

Ship St George of New Bedford

Monday March 2nd
Commenced blowing
fresh from WNW and clear
Weather ship heading N under
double reefs 6 PM furled the upper
topsails and bore ship to SW Middle
part the same latter part light
breeze from N 4 AM set upper
topsails and jib 6 AM bore ship
to the Eastward set main topgallant
sail steering E se rock bearing E
distant 20 miles

Lat

Lon

Tuesday March 3rd
Commenced fine moderate
breeze from N steering E set main
topgallant sail 6 PM shortening
sail and bore ship to WNW
Middle part wind veered to SE
here to with head yard aback
heading to the NE latter part 6
AM bore up steering to the SW
set the topsails at 12 M the rock
bearing NE distant 16 miles

Lat 29 35

Wednesday March 4th
Commenced with fresh
breeze from S ship heading WSW
under topsails 2 PM double reefed
the topsails furled the jib 6 PM furled
the upper topsails Middle part
10 PM wind veered to W with rain
bore ship to SSW furled fore and
mizzen topsails set storm sails
latter part the same

Lat 29 24

Thursday March 5th
Commenced blowing
fresh from WNW and clear
ship heading to under close reefed
main topsail heading SW 4 PM
more moderate bore ship to N
set fore and mizzen topsails
Middle part the same latter part
light breeze from N 6 AM
set the upper topsails main topgallant
sail and jib bore ship to WNW
the rock bearing NE distant 20 miles

Lat

Lon

Friday March 6th
Commenced cloudy light breeze
from N ship heading WNW
Middle part the same latter part light
breeze from SE with rain 3 AM bore up steering
NE at 4 AM saw a sperm whale however did not
see him again at 4 PM returned to the
ship wind NE with thick rainy weather
bore up steering S in hopes of seeing the whale again

