

Ship Daniel Wood bound South 1856

Wednesday 9

Fine E.S.E. breeze, course S. steering for the Isles & hauled aback ahead of the Landing and 3 Canoes came off. to us. Off and On. A.M. 2 Boats in show. Drove the Mast. Boat a little. Landing. Got off 12 Pigs, 500 Coa-Coa Nuts. 10 bunches Bananas &c.

Thursday 10.

Fine E winds. Off and On. 4 Boats came off. hauled forward. wind at N.W. by to W by S. Middle fresh. with Rain A.M. do do

Friday 11

Fresh from S.W. by to W.S.W. Rain squalls double reefed. furled Jib and Mainsail. & set the Jib. middle squally with Rain. A.M. fine from S.W. by the wind to W.S.W. Lat 21.00 S Long 159.16 W.

Saturday 12

Fine at S.W. by to W.S.W. variously employed. We saw Land. the Isle of Rabatoga. 15 miles dis to S.W. Off and On. A.M. do. went in with 2 Boats, but it being their Sunday. could get nothing.

Sunday 13.

Off and On. 3 the Boats came on board. Off and On. A.M. do. Off and On. Got off 4 Boat Loads of Wood. Bananas &c &c.

Monday 14

Off and On. 4 the Capt. canoe on board. wore ship to S.W. N. gamming with the Saratoga. Hauling. of A.M. A.M. do. do. fine from S.E. by the wind to S.W. Bent a new Jib and Foresail

Tuesday 15.

Fine Breeze at S.E. by the wind to S.W. Gamming with the Saratoga. Bent a new spunkie.

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Tuesday January 15

A.M. Fine breeze at E.S.E. course S.W. under whole Topsails and Jib. cleaning Jib Poles and otherwise variously employed. Lat 23.26 S. Long 164.28 W.

Wednesday 16

Fine at E.S.E. course S.W. Saratoga in sight. Variously employed. A.M. Breeze at S.E. by to S.W. The S in sight. painted the Fore-mast. Tarring Jib & Shuts &c &c. Lat 24.50 S. Long 166.31 E.

Thursday 17

Brisk at E.S.E. by the wind to S.E. Saratoga in sight. Variously employed. A.M. painted the Main and Mizen masts. Tarring Shuts, Painting Boats &c &c. The S in sight. Lat 26.12 S Long 168.16 West.

Friday 18.

Fine breeze at E.S.E. course S.W. Variously employed. Gamming with the Saratoga. A.M. fine breeze at E. course S.W. Variously employed. Lat 27.40 S. Long 170.29 West.

Saturday 19

Fine breeze at E. course S.W. the S in sight. making Rattlin stuff &c &c. A.M. fine at E. Variously employed, mended and bent Jib Spunkie. The Saratoga in sight. Lat 29.00 S. Long 173.23 W.

Sunday 20

Fine at E. course S.W. Met. Hold &c &c. The S in sight. A.M. do. do. Course W. by S. Lat 29.19 S Long 175.33 W.

Monday 21

Fine at E. course W. gamming with the Saratoga. A.M. Light E. winds course W. bent down the Main Jib sail. middle stitched and mending it. Lat 29.00 S. Long 176.44