

Remarks on Board of the Ship Herald

Saturday Feb 24th

Begins with strong Breezes from the NNE heading East at sun down shortened sail at midnight would ship at Day Light made some sail at 7 A.M. more ship heading ESE latter part strong winds from the NE with rainy weather no Observation so Ends

Sunday Feb 25th

First part of this day fresh Breezes from the NNE heading East at 1 P.M. hauled the fore and main topsails and more ship heading NW at 6 close reefed the main topsail and hauled the fore sail at Day Light weather more moderate made some sail at 8 A.M. turned the Reefs out of the topsails and set the topgallant sails and flying jib and tacked ship latter part Light winds from the NW with fine weather Lat 40-15 S Long 171-58 East so Ends

Monday Feb 26th

First part of this day Light winds from the NW heading NE by E at 1 P.M. saw New Zealand at 6 more ship heading NW at 7 hauled the fore and main topgallant sails at midnight hauled the main topgallant sail and double reefed the topsails latter part strong Breezes from the NE to NW with squally weather the watch Employed nothing yards Lat 39-46 South Long 171-11 East so Ends these 24 hours

Tuesday Feb 27th

Begins with fresh Breezes from the NE to NW heading West at sun down shortened sail at 6 A.M. made some sail heading NW at 11 turned the Reefs out of the topsails and set the jib and flying jib and spanker latter part variable winds and squally weather the watch Employed on ships Duty Lat 39-23 so Ends

Wednesday Feb 28th

First part of this day a calm at sun down shortened sail at 3 P.M. fresh Breezes from the ENE steering NW at Day Light set the fore and main topsails double reefed steering NW latter part strong Breezes from the Eastward at 11 A.M. set the jib the watch Employed making sinnetts Lat 37-52 S Long 170-24 East

Thursday March 1st

Begins with fresh Breezes from the ESE steering NW at sun down shortened sail at Day Light set the fore and main topsails double reefed steering North latter part strong Breezes from the Eastward with squally weather at 9 A.M. hauled the main topsail no Observation so Ends these 24 hours

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Friday March 2nd

First part of this day strong Breezes from the East to West steering By the wind at 2 P.M. set the jib at sun down shortened sail and more ship heading NW at Day Light made some sail at 8 A.M. set all sail steering North latter part Light winds from the Westward with fine weather the watch Employed Repairing the main sail Lat 35-17 Long 170-58 so Ends

Saturday March 3rd

Begins with Light winds from the NW heading NE at 3 P.M. saw a sail to windward steering to the Northward at 4 Bent the main sail at sun down shortened sail at Day Light made all sail steering by the wind to the Northward and saw two sails off the Lee Bow at 7 A.M. more ship heading to the Southward latter part Light winds from the NW the watch Employed a fitting New martingal quays Lat 34-50 South so Ends

Sunday March 4th

First part of this day Light winds from the Westward steering by the wind to the Northward at 11 spoke the Banque gorge Champlain two months out from Sydney 20 Bbls of sperm oil at 2 P.M. saw a sail off the Lee Bow at sun down shortened sail and spoke the ship Gorge of New Bedford 15 months out 300 Bbls of sperm oil at Day Light made all sail heading NW this sail in sight at 8 A.M. tacked ship heading to the Eastward and saw grassparis latter part Light winds from the southward with fine weather Lat 34-50 Long 171-24 so Ends these 24 hours

Monday March 5th

First part of this day a calm at 2 P.M. saw three things at sun down shortened sail at Day Light made all sail heading to the westward at 7 A.M. tacked ship heading ENE three sail in sight latter part Light Breezes from the North the Land in sight the watch Employed tacking the head Rigging Lat 34-45 South so Ends these 24 hours