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Thursday Oct 22nd 1846

Begins with strong breezes from S. & P. and thick weather & kept the top sails the middle & latter part the same Lat 34° 45' Long 179° 17'

Friday Oct 23rd 1846

Begins with strong breezes from S. & E. and heading S under reef top sails the middle & latter part the same & mending the fore top sail so much this day Lat 36° 45' Long 178° 55'

Saturday Oct 24th 1846

Begins with strong breezes from E. and heading to the south the middle and latter part fine weather and saw no whales Lat 38° 30' Long 178° 36'

Sunday Oct 25th 1846

Begins with fine breezes from E. and heading S. & E. with all sail out the middle and latter part a fresh breeze Lat 39° 56' Long 177° 50'

Monday Oct 26th 1846

Begins with fresh breezes from N. E. and thick weather heading S. & E. the middle and latter part fine weather and saw nothing Lat 38° 50' Long 178° 10'

Tuesday Oct 27th 1846

Begins with fine breezes from E. and heading S. & E. the middle and latter part the same and saw nothing of note Lat 37° 45' Long 178° 40'

Wednesday Oct 28th 1846

Begins with fine breezes and thick weather the wind from E. and heading to the S. & E. at 8 P.M. sail ship to the North at 6 P.M. sail to the North and a fine breeze & clear heading S. & E. Lat 35° 55' Long 179° 10'

Thursday Oct 29th 1846

Begins with fresh breezes from the Eastward at 8 P.M. sail ship to the North the middle and latter part a fair breeze and heading to the North Lat 34° 45' Long 179° 40'

Friday Oct 30th 1846

Begins with strong breezes from E. & S. & heading S. at 8 P.M. sail ship to the S. & E. the middle and latter part strong breezes and no whales Lat 32° 45' Long 179° 52'

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Wednesday Oct 31st 1846

Begins with strong breezes from the North Lat heading to the middle and latter part fresh breezes and saw nothing Lat 35° 45' Long 179° 28'

Thursday Nov 1st 1846

Begins with strong breezes from the North heading S. & E. the middle the same latter part heading to the Westward in the wind Lat 33° 45' Long 179° 55'

Friday Nov 2nd 1846

Begins with fresh breezes from N. & S. & heading W. at 8 P.M. saw a school of fish the middle and latter part breezes from the South heading S. & E. and saw nothing Lat 33° 55' Long 179° 40'

Saturday Nov 3rd 1846

Begins with light breezes from the South and steering S. & E. the middle part a breeze latter part a fair breeze in sail in wind S. & E. steering S. & E. Lat 32° 45' Long 179° 10'

Sunday Nov 4th 1846

Begins with strong winds from S. & E. and rain, heading S. & E. at 8 P.M. close reef the main sail and the latter part fine weather and steering S. & E. Lat 30° 45' Long 178° 50'

Monday Nov 5th 1846

Begins with fresh breezes from S. & E. heading to the S. & E. at 8 P.M. saw Sunday Island (Lat 28° 45' N) took in sail for the night the middle & latter part fine at 10 P.M. sail went in a fishing vessel Lat 28° 45' Long 178° 45'

Tuesday Nov 6th 1846

Begins with fresh breezes at 8 P.M. the south hand of brown fishing the middle and latter part strong breezes and wind S. & E. Lat 27° 45' Long 178° 10'

Wednesday Nov 7th 1846

Begins with strong winds from S. & E. and the land in sight to windward the middle & latter part a gale and began to snow then 24 hours Lat 26° 45' Long 177° 40'