

Shipboard South the Equator 1857
Sat Dec 14th light air & calm & fine weather
Lat by Obs. 14° 15' Long by Chron 171° 39' 30" W

Sun Dec 15th light air and fine weather
Standing on Dipnet track
Lat by Obs. 14° 15' Long by Chron 171° 39' 45" W

Mon Dec 16th light from the North
on Dipnet track Saw a Red whale head
for nothing &c. &c.
Lat by Obs. 14° 15' Long by Chron 171° 39' 45" W

Tue Dec 17th light air & calm on a
wind to the N.W. by S. Saw porpoises &c.
Lat by Obs. 14° 15' Long by Chron 171° 39' 45" W

Wed Dec 18th light wind from S.E.
Standing to the S.W.
Lat by Obs. 14° 15' Long by Chron 171° 39' 45" W

Thu Dec 19th pleasant breezes standing to
the S.W. Made bye with head gear & back
Latter Mare S.W.
Lat by Obs. 14° 15' Long by Chron 171° 39' 45" W

Fri Dec 20th Strong trader standing to the
N.W. under single top Sails standing to the
S.E. by S. at midnight tacked to the S.E. by S.
at 10 P.M. wore Ship & Mare S.E.
Lat by Obs. 14° 15' Long by Chron 171° 39' 45" W

Sat Dec 21st Strong trader and fine weather
standing to the S.W. at 3 P.M. Saw porpoises
at 10 P.M. at 10 P.M. to 11 P.M. of them
came on board & were ship to the S. at 10 P.M. were
to the S. at 10 P.M. Saw on the S. at 10 P.M. were
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