

Ship Charles Drew off the Chatham's
 Saturday Dec. 15th

Moderate gale N.W. & a little rain during P.M. at 1 P.M. saw sperm whales put off the boats touch one & got them (propane) another (mice) & a third (Latter) and weather wind (N.W.) at 5 P.M. come cutting Lat 44 42

Sunday Dec. 16th
 Light winds S.W. & pleasant at 3 finished cutting the (base plank) at 8 started the rocks (Mia & Latter) touch the same all hands cutting junk starting bread boiler etc. so on to the E of 44th rock

Monday Dec. 17th
 Fresh breeze S.W. & good weather boiling & at 9 P.M. breeze began to increase with a little rain at 1 close reefed the main top at 3 o'clock some took in the foresail & Latter about the same Lat 44 30 ship & sea started but no wind gathered some blubber & whalebone

Tuesday Dec. 18th
 Gale of wind from the W. under strike sails to the S. at 5 P.M. more moderate started the rocks (Mia & Latter) & Latter pulled under short sail Lat 44 43

Wednesday Dec. 19th
 Light winds N.W. at 7 finished lifeline (Mia) some rain Latter blowing on again & rigger saw blackfish & several sprouts to windward called them sperm whales some quick to windward coopered the oil opened the fish & Lat 45 15

Thursday Dec. 20th
 Fresh gale N.W. & hazy at 1 P.M. more ship to the S.E. at sunset took in fore & main top (Mia & Latter) gale increasing hauled the foresail close reefed the main top & (rally) No (Ch)

Friday Dec. 21st
 Gale wind S.W. & rain. Rigger & coopered some water took off bulwarks & put beach oil in the stowage. (Mia) blowing heavy from S.W. Latter little more moderate Lat 45 21

Saturday Dec. 22nd
 Ship making some water still blowing strong S.W. under short sail N.W. (Mia & Latter) more (mott) wind N.W. all hands empty filling oil put 10 short cables in the stowage & one of the fore hold (Mia) Lat 45 36

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 Sunday Dec. 23rd

Fresh breeze N.W. & fine weather (Mia & Latter) the same Lat 44 58 175 30

Monday Dec. 24th
 Fresh breeze N.W. & hazy saw a ship to windward (Mia) much the same Latter foggy Lat 44 49

Tuesday Dec. 25th
 Moderate breeze S.W. & foggy same weather cruising for whales put off one boat for a short fish did not get him (Mia & Latter) about the same (No (Ch))

Wednesday Dec. 26th
 First frost light winds N.W. & rainy saw black fish young quick to windward (Mia & Latter) fine weather at 9 P.M. saw Pyramid rock during S.W. 20 knots Lat 44 49

Thursday Dec. 27th
 Light winds from S. & fine weather cruising in sight of the land saw several finches & one sail (Mia & Latter) much the same

Friday Dec. 28th
 Light winds S.W. & spoke bark (Mia) & Latter of S. P.M. 13 knots 200 sperm (Mia & Latter) fresh gale S. at 9 P.M. Capt & 3 boats every went on shore at 10 P.M. in co with the (Mia) boat (opening the fish) Lat 45 15

Saturday Dec. 29th
 Wind the same at 3 P.M. boats returned with 4 sheep & a few potatoes & onions 3 boats went in to fish but caught none (Mia & Latter) hazy saw the back take a large whale but saw none ourselves (opened the fish) Lat 44 46

Sunday Dec. 30th
 Storm breeze S.W. & hazy spoke ship (Mia) & Latter of S. P.M. 13 knots 1600 (Mia & Latter) much the same Lat 45 40

Monday Dec. 31st
 Open in with fresh gale S.W. & some rain (Mia & Latter) fresh gale S. at 10 in co with the (Mia) land in sight Lat 45 49

Tuesday Jan. 1st
 Open in with fresh gale S.W. & fine weather in co with the (Mia) boat (Mia & Latter) light winds the two ships Lat 45 49