

Thursday March 7-1873

Lat-32.29 First-part of this day, good breeze
Long 167.33 from the E. Ship beating to Eastward
Middle and Latter parts the same
Broke out water and bread and
three coils of towline started flour
Saw one sail and so ends this day.

Friday March 8

Lat-32.40 First part good breeze from the East-
Long 170.18 ship beating to windward. Middle
and Latter parts the same. Saw a
school of Blackfish. Employed in
Blacksmithing. Cut a new sail for the
waist-boat and so ends.

Saturday March 9

Lat-32.16 First part wind light Middle and
Long 170.38 Latter parts good breeze Ship work-
ing to Eastward. Weather thick and
hazy most of the time. Thomas Foy
still in irons. Washed ship rove new
mizen gallant-halyards and main
spencer barge and so ends.

Sunday March 10

Lat-32.55 First part of this day good breeze from
E by N Middle and Latter parts the same
at day light. Mr. Cook raised a school of
sperm whales on the weather beam, beat to
to the windward of them and lowered four
boats at 8 A.M. and the larboard boat struck
the bow boat went on but did not fatten
took the whale along side about noon
Commenced to cut about 3 P.M. finished
about 8 made sail working to eastward
and so ends.

Monday March 11-1873

Lat-33.57 First part good breeze from the eastward. Ship
Long 171.56 working to windward Middle and Latter part-
the same. at 7 A.M. started the works. Saw nothing
and so ends this day.

Tuesday March 12.

Lat-34.11 First part of this day good breeze from the
Long 172.45 eastward. Middle and Latter parts the same
at day light saw the land. the three Kings the
west Cape of New Zealand. Saw two sails ship
trying to work to the eastward along the land.

Wednesday March 13

Lat-34.21 First part of this day light breeze from
Long 173.18 the eastward Middle and Latter parts the
same. still boiling Saw one sail ship work-
ing up along the land so ends this day.

Thursday March 14

Lat-35.04 First part of this day light breeze Middle
Long 173.59 part the same Latter part calm finished
boiling about noon lowered the larboard
boat and sent her into the Bay of Islands
after letters returned at 12 P.M. Saw one
sail and so ends.

Friday March 15

First part light variable winds course NE
Middle part the same with rain and fog
Latter part the same. about 5 P.M. spoke
the Bark Calas Capt. Lee 20 months out
all told bound in to ship oil and so ends.

Saturday March 16

Lat-33.42 This day strong breeze from SW ship steering
Long 177.13 NE. Stowed down Saw one sail and so ends
this day.