

United States of America
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Boston City of New Bedford
September 26. 1843

Personally appeared Joseph H. Allen
Master of the Brig Franklin of New
Bedford and on oath declared that John
Solon and O. Osborn departed from Fair
Island at the British Islands. That
De Witt C. Smith and William H. Smith
departed at Manilla. That Addison
Hagen, John H. Lewis, H. Bonner and
F. P. P. departed at Ocher. That Joseph
C. Allen and Jacob Myers were discharged
at their own request at Curacao where there
was no Consular agent of the United States
and no certificate could be obtained.
That Charles Smith was discharged at
Lion and Isaac Pote was discharged
at the British Islands, both at their own
request, and in the reason before stated
no certificate could be obtained. And
that A. Dine was discharged with all
papers with the consent of the Consul of
the United States, but that by some
mistake no certificate of such discharge
has been obtained, or if obtained has been

lost or mistaken

Wm. Taylor

Notary Public

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October 7. 1843

Personally appeared Archelaus Baker
Master of the Ship Rebecca of New Bedford
and on oath declared that said ship is wholly
owned by citizens of the United States.

Per 7. 1843

Wm. Taylor Notary Public

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Be it remembered that on this third
day of October in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred forty three before
me William H. Taylor a Notary Public duly
commissioned and sworn residing in the
City of New Bedford aforesaid, personally appeared
William Handy Jr late master of the Schooner
Sutona of Sandwich of the burden of fifty seven
tons or thereabout and states that he sailed
from Baltimore in said Schooner laden with
a cargo of Oriskany on the 21st day of September
last bound for Newbern, and left Hampton
Roads on the Friday following. That on the
21st being about 20 miles Eastward of Fair
Island, in fifteen fathoms of water his vessel
was run into by the Brigantine of
Glasgow, and immediately sunk; the
said Master with his crew having barely
time to get on board said Brigantine, in which
they were carried to New York; that he
was himself badly hurt by the collision, and
has been unable to attend to business until
this day, and he now desires to enter his
protest against the winds, waves, dangers of
collision and all other causes whereby the
loss of the said Schooner Sutona and her
cargo were occasioned, with liberty to extend
this name at pleasure.

William Handy for
All which is granted by me the said Notary

Wm. Taylor Notary Public