

Ship Abraham, Barker. Chabod.

Saturday 1852

December 11th } Commences with fresh winds from the S.E. heading E. with cloudy weather. Middle and latter parts fresh winds from the S.E. heading S.W. near new moon and main moon at 28^h 30^m

Sunday

Dec 12th } Commences with fresh winds from the S.E. heading S.W. Middle and latter parts fresh winds from the S.E. heading W. Lat 31^h 02^m

Monday

Dec 13th } Commences with fresh winds from the S.E. steering S.W. Middle and latter parts strong winds from the S.E. with rainy weather. Lat 34^h 10^m

Tuesday

Dec 14th } Commences with strong winds from the S.E. steering S.W. with rainy weather. Middle part the same. Latter part light winds from the E. Bent a new Fore & Gallant sail. Lat 37^h 20^m

Wednesday

Dec 15th } Commences with light winds from the E. steering S.W. with heavy weather. Middle part light airs and calms. Latter part light winds from the S.W. steering S.E. by E. Lat 38^h 26^m

Thursday

Dec 16th } Commences with fresh winds from the S.E. heading E. Middle part the same. Latter part wind hauled S.E. tacked ship to the S.W. Lat 38^h 38^m
Long 157^h 00^m

Norton, Master. Homeward Bound. 1852

Friday 1852

December 17th } Commences with fresh winds from the S.E. heading S.W. Bent a new Fore Sail. Middle and latter parts light winds with cloudy weather. employed in repairing the Fore Sail. No Observations

Saturday

Dec 18th } Commences with moderate winds from the S.E. heading E. with Rainy weather. Middle and latter parts strong winds from the S.W. with Rainy weather. Steering S.E. Lat 41^h 17^m

Sunday

Dec 19th } Commences with strong winds from the S. heading E. with Pleasant weather. Middle and latter parts light winds from the same quarter. Lat 41^h 42^m

Monday

Dec 20th } Commences with light winds from the S. heading S.E. Middle part variable winds. Latter part light winds from the S.W. steering E by S. S. W. and S. W. of W. Lat 43^h 00^m

Tuesday

Dec 21th } Commences with light winds from the S.W. steering E by S. W. Middle and latter parts fresh gales from the same quarter. Saw a Right whale

Lat 43^h 18^m

Long 145^h 30^m