

Dec 14 First part of this day comes with strong Breezes wind And pleasant weather Bk. employed in boiling and running down the oil latter same weather employed in fixing the boats L.B. and B.B. also got through boiling saw one sail and a steamer at sea

Dec 15 Today begun with light Breezes And fine clear weather Bk. Cruising with all sails out mens at various ship works saw Grampus latter continued with same weather one Steamer and sail in sight Lat song

Dec 16 All through this 24 hours light Breeze and clear weather Bk under all sails set cruising mens employed in various ship jobs latter much as first Lat song

Dec 17 This day commences with light Breezes wind And fine clear weather Bk. cruising under all sails out mens at ship jobs at 10 P.M. raised large sperm whale by Joseph Farrofaal. lowered down three boats without any success at dark got on board latter same weather Lat song

Dec 18 Today commences with light Breezes wind and pleasant weather Bk. cruising with all sails out mens at various ship works raised school of sperm whale by Mr. Jones and lowered down three boats L.B. got large whale. W.B. got 2 whales bow took me got them alongside with the three in latter same weather

Dec 19 This day begun with light Breezes wind and pleasant weather employed in cutting the big whale the Hoots faraway and stop for a while then started again got the body in left the head out sides latter employed in took the head in Lat song

Dec 20 Today light Breezes employed in boiling And clearing the casks for the oil saw nothing latter same weather still boiling and running down the oil Lat song

Dec 21 This day commences with light Breeze wind and fine weather Bk. under lower sail employed in boiling & running the oil at noon time got through boiling employed in run the oil down Lat song

Dec 22 All through this 24 hours light Breezes wind and pleasant weather Bk. cruising with upper topsail mens at ship works got through stow down the things latter same weather Lat song

Dec 23 Today begun with a good Breeze wind And clear weather Bk. cruising with all sails out mens at various ship jobs saw nothing for the end of the day

Dec 24 This day commences with light Breezes wind And pleasant weather Bk. cruising under all sails out crew at ship works saw pillars and Grampus also got boats ready thought it was sperm whale latter same weather Lat song