

Moorea, Tahaina Roads

Remarks on board Monday November 14th 1831
Employed getting off wood and vegetables and setting
up shock cask for water

Tuesday Nov 15th

Employed getting off wood and vegetables and water.
The cook distilled water in distill

Wednesday Nov 16

Moderate rain with light breezes from S.W. employ-
ed in getting ready for sea. Found the cook took
him on board and put him in irons

Thursday Nov 17th

Moderate rain and calm. Sent a new fore sail
hove in a part of the chain, but the wind be-
gining up from the whatward with a strong
tide could not get under way with safety

Friday Nov 18th

Light day light fresh breezes from N.W. on shore
ran a hawser to the ship haward and hove
up the anchor, but before we could get sail
made in the ship it died to a sudden calm
and a head tide set in, we cast off from the
Howard and drifted down clear of the Shipping
and came to a gain in 20 fathoms water

Saturday November 19th

At 3 o'clock light from off the land got under
way and proceeded to sea. At 8 o'clock took the
trade with double reefed the top sails and steer-
ed West to pass round the West part of
Moorea, stowed the anchors and un-bent the
cables

Sunday Nov 20th see account

At 1 p.m. halled out between Moorea and Whales
the ship Galeonda in company. Middle part
strong gales and rugged. Latter part set fire &
spanker Latitude by Obs 22.20 S

Monday Nov 21

First part strong gales steering by the wind head
ing North. Middle & Latter part moderate set
all sail Latitude by Obs 24.16 S

Steering for the Coast of California

Remarks on board Tuesday November 22

First part light trades with fair weather. At 1 p.m.
Capt Sampson came on board and past the after-
noon. Middle part light breezes from the South
steered N.E. Latter part fine breezes from S.W.
employed setting up the rigging

Latitude by Obs 25.15 S Long by Dh

Wednesday Nov 23

First part fine breezes from S.W. steering W.E.
Middle part at 8 p.m. wind veered to the N.W. in a squ-
all double reefed the top sails, through the night
strong breezes with a high swell. Latter part set
single reef top sails and top gallant sails. weather
squally, Galeonda to the leeward. Lat 26.07 Long

Thursday November 24th

First part fresh breezes from S.W. steering W.E.
Middle part moderate set all sail. Latter part
light breezes un-bent the main top sail and
repaired it, bent it again, and un-bent the fore
to repair. A strange sail in sight bearing S.W.
Galeonda 8 miles a steam. Lat 26.32 Long by G 153.20 W

Friday November 25th

First part light breezes at 4 finished the fore top
sail and bent it. At 6 calm with a high S.W. swell
light breezes from south, through the night
steered North to prevent the ship from cooling
Latter part fine breezes S.W. steered N.E.
Latitude by Obs 27.23 S Long by Lunar 152.30 W

Saturday November 26th

All these 24 hours fine breezes and variable
from S.W. to West, and very squally. steering N.E. & E.
Galeonda in sight to the S.E. strange sail East
Latitude by Dh 28.00 S Long by Lunar 149.54 W

Sunday November 27th

First part squally wind S.W. steering E.S.E.
Middle part squally with thunder & lightning
Latter part fair weather wind South. Lat 28.25 Long 147.44 W

Monday November 28th

First & middle part wind South and S.E. with
some squally. Latter part fair weather wind S.E.
steering by the wind. Latitude by Obs 29.58 S
Long by Lunar 145.54 W