

1864

Tuesday Dec 6th

This day begins with light winds from N.W. and snowing
Employed in breaking out vinegar hatch getting provisions
Ready for winter stowing down chairs. Kpt. & parthans of
than on deck mid part calm and clear weather clearing up
Decks putting the snow digging up in the tops latter part much
the same

Wednesday Dec 7th

This day begins with light winds from S.W. clear and cold
The mate and six men went to Blacklead for 1 stem Barrel
of Molasses and 1 barrel of flour mid part covered the
house over with boards got one tub of ice from shore
latter part calm clear weather

Thursday Dec 8th

This day begins with light winds from S.W. clear weather
Employed in covering the house mid part much the same
Water close by the ship the native building snow houses
When got one load of ice from shore latter part
light winds and calm fine weather

Friday Dec 9th

This day begins with light wind from S.W. clear weather
Employed in getting two loads of ice from shore middle
part light winds from N.W. Capt. Allen went on board
of Brig Pioneer latter part calm clear weather

Saturday Dec 10th

This day begins with fresh breezes from N.W. clear
Weather broke out Cranberries and flour mid part
much the same latter part moderating a little
Several natives come on board from Blacklead

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Tuesday Dec 11th

This day begins with fresh breezes from N.W. clear weather
Made one mile and half from the ship mid part moderating
Broke the hatch out 1 barrel of Pork latter part calm fine
during 18th weather very clear to end this day

Wednesday Dec 12th

This day begins with strong breezes from S.W. and slight
Snow storm employed in building 1 sled for the
natives and cutting ice for steps along side the ship
Mid part much the same ice set of shore water
1 mile and 1 half from the ship latter part
Moderate gales and snowing

Thursday Dec 13th

This day begins with light air and calm and very
Warm for this time of year went up to the harbor for
gar. Cons to shoe sleds with mid part much the
same latter part wind N.W. water 4 short distance
from the ship

Friday Dec 14th

This day begins with fresh gales from S.E. and thick snow
Storm got one load of ice from shore middle part
much the same broke out vinegar and Molasses
latter part moderate gale

Saturday Dec 15th

This day begins with fresh breezes from S.W. and thick
Snow storm middle part moderating and clearing up
Employed in sledging up two coats to the ship
latter part fine weather and clear
Broke out 1 cask of bread