

Barge Brighton of Dartmouth
Tues May 27th

Came with a heavy gale from the West
with heavy squalls ship lying up N. by W.
under storm sails Middle part the same
at seven o'clock bore up and scudded
under fore topmast staysail steering E. by S.
the weather same as first and middle
part at noon steered East the ship still making
as usual
Lat by Obs 30° 10' N
Long by Chron

Wed May 28th

Came with a heavy gale from the Westward
ship running East under fore topmast
staysail the weather thick and hazy at
five P.M. took in bow boat and the
gale increasing here to under the storm
sails reduced ship lying up N. E. as
the wind backed to the N. W. at seven
P.M. it blowing tremendously split the
fore topmast staysail middle part wind
moderated a little at daylight put the ship
before it and steered E. with the wind N. by W.
set fore sail and close reefed the topsail
latter part heavy squalls, No Obs

Thurs May 29th

Came with a moderate gale from the N. by W.
running under reduced sail to the East alone
P.M. set double reefed topsail, and E. by S.
at sunset nothing in sight Middle part
strong breezes and steady at daylight
made all sail and steered E. by S. latter
part the same at noon steered N. E. by N.
employed in ship, duty
Lat by Obs
Long by Chron 34° 40'

Fri May 30th

Came with strong breezes from the N. by W. course
at 8 by N and carrying full sail and standing full
until at six P.M. steered N. by E middle part
the same latter part wind increasing with squalls
double reefed the topsail, furled the main sail
observed that in carrying sail the ship leaks about 1500
strokes in 24 hours
Lat by Obs 20° 41' North
Long by Chron 11° 15' West

Sat May 31st June 1st

Came with light gale from the Westward course N. by
East running under double reefed topsail, fore sail and
jib at four P.M. steered N. wind cut S. W. by the
middle and latter part wind moderate from the
S. W. latter part almost a calm latter part steering
E. by N. W. observed that when we carry sail there
the leak increases but in fine weather the leak is
about 200 strokes in 24 hours, at noon a flat calm
Lat by Obs 23° 05'
Long by

Sun June 1st ~~Wind the 2nd at 11th~~
Came with a calm plenty of birds in sight sight
at two P.M. a light breeze from the Eastward
steering by the wind to the Northward middle part
wind cut N. W. ship lying up N. by W. at seven
A.M. over to the N. E. by E latter part wind moderate
employed in ship, duty nothing in sight

Lat by Obs

Mon June 2nd 1855

Came with moderate wind from the N. W. steering
by the wind to the N. E. middle and latter
part the same employed in ship, duty
nothing in sight

Lat by Obs