

Thursday July 3rd 1862

Commences with a fresh breeze from the S.E. and cloudy steering by the wind to the Eastward with all sail set middle part wind baffling heading on different tacks latter part fresh breeze from the S.E. and cloudy steering by the wind to the S.W.

Lat by Obs 23. 17 Long by Chro 176. 30

Friday July 4th 1862

Commences with strong breeze from the S.E. and good weather steering by the wind to the S.W. at 3 P.M. saw Pilestart Island 30 miles dist at 6 P.M. wind from the S. steering by the wind to the westward middle part wind light and baffling latter part light airs from the West steering by the wind to the S.

Lat by Obs 22. 35 Long by Chro 176. 59

Saturday July 5th 1862

Comes with light breeze from the S.W. and fine weather steering S. with all sail set at 4 P.M. wind from the S. middle part the same latter part strong wind from E to S.E. and squally with rain

Lat by Obs 20. 17

Sunday July 6th 1862

Comes with fresh breeze from the E. and rainy steering by the wind to the Eastward middle and latter part wind baffling from E to S. with light squalls of rain steering S.W. at 7 A.M. a man died by the name of Wm. Drow he had been sick 2 weeks with the Dysentery

Lat by Obs 19. 02 Long by Chro 176. 22 W

Monday July 7th 1862

Comes with light air and baffling steering S.W. at 4 P.M. buried Wm. Drow at dark Calm middle part baffling wind and squally wind from W. to S. latter part fresh breeze from the S.E. first part saw and loosed for Black Fish got none

Lat by Obs 17. 54 Long by Chro 176. 31

Tuesday July 8th 1862

Commences with a fresh breeze from the S.E. and fine weather steering S.W. with all sail set middle and latter part strong breeze and cloudy steering S.W. with all sail set

Lat by Obs 15. 12 Long by Chro 177. 31

Wednesday July 9th 1862

Comes with strong wind from the S.E. and cloudy steering S.W. at 2 P.M. Steered S.W. at 3 saw Home Island 30 miles distant Steered in for the land at 6 double reefed the Top Sails at 7 halled on the W. to the S.E. wind from the E. land S.W. by W. 10 miles middle part strong wind and squally ship on different tacks latter part strong wind from the S.E. at daylight steered in for the land at 9 halled aback on the S. side of the Island canoes came off it being so rugged concluded not to land at meridian steered S.W.

Lat by Obs 14. 20 Long by Chro 178. 20

Thursday July 10th 1862

Commences with strong wind from the S.E. steering S.W. with main Top Gallant sail set at dark the land S.W. 30 miles distant steered S.W. middle part strong breeze latter part light wind and baffling with rain at 6 A.M. saw bearing S.W. by S. 30 miles distant

Lat by Obs 13. 00

Friday July 11th 1862

Comes with light baffling winds and rainy steering S.W. at dark took in sail and halled on the wind to the S.W. wind from the S.W. a number of the Pigeon Island in sight middle and latter part light baffling airs with calms and some rain working to the W. the land in sight from S.E. to S.W. Lat by Obs 15. 46 Long by Chro 179. 26 E

Saturday July 12th 1862

Comes with Calms the land 20 miles distant middle and latter part light breeze and fine weather middle part wind from the E. latter part from the S.E. middle part steering S. latter part S.W. a number of Islands in sight

Lat by Obs 16. 45 Long by Chro 179. 45 E