

24th Mon Day, the 24 hours
run was 292 miles.
13th

Had much done today
24 hours run 218 miles
14th Tue. Saw during night
for the first time
Heptene came on board
to night with his wife
& daughter & son & all
his things, to see
captain about all the
25th Wed. saw who had
never crossed the line
before, we had some
great fun, he afterwards
went over the side &
is to come on board

26th Tomorrow at 1 o'clock
to carry out the old time
custom of sharing sleeping
all who have never crossed
the line before. 280

15th 20th Passed one of the
Solomon Islands at day-
light this morning, the
first land since
leaving Sydney & passed
one of the New Hebrides
21st Sat. groups in the
cove, & also a
canoe with natives in
it. 190

16th 22nd Heptene came aboard.

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27th This afternoon at
one o'clock, we spent
a most enjoyable after-
noon, we crossed the
line at 6.45. Heptene
2396 miles from Howland
28th Tu

14th Had a splendid
concert on board this
afternoon. 296

15th Had a lecture on
kindred to the subject
of the usual habits of
in the afternoon & played
for the officers & crew in the
evening. 296

19th Sunday
Had church this morning
nothing to do all day
the 24 hours run was
266 the lowest day's run
yet. 200

20th Start road work
scrub hammock & wash
clothes. 200

21st Dredge catch scrub hammock
& wash clothes. 240

22nd Drill all day
Monday's run was only 263

23rd Nothing much done
today very hot weather
250

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24th ~~24th~~ Still having bad weather
 25th The 24 hours run as 253
 250 miles 210 miles
 from Hong Kong 300
 26th

10th Arrived at Hong Kong at 7 o'clock in morning it is a very nice harbor. Put a watch on our shore on leave.

27th Ship moved higher up the harbor.

28th Captain Dwyer in charge our guns & one Archiford.

29th All hands paid in Chinese money, advanced with leather gear & gun (the rifles are Lee Hyeford).

30th Drill with our rifles, on one allowance on shore, getting ready for sea in morning, going to Shanghai for order.

31st Left Hong Kong for Shanghai today at 10:00. Drill all the forenoon, hands scrub wash clothes all the afternoon.

1st Had drill all the forenoon & stand off all the afternoon, passed a few ships, and boats.

2nd Passed a lot of islands & also a large lighthouse.

3rd Dropped anchor at noon in the mouth of the Yang-tze River.

4th Capt's Dwyer & I went up to Shanghai to report, there are 12 men a war ship sailing here (Hsu Sung) is the

name of the place.

5th The senior officer of the station came on board to inspect us. We are going to show to the Yaku, forts.

6th Left Hsu Sung this morning at 11:00 AM. Four German monitors came in, we ran around in the channel going out & had to wait here until high tide at 6 P.M.

7th had drill all the forenoon

APRIL 4th Month 1900 1900 80 Days APRIL

6th Had drill all day
 Officers say we can't get
 too much drill with
 the new rifles.

7th Arrived at Hei-han wei
 at 9 this morning.
 The cruiser Terrible is in
 here, we were not
 allowed to go ashore,
 this place is sometimes
 called the (graveyard of
 25 Wed (Death)
 8th Left Hei-han wei for
 Taku at 6 this morning
 The H. T. S. Terrible
 made a signal to us

14th Good Luck. Passed
 an American & a French
 man-of-war going the
 same way as we are.

9th Arrived at daylight
 + anchored 13 miles
 from Taku water too
 shallow to go any
 nearer, there are 80
 man of war ships of all
 nations here & many
 as many transports.

12th Had a boat race bet-
 ween the U.S. Navy & the
 U.S. Navy crew
 won easily.

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APRIL & MAY 4th & 5th Months 1900 1900 81 Days MAY

13th Got all the gear
 up ready for landing
 but it is impossible
 again, don't know
 where we are going
 to land, want to
 go to the
 H. T. S. Bayley
 14th Still no word the
 Salamis. He leave
 ship tomorrow for
 Tsien.

16th Left Salamis at 6 am
 + passed the Taku at 7:30
 + went up the river in
 a lighter, the Taku showed
 signs of heavy bombardment

passed a few river
 gunboats & native
 villages + anchored for
 the night in the river
 we were all served sub-
 with 160 rounds of
 ammunition + told
 to sleep with one eye
 open.

