

May 1848 #26

Bark Bruce sailed May the 20. 1848

of Fair Haven - 148
Bark Bruce sailed from the port of New Bedford
between the 19. and 20. on the 20. of May
on a whaling voyage being pleasant weather when she
sailed but as soon as she got out the weather was wet and
foggy and but a light wind so ends this day.

the 21 Sunday the 21 the weather being wet and foggy with strong
winds steering to the south east nothing doing on board
so ends this day

the 22 Monday the 22 the weather being foggy with strong wind
steering to the South and Eastward with double reefed topsails
nothing doing - but the ships Duties on board so ends
this day

the 23 Tuesday the 23 the weather being fine with a light
winds with all sail out nothing doing on board
but working the ship so ends this day long 71
lat 38.30 N long 71 W

the 24 Wednesday the 24 the weather being fine with a
strong breeze spoke the Isaac Hays bound home having
put out forty five months there is nothing doing on board
of us except working the ship so ends this day