

Thursday Dec 29

Throught this 24 hours Lying of  
and on board getting some refreshments.  
got two wild men two pigs one turkey  
half dozen of ducks squared the yards  
for Cape Horn the land bearing N 1/2 E  
we have got clear of weather some hole  
thinks the land for it so needs good

Friday Dec 30

Throught this 24 hours Strong breezes  
from eastward steering S by E this day  
took in both anchors the Cooper read  
one down bucket the steward killed  
the cold turkey for new years good  
so Cooks this 24 hours N 1/2 E is well

Lat by Obs 7:48

Saturday Jan 1

Throught this 24 hours Strong breezes  
from E N E steering S by E this day  
got up the four last mizen topmast  
Lat by Obs 9:48

Sunday Jan 2

Throught this 24 hours Strong breezes  
from E N E steering S by E with all  
sent to the fore this day the Cooper read his  
houses head saw one sail the first  
day of new years. I wish could this night  
see my Pharoar I would bid adieu  
to all the whalers for a better home

Lat by Obs 16:44  
Long by Obs 23:06

Monday Jan 3

Comes in with fine breezes from E N E  
Ship steering S by E with all sail set  
at once middle part square by wind hauld to  
southward braced the yards later part square by  
wind hauld to eastward square the yards  
saw two sails so ends Lat by Obs 14:30

Tuesday Jan 4

Throught this 24 hours Light winds and less  
weather few drops and plenty of rain  
saw one sail so ends Lat by Obs 2:36  
Long by Obs 22:14

Wednesday Jan 5

First part this 24 hours Light air  
from all parts of the compass and squally  
later part Light breezes from the S E  
Ship steering by the wind to the southward  
saw two sails the Cooper employed making  
his house so ends this 24 hours  
Lat by Obs 4:58

Thursday Jan 6

Throught this 24 hours Light breezes  
from S S E steering by the wind  
to westward at 12 M tacked ship  
to eastward saw one sprit so ends  
Lat by Obs 3:33  
Long by Obs 23:19

Friday Jan 7

Throught this 24 hours Light air from S S E  
Ship heading to the eastward with all  
sail set saw two sprits Lat by Obs 3:12