

194 Remarks to Board Bark Sarah Shea
Thursday

1st part a gale from S.W. & squally
2 P.M. kept off to the E. & ran under
a double reefed M. & fore topsails & fore
till night then furled the fore sail &
came to the anchor
At 5 A.M. kept off E. with wind
as above, 600 strokes

Lat. 47° 43'

Friday This last day of the old year is ushered
in with us (sea time) with a gale from
S.W. & squally - steering E. under a fore
& double reefed topsails. At 5 P.M. rose a
ship to the E. S. E. & steamed for her -
Mr. & latter part moderate gale
At 9 A.M. spoke bark Favorite of
Maine Haven 3 M.

Saturday January 1st 1839.

All of this day fresh winds from N.W.
& rough under short sail - saw nothing
for strokes.

Lat. 48° 18'

Sunday All of this day strong winds from N.W.
& rough. Steering to the E. & days being bright
for strokes.

Lat. 47° 55'

Monday All of this day fresh winds from N.W.
& some fog 5 P.M. spoke ship Lucas of
N.S. nothing - steamed to the E. & ran
at night.
for strokes.

No obs.

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Monday All of this day fresh winds from N.W. some
fog. Lucas in sight - part of the time going
E. & part of the time by the wind to the N.
300 strokes.

Lat. 47° 08'

Monday This morn'g look! all so dismal and ddy,
I wish it had life, then I saw it shined die;
I would pierce it with a steel, and I would toss it
As a fisherman tosses a newly-caught trout."

Tuesday Commenced in with overcast foggy
day 5th kind of weather with a fresh breeze
from N.W. - steering by the wind to the
N. & under double reefed topsails & the
fore sail. Mr. & latter part moderate
with wind N.W. & ends with pleasant
w. all sail out - saw two sails.
600 strokes.

Lat. 45° 30'

Wednesday First part pleasant - spoke & arrived
at 1 P.M. with bark Rose B. of Edgar town
5 M. & saw Mr. & Henry nothing.
Mr. & latter part moderate wind from
E. & a steady rain storm. Spoke bark
Favorite nothing.
for strokes.

No obs.