

1880 Remarks On Board Bark Matilda Lewis

Friday May 7th First part light wind from the north waiting for more later and ready to start the ship out.

Saturday May 8th First part light breeze from South took the anchor and went down the bay part way making for over the blowing from the north.

Sunday May 9th Wind part blowing from the north with blowing & raining from the north.

Monday May 10th First part blowing & raining from the north later the wind.

Tuesday May 11th Wind part blowing & raining from the north later wind from the westward employed in repairing hoist & S. T. T. B. B. B.

Wednesday May 12th Wind part wind from north received at back on board with wind from the north took on board on other men.

Thursday May 13th First part wind from the north the Captain & 2nd Mate came on board took the anchor & came down & anchored under gaviagum in the cabin.

Friday May 14th First part light breeze from north all hands on board with light breeze from South at daylight got under way & went out with 30 men all told on board looked the anchors on the bow & stored the cables below the Leucetia going out also.

Saturday May 15th First part light breeze from South to S. S. West steering the 1/2 by North the Leucetia in sight middle wind changed to S. S. West were ship heading North latter strong breeze with rain from S. S. West heading S. S. West saw hump backs from the shore over that was stored away on board machine & 2nd Mate John made an agreement with them & they released the ship Articles the Leucetia in sight.

Sunday May 16th Lat South 36° 30' Long 175° 23' West Commenced with strong breeze from the 1/2 North heading S. S. West at dusk report that I saw the Leucetia in sight middle heading S. S. West latter fresh breeze from the 1/2 North heading S. S. West saw hump backs the Leucetia in sight.

Monday May 17th Lat 36° 30' South Long 175° 23' West Commenced with fresh breeze from the 1/2 North were ship at 4 heading North the Leucetia in sight middle were ship at 4 latter light breeze from the 1/2 North heading North the Leucetia in sight hump backs.

Tuesday May 18th Lat 36° 20' South Long 175° 31' West Commenced with fresh breeze from the 1/2 North were ship at 4 heading S. S. West the Leucetia in sight middle heading S. S. West latter fresh breeze from the 1/2 North heading S. S. West the Leucetia in sight.

Wednesday May 19th Lat 36° 24' South Long 175° 45' West Commenced with fresh breeze from S. S. West steering N. N. West with all sail and the Leucetia in sight middle steering N. N. West latter fresh breeze from S. S. West steering N. N. West with all sail and the Leucetia in sight.