

Remarks On board R H

Dec 18th

Sunday. First of these 24 hours thick weather and blowing a gale from N.E. R.H. steering S.W. at 4 P.M. luffed to the wind & shortened sail saw jumpers. Porpoises & one sail mid & latter parts thick foggy so ends this day Lat 35.50

Dec 19th

Monday. First of these 24 hours thick foggy weather saw Porpoises & one sail mid & latter parts better weather so ends this day Lat 35.59 Long 155.56

Dec 20th

Tuesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & S.W. wind R.H. steering by the wind on starboard tack mid & latter parts squally saw one sail & Porpoises so ends this day Lat 35.53 Long 156.28

Dec 21st

Wednesday. First of these 24 hours cloudy weather & strong N.W. wind R.H. steering E by N mid & latter parts weather much the same saw 2 whimpish & Porpoises so ends this day Lat 35.42 Long 158.04

Dec 22nd

Thursday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & strong breeze from the westward. R.H. steering E by N saw Porpoises & all mid & latter parts weather the same so ends this day Lat 35.40 Long 160.21

Dec 23rd

Friday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & a moderate breeze from S.W. R.H. steering E by N mid & latter parts light variable wind so ends this day

Dec 24th

Saturday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light Easterly wind. R.H. steering by the wind heading N.W. mid & latter parts the same so ends this day Lat 34.34 Long 161.39

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Dec 25th

Sunday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & a moderate breeze from N.E. R.H. steering by the wind on Port tack saw Porpoises mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends this day Lat 35.34 Long 162.28

Dec 26th

Monday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & a moderate breeze from N.E. R.H. steering by the wind on Port tack saw one & a half of Porpoises mid & latter parts hazy weather so ends this day Lat 35.23 Long 162.33

Dec 27th

Tuesday. First of these 24 hours hazy weather & a strong breeze from E.N.E. R.H. steering by the wind on starboard tack mid & latter parts foggy & rain so ends this day Lat 34.48 Long 163.07

Dec 28th

Wednesday. First of these 24 hours hazy weather & a strong wind R.H. steering by the wind heading E by N mid & latter parts light & variable winds so ends Lat 34.33 Long 163.56

Dec 29th

Thursday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light air from the Eastward saw one Finback & Porpoises mid & latter parts Northwardly winds. R.H. steering E saw jumpers to day so ends Lat 34.25 Long 165.45

Dec 30th

Friday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & a strong breeze from N.W. R.H. steering E by N mid & latter parts rainy so ends this day Lat 34.25 Long 168.41

Dec 31st

Saturday. First of these 24 hours rainy weather & variable winds R.H. steering E by N saw one Finback mid & latter parts weather much the same saw a school of Grampuses to day so ends this day Lat 34.12 Long 168.11