

Ship Abraham, Barker, Schabod.

Tuesday 1853

January 11th } Commenced with light variable winds with cloudy weather. one sail in sight. Middle part Light winds from the N.W. steering N.E. Latter part strong gales from the N.W. with Rainy weather. heading E. Gave to under Close Reefed Main Topsail. No Observations.

Wednesday

Jan 12th } Commenced with strong gales from the N.W. heading N.E. under Close Reefed in Topsail. at 3 P.M. more moderate at the S. Topsail. and fore sail. at 5 took them in again. one sail in sight. Middle part heavy gales from the N.W. Latter part more moderate. at 4 A.M. kept of N.E. by N. Lat 53° 48' Long 54° 54' W.

Thursday

Jan 13th } Commenced with fresh gales from the N.W. steering N.E. by N. under Double Reefed S. & N. Topsail and fore sail with squally weather. Middle part John Wesley more moderate. Latter part strong winds from the N. Lat 51° 18' Long 51° 18'

Friday

Jan 14th } Commenced with strong winds from the N. steering N.E. by N. Middle part the same. Latter part fresh breezes from the N.W. with Hazy weather. Lat By ket 48° 18' Long " " 48° 06'

Norton, Master, Homeward Bound 1853

Saturday 1853

January 15th } Commenced with strong breezes from the N.W. heading N.N.E. with Rainy weather. Middle part wind hauled S.W. made all sail. Latter part moderate winds from the same quarter. Broke out for Water & Bread Lat 47° 01' Long 46° 54' W.

Sunday

Jan 16th } Commenced with fine breezes from the S.W. steering N.E. by N. with Pleasant weather. Middle light and variable winds. Latter part light breezes from the N.W. heading N.N.E. Lat 46° 46' Long 43° 18'

Monday

Jan 17th } Commenced with fine breezes from the N.W. heading N.N.E. with Pleasant weather. and quantity of Pin & Hump Barks in sight. Middle and Latter part the same. Lat 43° 38' Long 41° 11'

Tuesday

Jan 18th } Commenced with light winds from the N.W. steering N.E. by N. Middle part foggy. Latter part wind hauled N.N.W. Lat 41° 02' Long 39° 11'

Wednesday

Jan 19th } Commenced with fresh breezes from the N.W. steering N.E. by N. Middle part the same. Latter part strong winds from N. to N.W. with Rain squalls. Double reefed the S. & N. Main Topsails. Lat 39° 48' Long 36° 18'