16th Got under weigh
 again this morning +
 passed a lot of
 all in rivers + the
 most of them surprised
 out. We arrived in
 Tsien at 10 am about 2 pm
 the afternoon and

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MAY	5th Month 1900	1900 81 Days	MAY
	landed & marched out - to camp about 8 1/2 miles from the line, we are camped near the station	17th	vegetables from Chinese some of the places are Tarilla, pineapple, saw Island & Chinese dishes, got to hotel - we wanted & came back
	17th		9
	18th		
	18th		
	19th		
	20th		
	21st		
	22nd		
	23rd		
	24th		
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	31st		

MAY	5th Month 1900	1900 81 Days	MAY
	miles of the line we marched 10 miles to day a lot of our caps got wet but exhausted the heat is as terrible & there is heavy rain here	23rd	10
	21st		
	22nd		
	23rd		
	24th		
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	29th		
	30th		
	31st		

~~22nd~~ Belgians come off
guard & left camp without
leave & went near the
Arsenal, it is all in ruins

30th
Sold off to go into city
to patch trucks

Oct-1st
Inspection by General
Wacber & then went into
city to see a night house
with the afternoon
In guard all day & night
all hands allowed to
go bathing

11th
Held for a route march
about 6 miles. one of our
chaps & one U.S. VP. man
sentenced to go to camp with
a Chap. P.O. & sent to
to first class P.O.

16th
One of the U.S. VP. men died
in hospital & was buried
to day in "Cen. Field"

17th
All hands marched past
for inspection by
Foreign Officers & all
written letters to us. mostly
all our chaps are in city
on Police duty
wags into barracks tomorrow

11

9th
Left camp by day
& are now in city
"Godamn" in the belt it
is only for a few days
got better to day.

12th
Left barracks & are now
in officers quarters of 40 men
on march

16th
Feeling sick that getting
touch of fever

17th
Taken to hospital & being
treated for fever & Ague
of the 400.

17th
We returned from march
had our fighting tools & 1

prisoners who were
all shot

9th
Still in Hospital

16th
Discharged from Hospital
came down river in
steam tug boat & stopped
for night at Sango but
had had nearly frozen
it is terrible cold

17th
I am aboard
Hospital Ship & Officers

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JUNE 6th Month 1900 1900 30 Days JUNE

Dec. 19th
 Discharged from Hong Kong
 H.S. 9/10
 it is a month since last
 entry in book
 19th
 H.S. 9/10 day arrived
 the is one of the largest
 largest L. at the ship.
 February 21st 1900
 "left Hong Kong in S.S.
 "Changsha" & arrived in
 "Hankow" 24th left again
 at 26th for Port Kamin

Passed the Islands of
 Hainan at 5 a.m. & an
 man in the Barcelona Ho-
 Hainan 1st
 Passed the Galles Islands
 at daylight & crossed
 the line at 2-15.
 4th
 Arrived at Port Kamin
 at 6 this afternoon
 6th
 left again for Thursday
 Island at 6 o'clock this
 morning
 7th
 Arrived at Thursday
 at daylight & left again at 9

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JUNE 6th Month 1900 1900 30 Days JUNE

9th
 Passed a man in a
 going some way as we
 sailed & passed another
 later in the day home
 in with him
 12th
 Arrived at Suwayville
 & sailed & left again at 4
 for Brisbane
 14th
 Arrived at Terrolane
 at 8 & left again at
 10 for Sydney
 16th
 Arrived in 4th
 hour at 10 Saturday night
 had a very rough

passage from
 Brisbane
 12th
 4th Pent alongside wharf
 Sunday morning
 19th
 left for Hainan
 at 12-15 in the
 Hainan in the
 at 12-20 on the
 at 5-51

16 Sat
 17 Sun

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DECEMBER—12th Month—31 Days

MEMORANDA

To be carried in one box
 1. Umbrella
 2. Soap & brush
 3. Soap
 4. Soap
 5. Soap
 6. Soap
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BACK
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OCTOBER—10th Month—31 Days

NOVEMBER—11th Month—30 Days

4. Carter
 19 Copper St. Road
 4. Harding
 108 Green St
 Mr. H. Walker
 Gainsborough Cott
 Oak Bank, Wether
 Nr Southampton
 England

Mr. Co. General
 63 Queen St
 Carlisle

(b)

AUGUST—8th Month—31 Days

SEPTEMBER—9th Month—30 Days

A. W. G. Jones
53 Commonwealth Rd
W. Brunswick

H. Smith
66 Elizabeth St
W. Brunswick

E. D. Jones
119 Upper St
Richmond

A. W. G. Jones
40 Gas Arbutus St
130 Burke St

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