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side 200 yards, while eastward and northward from it are the following isolated rocks:—

Leo rock, with 6 feet water on it, lies N. by E. ½ E. nearly a quarter of a mile from the north gravelly point of Middle Grant island. To pass northward of this rock keep the north-west point of West Grant island in sight northward of Anchor island W. by S. ½ S.; there is a depth of 7 fathoms between Leo rock and Middle Grant island.

A rock with 11 feet on it lies E. by S. 4 S. 300 yards from the same extremity of Middle Grant island.

Two rocks with 10 feet and 5 feet over them lie S.E. $\frac{3}{4}$ E. two-thirds and one-third of mile respectively from the same point of Middle Grant island.

Fishery island of East Grant shut in with the point east of Ivor rocks N.E. leads south-east of both these patches.

West Grant island.—This island is beset by shoal water and very much indented, the shallow bay on the south side of it (containing the remains of a small fishing establishment) almost dividing it.

Bird island 12 feet high, and in two parts, is situated 600 yards northward of the main island, and helps to shelter the anchorage hereafter mentioned. With the exception of a spur making out 50 yards from its eastern extremity both it and the little dry rock north of it are steep-to.

Anchor island 6 feet high lies on the north side of the main island and rather nearer to it than Bird island, from which it is separated by a passage 270 yards broad with a depth on it of 5 fathoms. Anchor island is joined to the north-west point of the main island by a chain of shallow sunken rocks, affording no passage for anything but boats. A narrow gravel spit extends 100 yards from its southern extreme towards the main island.

A rock with 13 feet water on it lies in a line joining the eastern part West Grant to Middle Grant, and is rather nearer the former. A shallow flat makes out a quarter of a mile in a south-easterly direction from the same extremity of the West Grant island.

A reef with 5 feet water over it lies a quarter of a mile off the old fishing cove on the south side of the island and almost joining the shore.

Horne rock awash and generally breaking is situated one-third of a mile south-westward of the western end of West Grant island. Shoal water runs from the rock half way to the west extremity of West Grant island leaving a passage 150 yards wide through which 4 fathoms may be carried in an emergency.

Rocks with less than 6 feet water on them extend 350 yards northward from the western extremity of West Grant island and serve to break