

Remarks On board R H

Oct 25th

Tuesday. First of these 24 hours blowing fresh from the Westward. R H steering by the wind on starboard tack mid & latter parts the same were ship at 1.40 so ends this day Lat 26.23 Long 176.27 E

Oct 26th

Wednesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & a fresh breeze from N W with a big swell. R H steering by the wind heading N W mid & latter parts light winds so ends this day Lat 25.34 Long 175.41

Oct 27th

Thursday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light westerly wind. R H steering by the wind on Port tack mid & latter parts light & on hard by winds R H steering the ends Lat 25.10 Long 174.31 E

Oct 28th

Friday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light N E wind. R H steering N by E saw a bump back to day mid & latter parts weather the same hands employed repairing foresail so ends Lat 25.10 Long 173.27 E

Oct 29th

Saturday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light Easterly wind. R H steering N by E finished & bent the foresail mid & latter parts thick hazy weather saw a small white water so ends this day no obs

Oct 30th

Sunday. First of these 24 hours thick hazy weather & passing squalls of rain rained from E E. R H steering N by E mid & latter parts the same so ends this day Lat 26.00 Long 168.41 Carpenter off duty sick

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Oct 31st

Monday. First of these 24 hours thick hazy weather & strong Easterly wind. R H steering N by E at 4 Pm luffed to the wind heading N mid & latter parts strong breeze saw a bump back to day so ends this day Lat 26.55 Long 168.16

Nov 1st

Tuesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & a strong breeze from E N E. R H steering by the wind heading N mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends this day Lat 27.58 Long 167.33 E

Nov 2nd

Wednesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & a moderate breeze from E N E. R H steering by the wind mid & latter parts weather the same raised Norfolk Island at daylight rite ahead so ends at 9.40 the Capt went on shore so ends this day

Nov 3rd

Thursday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & a light breeze from the Eastward. R H steering by the wind laying off on at 5 Pm the boat came on board mid & latter parts weather much the same sent a boat in this morning so ends this day

Nov 4th

Friday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & N E wind. R H laying off & on at 10 came off at night took her up & stood off shore mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends Lat 28.30 Long 167.41

Nov 5th

Saturday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & a moderate breeze from N E. R H steering by the wind on different tacks at night. Phillip Island bore N W 20 miles distant mid & latter parts weather the same so ends this day Lat 29.36 Long 167.47