

Barque Beaver of Hudson Cruising

Thursday April 29 The first part of these 24 hours fresh breezes and clear from S.W. Steered W.N.W. all employed in ship duty saw finbacks and Porpoises the middle and latter Strong Gale at 10 am double reefed the topsails and took in jib and main sail. at 5 Pm the wind shifted round to W.N.W. with Rain took in foretop sail and lay two

Obs Lat 34. 58 N

Friday April 30 All of these 24 hours fresh breezes from W.N.W. Steered South with clear weather saw fin backs and Porpoises at 9 Pm tacked ship and steered N.E. at Sundown took in Sail Sails

Obs Lat 34. 24 N

Saturday May 1 All of these 24 hours moderate breezes from the westward steering N.E. by N and N.N.E. all employed in bending sail and other ship duty saw finbacks at Sundown took in Sail

Obs Lat 34. 13 N

Sunday May 2 The first part moderate breezes and cloudy weather made all sail and steered N.E. and N.E. the middle part fresh Gales at 1 Pm double reefed the topsails and took in jib and main sail with Rain. at 9 Pm the wind heaved to South with Rain at Sundown took foretop sail and fore sail and lay the ship two headed S.E. Sails

NO Obs

Monday May 3 All of these 24 hours Strong Gales from the N.W. with clear weather Steered N.E. and a large swell from the Westward carried away the lower bobstay strap. all employed ship duty at Sundown took in sail

Obs Lat 35. 30 N

Tuesday May 4 All of these 24 hours Strong Gales from W to S.W. with thick cloudy weather Steered N.N.E. and N. all employed in ship duty at 4 Pm took in foretop sail and double the main saw finbacks Grampuses Porpoises and a large Sunfish so on

Obs Lat 37. 00 N

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Wednesday May 5 All of these 24 hours Strong Gales from the S.W. with a thick fog Steered N.N.E. all employed in ship duty at 12 noon took in the foretop sail and fore sail and lay the ship two Nothing to be seen this day at Sundown Pump Ship which was not made

Lat by D.R. 38. 28 N

Thursday May 6 All of these 24 hours Strong Gales from S.W. to S.W. by S. laying two under double Reef main top sail. at Sundown Pump Ship the leak is about 150 Shakes in 24 hours

Obs Lat 39. 30 N

Friday May 7 This day Commences with light breezes from the S.W. with Rain and fog made sail and steered N.E. the latter part Strong breezes from N.W. and clear at Sundown took Sail all employed ship duty saw hump backs finbacks Grampuses and a fur Seal

Obs Lat 40. 19 N

Saturday May 8 All of these 24 hours Strong breezes from the N.W. Steered N.E. and East all employed in ship duty saw numerous finbacks and birds at Sundown took in Sail Sails

Obs Lat 40. 54 N

Sunday May 9 All of these 24 hours moderate breezes from the N.W. and clear weather Steered N.E. at 9 am luffed the ship in the wind to bolt on the bobstay strap and set them up saw finbacks and killers at Sundown took in Sail Sails

Obs Lat 40. 43 N

Monday May 10 All of these 24 hours thick foggy weather the first part wind from the S.W. Steered N.E. by E all employed in ship duty at 6 Pm the wind heaved to N.N.W. at Sundown Pump Ship and lay the ship two

Lat by D.R. 41. 00 N