

Remarks on board ship *Stetina*
Sunday October 25th 1940

First part stiff breeze heading 4° to 3° at 3 PM took a
still heeling Middle part the same latter part at 5 AM
finished heeling and washed decks at 11 AM left off
at 1 PM squared the yards and made all sail for Tahiti
Latitude of Ch 4.53 S Longitude of Ch 122.18

Monday October 26th

First part fine weather course 14° wind 1° Cal sail
at Middle part much the same latter part the same
Employed in setting tent the ship
Latitude of Ch 4.25 Longitude of Ch 125.30

Tuesday October 27th

First part fine weather with a stiff breeze course 14° S
Middle part wind light latter part very light course 14°
Latitude of Ch 4.25 Longitude of Ch 125.30

Wednesday October 28th

First part wind very light course 14° Employed variously
and pumps Middle part much the same latter part
began steering down side S. end
Latitude of Ch 3.42 Longitude of Ch 126.11

Thursday October 29th

First part wind light from 1° course 14° W
finished steering Middle part near breeze latter
part wind light Employed in turning up the rigging
Latitude of Ch 3.0 Longitude of Ch 127.55

Friday October 30th

First part wind light course 14° W Middle part
the same latter part course 14° W Employed variously
Latitude of Ch 2.5 Longitude of Ch 128.55

Saturday 31st

First part wind light course 14° W Middle part
fine breeze latter part much the same S. end
Latitude of Ch 2.45 Longitude of Ch 132.0

Sunday 1st November

First part wind light course 14° W Middle the same
latter part at 7 PM took sail & M. 7.5 PM S. end
Latitude of Ch 3.45 Longitude of Ch 133.0

From the Off Shore *Freemantle*

Monday November 2nd 1940

First part fine smooth weather with a light breeze from
the E. course 14° W latter part the same began
coasting between Decks Provisions etc
Latitude of Ch 4.36 Longitude of Ch 135.0

Tuesday November 3rd 1940

First part wind very light Employed in steering between
decks course 14° W latter part much the same saw a
fin backer tree
Latitude of Ch 5.30 Longitude of Ch 136.20

Wednesday November 4th

First part fine weather with a fine breeze from
the E. course 14° W Middle part much the same
latter part fine breeze from S. E. course 14° W
Latitude of Ch 6.25 Longitude of Ch 138.42

Thursday November 5th

First part fine breeze course 14° W Employed variously
Middle part at 10 PM here too at 5 AM made all sail
and started 14° at 9 AM saw Petrels on of the Marquesas
Islands bearing 14° S 40 miles at 2 AM took a heavy squall
which caused us to heave to again weather being thick & raining
Latitude of Ch 7.32 Longitude of Ch 140.2

Friday November 6th

First part better weather at night at 5 PM the Islands
of Phoenix bearing 14° S 20 miles fine breeze all sail set
Middle part much the same latter part wind light at 8
course 14° W with squalls of rain S. end
Latitude of Ch 8.55 Longitude of Ch 142.22

Saturday November 7th

First part fine breeze from 1° course 14° W took in
the 28 PM sail & Middle part fine breeze course
 14° W latter part course 14° W Moderate winds & sea
Latitude of Ch 10.28 Longitude of Ch 144.25

Sunday Nov 8th

First part squally weather with a stiff breeze from 1° S
course 14° S Middle part fine weather latter
part course 14° W with squalls of wind & rain sea
Latitude of Ch 12.58 Longitude of Ch 146.23