

Remarks On board B K

Dec 17th

Sunday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light. NE wind. B K steering NW & W saw a steamer steering NW & W mid & latter parts heavy squalls from the Westward took in all sail but fore topmast & W. W. G. topsails so ends this day Lat 33.50 Long 158.25 E

Dec 18th

Monday. First of these 24 hours cloudy weather & variable wind. B K under lower. No sails up sail & topsails mid & latter parts blowing a gale from NW so ends this day Lat 33.12 Long 159.43

Dec 19th

Tuesday. First of these 24 hours blowing fresh from NW with a big sea running mid part more moderate latter part fine weather raised the Perimeter off Horns & so ends this day Lat 32.27 Long 160.04

Dec 20th

Wednesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & variable wind. B K steering by the wind saw 4 rampuses & Porpoises to day mid & latter parts blowing a gale so ends in sight this morning so ends Lat 32.74 Long 159.12

Dec 21st

Thursday. First of these 24 hours cloudy weather & strong NW wind. B K steering by the wind under lower topsails & courses mid & latter parts Easterly wind so ends this day Lat 32.52 Long 157.53 E

Dec 22nd

Friday. First of these 24 hours cloudy weather & Easterly wind. B K steering NW & W mid parts light wind saw plenty of Porpoises to day John W. Cleveland came on duty to day so ends this day Lat 33.15 Long 156.77

Dec 23rd

Saturday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light variable wind. B K steering NW & W saw a steamer steering NE mid & latter parts hazy weather so ends this day Lat 33.29 Long 154.48 E

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Dec 24th

Sunday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & Northwesterly wind. B K steering NW & W saw one sail mid & latter parts squally weather 2 sail in sight so ends this day Lat 33.41 Long 152.49 E

Dec 25th

Monday. First of these 24 hours thick squally weather. B K steering by the wind heading NW mid & latter parts blowing fresh saw one sail to day so ends this day Lat 34.23 Long 151.41 E

Dec 26th

Tuesday. First of these 24 hours strong NE wind. B K steering under short sail raised the land to the Southward of Sydney at 6. PM at 5. AM took a Pilot off the Roads & came to anchor at 7. AM & came to fathoms water at 10. AM weighed anchor and went up to the City so ends this day

Dec 27th

Wednesday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & variable wind hands employed washing ship mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends this day

Dec 28th

Thursday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & light Northwesterly wind hands busily employed mid & latter parts weather much the same so ends this day

Dec 29th

Friday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & strong Northwesterly wind. B K hands busily employed boat decks mid & latter parts calms got a fore yard from shore to day sent down the old one & saved it up so ends this day

Dec 30th

Saturday. First of these 24 hours fine weather & westerly wind hands employed fitting fore yard mid & latter parts weather much the same sent up our fore yard to day so ends this day