

Schooner, "Carlton Bell" Log Book

Commenced November, 14th 1906, Wednesday

Schooner "Carlton Bell" sail from New Bedford for a Whaling voyage, under command of Joseph H. Deuka, her former master, with 15-
person, composed of crew, except one of the crew, name John Fortes, desert in day of sailing vessel in good order and staunch, well fitted for the voyage. drowing 9 foot forward, and 11
after, at 5 P.M. from land, bear Northeast 20 miles off for with I took my departure. Wind strong from West, weather cloudy, we set main try sail fore sail and fit, steering S West at 5 P.M. we divided the crew, at 7 P.M. we set watch, Starboard watch took first watch on deck.

Thursday
We start again
and park.

Thursday November 15 First part of this day began with moderate breeze from the South East and cloudy weather latter part, very strong wind from East with heavy sea on. Vessel under two try sails and fit, at 6 P.M. we took in fit and reef try sails, vessel shipping much water on deck, pump carefully attended
no observation

Friday

Friday November 16 First part of this day began with heavy blowing from the West with heavy sea running vessel under two reef try sails, lying to on Starboard tack, we take the West boat on deck, the crew gave out, stop brock vessel shipping much water on deck pump attended
no observation, sun obscure