

The United States of America
 State of Rhode Island & Providence Plantations
 By this public instrument, be it known & made
 manifest, unto all whom the same both or may
 concern, that on this day, the sixth day of March
 1847, before me one George W. Ellery, a public
 Notary for the County of Newport, in the State
 of Rhode Island & Providence Plantations,
 by the authority of said State, duly elected, com-
 missioned & sworn, residing at Newport, within
 said County of Newport, personally came Henry C.
 Piercy, master of the ~~Gladiator~~
 Gladiator of Boston, burthen 98 + 62/95 tons
 on her voyage from Havana, Cuba,
 to Boston, put into this port on account of
 stress of Weather, and regularly in my office,
 entered his protest against all losses, costs,
 damages, injuries & expenses, sustained or
 occasioned to said vessel & her cargo on board
 during said voyage. ^{because badly split &}
^{most Coals stowed}

Quod attesto

Geo W Ellery

Public Notary

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Newport for

Newport March 29th 1847 Schooner called
 the Volant, of Norfolk, Va, burthen
 140. 83/95 Tons, sailed from the port Hampton
 Roads, Va, the 24th near instant, bound to
 the port of New York, with a cargo of sugar
 molasses. Rum. Sweet meats and
 oranges. put in shore on account of heavy gales, &
 high seas, which blew drove this Schooner
 from her destined port. ^{with} split sails, put in
 her on account of stress of Weather

Quod attesto

Geo W Ellery,

Public Notary

Mr. Matthew Master