

Log of the bark *Anna* Capt. Capt
Charles H. Robbins Master, sailed from the
Port of New Bedford July 8 sea account

July

Thursday July 8th (1875)

First part light breeze from N.E. and
raining. At two P.M. the tug left with the Pilot
Ship heading to S.E. & all sail out, stowed down
choys & the spare and stowed the anchors for
the night, hoisted up the middle and latter
part overcast with rain and a fresh breeze from
N.E. At 10 P.M. hoisted up the topsails
and hauled the main sail. The watch
employed in getting ready for whaling

Friday July 9th

Overcast the first part with fresh
breeze from N.E. course S.E. by E. under easy
sail. The middle part wind and weather the same
course E by S. The latter part fine clear weather
with light breeze N.E. course E. Several sails
in sight. The watch employed in getting ready
for whaling and sunds

Saturday July 10th

Lat 39° 52' N Long 70° 17' W. Fine weather the
first part with light breeze from N.E. course E
by S. The watch employed in getting ready for
whaling. About 10 P.M. hoisted up the
middle part. The wind and weather the same
as first part. Course E by S. The latter
part the wind shifted to S.W. with rain and a fresh
breeze E by S. And so ends

Sunday July 11th

No ship. This day commenced with fresh breeze from S.W.
with rain double reefed the topsails and hauled under
course E by S. one sail in sight.

The middle and latter parts light breeze
from S.W. with rain course E by S. And so ends

Monday July 12th

No ship. Strong breeze from S.W. with rain
squalls. The first part course E by S. The middle
part fresh breeze from S.W. course E by S. The latter
part fresh breeze from S.W. turned the reefs out. The watch
employed in getting on the shaping gear course E by S
and so ends

Tuesday July 13th

Lat 39° 30' N Long 70° 45' W. Clear weather with fresh
breeze from S.W. The first part course E by S. The middle
part overcast with light breeze from S.W. course
E by S. Under easy sail. The latter part raining with light
breeze from S.W. course E by S. And so ends

Wednesday July 14th

No ship. Rainy the first part with light breeze
from S.W. At 7 P.M. the wind hauled to with a fresh breeze
course E by S. Under double reefed topsails. The main
sail in. The middle and latter squally and
raining with strong moderate gales from
S.W. course E by S. And so ends

Thursday July 15th

No ship. Fresh gales from S.W. with
rain squalls the first part. Course E by S
under double reefed topsails and fore sail
The middle and latter parts. The wind weather
and course the same as first part. And so ends

Friday July 16th

No ship. Rainy the first part with strong
breeze from S.W. course E by S. The middle and latter
part wind and weather the same as first part. course
E by S. And so ends