

Bark. Alfred Gibbs off Cape Horn

1870

Remarks continued Monday Dec 5th
At one P.M. began to moderate at 3 1/2
P.M. sent down main top sail
at 4 got up a new one
Latter part strong squalls from
W. N. W. Put a new fore top-mast
stay-sail.

Lat 55-52 Long 64-33.

Remarks Tuesday Dec 6th.
Began with strong winds from
W. N. W. course S. W. Under doubled
reefed ~~courses~~ top sails. and reefed
courses at 7 1/2 A.M. the wind hauled
to the westward in a squall
and then heavy latter part blowing
a heavy gale and an awful sea

Lat 56-38. Long 66-05

Remarks Wednesday Dec. 7th
A heavy gale from the W. S. W.
Lying to under a close reefed main
top-sail. main spencer for top mast
and fore stay sails. moderating but
very heavy in squalls heading
to the S. at 9 were ship to the
W. N. W. Latter part wind from
the N. Steering S. W.
Lat No. Obs.

Remarks Thursday Dec. 8th.
Strong winds from the N. W. and increas-
ing with rain. At 2 P.M. wind
hauled to the Westward and began
to increase At 7 P.M. blowing another
heavy gale

Lat 57-14 Long 66-00

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Remarks Friday Dec 9th 1870.
A heavy gale from the westward
have too head to the S. under close
reefed main top sail and stay sails
moderating slowly and the wind
hauling to Southward Were ship
to the westward wind S. S. W.
Lat 57-12 Long 65-34.

Remarks Satur-day Dec. 10th.
Strong winds from the S. W.
heading by the wind to the W. N. W.
The wind dying out and hauling
to the westward. Latter part wind
N. W. by west. heading S. W.
and rainy

Lat 56-52 Long 66-51.

Remarks Sunday Dec. 11th.
Strong winds from the S. W. and
slowly hauling to the W.
Heading S. W. by W. Under
double reefed top sails and reefed
courses

Lat 57-34 Long 67-42

Remarks Monday Dec 12th.
Moderate winds from the W.
with fog squalls headings S. S. W.
under close reefed top sails and
reefed fore sail. Middle part rainy
wind N. W. heading to the W.
Lat 57-55 Long 68-21.

Remarks Tuesday Dec 13th.
Strong winds from W. N. W. and
squalls heading S. W. wind
hauled to the west. at 3 P.M.
were ship to the N. W.
Lat 57-58 Long 67-58.