

Wagee in the Atlantic
of Ocean
On Board Bark *Matthews*
of New Bedford
Capt. *Stickney*
Kept by
John E. Gifford
first mate

Board
Barnes to the West Coast of N
Wednesday Oct= 26

Wind fresh from the N.W. and
fine about 1 P.M. here up anchor
and took the steam tug *Willie* and
out of New Bedford Harbor. We left
about 3 o'clock P.M. at 6 P.M. *Worm*
land here about E.N.E. so ends this
day with a fresh N.W. wind with
Bark under maintop sail steering S.

Thursday Oct= 27 1/2

First part of this day strong wind from
N.W. middle part S.E. latter part
fresh breeze and fine the Bark under
maintop sail steering S.E. by E.
saw a steamship. Lat 40.24 N. Long 68.45
steering to the Westward

Friday Oct= 28

First part wind strong weather fine
middle part fresh breeze from the West
The sails were employed at various
jibs latter part fresh breeze the
Bark steering E.S.E. under all sails
Lat 38.28 N. Long 65.38 W.

Saturday Oct= 29 1/2

First part fresh breeze and fine weather
Wind from the N.E. the Bark steering
E.S.E. middle part fine steering to the
Wind backing about S.E. latter part
fresh breeze from E.N.E. weather fine
Bark steering by the wind under all
sails heading about S.E. by S. saw a
finback and a merchant Brig steering
to the Westward during the day
Lat= 38.19 N. Long= 62.18 W.