

Wind N.E. Lat. 20.54 S. 2 P.M. course N. by W 1/2 W. Sunset
fresh breeze from E. N.E. Hove the log - 9 3/4 the knots. Wood
hauled to N.E. Long. 176.01 W.

Mar. 26th. - 1st. M. furled mizzen topmast staysail &
fore topgallant sail. Sunrise, light breeze, made all
sail. Lat. 18.17 S. Painted old boat. Long. 176.45 W.

Mar 27th. - Fine weather, light breeze. Wind N.E. Course N.
by W 1/2 W. Every thing out. Sunset - Course N. by W. Lat. 16.32
S, long. 177.17 W.

Mar 28th. - Light breeze, fine weather. All sail out. 7 1/2 A.M.
raised Horn island ahead 50 miles off. 5 P.M. two ca-
noes and a whale boat came alongside containing some
8 or 10 natives. Capt. M. on learning that recruits were
to be had, shortened sail and lay off and on till
morning. Lat. 14.41 S, long. 177.51 W.

Mar. 29th. - Calm. About six miles from the land.
After breakfast the old man went ashore to trade
with the natives. About 10 o'clock a canoe brought off
a hog and a few bunches of bananas. During the day
we got off three boat-loads of yams, bananas, &c. The old man
stopped ashore for the night. The ship Oregombi was here two
days ago. Sunset, calm. No do.

Mar 30th. - Calm & light airs. During the day we got off
a large lot of yams, bananas, hogs, &c. Sent an old
boat to the French bishop. We discharged one
of our crew here who has been sick the greater
part of the voyage. Sunset - hauled forward
standing to the N. & W. No do.

Mar 31st. - Calm. Horn island about 15 miles off
steered 2102 yards below Wet hold. 14.01 S. 178.09 W.

April 1st. - Sunday. Calm & very light airs Lat.

April 2d. - Calm. Horn island bearing S. S. W. about
20 miles. Mending old topsail. 4 P.M. sent down
fore topsail - bent the one mended. Light airs. Lat. 13.47 S. 178.00 W.

April 3d. - Light breeze. Close-hauled - N.E. by N. Mending old
topsail. 11 A.M. strong breeze; furled fore topgallant sail
& gaff topsail. Squally. No do.

April 4th. - Squally. Wind N. & W. Close-hauled. Mended
old jib. Lat. 12.21 S. Long. 176.25 W.

April 5th. - Squally. Wind N. & W. Course N. by W.
Lat. 10.14 S long. 175.46 W.

April 6th. - Fine weather. Light breeze from W. N. W. Close-
hauled. Battling down leeward side of fore rigging.
Lat. 8.00 S. long. Bent old jib.

April 7th. - Light breeze. Squally. Close-hauled, heading
N.E. 10 A.M. tacked - N.W. by W. Unbent new main topsail
and sent up an old one. Wet hold. No do.

April 8th. - Squally. Wind very baffling from the N.
& W. Close-hauled; course N. W. Lat. 6.53 S, long. 175.30 W.

April 9th. - Squally. Baffling winds from the Northward
Horn, steering a course - N.W. by N. No do.