

Wednesday May ^{the} 24 - 1840

Strong wind from the N. E. strong
on the wind heading the R. & E.
saw a number of finbacks but
no sperm whales heard times

Thursday ^{the} 25

This day calm at 11 P.M. spoke
the ship... from Boston. From
to 12 noon got some late papers
latter part a light breeze from
the Eastward to the North

Friday ^{the} 26

Strong wind the R. steering by the
wind saw one sail and a quantity
of finbacks so ended the day

Saturday ^{the} 27

These 24 hours commences as usual
last part wind headed to the North
headed to the Eastward nothing
in sight this day seven minutes
out so goes the thing

Sunday ^{the} 28

This day we had the wind from
the N. E. strong on the the ship
saw several finbacks but
out none of the right kind. & fine
weather

Monday ^{the} 29

Fine weather first part strong
breeze last light from the
N. E. heading to the R. nothing
in sight of any consequence

Tuesday May ^{the} 30 - 1840

Light air fine weather but
nothing in sight so ended the

Wednesday ^{the} 31

This day commences with a light
breeze from the N. E. clear sky later
part cloudy & at daylight saw
back off the R. the quarter at
sun down off over the bow single
raft topsails to in fore top go the
sail. It and got top sail &
supposed she was a. horn of war

Thursday ^{the} 1

This day calm saw two sails at
6 P.M. heard several reports last
part a fine breeze from the East
ward steering N. E. so ended the

Friday ^{the} 2

Wind R. N. E. steering N. E. at
8 P.M. saw kippers but did
not hear the boats so ended the

Saturday ^{the} 3

This day commences with a light
breeze from the R. steering N. E.
that part calm, a heavy swell
running from the N. E. so
good this month saw no sail
rather disagreeable