

Lat-36.37

Monday

Jan 2nd 1888

Long 170.20 Good breeze from the S.W. weather good, ship steering W by N. nothing seen.

Tuesday

Jan 3rd

Light breeze from the N. ship on the wind on both tacks went to get to Westward, nothing in sight except gonies. broke out coffee, beans, peas, sugar, corn, water, two large bags of flour.

Lat-35.35

Wednesday

Jan 4th

Long 172.11 Moderate breeze from the W.N.W. ship on the starboard tack working to the S.W. weather fine. nothing in sight. employed making spun yarn.

Lat-35.48

Thursday

Jan 5th

Long 172.21 Very light breeze from the W.N.W. ship on the wind trying to get to the Westward men employed mending the fore sail nothing in sight except gonies so ends

Lat-35.40

Friday

Jan 6th

Long 173.37 Good breeze from the N by E. ship on the wind working to the N.W. nothing in sight. employed mending sail and making spun yarn.

Saturday

Jan 7th

This day strong breeze from the N.N.E. ship on the wind heading N.W. rain and blowing to night. no observation killed a large hog weighed 240 lbs.

Lat-34.15

Sunday

Jan 8th

Long 168.58 Good breeze from the S.W. by W. ship steering N.W. weather rather muggy at times through the day. plenty of black birds in sight.

Lat-32.27

Monday

Jan 9th 1888

Long 177.9 Good breeze from the S.E. ship steering W.N.W. weather fine, men employed repairing the upper main top sail at sunset shortened sail and heaved to. nothing been seen.

Lat-31.32

Tuesday

Jan 10th

Long 178.30 Good breeze from the E by S. first part steering W.N.W. middle part W latter part N. saw French rock about 1 P.M. right ahead. at sunset shortened sail heaved to heading N.E. by N. Charles Christian sick. saw juncos

Wednesday

Jan 11th

Strong breeze from the E. weather quite thick and cloudy. ship worked up by Curtis rocks and Goat Island. kept off to night W.S.W. to clear the land. saw plenty of birds. Buzz our dog very sick.

Thursday

Jan 12th

Strong breeze from the E.N.E. weather thick. ship on the port tack heading S.E. saw Goat Island this morning on the weather bow, saw a school of porpoise.

Lat-30.59

Friday

Jan 13th

Long 179.35 Strong breeze from the E by N. weather thick and rainy at times. ship on the starboard tack heading N.N.E. nothing in sight except birds. making spun yarn.

Lat-30.49

Saturday

Jan 14th

Long 179.18 Moderate breeze from the N.E. by E ship on the wind working to the S.E. saw French rock tonight three points on the lee bow bearing S.E. from us. weather muggy