

## Remarks Board Of Ship Niger New

Saturday August 24<sup>th</sup> 1878

This day begins with a breeze from the Westward we steaming of the N.E. under short sail Middle part we luff to the Wind on Starboard tack and shorten sail later part very squally with thunder and lightning and Rain ship cruising under short sail Nothing in sight so Ends the day

Lat 40.00 Long 40.03

Sunday August 25<sup>th</sup> 1878

This day begins with squalls from N.E. to N. We under short sail Middle and later part light air Calmer saw one sail we are employed in ship's duty so Ends the day

Lat 39.55 N Long 40.15 W

Monday August 26<sup>th</sup> 1878

This day begins with light air and Calmer saw a school of Porpoises and some Manx. Middle part shorten sail latter part fine weather and splendid breeze from the E. N. E. so Ends the day

Lat 40.44 Long 40.41 W

Tuesday August 27<sup>th</sup> 1878

This day begins with fine breeze from the N.E. good steaming weather saw Black fish porpoise & Manx. The Captain's chair that would raise a large whale and a box of Tobacco Middle part shortened sail latter part strong breeze from S.E. saw a few Porpoises and Manx. Employed in the weather for comfort so Ends the day

Lat 39.42 N Long 39.54 W

ed from Nass Thomas &amp; Hallett Master

August Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> 1878

This day begins with a fine breeze from N.E. we are cruising for sperm whales Middle part we shorten sails latter part a strong breeze from S.E. we have employed Rove of the cutting gear so Ends

Lat 39.52 N Long 39.54 W

August Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> 1878

This day begins with a strong breeze from S.E. we are cruising under easy sail Middle part strong breeze from S.E. Nothing in sight we are employed so Ends the day

Lat 39.31 N Long 38.06 W

August Friday 30<sup>th</sup> 1878

This day begins with a fine breeze from S.E. with Rain squalls saw some Porpoise and caught one Middle part we shortened sail later part a fresh breeze from S.W. two sails in sight we employed in ship's duty so Ends this day's work in

Lat 38.10 N Long 38.31 W

Saturday August 31<sup>st</sup> 1878

This day begins with a fresh breeze from S.E. we are cruising and working to the S. Eastward a boat steered by name Joseph is off duty sick he had been complaining for several days but never gave up until now Middle part fresh breeze and squally weather with Manx sick complaint of a cold and pain in his side later part wind from S.W. Joseph attack is worst fast he Raves about so Ends this day's work

Lat 38.56 N Long 36.38 W