

Ship Herald from Strongs Island

Saturday Oct 28th

This day light Westerly wind with occasional rain
Squalls Midnight the same latter part strong breeze
from the South No Obs 1st Day

Sunday Oct 30th

Came with strong S.E. winds with heavy Squalls
at 3 P.M. 2nd Dept Shore and Mizzen Top-sail. Set them
again at 5 P.M. Latter Part fair with the East
head N.E. Lat by Obs 6.00 cl. Long by Ac 166.30

Monday Oct 31st

Came with light Easterly winds head N.E. by cl.
Tack'd Ship at 4 P.M. head E.S.E. with a light breeze
with occasional Squalls. Day Ends fair Capt Terry

Still incompetent to take any part in navigating the ship
Lat by Obs 5.30 cl. Long by Account 167.30 3rd Day

Tuesday Nov 1st 1853

Came fair with a light N.E. Wind. Midnight wind shifted
at 3 cl. M. tack'd to the North wind E.N.E. Day Ends
fair Sent up Mizzen top-sail again. Capt the same. Saw
Lat by Obs 5.04 cl. Long by Account 170.07 4th Day

Wednesday Nov 2nd

Came with light N.E. winds with Squalls at 7 P.M. Tack'd
to the South. at 8 A.M. Tack'd to the North. Capt the same
Lat by Obs 5.11 cl. Long by Account 170.49 at 9 P.M.

Thursday Nov 3rd

Came with light winds from the East S.E. with light
Squalls. Midnight calm and continued so all day.
Lat by Obs 5.21 cl. Long by Account 177.21 6th Day

Friday Nov 4th

Came calm and continued so all day Sent up Mizzen
top-sail and set it Lat 5.50. Capt Terry the same as usual
Lat 5th

Came with light plan from all parts of the compass
at 8 P.M. took a light breeze from the W.N.W. carrying all sail
steering E.S.E. Latter part light Westerly winds with rain. Capt
Terry grows weak has no knowledge of what is passing
Lat 5.16 cl. Long by Account 173.45. 8th Day

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Sunday Nov 6th

Came with light S.E. winds with rain at 4 A.M. wind
shifted S.W. Steering E. with all sail set at M. saw a
school of large Spinn Whales. sailed within 40 rods of
them they appeared to be perfectly tame. Lat by Obs 5.54 cl. Long
by Account 178.45. Capt Terry the same 9th Day

Monday Nov 7th

Came with light S.E. winds and Calm. Continued so
all day. Sent down fore-top-sail to repair.
Lat by Obs 6.53 cl. Long by Account 177.26 10th Day

Tuesday Nov 8th

Came calm at 4 P.M. took a light breeze from the East
steering to the North with all sail set Employed repairing
fore-top-sail. Capt Terry feeling very fat. lost all reason
and knowledge of any thing around. Lat 6.54. Long by Ac 178.1

Wednesday Nov 9th

Came with light Easterly winds and pleasant weather
Midnight and latter part the Steering on the North tack
at 8.15. A.M. Capt Terry breathed his last without a
struggle living unconscious of death or any thing present. Calm
him out on Deck. and if possible shall try to make
the nearest Island for a burial. Anson's Shoal being
the nearest. 100 miles off. Lat by Obs 08.18. Long by Ac