

Bark Mary & Susan. toward Cape Horn.

Remarks Tuesday Dec 4th 1877.
Begin with fresh breezes from W N W.
Heading by to the S W. Barometer 29.4/10
Middle part strong winds. at 2 P M wind hauled
to S W double reefed. Latter part wind S W. at
7 Barometer 29.3/10 at noon 29.4/10. S

Lat 52-32 Long 62-21

Remarks Wednesday Dec 5th
Begin with fresh breezes from S W. heading
S E. under whole top sails. at 3 P M we were
Ship to the W N W. began to moderate. at 7 near
calm. Barometer 29.5/10 Latter part light breezes
from N W. Course S W. saw Porpoises

Lat 50-06 Long 63-59

Remarks Thursday Dec 6th
Begin with light breezes from the N W. Course
S. Caught the first porpoise. Took in the
Baw Boat. Barometer 29.4/10
Latter part fresh breezes from S W by W. heat
S by E. Barometer 29.3/10. Lat 51-27 Long 64-27

Remarks Friday Dec 7th
Begin with fresh breezes from S W. heading
by to the S E. at 7 P M the wind began
to haul to the South more. with squalls.
Barometer 29.3/10 at 9 1/2 P M wind S. double
reefed the top sail. and wore ship to the W S W.
at 4 A M wore to the S. at 5 1/2 wore back to the
westward. at 6 began to blow on. Took in main
sail, jib & spanker. at 7 1/2 close reefed and furled
the fore sail. at 9 took in fore top sail and
have top under close reefed main top sail and
stay sails. Blowing a gale from the S W. and
a bad sea. Saw a sail heading to the South.
Barometer 29.2/10. Lat 52-07 Long 64-58.

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Remarks Saturday Dec 8th 1877
Begin with a gale from the S W. with heavy
raife squalls. and a very bad sea. The bark has
shipped more water than any time before the voyage.
Barometer 29.25/100 Middle part moderated a little
set the fore top sail close reefed. at 7 1/2 A M wore ship to the
S E. Latter part wind increasing again. at 10 look in the
fore top sail. at noon a strong gale. Barometer 29.2/100
Lat 51-42 Long 65-02

Remarks Sunday Dec 9th
Begin with a heavy gale from S by W. and a
very heavy and bad sea. Bark have too head to
S E under close reefed main top sail and stay sails
Barometer 29.3/10. rizen very little. Middle part a little
more moderate. at 8 1/2 P M wore ship to the W S W. after 3 A M
made same sail. Latter part strong winds from S W by W. at
8 A M wore ship to the S E. set single reefed top sails
jib & spanker courses. a heavy head sea. saw a sail
going as we are. Barometer at noon 29.5/100. beginning
to fall again. Lat 51-43 Long 65-11

Remarks Monday Dec 10th.
Begin with fresh breezes ad flaws. heading S by E
wind S by W. a heavy head sea. Bark under
single reefed top sails and courses. Barometer
29.45/100 and slowly falling. at 3 1/2 P M set the
main top gallant sail over a reefed top sail. At
7 P M the canvas a little more to the west. Since
I took a heavy bank in the S. with the prospect of
another southerly gale. Barometer at 7 P M 29.3/100
a sail in sight heading as we are. I wish
I was at home to night. Middle part fresh breezes
from W N W. Course S by E 1/2 E. at 4 1/2 began to die away
at 7 very light at 8 began to haul to the N. went round to
N E by E. we got well to the westward hoping to go through
the Straits de Maire but the wind coming to the Eastward
did not dare to. there is another sail in the same
fix. Barometer very low. 28.7/100 so we hauled
up to the E S E. with gradually hauling to the E.
Land in sight Dist 45 miles Lat 53-48 Long 65-02