New Bedford towards Southern Ocean for ^{Whales}
Wednesday Sept 9th 1846

First Part lively breezes from SE fine weather at
8 Strong Squalls & heavy rains at 10.30 Wind South tack
to SEBE later light breezes from East clear watch
Employed turning out & in fore rig in Course SEBE
Latitude Obs 12.54 Long 26.28

Thursday 10th

First part small breezes from East to SE fine clear
weather Middle lively from North later from N.E. watch
Employed fitting lower rig in Course Steered SEBE had
experienced some Westing current Latitude Obs 11.14
Long at 10 A.M. Chro 26.10. By Lunar ~~25.44~~
26.00.45

Friday 11th

First Part lively breezes from N.E. fine weather
Middle from ESE to SE later light from SE by the wind
to SW 3 sail in light watch employed backing out
after hole to examine the meat but found the best
of it in good order Latitude 9.38 Long Chro 25.45

Saturday 12th

First part small breezes from SE fine clear weather
steered by the wind to SW At 1 P.M. spoke Burke's ^{Erston}
of Glasgow 65 Days from Valparaiso for Cork Middle squally
with baffling winds on different tacks later squally
wind from Southward & by the wind to ESE watch
Employed washing inside of the ship Latitude Obs 9.30
Long Chro 25.15

Sunday 13th

All these 24 hours light breezes from SE to SSE
by the wind to SW Later 3 sail in light Latitude 8.45
Monday 14th Long At 9 A.M. Chro 25.7.30

Tuesday 15th

First part small breezes from SE to SSE overcast
Middle wind variable all round the compass & showing
at 4 A.M. A smart breeze from N.W. At 5 heavy rain
the wind, hall'd to Southward from SW to W the remainder
of the Day heavy rain till 10

Wednesday 16th

First part small breezes from SW to NW smoky
cloudy Middle light baffling & calm later lively breezes
from SW to SW fine weather at sunrise At 1 P.M.
3 P.M. at weather bow 3 miles off Latitude 7.38.8
on same tack at noon just in North lane 22.58