

Remarks on board B.R.

- Sept 21st Friday. First of these 24 hours thick weather variable winds with rain. B.R. steering S.W. W. mid & latter parts S.E. wind lighted Horn Island at 8.4 am so ends
- Sept 22nd Saturday. First of these 24 hours strong S.E. wind and clouds. Boat went on shore & returned at half past 3. Pm then kept S.W. off S.W. mid & latter parts weather much the same at 11.4 am sighted on S.W. land on weather so ends this day Lat 15.29 Long 172.55 E
- Sept 23rd Sunday. First of these 24 hours cloudy weather & Easterly wind. B.R. steering S.W. W. at dark were ship & shortened sail mid & latter parts fine weather land in sight at day site so ends this day Lat 16.03 Long 172.15
- Sept 24th Monday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & Easterly wind. B.R. steering different courses running along the beam mid & latter parts weather the same at 10. Am raised a whale at a small whale lower ed for the net the three S.W. board boats each got a whale so ends this day
- Sept 25th Tuesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & big sea running got over whales to the ship at half past 9. Pm and finished cutting at 7 mid & latter parts weather the same started to hoist at 10.4 am so ends Lat 16.10
- Sept 26th Wednesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & Easterly wind. B.R. steering by the wind mid & latter parts wind from the southward employed boiling so ends Lat 16.16
- Sept 27th Thursday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & southward wind employed boiling mid & latter parts fine weather finished boiling at 4. Am so ends this day - Lat 16.01 Long 172.01 E

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- Sept 28th Friday. First of these 24 hours fine weather light winds and calms saw whales just at night on over weather beam a long way off took them to be 4 per m whales mid & latter parts light southwardly winds saw 2 cones to day so ends Lat 16.16
- Sept 29th Saturday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & calms land in sight all day at dark shortened sail mid & latter parts fine breeze from S.E. B.R. steering by the wind on different tacks employed steering down so ends this day Lat 16.13 Long 172.03 E
- Sept 30th Sunday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & S.E. wind finished steering down at 2. Pm mid & latter parts fine weather so ends
- Oct 1st Monday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & Easterly wind. B.R. steering by the wind on different tacks mid & latter parts the same so ends this day Lat 16.11
- Oct 2nd Tuesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light variable winds & calms mid & latter parts wind from S.E. so ends
- Oct 3rd Wednesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & S.E. wind. B.R. steering different courses mid & latter parts strong breeze employed repairing fly bit so ends Lat 16.17 Long 172.39
- Oct 4th Thursday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & strong S.E. wind. B.R. steering by the wind on different tacks mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends Lat 16.12
- Oct 5th Friday. First of these 24 hours cloudy weather & strong Easterly wind. B.R. steering by the wind took in upper chains & jib at 4. Pm mid & latter parts clearing fresh with rain. B.R. laying to under lower. Main top sail & stay sails so ends this day Lat 15.48 Long 172.52 E
- Oct 6th Saturday. First of these 24 hours clearing fresh from the Eastward. B.R. laying to mid & latter parts much rain so ends no C.W.