

Barque Brighton of Dartmouth
Tues Nov 4th

Came with a moderate gale from the N.E., steering S.W. under topsails close reefed and foresail with the weather murky and foggy at two P.M. steered S.W. at sunset she furled foresail and fore topsail and steered S.W. at eight P.M. hove to ship laying up S.E. middle part the same at daylight set double reefed topsails and foresail and steered S.W. latter part rainy and squally at noon steered S.E. saw finbacks

Wed Nov 5th

Came with a light gale from the N.E. and rainy and squally steered S.W. at sunset shortened sail to close reefed main topsail and storm sail, and hove to ship laying up S.E. middle part gale increased some carried away the fore spence gaff at daylight squally under foresail and close reef the topsail steering S.W. latter part foggy and wind hauling to the Westward and moderating at noon hove to heading N.W.

Thurs Nov 6th

Came moderate wind from the N.W. and hauling with a heavy swell from the N.E. ship laying hove to heading N.W. and foggy at two P.M. saw black fish could strike and drew at four P.M. with wind out S.W. and blowing a gale shortened sail to close reefed the topsail and storm sail ship laying up S.W. middle part gale abated latter part wind light from the S.E. at daylight made sail steered to the N.W. saw finbacks at noon steered to the N.W.

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Long by Obs 155.00 E

Capt Abner Tucker Mast
Friday Nov 7th

Came with light winds and a heavy swell from the S.E. steering to the N.W. at sunset shortened sail and hove to ship heading E.N.E. saw finbacks employed in ship duty middle part the same at daylight made sail ship heading North wind out E.N.E. at noon blowing a gale from the East and foggy ship laying to under close reefed the topsails and storm sail and wind hauling to the Southward

Sat Nov 8th

Came with a gale from the S.E. ship hove to laying up E.N.E. at sunset wind out N.W. at four P.M. wore to the E.N.E. middle part wind moderated hauled in to the S.W. at daylight made easy sail and steered N.E. at nine A.M. steered S.E. saw finbacks and black fish

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Sun Nov 9th

Came with strong breezes from the S.W. course S.E. finbacks in sight at five P.M. luffed to the wind laying up S.W. at sunset shortened sail to close reefed the topsail and storm sail and wore to the N.W. middle part the same at daylight made sail and steered N.E. by E. at nine A.M. steered to the North nothing in sight