

Bark Watilda Sears Cruising

Saturday, December 12

First a light breeze with rain and fog from the S Ship on the Starboard tack. Middle part the same later part a strong Gale with rain from the NE and a heavy swell from the SW.

Sunday, December 13

Comes in with a fresh Gale from the NE Ship going on the Starboard tack heading NE. Felled the rain. Upsail pretty hard wind hauled to the E later part calm and overcast a heavy cross sea ship pounding hardly.

Lat 47-9
Lon 185-12

Monday, December 14

Thought this day light air thick fog & calm with a heavy swell.

Tuesday, December 15

Comes in with a light breeze from the SW Ship heading NE. Middle part the same at 54 PM lighted the Rock this day ends with a fresh breeze from the E ship on different tacks Cruising.

of Solander Rocks, 1879

Wednesday, December 16

Thought this day a strong Gale from the E Ship on different tacks the Rock in sight to windward.

Thursday, December 17

Thought this day a strong Gale from the E Ship under close reefs on different tacks the Rock in sight to windward.

Friday, December 18

First part a strong breeze from the E Ship on different tacks middle part the same later part a light air and fog from the S.

Saturday, December 19

A strong breeze from the S Ship on different tacks Cruising the Rock in sight.

Sunday, December 20

Comes in with a strong breeze from the SW middle part the same later part fine weather and a light breeze from the E Ship Cruising the Rock in sight.