

Bark Ocean Steed
of Chatham - New Brunswick

Monday morning April 27th 1868
Lying at anchor off Charles Point
New Bedford Mass. U.S.A.
at 9 A.M. Pilot went on Board and
have short - being calm - most of the
crew being on board at 10^h light
airs from the W. at 11 Capt. mate
2 & 3rd mate all came on board -
made sail and stood out to the S
at 6 P.M. stood out passed Leakyhook
Pilot having left us at 3 P.M.
wind S. stood out to the W. with
light airs from the S. S. W. at
7 wind hauled suddenly to the
N.E. blowing quite fresh kept
Ship to the S. per compass

Tuesday April 28th Steady
breeze from the S.E. steering S.
all day - saw several sail steering
to the W. - All hands employed
in fitting Boat coiling lines etc
1st mate sick confined to his
room - at night wind still
S.E. and blowing steady