

4/4 North Captain  
John Bates Mate  
Charles Tuley Mate

Tees  
Protest. 1200  
Record 3.50  
~~affidavit~~  
15.50

On this fourth day of April in the year  
of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and  
fifty four before me William H. Faylor a Notary  
Public duly commissioned and sworn residing  
in New Bedford aforesaid, personally appeared  
Sharon master of the Ship Gesteau  
of New Bedford of the burden of seven hundred  
eighty three tons or thereabouts and states that