

Bark Protea - Sears
Wednesday March 6th

Commence with strong breeze from East with squally weather ship heading to the South said the Middle and latter part the wind the same ship steering various course at midday the Middle the East 15 miles ahead

Thursday March 7th

Commence with strong breeze from East with cloudy weather ship steering various courses spoke the Middle Sea Breeze latter part light gale ship heading to the north Lat 31° 25' S.

Friday March 8th

Commence with light gale from East with cloudy weather ship heading to the north Middle and latter part strong wind and rugged ship by the wind heading to the north Lat 31° 14' N. raised a small school of cows and calves sperm whales going to the windward heard in chase the day

Saturday March 9th

Commence with strong wind and rugged wind from East at 3 P.M. the Middle returned to the ship with oil success whale going to the windward and rugged sea Middle and latter part the same said asail Lat 31° 05' S. Long 179° 38' W

Cruising off the French Rock 1882

Sunday March 10th

Commence with fresh breeze from East with cloudy weather ship on opposite tack Middle and latter the same said the Middle bearing to the East Lat 31° 18' S.

Monday March 11th

Commence with fresh breeze from N. E. with rugged sea ship on opposite tack Middle and latter part the same said the Middle bearing to the Eastward

Tuesday March 12th

Commence with fresh breeze from N. E. with hazy weather ship by the wind on opposite tack Middle and latter part the same said the Middle bearing to the Eastward

Wednesday March 13th

Commence with fresh breeze from N. E. with hazy weather ship by the wind heading to the north Middle and latter part the same said the Middle bearing to the Eastward Lat 31° 05' S. Long 179° 33' E.

Thursday March 14th

Commence with fresh breeze from East with pleasant weather at noon drove ship to the South Middle and latter part the same said the Middle bearing to the Eastward Lat 31° 41' S. Long 179° 39' E.