islands, penguins were to be seen in every direction. The birds were, Diomedea exulans, D. fuliginosa, D. culminata, a Prion, Daption capensis, Ossifraga gigantea, and an Oceanitis. A Skua also was seen, though the land was eight miles distant. A squall in the morning brought a slight fall of snow. The water assumed a peculiar dark colour, probably from its shallowness. Bligh's Cap is a small outlying rocky island to the north of Kerguelen's Land.

January 7th.—After lying off for the night we reached

Christmas Harbour and anchored at 8.30 P.M.

For a list of Plants collected in the Crozet group by the U.S. Transit of Venus Expedition, see J. H. Kidder, M.D., "Bull. U.S. Nat. Mus.," No. 3, II., p. 31.