

Passage To French Rock

Saturday Feb 3rd 1883

At Anchor } the fore part of the day very light breeze from
the N.W. Came to anchor of Big Chatham. Capt
went ashore 1 boat a fishing & another cleaning the ship
latter part got of the potatoes Onions & Sheep & at 5.30
got under way. Course N.E. & N. — " " "

Sunday Feb 4th 1883

the fore part light breeze from the N.W. & fog on port tack heading N.E. 44. in sight to the forward. latter part fair breeze increasing foggy on star tack heading westward — " " "

Monday Feb 5th 1883

the fore part of the day blowing fresh from the N.W. increasing the latter blowing a strong gale N.W. on different tacks. & killed 10. sheep. — " " "

Tuesday Feb 6th 1883

the fore part of the day blowing strong S.W. Course N.W. latter part squally wind the same course N.W. & N. all sail out. 1. sheep

Wednesday Feb 7th 1883

the fore part of the day light breeze from the S.W. & gradually halling in to the S.E. Course N.W. the latter part fine nothing in sight Course N.W. may we get a cut of oil.

Thursday Feb 8th 1883

the fore part of the day fine. heading the mainsail Course N.W. & N. — Doc got 13 sheep the latter part fine wind E & N.E. Course the same. sent the mainsail & killed two sheep

Friday Feb 9th 1883

the fore part of the day fine with a fine breeze from the N.W. & by the wind on star tack. sent the main topsail down & stipt in a few cloths. the latter part sent it. nothing in sight Lat 36.13 Long 117.10

Passage To French Rock

Saturday Feb 10th 1883

the fore part of the day fine light breeze from the N.W. on different tacks. broke out the cloth Cask Cheese meat. the latter part in the fore hole 1 sheep killed not a living thing moving —

Sunday Feb 11th 1883

the fore part of the day fine light breeze from the N.W. Course N.W. & N. on port tack — latter part fine wind N. " " " " blackfish & grampiers

Monday Feb 12th 1883

the fore part of the day a good breeze from the S.E. Course N.W. fitting fore to mast rigging the latter part better weather course the same shortened sail on the whole ground — " " "

Tuesday Feb 13th 1883

the fore part of the day a fine breeze from the S.E. Course N.W. finished fitting the fore to mast rigging. the latter part wind the same course N.W. N.W. to French rock raised a 5.40 P.M. not a living thing to be seen moving

Wednesday Feb 14th 1883

the fore part of the day fine with a good breeze from the S. past French Rock & steared N. by S grampiers & pumpers. the latter part course the same past Curtis Rocks at 4.30 P.M. came up to goat island but could not pass it shortened sail — at 10.00

Thursday Feb 15th 1883

the fore part of the day fine wind E.S.E. past goat Island & kept of to the W. the latter part the same grampiers & pumpers for porpoises goat island on our weather beam came to on port tack heading S. under short sail —

Friday Feb 16th 1883

the fore part of the day fine breeze from the E. heading to the S. setting up main Rigging & Rove new canvas for porpoises killers & plenty fish