

Journal

Tuesday 28 Jan 1845

Calm throughout this day employed painting ship out side in the evening the Capt and a number of hands went off a swimming

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
		24° 48	150° 00

Wednesday 29 Jan

Calm with heavy rains throughout the middle part latter part the watch employed breaking out water casks

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
		24° 39	150° 8

Thursday 30 Jan

Light air from the North through the first and middle parts latter part it hauled to the North East

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
West, N W	North N E	24° 18	151° 0

Friday 31 Jan

Light air from the North East through this day very hot sultry weather

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
N N W	N E	23° 00	151° 23

Saturday 1st Feb

Light air and clear weather throughout employed at several small jobs

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
N N E	N E, E	21° 30	151° 33

Sunday 2 Feb

Light breezes throughout several rain squalls nothing in sight whatever

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
N N E	East	20° 12	151° 11

Monday 3 Feb

Heavy squalls throughout this day at 7h AM spoke the ship Eric off of anchor with 300 ft and 300 ft on board

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
N N E	East	19° 30	151° 3

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Tuesday 5 Feb

Strong breezes throughout in company with the ship Eric standing to the Westward

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
West	East	19° 45	152° 43

Wednesday 6 Feb

Calm throughout the most part of this day parted company with the Eric one ship standing to the North West the other to the West

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
West	East	19° 18	154° 22

Thursday 6 Feb

Light breezes through the first and middle parts latter part calm the watch variously employed in ships duty

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
West	East	19° 16	154° 50

Friday 7 Feb

Strong breezes throughout with thick cloudy weather steering to the Westward

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
West	N E, N, N N W	19° 4	156° 56

Saturday 8 Feb

Moderate breeze with hazy weather throughout saw the ship Eric standing to the North at day light she seemed to be standing from Harvey Island as it was in sight bearing S E by compass

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
West	N E, E	18° 32	159° 10

Sunday 9 Feb

Thick wet weather throughout the day very heavy rain through the night at 6h hauled up the courses and laid the ship too heading to the North at day light made all sail to the West at 6h AM made Wilkes Island ran for it dist 9 leagues

Courses	Winds	Latt	Long
N N W	Variable		