

Bark Mary & Susan. off Cape Horn.

Remarks Sunday Dec 16th 1877

Begins with light breezes from S. E. and rain squalls. Course S. W. S. at 4 P. M. the wind suddenly died away, and came from the S. E. in a squall, and then died away to a calm. at 7 P. M. a light air from S. W. The Diego in sight from the decks. Dist 25 miles. bearing by Compass S. W. by W. 1/2 W. The bark Shakespeare in company 2 miles dist. Barometer 29.750 Cape Horn in sight. Middle part light and baffling. at 8 A. M. Diego bearing S. W. by Compass Dist 12 miles. at 9 A. M. bearing S. E. Dist 5 miles. at noon bearing N. E. by N. Dist 8 miles. with fine breezes from East. Course after passing the Diego S. W. Saw two sails going E. and two going West. weather pleasant and warm. we are most begone measure, and I feel very thankful for it. Barometer 29.750 at noon Lat 36=30 Long 69=30

Remarks Monday Dec 17th

Begins with pleasant breezes from E. N. E. and fine weather. at 2 P. M. a bank of clouds began rise from the N. W. the wind shifted to the N. E. and began to rain. at 7 P. M. rained the same and raining. two sails in company. one the Shakespeare. Saw three going the other way. Barometer 29.750 Middle part stragg winds from N. E. and rainy. at 4 A. M. wind hauled to the N. Latter part baffling winds from N. N. W. to N. E. with drizzling squalls. One sail in sight. we have lost the Shakespeare. gone out of sight ahead. the most of the day all sail set. Barometer 29.750. weather thick. Course to S. W.

Lat 57=05 Long 73=25

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Remarks Tuesday Dec 18th 1877.

Begins with light and baffling winds from N. by N. E. with drizzling rain squalls. Course West. One sail in company. Barometer 29.750. Middle part calm and rainy. at 5 A. M. took a breeze from the S. W. heading by to the N. W. at 10 P. M. wind hauled to the West. lashed to the S. S. W. wind still hauling to the N. at noon wind N. W. by N. Saw two sails. Barometer 29.750. Lat 56=52 Long 74=29

Remarks Wednesday Dec 19th.

Begins with with baffling winds from N. by W. to W. S. W. and squally. Squalls all came from the S. W. heading the vessel off. at 9 P. M. wind W. S. W. lashed to the N. W. Saw three sails bound E. two bound W. Barometer 29.750 Middle part wind W. to heading N. W. at 5 A. M. wind hauled to the W. N. W. lashed to the S. W. Latter part rainy and baffling from N. by E. to W. two sails in sight. The Shakespeare one of them. Barometer 29.750 No Obs.

Remarks Thursday Dec 20th.

Begins with moderate breezes from N. N. W. and rainy. heading by to the Westward. at 3 P. M. wind hauled to the W. S. W. lashed to the N. W. three sails in sight. at 7 P. M. the same clear weather. Barometer 29.750. slowly rising. Middle part wind W. S. W. Latter part calm. The Shakespeare in sight. And the Matilda Star has appeared to us again. Barometer 29.750

Lat 55=58 Long 75=38

Remarks Friday Dec 21st

Begins with a calm. at 5 P. M. took a light air from the East. Course W. N. W. The Matilda and Shakespeare in company. Barometer 29.750. Very pleasant. Latter part moderate breezes from E. S. E. four sails in sight. weather fine. Barometer 29.750 and slowly rising. Lat 55=20 Long 76=43