

Remarks on board of the Ship, *William Hamilton*

Saturday, July, the 13<sup>th</sup>.  
Commences with strong gales from the S. heading to  
the E. under short sail, at 6. wore ship to the W.  
Employed in fitting the rigging.  
Lat. 22.55 Long. 154. 41

Sunday, July, the 14<sup>th</sup>.  
Commences with moderate breezes from the S. & E.  
heading to the S. & W. middle & latter part the same.  
Lat. 22.54 Long. 154. 00

Monday, July, the 15<sup>th</sup>.  
Commences with light breezes middle & latter part the  
same, at 8. P.M. saw blackfish lowered one boat & took  
one the watch employed in fitting rigging so ends.

Tuesday, July, the 16<sup>th</sup>.  
Commences with strong breezes from the S. & E. with squalls  
of rain, heading to the S. & E. at 6. shortened sail latter  
part steering to the S. & W. so ends.  
Lat. 22.40 Long. 153. 40

Wednesday, July, the 17<sup>th</sup>.  
Commences with strong breezes from the E. at 12.  
o'clock saw sandy Cape the S. & E. part of New Holland  
at 5 P.M. lashed ship & stood off shore, saw a large  
smoke supposed it to be made by the natives latter  
part strong breezes from the S. heading to the S. & E.  
under double reefed top, sails so ends.  
Lat. 22.30 Long. 153

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Thursday, July, the 18<sup>th</sup>.  
Commences with strong breezes from the S. heading to  
the S. & E. employed in fitting rigging latter part  
steering to the E. under easy sail, at 12. o'clock spoke the  
barge Governor Halliwell of Sydney 24 months out with  
15. hundred lbs. of sperm oil.

Friday, July, the 19<sup>th</sup>.  
Commences with strong gales from the S. heading to  
the S. & E. under short sail middle & latter part the same.  
Lat. 22.04 Long. 152. 20.8

Saturday, July, the 20<sup>th</sup>.  
Commences with strong gales steering to the E. under easy  
sail middle & latter part the same, saw fin backs.

Lat. 22.14 Long. 151.8. 20.2

Sunday, July, the 21<sup>st</sup>.  
Commences with strong breezes from the S. & E. heading to the  
E. at 6. A.M. wore ship to the S. & W. middle & latter part light  
winds, at 8 P.M. spoke the barge Psyche of Sydney,  
23 months out with 12. hundred lbs. of sperm oil exchanged  
water & took from her one fluke rope & chain, saw fin backs

Lat. 22.42 Long. 151.8. 20

Monday, July, the 22<sup>nd</sup>.  
Commences with light winds in company with barge  
latter part strong breezes from the W.