

Ship *Flower*, of New Bedford, on

Friday June 6th 1862

part. with a strong breeze from N. E. and rainey. Heading E. S. E. under short sail, at 12.30 noon wore ship to the North, by West, and made some sail. Saw a schooner, at 5. P. M. Saw Long Island, bearing N. N. W. Dist. 30 miles, steered N. W. supposing it to be Gay Head.

X to be Montauk. At dark saw a light, and made it out to be Fire Island Light, tacked off shore and made all sail, to beat to windward, at 8.30 A. M. tacked off shore, at 11.30. We got a Pilot and beat to windward, saw lots of small crafts, &c. No ends.

Saturday, June 7th 1862

Wind N. E.

part. with a moderate breeze from N. E. and good weather beating under all sail, at 4. P. M. bent the chains & saw two whales, Midcock & latter parts rainey beating to windward under all sail. No ends, the land bearing North, North part of Block Island.

Sunday, June 8th 1862

End Floe

part. with a strong breeze from N. E. and some rainey under all sail beating to windward at sunset passed Sutterhunk Light the wind E. N. E. at 4. P. M. let go the Larboard Anchor in 50 fathoms of water and paid out 40 fathoms of chain. We furled the sails. No ends the voyage the ship being about 40 months and 4 days & stowed down 953 bbls of Sperm Oil

Soundings, Augustus, N. Perkins, Master,