

Remarks on board the Bar Ocean Steed in
Sunday 1870

August the 7 This day commenced with fresh
winds from S.W. the ship heading N.W. At 6
pm wore ship to the south still fresh wind
At 8 pm wore ship to the N.W. middle part took
in the up top sail still fresh winds At daylight moderate
gale latter part more moderate & heavy rain saw
nothing so ends this day no obs

Monday

August the 8 This day commenced with rain & 1870
moderate winds from N.E. the ship heading N.W.
At 3 pm saw a sail to the W. steering to the E. At
sunset the weather a bit the same middle part
moderate At day light set all sail & steering N.W.
the wind from E saw nothing so ends the day

Tuesday

August the 9 This day commenced with very 1870
pleasant the ship still steering N.W. with
all sail set At sunset took in light sails the
wind very light middle part same At day light
set all sail one sail in sight saw nothing so ends
this day Lat 40° 12' N Long 46° 28' W

Wednesday

August the 10 This day commenced with calm still 1870
one sail in sight At sunset took in flying jib
& all stay sail still calm the ship heading N.W.
middle part the weather a bit the same At day
light set all sail the weather very pleasant saw
nothing so ends this day

North Atlantic ocean Sack Ring, four Sperm Whales
Russell Mast 1870

Thursday

August the 11 This day commenced with very pleasant
weather the ship heading N. by W. with all sail set
At sunset took in the light sails still heading the
same the wind from W.S.W. middle & latter part light
weather & cloudy wore ship to the South saw nothing so
ends this day Lat 41° 42' N Long 46° 27' W

Friday

August the 12 This day commenced with fresh winds
& thick At 3 pm wore ship to the North at 5 pm
very heavy sea on At sunset moderate gale took in
the up top sail & main & took the boats up still blow-
ing on middle part moderate still thick At day
light set up top sail & set main sail & filled the
ship heading W. saw nothing so ends this day
Lat 41° N Long 46° 42' W

Saturday

August the 13 This day commenced with fine breeze
& cloudy the ship heading W. At sunset took in the
light sails middle part light winds At day
light set all sail & kept N. by E saw nothing
so ends this day Latitude by obs 41° 09' N
Long 46° 32' W

Sunday

August the 14 This day commenced with very 1870
pleasant weather the ship steering N. by E. At sunset
took in light sail the weather a bit the same
middle part light rain squally At daylight set
all sail the ship heading N. by E. 2 sails in
sight the wind very light so ends this day
Latitude by obs 41° 57' N Long 46° 42' W