

Cruise on voyage October 1867

Friday The 4th

Begins with light winds from S. E. and fine weather. These we begin in place in getting up the rigging mid and latter part fine sand.

Lat by obs 25:32 S
Long by obs 175:40 W

Saturday The 5th

Begins with light winds from S. E. we heading up under all sail in place in getting the rigging and other work on board the flying jib and bend the old one in mid and latter part light airs and Calm sand.

Sunday The 6th

Begins with light airs and Calm. Saw hump back and porpoises and porpoises mid and latter part light airs and fine weather. So ends.

Lat by obs 26:15 S

Monday The 7th

Begins with light airs from the Eastward we steering S. W. at sundown shoot in sail and huff too in mid and latter part the same. So ends.

Lat by obs 26:26 S
Long by obs 175:11 W

Tuesday The 8th

Begins with light winds and fine weather we begin in company with Milton and Abraham Becker. Latter the same sand.

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Wednesday The 9th

Begins with light winds from northward and fine weather in mid and latter part fresh wind. So ends.

Lat by obs 27:10 S
Long by obs 175:06 W

Thursday The 10th

Begins with light wind from Westward we heading to the Southward in place in shipping duty in mid and latter part strong winds. So ends.

Lat by obs 26:32 S
Long by obs 175:07

Friday The 11th

Begins with moderate winds and fine weather wind from S. W. we heading to the S. W. under moderate sail in place in repairing the main top sail at sundown touch in sail Milton to the S. W. of us in mid and latter part light airs and Calm. So ends.

Lat by obs 26:16 S
Long by obs

Saturday The 12th

Begins with light airs and fine weather in sight of us in Abraham Becker. These days we begin in place in painting the board and west boat, latter part strong westerly wind. Saw hump back. These we touch in Starboard the boat to repair and paint and port out the the Spar boat. So ends.

Lat by obs 27:01 S
Mr. Luce been off duty for two days Sick with sore throat.