

Friday Dec 11th 1852

Came with a light breeze from the S. S. ship heading N. N. W. at 6. Shorten sail at 8. Middle part made the land. Simmons Island near ship and stood S. S. W. latter part steering N. W. at 11 employed getting trail. So ends these 24 hours

Saturday Dec 11th 1852

Came with a light breeze from the S. S. ship heading off and on the land at 5. Steering N. W. and home S. S. E. middle part light wind ship laying back at daylight. Land in sight. Latter part light wind at 10 o'clock anchored at Hall's Island in 13 fathoms water men employed getting off water

Sunday Dec 12th 1852

Came with a light breeze from the S. S. ship at anchor at Hall's Island at 6. Set the anchor watch middle and latter part of these 24 hours past with light wind men employed getting water at noon the ship lay on stand close in the Captain came on board. So end this day's work

Monday Dec 13th 1852

Came with a light breeze from the S. S. ship at anchor at 5 the Captain came on board from the Lyon middle and latter part light wind at 8 the Starboard boat went on shore to trail men employed

Tuesday Dec 14th 1852

Came with a light wind from the S. S. ship in harbor at 6 the boat came on board got under way ship heading S. S. E. middle and latter part of these 24 hours past with light wind from the S. S. ship heading N. W. Saw a ship on the lee bow men employed. Steady anchors
Lat 11° 47' 30" N
Long 172° 10' E

Wednesday Dec 15th 1852

Came with a light breeze from the S. S. ship heading N. W. Gilbert's Island in sight on the lee bow at 6 boat ship heading S. E. middle and latter part light wind at 8 P. M. Saw Whales boats lowered but returned without success. Land in sight men employed

Lat 11° 24' N
Long 172° 59' E

Thursday Dec 16th 1852

Came with a light breeze from the S. S. ship heading N. W. Gilbert's Island in sight at 6 halted to the wind heading S. E. middle and latter part of these 24 hours past with light wind from the S. S. ship heading S. S. E. Hall's Island in sight men employed

Lat 11° 53' N
Long 173° 31' E

Friday Dec 17th 1852

Came with a light wind from the S. S. ship heading S. S. E. at 3 spoke the bark Smurrow at 6 Captain came on board middle and latter part of these 24 hours past with light wind men employed

Lat 11° 12' S
Long 172° 53' E

Saturday Dec 18th 1852

Came with a light wind from the S. S. ship heading N. W. at 6. Came Squalling Shorten sail. Wood's Island in sight middle latter part of part of these 24 hours past with light wind from the N. W. men employed

Lat 11° 02' S
Long 173° 31' E

Sunday Dec 19th 1852

Came with a light breeze from the N. W. ship heading N. W. W. middle and latter part of these 24 hours past with a calm

Lat 11° 08' S
Long 172° 50' E

Monday Dec 20th 1852

Came with a light breeze from the S. S. ship heading S. S. E. Saw black fish one boat lowered and got party at 8 got him long side middle and latter part light wind men employed