

Ship journal of Fair Haven Steyer

Thursday December the 1st
Commences fresh winds and thick rainy weather from the Westward heading N. N. W. under double reefs, and course, at 4 P. M. wore ship steering S. S. E. with the swell off our quarters Middle and Latter parts fine breezes from N. W. to North with light showers of rain and a very heavy swell on steering S. S. E. under all sail, Lat. by Obs. 40. 19 S.

Friday Decem. 2^d Long by Chron. 176. 41 W.
Commences fresh breezes from the Northward steering S. S. E. under all sail with rain at sunset took in sail and luff'd to the wind, Middle and Latter parts fine breezes from N. E. steering E. S. E. and S. E. under all sail, Lat. by Obs. 41. 39. S.
Long by Chron. 174. 42 W.

Saturday December the 3^d
Commences fine breezes from N. E. steering E. S. E. under all sail, at 6 P. M. sprouts but could not tell what they were, Middle and Latter parts light winds and calms from N. E. heading from E. to E. S. E. under all sail Lat. by Obs. 41. 24 S.
Long by Chron. 173. 07. W.

Sunday December the 4th
Commences fine breezes from South steering E. S. E. under all sail, at 6 P. M. took in the mainsail, and main Toppantsail Middle and Latter parts fresh gales from the Westward steering from E. S. E. to N. E. at 7 A. M. double reef'd the Tapsails Lat. by Obs. 41. 10. S.
Long by Chron. 170. 56. W.

Raymond Master Cruising for Whales

Monday December the 5th
Commences fresh gales from the Westward steering N. E. under double reefs, with a bad swell on and squalls of rain, Middle and Latter parts fine breezes from the Westward steering N. E. S. E. under all sail, Lat. by Obs. 39. 56. South
Long by Chron. 169. 40. W.

Tuesday December the 6th
Commences with fine breezes from West steering N. E. under all sail, at sunset took in the Fore and Mizzen Tapsails, and double reef'd the Main and luff'd to N. by E. Middle and Latter parts light winds and calms from the Westward heading all round the Compass, Lat. by Obs. 39. 04. South
Long by Chron. 169. 10. W.

Wednesday December the 7th
Commences light winds and calms, Spoke the Barque Mary and Marther of Sturbrant, 1800 lbs. of Oil, at 7 P. M. the wind from E. N. E. heading North under all sail, Middle and Latter parts fine weather from the E. S. E. heading to the Northward at 10 P. M. spoke the Ship Isaac of Haven, 2450 lbs. Lat. by Obs. 38. 26 S.
Long by Chron. 168. 45 W.

Thursday Dec. the 8th
Commences fine weather from E. S. E. heading N. E. under all sail at 1 P. M. spoke the Ship John Adams of Nantucket 1300 lbs. at sunset double reef'd Middle and Latter parts fresh gales from N. E. heading E. S. E. under double reefs, Lat. by Obs. 39. 30 South