

Remarks on board Ship Majestic Friday December 26th 1857

Comes in with strong wind from the ~~se~~ heading
in at 2 PM shook up out of the main top sail
at 3 PM under 2 reef top sails very squally
at work cooing and nothing of any
middle part squally later part wind veered to the
steering by mending sails Captain sick
Lat 25:15 Long 152:15

Remarks Saturday December 27th
Comes in with strong wind and squally from the
steering by under 2 reef top sails mending sails
at 11 PM hand the jib at 3 PM set it again
ends very squally under 2 reef top sails
Lat 25:26 Long none

Remarks Sunday December 28th
Comes in with strong wind and rain squalls
from the steering by under 2 reef top sails
at 6 PM under top sails moderates at 10 PM
under all sail wind veered to the ~~se~~ at 3 PM
heading to the north brok out provisions
Lat 27:14 Long 148:56

Remarks Monday December 29th
Comes in pleasant wind from the eastward
heading to the ~~se~~ with all sail saw finbacks
and porpoise middle part light wind later part
employd setting up rigging wind baffling from
the ~~se~~ heading on both tacks seawards
Lat 27:37 Long 148:14

Remarks Tuesday December 30th
Comes in with moderate wind and baffling
from the ~~se~~ employd setting up rigging
at 5 PM full fore and misson top gallies sail
and flying jib middle part the same
at 8 PM hand ship heading ~~se~~ saw ends
Lat 28:31 Long 147:45

Remarks on board Ship Majestic Wednesday December 1st 1858

Comes in with strong wind from the ~~se~~ heading ~~se~~
under top sail at 1 PM set main top gallies sail
saw finbacks and porpoise employd in the rigging
middle part squally at 2 PM full main
top gallies sail wind from the ~~se~~ heading ~~se~~
employd making spinn yarn saw ends
Lat 30:10 Long none

Remarks Thursday December 2nd
Comes in with strong wind and squally from
the ~~se~~ heading ~~se~~ at 3 PM 2 reef fore and
misson top sail making spinn yarn at 11 PM
2 reef main top sail at 4 PM hand the jib
ends with rain squalls broke out water
Lat 31:23 Long 144:27

Remarks Friday December 3rd
Comes in with strong wind from the ~~se~~ heading
~~se~~ under 2 reef top sails on starboard
tacks middle and later part the same seawards
Lat 32:21 Long none

Remarks Saturday December 4th
Comes in with strong wind from the ~~se~~ heading
~~se~~ at 1 PM under top sails more moderate
middle part moderate later part employd
setting up rigging light wind with all sail
no observations This day seawards

Remarks Sunday December 5th
Comes in with calms and then light wind from
the ~~se~~ with all sail set brok out provisions
and small stores saw new fore top sail
2 reef sails middle part calm later part light
wind from the ~~se~~ steering with all sail
saw humpbacks seawards
Lat 34:00 Long none