Wednesday 28 of December

At 6 o clock Kept away N. till 8 o clock then handed our foresail & Set a Ballene mainsail the mainstaysail Being very much torn in a Sudden flaw of Wind unbent it and Carried it below to mend Wind S & and blew hard with very bad Sea at 8 o clock at night the Wind haul at SW Set the foresail and Reff fortopsail Run N & W

Thursday 29 Fresh wind at WBS Run N Blew Carried fortopsail till 8 o clock Carried foresail till 11 o clock then handed down & Set Balene mainsail and Split it to soon as it was set hold down & Lay under Bare poles all day Wind Blew very fresh all day with a Lary Sea Samuel Atkins

Fryday 30 At 11 o clock Bent the main Staysail unbent the fore Staysail & mended it bent it again & Set the foresail Lay under foresail and main & fore staysail till 12 o clock at night then maick Sail Set a Reef main sail the wind Lund hove out the Reef and Set fore topsail Run N & BN Wind NW BN

Saterday 31 Wind NW and Good Weather Run N & N E had soundings Last night 2 o clock 90 fathoms water at 10 o clock 1 mirn Sent down fore top gatand yard See plenty of fowl Latt 40 - 40 at night had 20 fathoms water

Sunday 1 day of January 1775

First part of the day had Snow Wind S & E Run E Latter part of the Day Wind S & E Run W & N W Prety Good Wether But very Cold had Soundings 35 fathoms fine Black & White Sand & Ketcht a Sea pigeon

Monday 2 Fine Wether the Wind WSW Run N W at 8 o clock 1 mirn Spoke With a Schoon from Salem bound to Sanflige Left the Land Last thursday Night he Said we was in 67 : 40 West Longitude he Said we was on the Westen Edge of St Georges bank At 4 o clock Left Georges Latt 40 : 50 Run N W all Night Somthing Rugge

Tuesday 3 In the morning Small Wind At WBN unbent fore topsail & mended it and Mended the Riggen at 10 o clock the Wind N Run W BS Latt 41 : 30 at 6 o clok See the High Land of Chatham Baring WSW

Wednesday 4 in Sight of the Land Wind Variable at 12 o clock Wind SW Beet through Butlershole and Com into Cha and Ankered under Hardings Nack 22 Days from Estotia to Cape Cod