glimpses were caught of the Cloudy Islands through the mist, and the waves could be seen breaking violently against Bligh's Cap to the height of at least 100 feet.

On the 7th January, at 3.30 A.M., with Bligh's Cap S.W. ½ S., about 12 miles, sail was made, and a course shaped for Christmas Harbour. At 6 A.M., when Bligh's Cap bore N. 72° W., the mainland of Kerguelen Island was seen to the southward; at 8 A.M. sails were furled, and the ship steamed for Christmas Harbour, anchoring there at 8.45 A.M.

