

Remarks On Board Ship *Addisong* Brighton

Wednesday
Dec 30th First a gale from S. E. going to under
double reefed M. Topsail & Staysail. heading
to the E. At 7 P.M. wore ship to the S. W.
saw 3 sails. Middle the same.
Latter part strong winds from S. & rough.
At 7 A.M. began boiling. 8 o'clock ship
to the E. & made single sail.

Lat Obs. 46° 12'
Long Obs. 162° 52'

Thursday
31st First part strong breeze from S. & rough
heading to the E. under topsails &
foresail. employed in boiling. At 7
P.M. shortened sail to double reefed
topsails. Struck a porpoise but did
not get him. M. & latter parts calm
& light air - made sail at daylight.
Saw four sails

Lat Obs. 46° 06'
Long Obs. 161° 53'

Friday
Jan 1st 1858 First part calm & pleasant -
4 sails in sight. At 6 P.M. began
boiling. M. part a light breeze from
N. E. Latter part a strong wind from N.
& squally - steering in various directions
saw 2 fin-backs.

Lat Obs. 46° 52'

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Saturday
Jan 2nd Comes in with strong wind from N. & rain
which at 6 P.M. had increased to a gale
shortened sail to a double reefed M. Staysail.
M. Spencer & fore topmast staysail.
M. & latter parts the same till 11 A.M.
then cleared up with a light breeze from
N. & made sail & steered E. S. E.

Lat Obs. 46° 22'
Long Obs. 163° 40'

Sunday
3rd First part moderate breeze from N. &
& cloudy. Steering to the E. with all
sail. At 7 P.M. shortened sail.
At daylight made sail with a fresh breeze
from N. W. - steered to the S. E.
Saw nothing.

Lat Obs. 46° 53'
Long Obs. 160° 53' 1/2 P.M.

Monday
4th First part strong breeze from N. W. & rising
gradually to the N. & increasing -
steered N. E. At 6 P.M. shortened sail
heading N. E. At 8 P.M. took in foresail
& 2. topsail. Latter part a hard gale
from N. W. & clear weather - going as
above.

Lat Obs. 46° 36'

Tuesday
5th Comes in with a hard gale from N. W.
going to as above. M. same. Latter part
more moderate & from N. with some
fog & rain. At daylight made sail
steering to the E. N. E. saw two sails.

Lat Obs. 46° 16'
Long Obs. 158° 10'