

Cruising off Kilauea

Sunday, Feb 10th 1888.
 The calm and light air from the Westward killed the sea at the point cut up and set the watches and started the work again saw the bounding Billow cutting. Latter part wind hauled into the S. and commenced heaving, employed boiling & setting up the work as usual.

Monday 11th
 Strong breeze from the S with rain. Latter part wind more to Westward finished boiling and broke out water.

Tuesday 12th
 Commenced with fresh breezes from the Westward employed heaving 9:30 saw the bounding Billow to seaward. Mid part - rain. Latter clear weather employed stowing oil as usual.

Wednesday 13th
 Moderate breeze from S.W. all the first part employed stowing down mid & latter parts heaving and raining from the N.W.

Thursday 14th
 Began with strong breezes from the S.W. with rain. Mid part moderated. Latter part calm finished running out oil and stowed back. Cooper, setting up the work. saw two Whalers and a Steamer as usual.

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Friday Feb 15th 1888.
 Calm washed the paint work. Latter part - good breeze from the Westward. Mid advice to the bounding Billow and started off into the S. scraped the spare fore and main and broke out bread as usual.

Saturday 16th
 Began with fresh breezes baffling from the S.W. to the S.E. vessel started by the wind on the Southern tack. Sailed shortened sail. wore ship. Latter part wind hauled more into the S.E. vessel steering S.W. & Cooper employed setting up the work as usual.

Lat. 42° 42'
 Long. 78° 48'

Sunday 17th
 Wind hauled more to Southward and breeze made new fore top the star sail. Sailed, sunset stowed the top of sails & hauled vessel steering S.W. & S. Latter part at the upper of sails & fore sail and kept off S.W. the as usual.

Monday 18th
 Fresh breezes from the S vessel steering S.W. all the first part & W all the mid part & S all the latter broke out water.

Lat. 39° 02'
 Long. 77° 40'