

Journal of A. Whirling Logge kept on board Ship

Tuesday March 29th 1843

Light winds from the Northward steering East
finished setting up our fore rigging to day
Lat by Obs 8:02 S Long by Chron 170:20 East

Wednesday March 30

Fresh breeze from the Northward with squalls
steering East Lat 8:21 S Long 174:21 East

Thursday March 31

Light winds from the Northward steering E by
N under all set up our Larboard topmast and
topgallant rigging Lat 8:42 S Long 173:00

Friday April 1st 1844

A fresh breeze from the E N E to E steering by
the wind Set up our Starboard main topmast back
stays Lat by Obs 10:00 S Long by Chron 173:55

Saturday April 2

Fresh breeze from the N E to E steering by the wind
Mended our main topgallant sail to day
Lat by Chron 11:33 S Long 174:55 East

Sunday April 3

A stiff breeze from the Eastward steering
by the wind to the Southward until 5 P M
when we tacked Ship Lat 12:37 Long 175:25

Monday April 4

A stiff breeze from the Eastward steering
by the wind to the Northward until 1 P M
when we tacked Ship mended our Fly jib
Lat by Obs 12:07 Long 176:22 East

Sharon of Fair Haven Capt Morris bound towards Portsmouth

Tuesday April 5th 1844

Fresh winds from the Eastward beating up to Portsmouth
Lat by Obs 12:42 S Long by Chron 176:20 East

Wednesday April 6

Light winds from the Eastward beating up to
Portsmouth at daylight raised the Island of Portsmouth
bearing E by N Dist 15 miles at Sunset bearing
East Dist 22 miles Bent our cables and got the
Larboard anchor of of the Bow, Washed the Ship
outside to day Lat 12:37 Long 176:55 so Ends

Thursday April 7

Light winds from the S E at 4 P M set up our anchor
at the Island Portsmouth Round the Bank Ouzel of
Dorset 9 months out 400 lbs at 1 P M got a raft
of casks on shore for water and sent our Royal mast
and topgallant yards down so Ends

Friday April 8

Moderate breeze from the E with squalls of rain lying at
Anchorage at 3 P M got off a raft of water and hoisted it
in got off about 300 gallons at 6 P M killed 2 hogs

Saturday April 9

Fine weather got 3 boat loads of wood and stowed that
and our water away Bought some yarns and 8 Pigs
at 4 P M killed 1 hog so Ends

Sunday April 10

Light variable winds lying at Anchorage The
Starboard watch went on shore on liberty
and 3 of them ran away killed 3 Pigs