

in Case they fail'd that Way ; when they had got to ten Miles Distance from the West Point of *Pistol-Bay*, W. N. W. which Variation allowed is West by South from it, they came to an Island which was low and Sandy, with some Grass upon it, and four Miles farther West, to another Island small and rocky, but found no Harbour, which they were directed to look for; nor did they mention any other Land, or Ice, to obstruct their going farther, tho' they pretended they were kept in *Whale-Cove* by the Ice.

Scrogs endeavouring to make this Bay upon his Return from *Whale-bone Point* in 1722, after stopping at *Marble Island*, had Soundings from fifty to seventy Fathoms, in $62^{\circ} 31' N.$ Lat. and $2^{\circ} 35' East$ Long. from *Churchil*, and then saw a Cape he call'd *Cape Fair-way*, four Leagues North West of him. It was thro' this Bay or Inlet, that *Vaughan* and *Barlow* expected to find the Passage in the *Albany* in 1720, when they oblig'd the Company, tho' very unwillingly, to allow them to attempt it, but as one, or both their Ships were lost, or surpriz'd by the *Indians* hereabouts, either in going out, or upon their Return, in wintering ; for no Person on Board having ever since been heard of, it can't be known whether one, or both, were lost, or whether before or after making any Discovery ; but *Scrogs* having seen some broken Masts, and floating Rigging hereabouts in 1722, when he was sent to know what was become of them ; and after his Return from the *Welcome* to *Marble-Island*, having seen there several Yards split into Tent-Poles, and Tents covered with Sails,