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Oct 1860

Log Book of ~~Ship~~ Thomas Dickason  
of New Bedford Borne on a whaling  
Voyage to the Pacific Ocean

Tuesday Oct 16<sup>th</sup>

Wigh anchor at 11 am with a strong breeze  
from the westward Ship beating out  
to End this day

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup>

Commences with a strong breeze from  
west veering to S W Ship an opposite  
Tacks at 5 Pm Pilote gives the ship up  
to the captain at the light boat at  
7 Pm keep off to S E Ship under all  
Sail latter part wind came to the  
eastward & dies away so ends  
with four sail in sight  
Lat 40.16 Lon 68.54

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup>

Commences with light fine weather ship  
under all sail with starboard tack aboard  
heading S E middle part wind  
freshens latter part strong N E  
Winds hand top gallent gill & fly gill  
so ends this day with four sail  
in sight Lat 39.16 Lon

Friday 19<sup>th</sup>

Commences with a strong breeze from  
the N E Ship under whole topsails  
Jib & main sail on larboard tack. Stern  
S E middle part blows on hard with  
rain heave to under close reef main  
topsail foresail & staysail latter part  
fine weather ship under double reef  
topsails all hands employed in getting  
boat ready for whaling so ends

Lat 38.25 Lon 66.71