

On Board of the Ship Wm Tell 1852

Monday the 21 of January
This Day we have fine weather and a light
Breeze from the N a Steering E by N
Lawthing in Sight Lat 48.30 Long

Tuesday the 22 of January
This Day commenced with a moderate breeze from
the N W Ship on the wind a heaving
S E the later part a strong gale at 6
we took in sail and have our ship too
under close reef main topsail and foresail
So ends this Day Lat long

Wednesday the 23 of January 1852
This morning we made sail and the
gale was over the wind backed to the N and W
a Steering E N E So ends this Day
With fine weather Lat long

Thursday the 24 of January
This Day we have variable weather
at 01 the wind backed to the N W and
at 11 took in sail and Dredged reef the
fore and main topsails and at 1 A M the
wind backed to the W a Steering E N E
So ends this Day No latter tw this Day
Lat 49.30 Long 152.19 E

Friday the 25 of January
This Day we have fine weather and a fair
wind the wind from the W a Steering
E N E Lawthing this Day
Lat 49.35 Long 156.26 E

Saturday the 26 of January
This Day begins with a light breeze from the S W
thick and Ramy this Day we have Bad weather
Latter part a strong gale from the S a
Steering N E by E

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Sunday January the 27
This Day we have a strong breeze from the W a
Steering E by N at 1 A M we saw a
Ship and spoke her it was the ship the Thornton
of New Bedford with 3 hundred Box of Spum oil

Monday the 28 of January
This Day we have a fine breeze from the W a
a Steering in to the N and E for the land
at 6 A M the ship knights Island
of New Ireland Lat 48.33 Long 166.35

Tuesday the 29 of January
This Day we have a strong breeze from
the N and E a Steering E N E
for New Ireland the weather thick
So ends this Day

Wednesday the 30 of January the
last Day this Day we saw
the land of New
Ireland we run down a long shore
So ends this Day the 30 of January

Thursday the 31 of January
This Day we went in to the land
of New Ireland and let go our anchor in
Togo Bay

In port a getting wood and water
and potatoes and fish and clams
and fowl and feathers and 6 men
Rusa a way and one got Droum a
Swimming a shore his name was Bob
Jones 2 we got and 3 left and
the ship 2 good men that was
Worth a dozen of them that run a
the ship the worst place that
i ever got in too and we are all
happy at being of this hole