

Barge Fortune of New Bedford Capt Davis

Remarks for Thursday Dec 29th

Commenced with light breeze from N.E. Staring S.E. & S. With all sail out and good weather watch employed keeping in F.T. Sail Middle part Staring S.E. & S. Van Rain squalls took in studding sail and T.G. Sails latter part Good weather made sail employed on T.G. Sails Day getting better

Lat 44° 30' S
Lon 154° 13'

Remarks for Friday Dec 30th

Commenced with light breeze from N.E. Staring S.E. & S. With all sail out and good weather watch employed repairing F.T. Sail Middle part much the same latter part wind N.E. Staring S.E. & S. Lat 44° 05' S
Lon 154° 08'

Remarks for Saturday Dec 31st

Commenced with moderate breeze from N.E. Staring S.E. & S. With all sail out and good weather watch employed in ordinary ships duty Middle and latter part squalls And strong breeze wind N.E. Staring S.E. & S. Lat 44° 05' S
Lon 154° 30'

Remarks for Sunday Jan 1st 1854

Commenced with strong breeze from N.E. Staring S.E. & S. With all sail out and good weather Middle part squalls Took in F.T. Sail and F.T. Sails latter part more moderate set F.T. Sails wind N.E. Staring S.E. & S. Lat 44° 10' S

Remarks for Monday Jan 2^d

Commenced with strong breeze from N.E. Staring S.E. & S. With all sail out frequent rain squalls Watch employed in ordinary ships duty Middle and latter part much the same Lat 44° 12' S
Lon 154° 25'

Remarks for Tuesday Jan 3^d

Commenced with light breeze from East Staring by The wind Sails took aboard and good weather Watch employed in ordinary ships duty Middle and latter part much the same Day getting better

Lat 44° 14' 04"
Lon 154° 21'

Homeward Bound Passage. A.D. 1854

Remarks for Wednesday Jan 4th

Commenced with moderate breeze from East Staring by the wind Sails took aboard and good weather With all sail out watch employed in ordinary ships Duty Middle and latter part much the same Lat 44° 15' 35"
Lon 154° 22'

Remarks for Thursday Jan 5th

Commenced with light breeze from East Staring by The wind Sails took aboard and good weather watch employed in ordinary ships duty 4 for saw the Sails of Balabala bearing S.E. distance 30 miles 5 for saw sperm Whales lowered Sails without success Middle part Our down to the land and wore ship latter part remanory A low island taken with light baffling winds and calms Cooper of duty sick Lat 44° 16' 28"
Lon 154° 40'

Remarks for Friday Jan 6th

Commenced with light baffling winds and calms Balabala in sight bearing S.E. distance 10 miles watch employed in ordinary ships duty 4 for wore ship heading N.E. 6 for calm Middle part and latter part lying off and on Balabala 7. 4th Capt went ashore to track light baffling winds and calms got of one boat load of Wood Cooper much the same

Remarks for Saturday Jan 7th

Commenced with light winds and calms lying off and on Balabala Capt on shore 7 for Capt came aboard With some fruit and fowls were used light winds from East Staring of S. Middle and latter part much the same Lat 44° 17' 21" Lon 154° 46'

Remarks for Sunday Jan 8th

Commenced with light breeze from East Staring by the wind Sails took aboard all sail out watch employed in ships duty Middle part much the same latter part wind shifted to S heading S.E. & S. Cooper about the same

Remarks for Monday Jan 9th

Commenced with light breeze from South heading S.E. & S. With all sail out and good weather watch employed in ships duty Middle part wind shifted to East and East The ship heading S.E. & S. and S.E. & S. latter part much the same Cooper not so well Lat 44° 19' 00"
Lon 154° 23'