

Bark *Nautilus* Sears Cruising of Lancel 1877

Sunday Dec 30 Comes in calm
the Boats Chasing Whales going
quick did not get fast
middle part light hazy
from the W later fair from
the SW Ship on distant track
the Rock in sight to the E

Monday Dec 31 Thought this day
a fresh breeze from the
NW Ship on the Harbor track
heading to the W the Rock
in sight to the E

Tuesday Jan 2 Fine weather
a mild moderate breeze
from the SE Ship cruising
to the W of the Rock picked
up a piece of the lost Boot

Wednesday Jan 3 Continues fine
from the SE Ship Cruising
towards the Tanserland

Thursday Jan 4 Fine weather
from the E and S Ship Cruising
Rock dist. evidently five M to
the E

Friday Jan 5 First part fine weather
from from the SE Ship Cruising
on distant track middle part
wind headed to the SW
later part fresh and overcast
the Rock dist. twenty five M East

Saturday Jan 6 First part fine weather
from the S later part a fresh breeze
and overcast later part a strong
gale Ship Cruising to the W of the
Rock. 25 M dist

Sunday Jan 7 Comes in with a heavy
gale from the SW Ship on the Harbor
track heading W took in fore top sail
rolled up Harbor and West boat
at seven AM wind headed to the W
heavy rain drove Ship heading S

Monday Jan 8 First and middle
part a strong gale from WSW
Ship lying under close reef main
top sail and the port tack
at seven AM made sail
heading S a strong gale and
a heavy sea at twelve sighted
the Rock bearing SE dist 20 M