

1856

Bark Catalpa of Cape Horn in Decem^r 20

Saturday December 20

Commences with middling good weather
Course steering by the wind heading N^W
at 2 P^m set the fore topsail and mainsail
and turned one reef out of the main topsail
Middle part squally furlled the Mainsail and
furlled the fore topsail Latter part much
the same So ends these 24 hours

Lat 56° 50' S Long 75° 20' W

Sunday Decem 21

Commences with thick Rainy weather
Made sail more ship steering by the wind
heading S by W at 4 more ship again heading
N^W Middle part thick weather and light
wind turned the Reefs out of the topsails
and set the main top gallant sail
Latter part pleasant more ship made all
sail heading S^W So ends

Lat 56° 48' S Long 76° 35' West

Monday Decem 22

Commences with pleasant weather
at 4 P^m took in the fore top gallant sail
fly Jib and gaff topsail Course N^W S^W
Middle part squally Latter part the same
tacked ship heading S by E So ends

Lat 56° 32' S Long 78° 35' West

Tuesday Decem 23

Commences with pleasant weather and a
strong Breeze double Reefed the topsails and
furlled the Jib steering by the wind heading N^W
by W Middle part Middle part squally steering
by the wind heading N^W by S Latter part the same
So ends

Lat 55° 05' S Long 80° 30' W

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Wednesday December 24

Commences with pleasant weather kept
of N^W set the fore and main top
gallant sails and fly Jib Middle part
thick Rainy weather Double Reefed the
topsail Latter part the same So ends

Latitude 52° 53' S Long 80° 00' W

Thursday Decem 25

Commences with pleasant weather
steering by the wind heading N^W by N
Brooke out for water Middle part
squally Latter part the same So ends

Lat 51° 40' S Long

Friday Decem 26

Commences with pleasant weather steering
by the wind heading N^W by N closed
Reefed the fore topsail and furlled the
Mainsail Middle part the same at
daylight more ship Course steering N^W by N
Latter part much the same So ends

Latitude Long

Saturday Decem 27

Commences with pleasant weather steering
by the wind heading N^W by N Middle
part squally Lying to Latter part Much the
same steering by the wind heading N^W by N
N^W by N So ends Lat 49° 54' S Long 80° 06'

Sunday Decem 28

Commences squally weather steering by the
wind heading N Middle part Rainy Lying to
Latter part pleasant steering N^W by N So ends
these 24 hours

So. Lat 48° 47' S Long 80° 00' W