

Fourth Journal

May 1st
1853 Remarks onboard Sunday May 1st 1853
First part of this day, gentle breeze from N.E. and clear, latter part fresh breeze from N.E. and saw two shoals of Blackfish, saw a ship bound East
Lat 37° 51' Long 70° 51'

May 2nd
1853 Remarks onboard Monday May 2nd 1853
First part of this day, fresh breeze from N.E. East and pleasant latter part gentle breeze from North and fine saw two Merchantmen bound Westward saw one Fishback Ship a Porpoise and saw him
Lat 35° 35' Long 70° 58'

May 3rd
1853 Remarks onboard Tuesday May 3rd 1853
First part of this day, light. fair from S.E. and fine latter part calm and clear toward the boats and predicted a rowing, so ended this day.
Lat 34° 17' Long 71° 59'

May 4th
1853 Remarks onboard Wednesday May 4th 1853
All this day, gentle breeze from S.W. and fine saw small sail bound to the Eastward saw Fishback with out masts saw two vessels supposed to be Grampus
Lat 33° 58' Long 73° 14'

May 5th
1853 Remarks onboard Thursday May 5th 1853
First part of this day, gentle breeze from South and cloudy, latter part fresh breeze from S.E. and rainy, spoke the bark and a few schooners 2 small cut 500 tons saw three small brigs supposed to be Grampus saw several Merchantmen
Lat 32° 54' Long 73° 42'

May 6th
1853 Remarks onboard Friday May 6th 1853
First part of this day, fresh breeze from South and squally, latter part gentle breeze from S.W. and fine saw small sail bound North
Lat 32° 33' Long 73° 42'

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May 7th
1853 Remarks onboard Saturday May 7th 1853
First part of this day, gentle breeze from N.W. to East and fine latter part gentle breeze from S.E. and cloudy, saw small sail bound different course saw two shoals of Porpoise, struck one and made him look in the harbor Boat and directed her
Lat 32° 10' Long 74° 01'

May 8th
1853 Remarks onboard Sunday May 8th 1853
First part of this day, light air from S.E. and squally with lightning and rain latter part gentle breeze from S.W. and fine saw a big bound East saw three vessels supposed to be Grampus
Lat 31° 53' Long 75° 00'

May 9th
1853 Remarks onboard Monday May 9th 1853
First part of this day, gentle breeze from South and fine latter part fresh breeze from S.W. and cloudy with a heavy sea from the Westward
Lat 31° 29' Long 75° 55'

May 10th
1853 Remarks onboard Tuesday May 10th 1853
First part of this day, fresh breeze from S.W. and squally, latter part light air from S.W. and fair saw one sail bound North toward the boats and seen
Lat 31° 20' Long 75° 40'

May 11th
1853 Remarks onboard Wednesday May 11th 1853
First part of this day, fresh breeze from South latter part calm, squally, saw two Merchantmen bound S. saw one Porpoise
Lat 30° 48' Long 76° 30'

May 12th
1853 Remarks onboard Thursday May 12th 1853
All this day, about clear and clear saw one bark a Merchantman bound North saw two shoals of Grampus and four vessels supposed to be Grampus killed four sharks toward the Waste Boat and went to a bunch of Cotton
Lat 30° 47' Long 76° 54'