

Ship Wilmington, G. Liverpool Packet

Sunday, December 18th
Throughout this 24 hours fine pleasant weather
at 4 P.M. Got under weigh and with a
light land breeze and the help of the Boat
succeeded in getting outside of the Reef
at 10 the pilot left us and we sailed away
worse more upon the Boom of the wide Pacific

Monday, December 19th
Came in with fine breeze from the Northward
steering S.W. the hills of the Laysan Island
if the wind were but blowing in the horizon
and I hope that I never shall them more
Latter part calm and pleasant weather
Lat by Ch. 6.10 E

Tuesday, December 20th
Throughout this 24 hours fine pleasant weather
first part steering N.W. Middle part
steering with the main top sail to the mast
at daylight left off S.W. at 6 P.M. made
Barren Island bearing South at 12 meridian
Lat 9 Boat on shore
No Ch this Day

Wednesday, December 21st
Throughout this 24 hours fine weather lying
off and on to trade for log. &c

Thursday, December 22nd
Came in with squally weather a boat
on shore at 4 P.M. double reefed
the top sails latter part fresh gales and
clear the boat still on shore waiting for
an opportunity to cross the Reef

Friday, December 23rd
Beginning with fresh gale and clear weather
at 5 P.M. the boat came on board kept
the ship at W and got whole watches latter
part strong gales and squally at 4 P.M. close
reefed the top sails and took in the main sail

Bound to, the Westward

Saturday, December 24th
Throughout this 24 hours, fresh gales from the
E. & S. steering N.W. under close reefed
top sails and fore sail
Lat by Ch

Sunday, December 25th
Came in with fresh gales from the Eastward
steering N.W. by compass latter part more
moderate at 5 P.M. turned a reef out
of the top sails and set the main top gallant sail
Lat by Ch 9.58 E
Longitude 153.20 E

Monday, December 26th
Throughout this 24 hours fresh gales with
passing clouds steering N.W. by compass
Lat by Ch

Tuesday, December 27th
Throughout this 24 hours fresh gales and fair
weather steering N.W. by compass
Lat by Ch 11.28 E
Longitude 156.23 E

Wednesday, December 28th
Throughout this 24 hours fresh gales
with passing clouds steering N.W. by compass
Lat by Ch

Thursday, December 29th
All of this 24 hours strong trade wind
and clear weather steering N.W. by compass
Lat by Ch 15.30 E

Friday, December 30th
All of this 24 hours fresh gales and fair
weather steering N.W. by compass
Employed mending the old top sail
Lat by Ch 17.05 E