

Bark. Matilda Sears

Sunday July 21st Commence with variable wind since with clear weather weather ship steering S.W. Missale and latter part wind from westward ship heading to the South weather rainy

Monday July 22nd Commence with strong wind from N.W. with cloudy weather ship heading to the S.W. Missale part again from west latter part wind from South Lat 31° 18' S Long 152° 10' E

Tuesday July 23rd Commence with gale from South with squally weather ship on the western tack under storm sail Missale and latter part the same saw ashore at daylight made the land East coast of Australia Lat 31° 32' S

Wednesday July 24th Commence with strong wind from South with clear weather at 11 P.M. were this of the S.E. and at the top sails double reefed Missale and latter part wind from West saw ashore and down the fore sail to repair at meridian Jarvis Bay Lat S.W. 30 miles out

Cruising off Jarvis Bay 1872

Thursday July 25th Commence with moderate breeze from north with pleasant weather ship steering to the South saw black fish toward and got two one to the larboard and one to the starboard latter part moderate gale from west ship heading to the South anchored the fore sail and bent it laid a number of drift at meridian Jarvis Bay Lat west 10 miles out

Friday July 26th Commence with moderate gale from N.W. with hazy weather ship heading to the South latter part more moderate ship heading to the South west employed in hauling the black fish passed the ship Winchester of London

Saturday July 27th Commence with strong wind from N.W. with clear weather ship heading to the South west Missale and latter part the same at 9 A.M. were ship to the north saw one sail at meridian Tromsø Bay Lat N. S.W. 30 miles out

Sunday July 28th Commence with strong breeze from west with clear weather ship to the West heading to the north Missale and latter part wind and weather the same at 11 A.M. were ship to the southward at meridian Jarvis Bay Lat west 15 miles out