

Sch. Wm. A. Grazier of New Bedford

whaling various voyages May 2 1905 - Aug 2 1912

Geo. L. Dunham - master

May 2nd. 1905

Journal of a whaling voyage on board the Schooner Wm. A. Grazier, Geo. L. Dunham Master.

May 2nd.
Tues

At 11:30 a.m. got under weigh from Buller's flats with a light breeze from the Westward and at 12 noon came to anchor with a very fresh breeze from the S.W. and clipping at 1 1/2 m. Set anchor watches. So ends this day.

Wed 3rd.

This day comes in with a fresh breeze from the S.W. and clipping vessel by day at anchor. Crew employed in various jobs about ship. So ends this day.

Thurs 4th

This day begins with it calm and foggy and at 10 a.m. it breezed up fresh from the N.E. At 10:30 put 2 reefs in the main-sail and foresail and got underway and at 11 a.m. passed Humphrey's Rock and at 12 noon passed Low and Pigeon Light Ship. Shook out the reefs and at 7:30 p.m. took in the main-sail and set the by-sail.

Fri. 5th

This day comes in with a fresh breeze from the N.E. at 8 a.m. set the mainsail and topsail steering S.S.W. at 6 p.m. took them both in and put two reefs in the fore-sail more wind and rough. So ends this day.

Sat. 6th

This day comes in moderate and thick fog, went under two try-sails until noon. Set the main-sail and fore-sail and at 1 p.m. light vessel heading N. S. W. At 7 p.m. took in the main-sail and flew fit. So ends this day.

Sund 7

This day comes in moderate and foggy, vessel under short-sail of the S. Phila. of Wilmington Del. Letter put the same. So ends this day.