

Blake Shepherdoff Noptie

Wednesday Feb 14th

Came with light breeze from N.E. heading N.W. 1/2 W.
Chetron leaving S.E. 1/2 S dist 9 miles first part of the
night light winds from East steering N.E. & last
part calm & rainy. Thus Ends N.O. Olsen.
By Ac lat 24-50 Long 131-14

Thursday Feb 15th

Begins with calm weather & cloudy middle & last part
light breezes from E. 1/2 E & pleasant weather. Thus Ends
Lat 19-57 Long 131-00
By Sun Obs Long 130-45

Friday Feb 16th

Came with light breeze from E. 1/2 E heading North
latter part calm as usual. Thus Ends The Day
Lat 18-36 Long 131-00
By Sun Obs 131-12

Saturday Feb 17th

Begins with calm weather & more expect to get another
fair wind middle & last part light breezes from the
Northward heading E. Thus Ends
Lat 19-02 Long 130-03

Sunday Feb 18th

Came with light breezes from North heading E. 1/2 E
middle calm last part light breezes from N. 1/2 W heading
North. Thus Ends
Lat 18-19 Long 129-44

Monday Feb 19th

Begins with light breezes from N. 1/2 W heading N.
at 4 1/2 PM saw Otykile Barren N.E. dist 30 miles
one sail in sight threw the night strong breezes from
S.W. with heavy squalls and rain at 8 PM saw Manua
Island leaving North dist 6 miles last part light breeze and
clear weather got the chains up & bent them top off
E by N for Empe. Thus Ends The Day
Lat 17-34 Long 129-44

Laying At Empe Island

Tuesday Feb 20th 1849

Came with pleasant breeze from S.W. at night lay
aback off Empe harbor one ship in sight to windward
latter part calm and pleasant. Thus Ends
Lat 17-28 Long 129-24
By Sun Obs 130-15
also 5-20 seconds slow

Wednesday Feb 21st

Begins with calm weather AM light breezes from
East took a pilot aboard at 10 came to anchor.
Hullspoint of Otykile came in to anchor clear
Thus Ends The Day

Thursday Feb 22nd

Begins with calm weather with rain got a soft
of water off AM hooked the bench starboard
watch shore on liberty. Ends Laying at anchor

Friday Feb 23rd

All this day fine weather employed finishing
ship and other duties. Ends

Saturday Feb 24th

Came with pleasant breezes from N.E. finished
painting ship. Landed watch shore on liberty
Thus Ends Laying at anchor

Sunday Feb 25th

men employed drawing down water threw the night
heavy squalls last part fine weather. Thus Ends

Monday Feb 26th

light breezes and pleasant weather fire watch shore
on liberty. Thus Ends

Tuesday Feb 27th

fine weather men employed in duties of the ship
Thomas Wood got feet in the stocks for running away
paid \$2000 Henry Williams runaway and
George Cannon on Freshman