

Remarks on Board Ship W^m Hammett

Sunday Oct. 11th Commence with moderate breezes and pleasant middle and latter part the same the watch employed in Ship's duty so ends their 24 hours
Lat by obs 26:00

Monday Oct. 12th Commence with light breezes and pleasant middle and latter part the same all hands employed in repairing fore sail saw Porpoise so ends their 24 hours
Lat by obs 26:05 Long by Ch^m 176:53

Tuesday Oct. 13th Commence with strong breezes from the S.W. later part strong gale with rain the watch employed in Ship's duty so ends their 24 hours
Lat 28:10

Wednesday Oct. 14th Commence with strong gale from the W.N.W. with rain have the Ship's fore under close reef main top sail and fore sail so ends their 24 hours
Lat by obs 26:40

Thursday Oct. 15th Commence with strong gale from the W.N.W. latter part moderate breeze sail the watch employed in Ship's duty so ends their 24 hours
Lat by obs 28:00 Long by Ch^m 176:50

Friday Oct. 16th Commence with moderate breeze from N.W. middle and latter part the same at 10 A.M. saw land made it to be Sunday Island an uninhabited Island sent the Boat and obtained some fish at 1 P.M. spoke Barque Victorious of Sydney one month out from
Lat by obs 29: Long by Ch^m 178:00

Saturday Oct. 17th Commence with moderate breeze middle and latter part the same at 10 A.M. saw Macaulys Island sent the Boat and obtained some fish so ends their 24 hours
Lat by obs 29:40

Sunday Oct. 18th Commence with moderate breeze middle and latter part the same at 8 A.M. sent two boats on shore at Macaulys Island with twenty men and obtained twenty two goats and one pig so ends their twenty four hours
Lat by obs 30:00

on a Whaling Voyage in the Pacific Ocean

Monday Oct. 19th Commence with light breezes middle and latter part the same the watch employed in Ship's duty two strange sail in sight so ends their 24 hours
Lat by obs 31:00 Long by Ch^m 177:59

Tuesday Oct. 20th Commence with moderate breeze from the S. middle and latter part the same at 10 A.M. saw a sperm Whale lower the Boat and succeeded in taking him to the Larboard Boat took him alongside and cut in the body so ends their 24 hours
Macaulys Island in sight

Wednesday Oct. 21th Commence with moderate breeze finished buting and commenced buting latter part strong breeze at 1 P.M. cooled down the water too rugged to sail so ends
Lat by obs 30:19

Thursday Oct. 22th Commence with strong gale from the West middle and latter part moderate breeze began to boil at 4 P.M. saw a large sperm Whale lowered the Boats and captured it to the main Boat so ends
Lat by obs 31:00

Friday Oct. 23th Commence with strong breeze from the S.W. at 12 A.M. commenced buting but was obliged to stop it being too rugged all hands employed in buting at 1 P.M. spoke Barque May Horn of Norbert Town Southport and the French Rocks in sight

Saturday Oct. 24th Commence with moderate breeze from the S.W. middle and latter part the same all hands employed in buting and boiling two strange sail in sight so ends the French Rocks in sight

Sunday Oct. 25th Commence with moderate breeze and pleasant middle and latter part the same all hands employed in boiling two strange sail in sight so ends in sight of the French Rocks

Monday Oct. 26th Commence with moderate breeze from the W. middle and latter part the same at 10 A.M. finished buting all hands employed in stowing oil two strange sail in sight, so ends the French Rocks in sight