

Wednesday Dec 27th Commences with thick heavy weather and a strong breeze from the Eastward ship heading to the Nth East under double reefed topsails and courses latter part wind from the S E course E N E with a strong breeze nothing seen not much doing

Thursday Dec 28th Commences with strong breezes from the S E course E N E under double reefed topsails and courses latter part blowing strong from the Southward course E N E ship tumbling about at a great rate

Friday Dec 29th Commences with strong breezes from the Nth course E N E under double reefed topsails and courses latter part wind and weather the same

Saturday Dec 30th Commences with pleasant weather and a strong breeze from the Nth West course E N E under all sail latter part pleasant ship under all sail light breezes from various quarters course East by Nth

Sunday Dec 31st Commences with pleasant weather and light air from the Nth course East by Nth under all sail nothing seen latter part pleasant with light air and calms and rain so ends

Monday Jan 1st 1855 Commences with a strong breeze from the Nth West course East by Nth with rain at 5 A M double reefed the topsails latter part squally with a strong breeze course East by Nth

Tuesday Jan 2nd Squally with a strong breeze from the Westward course East by Nth under double reefed topsails and foresail latter part pleasant and more moderate all sail set

Wednesday Jan 3rd Squally with a strong breeze from the Westward course East by Nth all sail set latter part raining with a strong breeze from the Westward course E by Nth

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Thursday Jan 4th Commences with a fine breeze from the S West with plenty of rain course East by Nth 1/2 Nth ship under all sail saw Porpoises latter part more pleasant with a strong breeze from the Westward course East set the Main Topgallant Sail and jib

Friday Jan 5th Commences with pleasant weather and a strong breeze from the Westward course East ship rolling very much and a very heavy ugly swell running latter part pleasant with a fine breeze from the Westward course East by Nth all sail set the land in sight on point on the Southward Bow about forty miles off nothing else seen Lat 34.02 Nth
Long 121.11 W

Saturday Jan 6th Pleasant weather and a fine breeze from the westward steering various courses Land in sight about 30 miles off three points abast the Southward Beacon saw Finbacks and caught a Porpoise latter part pleasant with light air from the Nth course East by East under all sail saw nothing so ends this day
Lat 32.19 Nth

Sunday Jan 7th Pleasant with light air from the Eastward ship on the wind heading to the Southward so finbacks latter part pleasant with light air and calms course East by East nothing seen
Lat 31.46 Nth

Monday Jan 8th Pleasant weather with light air and calms course S E by East saw Grampases nothing doing all sail set latter part beautiful weather and a fine breeze from the Nth course S E by East saw finbacks and Grampases Lat 31.00
Long 118.58 W

Tuesday January 9th Pleasant weather and a fine breeze from the Nth course E S E all sail set watches engaged in setting up the rigging forward latter part pleasant with a fine breeze from the Nth course E S E saw Porpoises watches engaged in setting up rigging Land in sight on both beams about eighty miles distant