

Ship Joseph

Mon Day 22nd Through the day light
and pleasant weather
Employer repairing the
spanker Lat 24 miles South
Long 176 44 East

Tue Day 23rd Begins with light
airs and pleasant weather
at 1 pm saw a sail and
at 4 pm spoke her ship
Emerald of Sen. 1200
14 months out 600 sperm
batter in company
Lat 49 S Long 176 45 E

Wed Day 24th first part calm ship
in sight batter part moderate
breezes from S.W. ship heading
to E.S.E. Lat 33 miles
Long 174 23 East

Thu Day 25th first part squally weather
ship heading to the South
under close reefed top sails
batter part pleasant
breezes from S. Lat 14 47
Long 177 37 East

Fri Day 26th Begins with pleasant
weather and moderate from
North ship heading S.W.
batter part calm took out
the barbed pump to get
a bolt out of it Lat 2 31 S
Long 177 10 East

Jan 15 45

Mon Day 27th first part squally weather
ship steering to the S.W.
batter part pleasant at
10 pm made hope island
bearing west by S dist
25 miles Lat 24 53 South
Long 176 45 East

Tue Day 28th at 4 pm the natives come
off and a white man with
them but brought nothing
with them latter part squally
weather saw black fish
No obs to day

Wed Day 29th Begins with pleasant
weather and moderate breezes
from S. to S.E. ship heading
to N.W. latter part pleasant
breezes from S.E.
ship steering S.W. Lat 9 22
Long by Chron 176 08 by lunar 176 04

Thu Day 30th Begins with light airs and
pleasant weather ship
steering S.W. wind from
S.E. batter part moderate
breezes at 6 am made patches
island in at 10 the natives
come off and brought many
fruits Lat 2 44 S
Long 175 21 East

Fri Day 31st Begins with pleasant weather
and wind from N.E. ship
steering S.W. by compass
batter part squally at 6 am
made Clarks Island bearing
East and at 10 am saw
Drummers Island 1 point in
on the S.W. side Lat 21
No obs to day