

Remarks on board B H

Tuesday

May 24th First of these 24 hours cloudy weather & blowing a fresh gale from the Eastward. B H steering by the wind at night shortened sail & luffed to the wind mid & latter parts the same so ends this day
Lat 29.03 Long 178.23 E

Wednesday

May 25th First of these 24 hours blowing a gale from the Eastward. B H laying to and Starboard tack mid & latter parts the same so ends this day
Lat 28.10 Long 178.38

Thursday

May 26th First of these 24 hours strong breeze from E. S. E. B H steering by the wind under lower topsails & courses at dark furled the courses mid & latter parts the same at 8 AM raised a sperm whale & breaching lowered the boats for them but only saw them once from the boats came on board & made sail on the ship & beat to windward but never saw them again so ends this day
Lat 27.40 Long 179.42

Friday

May 27th First of these 24 hours blowing fresh from the Eastward. B H steering by the wind under a press of sail & dark shortened sail mid & latter parts the same so ends this day Lat 28.06 Long 179.53

Saturday

May 28th First of these 24 hours strong Easterly wind. B H steering by the wind on different tacks mid & latter parts the same so ends this day
Lat 28.05 Long 179.40

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Sunday

May 29th First of these 24 hours strong breeze from the Eastward with passing showers at night shortened sail mid & latter parts fine weather so ends this day
Lat 29.03 Long 178.32

Monday

May 30th First of these 24 hours fine weather & fresh breeze from the Eastward. B H steering by the wind at night shortened sail mid & latter parts fine weather so ends this day Lat 29.27 Long 178.53

Tuesday

May 31st First of these 24 hours fine weather & Easterly winds. B H steering by the wind at night shortened sail mid & latter parts weather the same so ends this day
Lat 29.18 Long 179.02

Wednesday

June 1st First of these 24 hours cloudy weather & strong breeze from the Eastward. B H steering by the wind at night shortened sail mid & latter parts the same so ends this day no obs

Thursday

June 2nd First of these 24 hours thick rainy weather & Easterly wind. B H steering by the wind under short sail at dark wore ship & furled the mainsail mid & latter parts fine weather so ends this day
Lat 28.25 Long 178.42

Friday

June 3rd First of these 24 hours hazy weather & moderate breeze from the Eastward. B H steering by the wind at night wore ship & shortened sail mid part rainy latter part fine at 8 hours. And raised a sperm whale lowered for them & the W. B got captured while near a whale the S. B struck a whale & killed it & took him to the ship so ends