

Lat. 51 S

Long 81 40 W

Sunday Dec 11th 1870

Commence cloudy strong breeze from S^W heading SE started tack. Last part fine weather raised Cape Poge at 10 30 Am. 2 sails (puffs) in sight.

Lat 50 50 S

Monday Dec 12th

Commence fine weather strong breeze from S^W working up the coast tack & tack. St. Id. Pt. distant 15 miles at sundown. Last part same breeze (saw Merchant ship going N.)

Lat 1 34 S

Tuesday Dec 13th

Long 81 06 W Fine weather strong breeze from S^W heading SE with with current working up the coast. Last part light wind. Point of Helena ahead. Distance 12 miles.

Wednesday Dec 14th

Fine weather light air from the S^W (captured a shark) at 5 Pm hauled up boat chain and but it with rain read to anchor. current setting into the land. Last part same weather. Point of Helena ahead.

Thursday Dec 15th

Fine weather light breeze from S^W heading SE. Point of Helena on lee quarter at sundown. distant 20 miles. Last part same raised. Good morning at 8 Am.

Friday Dec 16th

Commence fine weather moderate breeze came aboard at 5 30 Pm. in 4 fathoms water there was 2 merchant vessels anchored a bark & schooner. At 7 o'clock commenced getting cask ready for water. Capt went ashore.

Saturday Dec 17th

Sent raft 21 cask ashore at 3 Pm. was stowed after hole any getting ready to take water. Last part same took off raft. and showed off after hole.

Sunday Dec 18th

Saw 1st