

Remarks on board of the Ship William Hamilton

Friday, May, the 8th
Commenced with moderate breezes from the S.W. &
heading N.E. at 3, saw a sail Middle part strong
breezes at 7 P.M. took up ship to the S. so Ends.

Lat. 26. 15. Long. 164. 30

Saturday, May, the 9th
Commenced with strong breezes from the S.W. & heading
N.E. Middle & latter part the same so Ends.

Lat. 27. 47 Long. 165. 30

Sunday, May, the 10th
Commenced with light breezes from the S. heading N.E.
latter part N.E. Course E. so Ends.

Lat. 28. 32. South

Monday, May, the 11th
Commenced with strong breezes from the S. &
heading N.E. at 12, 1 o'clock saw Norfolk Island.
so Ends.

Lat. 29. 34. Long. 168. 0

Tuesday, May, the 12th
Commenced with thick weather heading S.
at 1 P.M. Nicholas's forerunner, Seaman, was taken
with the scurvy, kept the ship off for the bay of Islands.
at 4 P.M. he said the debt of Nature at 2, saw the
three kings. Latter part employed in working up for the
bay so Ends.

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Wednesday, May, the 13th
Commenced with pleasant weather, at 5 P.M. we buried
the corpse in a watery grave, the South Cape of New
Zealand, bearing S.W. Dist. 30 miles at 11 P.M. Came
to an anchor in the bay, in 5 fathoms of water so Ends
there was about 20 sail of whaling ships lying there.

Thursday, May, the 14th
Commenced with strong breezes from the N. at 2 P.M. got
under way & went to sea at 6, Cape Brun bearing
S. Dist. 4 miles Course S.W. so Ends.

Lat. 34. 20. Long. 172. 0

Friday, May, the 15th
Commenced with strong winds from the S.W. Course
N.E. by E. so Ends with a strong breeze after we bore
for Tahiti.

Saturday, June, the 1st
Commenced with strong breezes from the S. Course
N.E. & latter part light winds & calm so Ends.

Lat. 27. 40. Long. 157. 30

Sunday, June, the 2nd
Commenced with light breezes from the S. heading S.
& have been there 5 days Middle & latter part the same.

Lat. 24. 26. U. Long. 149. 59. West

Monday, June, the 3rd
Commenced with a calm Middle part strong breezes
from the S.W. with squalls of rain, Course N.