

Dec 9 Today pleasant weather with light winds. Sehr employed in boiling down the oil. Latter part same weather. Lat Long

Dec 10 This day comes with wind from S.W. Sehr laying round under try sails. Saw Grampuss. Latter same weather. Saw School of Blackfishes. Lat Long

Dec 11 With light winds and pleasant weather. Sehr laying round under try sails. Saw numbers of Grampuss. Latter part of the day same weather. Lat Long

Dec 12 These 24 hours began with light winds and fine weather. Sehr laying round under try sails only. Saw School of Blackfishes. Latter the same weather. Lat Long

Dec 13 Today commences with light winds and fine weather. Sehr cruising under short sails. Crew employed in doing various ship duty. Latter part of the day same weather. Lat Long

Dec 14 These 24 hours began with light winds. Sehr heading S.W. under short sails. Saw School of Blackfishes and lower for them without get any of them also one steamer in sight. Latter much as first. Lat Long

Dec 15 First part of this day commences with light variable winds and pleasant weather. Sehr cruising under short sails also saw a steamer at 5.45 P.M. raised School of Spinn. whales. Lowered three boats. Starboard boat and Waist boat struck and brought the whales to the ship. Latter employed in cutting the whales in fair weather. Lat Long

Dec 16 These 24 hours began with light breeze wind and pleasant weather. Sehr employed in boiling and cruising. Saw numbers of Grampuss. Latter same weather. Lat Long

Dec 17 This day with strong breeze wind and clear weather. Sehr cruising under all sails out. Got through boiling at 6.15 P.M. raised School of Spinn. whales. Lowered down three boats and all got fast and brought to the ship. Starboard boat and Waist boat whales get away from the ship. The seas was so rough that the whale parted the chains only save one whale. Latter same weather employed in cutting the whale. Lat Long

Dec 18 Strong breeze wind and rough seas. Sehr employed in boiling. Latter part of the day wind moderate. Some saw a steamer and Grampuss. Lat Long

Dec 19 Pleasant weather with long rolling seas. Sehr boiling and cruising under try sails. Saw Grampuss and Finbacks also one steamer in sight. No H.S.