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Tuesday May the 24
This 24 hours comes in with strong Easterly winds, lay North, at night came down to double reef maintop and fore sail; middle part lay N by West, latter part made sail, N by E employed in Ship's duty, so ends — Latitude 30.33. Long 179.00 East

Wednesday May the 25
begins with light NE winds lay N by N, at night shortened sail; middle part, lay N by East, attended with rain; latter part course N by East, so ends — Latitude 31.30 Longitude 176.45

Thursday May the 26
comes in with a fine Easterly wind, steering N by E, saw a finback, at night wore ship lay South, middle part, much the same, latter part made sail, course S by E, so ends, Lat 31.11 Longitude 175.50

Friday May the 27
commences with light Easterly winds; lay S by West employed in Ship's duty, middle part steered N by E, latter part made all sail steered S by E, so ends; Latitude 31.11 Longitude 173.50

Saturday May the 28
This day comes in with light Easterly winds, course S by E employed in scrimshoning, middle part steered N by E under short sail, latter part made all sail steered S by E, so ends — Latitude 30.21 Long 172.30

Sunday May the 29
continues with light breezes, and fine weather, course S by E, saw several finbacks, at night doubled reefed the top sails, middle part course N by E, latter strong breezes, and a heavy sea. A running — our course S by E, under double reefed top sails so ends — Latitude 29.20

Longitude 170.10

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Monday May the 30
comes in with strong Easterly gales, steering, S by E middle part, lay South, under double reefed top sail and fore sail — latter part made all sail, lay S by E, attended with light showers of rain — ends, — Latitude 28.26, Longitude 169.00

Tuesday May the 31...
commences with strong southerly winds, and heavy showers of rain, doubled reefed the top sails, middle part lay East, latter part made sail, steered N by E, so ends, Lat 28.26 Long 171.5

Wednesday June 1
begins with a high Westerly wind, steering NE, middle part course N by E, latter part, made all sail lay East, so ends, Lat 28.44 Longitude, by Linn 172.5 by Chronometer, 172.50

Thursday June the 2
this day light breezes from N by E, lay East, middle part calm, latter part made all sail, lay East — employed in Ship's duty so ends — Latitude 28.28 Longit, by Chron, 172.50 by Linn 173.45

Friday June the 3
this 24 hours comes in with light Northerly winds, lay N by E, mending the fly jib, middle part lay N by E, latter part much the same, so ends Latitude 29.29 Longitude 172.45

Saturday June the 4
still continues fine, employed in scrimshoning at night, shortened sail, wore ship lay S by E middle part fine latter part attended with light showers of rain, so ends, Latitude 29.29

Longitude 170.00