

Remarks On Board Bark Bertha off New Bedford

Tuesday Jan 14<sup>th</sup>

This day opens with a good breeze from N to steering by it on the first tack after 1 o'clock commenced to make sail watch employed in ship's duty saw 3 sails going S W at sunset shorted sail heading to S W

Lat 31-45 North Long 71-25 W Do ends This day

Wednesday Jan 15<sup>th</sup>

This day opens with a strong wind from N to steering by it on the first tack at about 4 o'clock it came in thick & raining soon after we were around it & cleared off a wind hauled to the S W & we continued kept N W to nothing in sight. Do ends This day

Thursday Jan 16<sup>th</sup>

This day opens with a good breeze from S W steering about 3 o'clock it commenced to rain & blow took all sail except main spruce & fore staysail at 1 o'clock & we commenced to make sail made same sail kept N by the wind W & W blowing strong at sunset took in fore staysail

Lat 30-45 North Long 44-20 W Do ends This day

Friday Jan 17<sup>th</sup>

This day opens with a light breeze from N to steering N W at sunset took in light sails sent down the main sail stowed it below nothing but grasshoppers in sight watch employed in washing ship's outside

Lat 31-20 North Long 44-50 West Do ends This day

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Saturday Jan 18<sup>th</sup>

This day opens with a light wind from N to steering N W watch sent down main top gallant sail & repaired it finished about 2 o'clock & sent it up for spars & grasshoppers in sight

Lat 31-53 North Long 45-00 West Do ends This day

Sunday Jan 19<sup>th</sup>

This day opens with a light wind from N to steering S W till more than W with all sail out nothing in sight but one sail

Lat 33-13 North Long 45-40 West Do ends This day

Monday Jan 20<sup>th</sup>

This day opens with a light wind from the North steering for the West watch employed in breaking out water & provisions saw grasshoppers one Bail bound for the north latter part wind the same

Lat 33-30 North Long 47-00 West Do ends This day

Tuesday Jan 21<sup>st</sup>

This day opens with a light wind from the north east steering West lowered the waste board & caught a turtle saw grasshoppers two sails watch employed in mending fore topmast staysail finished & sent it out sent down main topmast staysail repaired & sent it up about 7 o'clock wind increasing at sunset furled fore & aft sails and kept S W by S

Lat 33-24 North Long 49-02 W Do ends This day