

Journal of Bark Richmond from  
Tachalin Sea towards Praviene  
C. A. Swift Master 1849

Monday July 9<sup>th</sup>  
At 10 AM passed through the Paramusue  
Passage in a thick fog at 12 meridian  
passed the ship 10 miles out side of the Islands  
the wind strong from the West steering East

Tuesday July 10<sup>th</sup>  
Came with a strong breeze from the West with  
fog at 3 PM the fog light up saw the Islands  
at 20 miles at 4 PM middle & lashed part wind  
light from West with a clear at 11 AM the  
wind veered to East with fog steering by S.E.  
no obs Lat by Act 249. Lon Lang by Act 156. 30

Wednesday July 11<sup>th</sup>  
Came with a fresh breeze from E. N. E. of foggy  
steering by S.E. under all sail middle part  
myster the same lashed part a fresh gale  
from E. N. E. attended with rain the ship  
under main spruce & fore topmast stay sail  
no obs Lat by Act 250. 15 Lon by Act 156. 10

Thursday July 12<sup>th</sup>  
Came with a fresh gale from E. N. E. with  
rain the ship under all sail main top  
sail & labouring very hard at 6 PM more  
moderate made same sail middle part  
at 8 PM took a light breeze from the S. E.  
steering East attended with a heavy swell & fog  
no obs Lat by Act 250. 8 Lon by Act 157. 10

Friday July 13<sup>th</sup>  
Came with moderate breeze from the S. E.  
by foggy steering East under all sail middle &  
lashed part a strong breeze from West & heavy  
steering East under all sail Lat by Act 251. 15  
Lon by Act 157. 25