

Remarks on board ship Thomas Dickson of New Bedford.

Sept. 38, 1864. From 12:00, M. Tuesday, Oct. 25th 1864.

Commences nearly calm. Forepart light variable westerly winds; middle, and latter part, light and moderate variable southerly winds. The ship under all sail. Course E by N.

Sat. 30th. Wednesday, 26th.
Forepart, and middle, light, variable, southerly winds; the ship on the eastern tack. At 11 P.M. saw land on the California coast bearing from E to N.E. distant about thirty miles. Latter part the wind much the same, with some rain; the ship on opposite tacks. Forepart under all sail; latter part took in the light ones. Spoke bark Coral, of New Bedford.

Thursday, 27th.
Light, and moderate, variable, westerly winds, and calms. Came to anchor in the harbor of San Francisco at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Friday, 28th.
Light, and moderate, variable, winds; and calms. Employed at drying, and bundling, whale-bone.

Saturday, 29th.
Light, and moderate, variable, winds, and calms. Lying at an anchor in San Francisco.

Sunday, 30th.
Forepart, and middle, middling strong northerly winds; latter part more moderate.

Monday, 31st.
Light and moderate winds, principally from the northward, and north-westward.

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Tuesday, Nov. 1st, 1864.
Light, and moderate, variable winds, mostly from the northward. Lying at an anchor in San Francisco.

Wednesday, 2nd.
Light northerly winds, with fine weather.

Thursday, 3rd.
Light, and, moderate, northerly, winds.

Friday, 4th.
Light, and moderate, variable, westerly, winds.

Saturday, 5th.
Light, and moderate, variable, northwesterly, winds.

Sunday, 6th.
Moderate, and middling strong, northerly, winds.

Monday, 7th.
Fresh, northerly winds. At 9 P.M. bark Canton Packet came in collision with us, taking off our fly-jib-boom; as soon as we got clear, let go the port anchor, and underfoot.

Tuesday, 8th.
Middling strong, and moderate, variable, northwesterly, winds.

Wednesday, 9th.
Moderate, and light, variable, westerly, winds.

Thursday, 10th.
Light, variable, winds. Employed at painting the ship, outside.

Friday, 11th.
Light, variable winds. Employed at painting.