

1870

Bark James Maury's Log Book

Sat Dec 10th

Begins with cloudy weather
Ship cruising round in opposite tacks
under all prudent sail Middle and
Leather parts the same

Sund Dec 11th

Begins with strong
Breeze Ship working to Eastward
under short sail Middle and
Leather part the same passed Park
Cline bound NW

Mon Dec 12th

Begins with good
Weather Ship under all sail cruising
saw nothing Middle and Leather
parts the same

Lat 44.40 S
Long 174.30 W

Tues Dec 13th

Begins the same saw
Bark Jane Oak cutting Middle part
Cabin Leather part strong winds
from the S & Ship on the eastern
Jack Middle

Lat 44.20 S
Long 174.10 W

Wedns Dec 14th

Begins with squally
weather Ship under Double Reef Top
Sails Middle part fresh Gale Ship
under Close Reef Main Top Sail
Leather part the same

John C. Smith Master

Thurs Dec 15th

Begins with moderate Gale
and rain Ship drifting to NW Middle
and Leather parts the same

Lat 43.58 S
Long 173.40 W

Fry Dec 16th

Begins more pleasant Ship
under short sail cruising Middle
and Leather parts the same saw
nothing

Sat Dec 17th

Begins with fresh rains
from the Eastward Ship cruising
on the same ground under all
prudent sail Middle and Leather
part the same

Lat 44.20 S
Long 174.10 W

Sund Dec 18th

Begins the same Ship
cruising the same nothing in sight
Watch employed in Ship's Duties

Mon Dec 19th

Begins much the
same Ship still cruising on the
same ground with nothing in
sight

Tues Dec 20th

Begins with squally
weather Ship cruising under short
sail Middle and Leather parts the
same