

Off Latta
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Friday November the 25th 1864.

This day light air
and calm, saw a laral school of Blackfish
Men employed at ship duty

Sat 26th

This day light air and calm, employed at
setting up of masts for mast shrouds and
Pig for the head North Sea Queen in sight
Latta island a boat 25 miles distant.

Sun 27th

This day light air and calm, saw and
Landed with the Sea Queen of West Port.

Mon 28th

This day light air and calm, at daylight
Brought out after door for Beef. Two sails in
sight, rose N 45 E halcyons.

Tue 29th

This day light air, at daylight, saw a
Bark which proved to be the Osceola of
Beaufort 20 months out 2400 tons.

Wed 30th

This day light air and calm two sails
in sight, Osceola steering to South, current setting

Patetian in
sight

Leaving Latta.
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Pitts Passage

Thursday December the 1st 1864.

This day light air and heavy squalls
thunder heavy and lightning vision
Rose men for 30 sail halcyons, current
setting, at south 30 miles in 24 hours.

Friday 2nd

This day light air and calm, at daylight
Entered Pitts passage, between Bours and
Latta Besser, at 4.20 min raised a
School of whales covered boats & B went on
But the whale heard the boat, did not strike

Sat 3rd

This day of the island of Latta Besser,
in Pitts passage, at 2.20 Pm raised a
School of whales covered and got into

Sun 4th

This day light air and calm, at daylight
Capt the whales in a started the

Mon 5th

This day calm with squalls, at 10 Oe
Cooler down, Besser 15 miles off.