

Barque Brightens, Gog-

Frid Oct 10th

Came with strong breeze from the W.S.W. steering by the wind to the S.W. at sunset shortened sail and wore to the N. middle part the same latter part blowing a light gale from the W.S.W. rain and squally at six P.M. wore to the South at noon weather moderated wore to the N.W. and made easy sail

Lat by Obs 33.32 S
Long by Acc 147.40 E

Sat Oct 11th

Came with strong breeze from the W.S.W. steering by the wind to the S.W. at sunset shortened sail middle part winds lighter at four A.M. at ten A.M. with light breeze from the North course S.W. by W. nothing in sight

Lat by Obs 33.17

Sunday Oct 12th

Came with moderate with wind from the North course S.W. by W. at five P.M. lifted to the wind laying up W by N at sunset the weather became thick and rainy shortened sail middle part wind shifted to the W.S.W. wore to the N.W. latter part squally at daylight made easy sail

Capt. Abner Tucker Master

Monday Oct 13th

Came with strong breeze from the W.S.W. ship laying up S.W. at sunset shortened sail middle and latter part calms and light winds ship working to the Westward nothing in sight

Lat by Obs 32.47 S
Long by Acc 147.40 E

Tues Oct 14th

Came with a calm at three P.M. light wind from the S.W. course S.W. at sunset shortened sail to double reefed topsails foresail and jib saw forebacks at sunset wind increasing and a heavy swell from the North and cloudy middle. what latter part strong breeze at three A.M. wind shifted out South ship laying up W.S.W. at seven A.M. saw a hump back lowered for him as we thought it a right whale discovered our mistake and came on board

Lat by Obs 33.12 South

Wed Oct 15th

Came with strong double reefed topsail breeze from the South ship laying up W. S.W. at sunset shortened sail to double reefed top sail breeze and foresail middle and latter part moderate from the S.E. with S.E. ship steering by the wind by the Southward daylight made sail

Lat by Obs 34.20 South

Thurs Oct 16th

Came with moderate wind from the Eastward steering by the wind to the Southward at two P.M. saw a hump back steering S.W. saw hump back at sunset shortened sail ship laying up S.E. wind S.W. middle and latter part wind out A.E. at one A.M. steered S.W. by W. at day light blowing strong and weather setting in thick and hazy at three blowing a moderate gale at nine steered South at noon lifted to laying up N.E. by N

Lat by Obs 35.03