

Lat-40.25. Thursday Dec 18th 1884
Long 162.14 Moderate breezes from the NNE ship
on the wind working to the E
weather fine nothing been seen
except the Gullow so ends this day.

Lat-40.54 Friday Dec 19th
Long 161.35 Moderate breezes from the N. ship
steering S by E. weather fine nothing
except a few fin backs been seen
and nothing new to write so ends.

Lat-41.37 Saturday Dec 20th
Long 161.43 This day light breezes from the WSW.
ship on the wind heading NW. saw
four fin backs. broke out beef & pork &
flour. nothing new to write weather beautiful
and clear.

Lat-41.40 Sunday Dec 21st
Long 161.45 This day calms only light airs from
the S to NE. steering SW by W. saw two
schools of grampasses weather fine and clear.
also saw fin backs just at dark.

Lat-42.4 Monday Dec 22nd
Long 162.29 Light breezes from the NE ship steering
SW by W. weather fine. took in the starboard
boat and repaired it put it out again
took up the bone to dry saw thirty or
forty fin backs and any quantity of small
right-whale birds. shortened sail at
dark and hauled the ship aback.

Lat-42.25 Tuesday Dec 23rd 1884
Long 163.55 Good breezes from the ENE ship
steering SW by W. all sail out. saw
plenty of fin backs. took in the light-
sails at sunset so ends this day.

Lat-43.5 Wednesday Dec 24th
Long None Moderate breezes from the NE ship
steering W by S. weather thick most all
day saw several fin backs no observation.

Lat-43.5 Thursday Dec 25th
Long 168.09 Calms and light airs from the NE ship
steering W by S. weather fine and warm
saw school of right-whale porpoises and
grampasses.

Lat-43.6 Friday Dec 26th
Long 168.20 Very light breezes from the N ship steering
W by S. Beautiful weather. took up the bone
to dry. saw one fin back and grampasses.
also a school of black fish just at dark.

Lat-43.8 Saturday Dec 27th
Long 169.54 Good breezes from the N. ship steering
W by S. saw one fin back and right-whale
porpoises. weather continues fine.

Lat-43.32 Sunday Dec 28th
Long 172.43 Strong breezes from the NW ship steering
WSW. weather muggy nothing been seen.

Monday Dec 29th
Strong breezes from the NW. with rain
and fog ship stood on both tacks
nothing been seen to day.
No observation.