

United States of America
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Bristol p. City of New Bedford

Be it remembered that on this
17th day of January in the year of our
Lord One thousand eight hundred and
fifty four, before me William H. Taylor
a Notary Public duly commissioned
and sworn, residing in the City of New
Bedford aforesaid, personally appeared
Gideon D. Mixers, Master of the Schoon
Sanna Jane of New Bedford, of the
burthen of One hundred & thirty eight
tons or thereabouts and states that
he sailed in said vessel from Dorseth
on the 13th day of the present month
having on board a cargo of Goods
and Naval Stores, ~~bound for~~
New Bedford aforesaid when he
arrived on the 16th day of January
instant, and having experienced
heavy and tempestuous weather ~~on~~
the passage, whereby a portion of the
Naval Stores have been lost, and
fearing other loss and damage deriving
to note his protest against the winds
waves, tides, currents, storms, tempests
heavy seas, and all other causes
whereby the said vessel or her cargo
have sustained loss or damage with
liberty to extend the same at pleasure

G. D. Mixers

All which is subscribed by me the
said Notary
W. H. Taylor
Notary Public

Taylor

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By this public instrument of
protest and declaration be it known
and made manifest unto all whom it
doth or may concern that on this eighteenth
day of January in the year of our Lord One
thousand eight hundred and fifty four
before me William H. Taylor a Notary Public
duly commissioned and sworn, residing in
the City of New Bedford aforesaid, personally
appeared Farnum Baskell Master of the
Brig African of New York of the burthen
of 193 Tons or thereabouts and states that
he sailed in said Brig from the Port of
Calais, Maine, on the sixth day of December
last having on board a cargo of lumber
bound for Philadelphia and having experienced
stormy and tempestuous weather on the
passage and ~~thereby~~ having sustained
serious injury ~~on the passage~~ he was com-
pelled to put into Holmes Hole where
he arrived on the seventh day of January
instant and on the eighth day of January
according to the best of his recollection duly
noted a Protest, with John Holmes Esq.
a Notary Public residing at said place
and called a survey, under advice whereof
he proceeded to this Port for the purpose
of repairing the damages sustained as
aforesaid, and that having left the said
Port of Holmes Hole without first obtaining
of copy of the said Note of Protest he has
written to said Notary requesting that a
copy thereof might be sent to him, but
receiving no reply to that request
he now desires to make a formal
extension thereof, all which is granted
by me.