

Bark Chic Toward Honolulu

Tuesday Dec 13th 1881

This day comes in with fresh breeze from S.W. At 10 A.M. got under weigh from Clarke point and started down the Bay in tow of the tug. at 5 P.M. cast off the tow and made sail. When close to the light boat hauled back and the passengers returned in the tug. Filled away and made one board to the Westward locked again & cleared No Mans hands heading S.E.

Wednesday Dec 14th These twenty four hours fresh breeze from S.W. Steering S.E. by E. Saw a steamer steering to the Westward. Sprinkler Spring lift part of the 9th on deck. Lat 40° 31' N Long 167° 2'

Thursday Dec 15th This day fresh breeze from SW steering S.E. by E. Middle and latter part about the same. Saw nothing. Lat 39° 17' N Long 169° 25'

Friday Dec 16th This day comes in with a fresh breeze from S.W. Course S.E. by E. at midnight wind shifted suddenly to the N.E. and blew a gale. The bark under cover from topsail and staysails, a heavy sea on. Split the cover fore topsail. Shipping large quantities of water. Cabin flooded several times. Stone in bulworks. Started fastness to the boat house &c. Turned up the starboard quarter boat. Lat 38° 00' N Long 173° 00'

Saturday Dec 17th Comes in with fresh Gale from N.E. Steering S.E. by E. Middle and latter part squally. Ends with better weather. Made a little sail a reef fore sail. Lat 36° 30' N Long 176° 00'

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Sunday December 18th 1881

This day fresh breeze from N.E. Steering S.E. by E. Middle and latter part more moderate. - set out main sail and reefed upper top sails. Lat 37° 19' N Long 178° 20'

Monday Dec 19th This day fine weather and moderate breeze from N.E. Steering S.E. by E. all hands employed making out Flour, Meat and Sugar &c. Latter part squally. Saw nothing. Lat 34° 19' N Long 183° 47'

Tuesday Dec 20th Comes in with fresh breeze from N.E. the bark steering S.E. by E. with all possible sail out. The watch employed fitting the boats. Lat 33° 00' N Long 182° 41'

Wednesday December 21st Christmas day Comes in with light variable winds the bark steering S.E. by East. Middle and latter part light breeze and rain squalls. one sail in sight. The lat watch employed fitting boats and getting things in order for Whaling. Lat 36° 26' N Long 181° 00'

Thursday December 22nd This day light Breezes and rain squalls. Ship steering S.E. by S. one vessel seen. Sashed aloft the cutting pendants. Lat 35° 49' N Long 183° 35'

Friday December 23rd This day moderate breeze from the North steering S.E. by S. fitted a bolt to the engine & vessels. Lat 34° 21' N Long 187° 20'

Saturday Dec 24th These twenty four hours light wind and passing rain squalls. Steering S.E. by S. Spoke Bark Norway of Boston 22 days from New York to P. Coast Africa. Lat 33° 50' N Long 190° 30'