

Friday December 3rd 1852
Comes in with strong Breezes from the
South steering by the wind to the Eastward
under 'Double reefed sails' every later part
More. Redoubt All sail sent to the press
Saw one ship

December 4th
Throught this 24 hours fresh Breezes from
S W steering by the wind to the south
Saw Blackfish Ground but to know purpose
Saw one sail to East Another Whale

Saturday December 5th
All this 24 hours fine weather No sail please
Saw several whales Ground the Bowboat
Struck & killed suppose the whale to make
45 lbs Good fine prospects

December 6th
All this 24 hours fine and pleasant
At daylight commenced sailing At 4 PM
Sailed At 7 set the watch commenced
Boysling

December 7th
All this 24 hours fine Breezes from
the N E steering S by W with N
A heavy swell Boysling saw two
Ships one of them was A Brig
Moffitt

December 8th
All this 24 hours fine Breezes from the N E
North Eastern steering to the Southward with
All sail Boysling to East Lat by Obs 42
Long by Chron 34:05

December 9th
All this 24 hours Light Breezes from
N E steering S E with All sail sent
Saw finbacke finbacke Boysling Went 45 lbs

December 10th
Comes in with fine weather Middle Breeze
Later part strong Gale from the N E
steering S by E under N E reefed sails
Topped mast and foggy steering Down
At that Offshore some Sweet Home

December 11th
All this Day strong Gale from the
S W steering S E under Double reefed sails

Sunday December 12th
All this Day strong Gale from the N E
with N heavy swell steering S E by E
to East Another Habent Lat by Obs 45

December 13th
Throught this day light Breezes from
N E steering S E first part heavy
Later part pleasant with N heavy swell
Saw Nant many of finbacke to East
the Cooper finbacke his washing
O My Charming