

United States of America
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
District of New Bedford
August 22. 1853

Personally appeared Richard Holley
master of the Ship Washington of New Bedford
and on oath declared that said ship
is wholly owned by citizens of the United
States

Wm Taylor Notary Public

United States of America
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
District of New Bedford
August 26. 1853

Personally appeared Edward David
master of the Barque Cornelia and on
oath declared that said Manuel Perry
deserted from said Barque at Sagal.

Wm Taylor Notary Public

United States of America
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
District of New Bedford
August 27. 1853.

Personally appeared John B. Forman
master of the Ship Fenton of New Bedford
and on oath declared that said ship is
wholly owned by citizens of the United States

Wm Taylor Notary Public

United States of America
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
District of New Bedford
August 30. 1853

Personally appeared Thomas Bunde
master of the Barque Estrella of New Bedford
and on oath declared that said Barque
is wholly owned by citizens of the United States

Wm Taylor Notary Public

United States of America
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
District of New Bedford
August 31. 1853

Personally appeared Jacob Jonagan
master of the Ship Eric of New Bedford and
on oath declared that said ship is wholly
owned by citizens of the United States

Wm Taylor Notary Public

United States of America
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
District of New Bedford

Do it remember that on this 31st
day of August in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred fifty three before
me William H. Taylor a Notary Public duly
commissioned and sworn residing in the City
of New Bedford aforesaid personally appeared
Hazen H. Watson, master of the Ship Eliza
(Harwich of Boston of the burden of 500 tons
or thereabouts and states that he sailed
for said ship from the Port of Harwich, on
the 20 day of April last, having on board
a cargo consisting of Oil, Whalbone and
Merchandise, and having encountered
heavy and tempestuous weather on the passage
whereby he apprehends that the said vessel