

Saturday December 14th 1861

Commences with a moderate breeze from the SE and fine at half past 12 commenced to cut the whale at 5 finished and steered SE at 7 took in sail to double reefed main topsail and foresail middle and latter light breeze from the SE and fine steering SE by E at daylight commenced to boil at 11 AM wore ship and steered SE light airs from the W

Lat By Obs 44.50 Long By Chro 160.52

Sunday December 15th 1861

Comes with light baffling airs from the westward steering to the SE with all sail set Boiling at 7 took in sail for the night middle and latter part light baffling air with fog and rain ship heading to all points of the compass Employed Boiling at meridian moderate breeze from the SE steering ESE

Lat By Obs 45.09

Monday December 16th 1861

Comes with moderate breeze from the SE and cloudy steering ESE at 4 finished Boiling at 5 PM Lored for a whale and drove him off to the SE at 8 took the Boat up and took in sail light air from the SE middle and latter part calm ship heading to all parts of the compass latter part employed in stowing Oil at meridian finished stowed down 71 bbls

Lat By Obs 45.30 Long By Chro 160.15

Tuesday December 17th 1861

Commences with calm at 7 PM took in sail for the night middle part light airs from the E and thick rainy latter part moderate breeze and thick hazy at meridian fresh breeze at daylight set all sail and steered SE by E

Lat By Obs 45.32 Long By Account 160.30

Wednesday December 18th 1861

Comes with a strong breeze from the E and hazy weather at 1 PM saw a whale lored 4 Boats struck and killed him at 5 took him to the ship at 6 commenced to cut at 10 finished blowing strong with rain middle and latter part thick and rainy at 10 AM commenced to boil at meridian set jibs sails steered ESE

Lat By Obs 46.01 Long By Chro 160.45

Thursday December 19th 1861

Commences with strong breeze from the SE and good weather steering by the wind heading ESE with main top Gallant sail set at 5 wore ship to the SE at 7 took in sail for the night. Employed in Boiling middle part foggy with rain latter part strong wind from the SE at 11 PM with fog equals steering SE at meridian got done Boiling

Lat By Obs 46.10 Long By Chro 160.53

Friday December 20th 1861

Comes with a strong breeze from the SE and cloudy steering SE with all sail set at 7 AM took in sail for the night middle part strong wind and foggy latter part cloudy at daylight set whole topsails and steered by the wind to the SE employed in stowing down Oil stowed 77 bbls saw nothing this day

Lat By Obs 45.32 Long By Chro 155.59

Saturday December 21st 1861

Commences with strong winds from the SE and hazy at 1 PM lored for whale lost the run of him took the Boat up at 3 saw again so ruzzed could not keep the run of him took the Boat up and clered up the decks and took in sail weather thick and rainy middle and latter part thick and rainy at 10 AM set double reefed topsails and steered by the wind to the SE

So Obs

Sunday December 22nd 1861

Commences with a strong wind from the SE and thick foggy weather at 1 PM wore ship to the SE at 6 took in sail for the night it being very foggy middle part foggy with rain at 5 AM clered up a little set whole topsails and steered by the wind to the westward strong wind and spaying fog at 11 saw a whale at meridian lored 4 Boats struck and killed a whale

So Obs

Monday December 23rd 1861

Comes with a strong wind from the SE with hazy weather making ship to the wind ward for the whale at 4 took the stoven Boat on Board at half past took the whale along side at 5 commenced to cut at 9 PM finished wind from SE at daylight set whole topsails and stood to the SE and commenced to boil at 8 wore ship to the westward saw several finbacks

Lat By Obs 45.32 Long By Chro 160.00