

Lat 39.19 Monday Dec 18th 1882
Long 169.25 Fine weather with moderate breeze from the N.W. ship on the wind heading South nothing been seen today so ends.

Lat 40.22 Tuesday Dec 19th
Long 170.6 This day fine weather with moderate breeze from the N.W. ship steering S.W. by S saw a number of fin backs and one sail

Lat 41.44 Wednesday Dec 20th
Long 172.19 This day strong breeze from the N.W. ship steering S.W. saw one fin back men employed washing ship

Lat 42.48 Thursday Dec 21st
Long 173.57 Fine weather with moderate breeze from the N.W. ship steering S.W. nothing been seen to day so ends.

Lat 43.31 Friday Dec 22nd
Long 175.20 This day good weather with light breeze from the N.W. ship steering S.W. by S saw several fin backs at dark & short land sail.

Saturday Dec 23rd
This day moderate breeze from the E.S. ship steering S, Chatham Islands in sight - got an observation found the chronometer to be right saw the Adeline Gibbs in sight to the leeward but no whales in sight. Killed the hog we brought from home weighed 215 lb.

Sunday Dec 24th
First and middle part of this day moderate breeze from the N.W. and thick fog about 10 A.M. the A. Gibbs raised sperm whales and got two we chased all day but without success. The Larboard, Waist, & Bow boats struck and the iron all drove, the Pyramid bore N.W. from us about 20 miles. The whales were going S.W. the fog cleared at night some

Monday Dec 25th 1882
This day blowing strong from the N. weather thick, ship on opposite tack saw one spout, and the Bark A. Gibbs to the leeward

Lat 45.2 Tuesday Dec 26th
Long 177.12 This day blowing strong from the N ship on opposite tack, nothing been seen to day so ends.

Wednesday Dec 27th
Blowing a gale from the N. ship on opposite tack and under storm sails, nothing been seen to day, so ends with pain

Thursday Dec 28th
Lat 45.59 Long 178.56 This day blowing strong from the N. ship on both tacks nothing been seen except a few birds,

Friday Dec 29th
Blowing a heavy gale from the N.E. at dark wore ship on the port tack under storm sails nothing been seen.

Saturday Dec 30th
Lat 46.28 Long 176.32 Blowing strong but more moderate than yesterday wind from the N.W. ship on both tacks nothing been seen,

Sunday Dec 31st
Lat 46.40 Long 176.22 This day moderate breeze from the S.S.W. ship steering, very high swell on, saw one fin back so ends this year 1882.

Monday Jan 1st 1883
Lat 45.2 Long 176.6 This day light breeze from the N. ship on opposite tack saw the land about 2. O'clock, on weather beam, employed generally,