

Bark Motilda Leaves on a

Monday March 15-

First part a light breeze from the SE middle and later part a strong gale from the SE the land in sight ship heading to the NNE later part to the N

Tuesday March 16

Came in with strong gale from the NW ship going under close reef. Main topsail on. In Harbor at last the wind backed to the SW cleared to the N middle part a fresh breeze from the NW later part a strong gale from the NNE ship heading to NE land in sight to leeward

Lat 44-08
Long 163-13

Wednesday March 17

First + middle part a strong breeze from the WNW and a heavy swell from the NW later part more moderate from the SW with a heavy swell took the Port anchor and back and filled the stow ship heading NNE

Lat 42-08
Long 167-29

Passage from Solander to Bay of Islands 1875-

Thursday March 18

Through this day light breeze and fine weather from the SW took the Starboard anchor on deck to retain the stock crew employed skrooping, masts

Lat 41-09
Long 167-45

Friday March 19

First and middle part a light breeze from the SE ship in the Harbor at last heading NNE later part a heavy gale from the NE ship going under Main Spencer must hauling to the E

Saturday March 20

Came in with a heavy gale from the ESE ship heading N Wind hauling to the S at midnight wind backed to the SW set a close reef Main topsail and cleared NNE this day ended with a strong breeze from W covering all sail steering NNE

Lat 39-08
Long 168-23