

United States of America
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Bristol p. City of New Bedford
May 12. 1854

Personally appeared Pardon Tripp master
of the Fish Boat of New Bedford, and on
oath declared that Cephus S. Thomas was
killed by a whale, that Abner J. Garrison
was drowned, that Manuel Pereira was
Manuel Fortuna deserted at Honolulu, and
that J. Corbet did not render himself
Fees \$2.00 on board for duty. Wm. H. Taylor Notary Public

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May 15. 1854

Personally appeared William M. Parnes
master of the Cargo Schooner of Fairhaven
and on oath declared that said Cargo is wholly
owned by citizens of the United States.
Fees \$1.00 Wm. H. Taylor Notary Public

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May 17. 1854

Personally appeared Henry Leslie and on
oath declared that he was born at Buffalo in the
State of New York on the 30th day of March 1835 as he
has been informed and verily believes, and that
ever since he was fourteen years of age he has been
accustomed to make his own contracts and transact
all necessary business for his own account, and has
hereby set his signature in my presence in testimony
of the truth of the foregoing statement Henry Leslie
Fees 50¢ Wm. H. Taylor Notary Public

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Personally appeared Nelson Wright and on
oath declared that he was born in Green County in
the State of New York on the 15th day of August 1835 as he
has been informed and verily believes and that for
the past two years he has been accustomed to make
his own contracts and transact all necessary business
for his own account, and has hereby set his mark
in my presence in testimony of the truth of the foregoing
statement. Wm. H. Taylor Notary Public
Fees 50¢

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May 19. 1854

Personally appeared Theodore Boer
and on oath declared that he was born in
the town of Orange County of Essex and
State of New Jersey, on the 10th day of March
1834, as he has been informed and verily
believes, and that for the last five years
he has been accustomed to make his own
contracts and transact all necessary business
for his own account; and has hereby set his
signature in my presence in testimony of the
truth of the foregoing statement Theodore Boer
Fees Wm. H. Taylor Notary Public