

Remarks On Board Bark Platina

Sunday Sept 29th

First part commenced with a good breeze from S E
steering W to W by N nothing doing middle and
latter part wind same sundown showers of rain at
midnight wind same so ends this day Lat 18° 38' S Long 160° 00'

Monday Sept 30th

First part commenced with a moderate breeze and squalls of rain
day light rain light from S E steering W employed in
digging sweet potatoes middle part same latter part
good breeze at one P.M. saw a shoal of sperm whales
going to the S E but did not see them and
of the boats give up the chase and came on board at
six sundown wind light midnight wind same so ends
this day Lat 19° 05' S Long 171° 44' W

Tuesday Oct 1st

First part commenced with a good breeze from the E steering
W by N at daylight steered W by N employed in ships
duties middle and latter part same saw P.M. hauled
W by N sundown wind same midnight good breeze
so ends this day Lat 19° 28' S Long 171° 43' W

Wednesday Oct 2nd

First part commenced with a good breeze from the E steering
W employed in ships duties middle and latter part
same saw a merchant ship steering to the N E at
midnight wind same so ends this day Lat 19° 43' S Long 21° 37' W

Thursday Oct 3rd

First part commenced with moderate breeze from the E
S E steering W daylight steered W by N employed
in ships duties middle and latter part same
sundown wind light midnight same so ends this day
Lat 20° 05' S Long 23° 28' W

Friday Oct 4th

First part commenced with a light rain from the S E
steering W by N employed in ships duties
middle and latter part same sundown steered
W by N at midnight wind light so ends
this day Lat 20° 40' S Long 24° 52' W

Capt. J. P. Stocum Master

Saturday Oct 5th

First part commenced with a moderate breeze from the E
steering W by N employed in ships duties
middle and latter part same sundown wind
light midnight same so ends this day Lat 20° 38' S

Sunday Oct 6th

First part commenced with a light rain from the S E steering
W by N nothing doing middle and latter part same
saw merchant hark steering to the S sundown wind
breeze up same steered W by N midnight wind
same so ends this day Lat 20° 45' S Long 27° 17' W

Monday Oct 7th

First part commenced with a good breeze from the E
steering W by N daylight saw marten was racks
bearing of W by N dist 20 miles at eight P.M. saw the
island of Trinidad bearing of W by N dist 30 miles hauled
W employed in breaking out provisions middle
and latter part same at three P.M. hauled
to W S W at five P.M. had a heavy squall of rain
at seven cleared off island bearing of W by N dist
30 miles midnight wind same so ends this day
Lat 20° 50' S Long 29° 26' W

Tuesday Oct 8th

First part commenced with a good breeze from the E heading
to W S W employed in ships duties middle and
latter part same saw three sails two hauled to the
Nave to the S sundown wind moderate midnight
same so ends this day Lat 21° 03' S Long 30° 55' W

Wednesday Oct 9th

First part commenced with a strong breeze from the N E
steering W S W came on rain daylight rain
light at night raining at night at P.M. hauled
dist of W to W S W heading to S W at ten P.M.
wind hauled out E by E and breeze up strong
and cleared off middle part rain same latter
part wind hauled of E fresh breeze saw
two sails and heading to the Nave to the S
at seven P.M. wind hauled more to the N
midnight strong breeze so ends this day
Lat 21° 23' S Long 32° 41' W