

Japan 1842

Saturday September the 3.

This 24 hours comes in with strong S.E. winds, lay S.W. West under double reef topsails, thick rainy weather, middle part much the same, latter part thick so ends, Latitude 31-40 Longitude 179-45 East.

Monday September the 4 begins with light breezes and thick weather, lay S.W. West, middle part calm, latter part made all sail steered S.W., so ends Lat 31-20 Longitude 179-11

Tuesday September the 5 comes in with light Northely winds, steering S.W. West, middle part lay Northely ~~at night~~ at night saw 1 ship, at 8 A.M. spoke the William & Eliza, Rogers 35 months out 2300 barrels so ends Latitude 30-48 Longitude 179-50 E

Tuesday September the 6 begins with strong Northely winds, lay S.W. N. with the William & Eliza, middle part lay East under double reef topsails, latter part joined with the William & Eliza, steering S.W., so ends Latitude 30-15 Longitude 179-50 West

Wednesday September the 7 begins with strong Northely winds lay East, middle part calm; latter part made all sail, lay N.E., employed in ship's duty, so ends Latitude 30-00 Longitude 180-00

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Thursday September the 8,

comes in with light winds and calm, lay N.E., in company with the William & Eliza, getting work done in the blacksmith shop - line, by their blacksmith - middle part lay S.W., latter part made all sail steered N.W., so ends, Lat 30-30 Longitude 180-11 West

Friday September the 9 begins with strong S.W. winds, steering N.W., at night spoke the Saint George, Bedford, Ct, 37 months out 2200 barrels, middle part strong breezes took in all sail, but double reef maintop sail, latter part set double reef top sail, steered S.W., so ends, Lat 31-10 Longitude 179-20 West

Saturday September the 10 commences with strong Southely winds, and overcast, steering N.E., saw one ship, middle part full, latter part steered East so ends, Latitude 31-15 Long 179-00

Sunday September the 11 comes in with light Southely winds steering N.E., at night, shortened sail lay S.W., latter part made all sail lay S.W. West, so ends Lat 31-40 Long 179-30 West, by Lunar. Chron 178-43,

Monday September the 12 begins with light Southely winds, lay S.W. West, middle part, much the same, latter part made all sail, lay East, saw one ship, so ends Latitude 31-00 Longitude 179-50