

Remarks On Board Ship Martha
Saturday November the 28 1840

The first part weather fine all sail set saw
nothing steering Course West at 8 PM took in
sail Middle part squally later part more
fine main sail & steered WNW saw
plenty of porpoises By Chro

Lat By Ch. 31.52 Long 178.50.30 W

Sunday Nov the 29 Chro Rat 18.37.40 slow
The first part weather fine all sail set saw
nothing Middle and later part much the same
steering WNW saw blackfish lord got three

Lat By Ch. 32.05 Long By Chro 177.50.45

Monday Nov the 30 Chro Rat 18.37.40

The first part weather fine and pleasant
all sail set saw nothing lay up. WNW Middle
and later much the same saw blackfish
lord got 2 saw end. By Chro

Lat By Ch. 31.04 Long 178.05.15

Long by Dist run time 178.05.30

Tuesday December the 1 Chro Rat 18.37.40

The first part weather fine all sail set lay up.
WNW at 3 PM saw M.C.H. bearing WNW Dist 40 Miles Middle and later part
much the same weather all sail set saw the
French Rock bearing SW Dist 30 miles at
10 AM saw no whails saw end.

Lat By Ch. 31.21 Long By Chro 178.15.45

Wednesday Dec the 2 Long by Dist run time 178.26.30

The first part weather fine all Chro Rat 18.38 slow
sail sail set saw a ship standing in to the rock
main not noon Middle and later part much
the same weather saw blackfish lord got four
touch three saw end. By Chro

Lat By Ch. 31.36 Long 178.28.15

Chro Rat 18.38.10

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Thursday December the 3 1840

The first part weather fine and pleasant all sail
set saw nothing middle and later part much
the same saw nothing saw end. By Chro

Lat By Ch. 31.53 Long 177.44.30

Friday Decem the 4 Chro Rat 18.38.40 slow
The first part weather fine and pleasant all sail
set saw nothing Middle and later strong wind
all sail set saw nothing At

Lat By Ch. 31.48 Long By 177.50

Saturday Decem the 5 Chro Rat 18.38.40
The first part strong wind lay up. At 1 PM saw a whail
breach a number of times before we could ascertain
what it was it came up squally and thick with some
rain at 4 PM took ship lay up. WNW Middle and
later part much the same weather saw nothing at
at 4 AM strong gale and thick Chro

Lat By Ch. 31.41 Long By 178.20 West

Sunday Decem the 6 Chro Rat 18.38.40
The first part strong gale and squally at 3 PM
saw the French ship bearing WNW Dist 24 Miles
Middle and later part strong gale and steering W
saw nothing saw end. By At

Lat By At 31.10 Long 178.00

Monday Decem the 7 Chro Rat 18.39
The first part strong winds and heavy swell
saw nothing Middle and later part more fine
at 6 AM steered W by S saw nothing Chro

Lat By Ch. 30.43 Long By 177.49

Tuesday Dec the 8 Chro Rat 18.39.40
The first part weather fine and pleasant M.C.H.
Islands bearing WNW Dist 30 Miles Middle and
later part much the same weather M.C.H. bearing
WNW Dist 20 Miles saw a ship main not
noon saw end. By Chro

Lat By Ch. 30.39 Long 178.08.30

Chro Rat 18.39.40