

Wednesday March 6th

Came in with strong trade from the N^W steering
off by compass under all sail the water employed
measuring the anchored so much with fine breeze

Lat by Obs 11:25 N
Long by Obs 152:35 E

Thursday March 7th

All the 24 hours strong trade and fine weather
steering off by compass

Lat by Obs 10 N
Long by Obs 152:40 E

Friday March 8th

Came in with strong trade steering off by compass
Made point squally later part pleasant the water
employed measuring back water distance 2000

Lat by Obs 13:20 S

Saturday March 9th

Here we are of the Island of water most 20 miles
from house 600 hundred and fifty Dead I don't
know what we are like to see but I hope
the Lord will have mercy upon us if we are
to be put there I don't see who is ill I want
is to get my feet on that soil once more

I will try to make myself content till my
life is spent as like I will for it better
have but it is so and it can't be helped
I have about give up all hopes this land unless
when we shall get the next whale but thank
the Lord the boat is on shore after some pains
It shows half a gale of wind under double reef
to reach the boat is got on board with 14 pigs
potatoes Dead oranges Dead that is all that is
the Captain is on shore

Lat by Obs 13:41 N
Long by Obs 145:40 E

Sunday March 10th

First part the 24 hours strong breeze middle part
much the same At 2 P.M. took our departure
from water with 50 pigs Dead about 5000
thousands of oranges Dead now bound for
Governor to get some potatoes so much with
the ship Dooling had not Harroast

Monday March 11th

Came in with strong gale from the N^W steering
off by compass under all sail the water employed
measuring the anchored so much with fine breeze
Dead about 5000 the boat is on shore the boat came on board
Dead left the Captain for the night to see
If we can get any potatoes so much with fine
weather they is 5 ships in bay bound for the N^W
the could see but two pigs last night

Tuesday March 12th

Came in with light winds and pleasant weather
steering off by compass under all sail the water employed
measuring the anchored so much with fine breeze
Dead about 5000 the boat is on shore the boat came on board
Dead left the Captain for the night to see
If we can get any potatoes so much with fine
weather they is 5 ships in bay bound for the N^W
the could see but two pigs last night

Lat by Obs 13:51 N
Long by Obs 144:13 E

Wednesday March 13th

Here we are bound for the N^W under double reef
top-sails to take in 2300 hundred in about 1 mile
N^W prospect for a young man that is about to enter
the list of the Council at this day I have given up
all hopes of getting to voyage in this ship which wishes
for poor and dejected that I could but once more
embrace my Charmer for one moment to pass out
my feelings of sorrow and have her consolation
to awake my way feelings for the future and leave
the town off for one moment if this boat
put to follow in mind of home then I don't
know what will be thank the Lord we have
got news of another run hole so much with
fair weather steering off by compass