

Journal of Bark Mary & Susan 1848
Wednesday January 23rd

This day begins with pleasant breeze from S steering W at sun down took in sails hove her to on the port tack. Strong breeze continued middle part the same at day light and latter part strong wind from S steering W & watch employed in the ships duty. Lat 37:59 S Lon 74:40 W

Thursday 24th
This day begins with strong winds from S steering W & watch employed in the ships duty at sun down took in sails hove her to on the port tack middle part strong gale from S & the Bark on the port tack at day light and latter part the same Lat 37:10 S Lon 74:50 W

Friday 25th
This day begins with strong gale from S & on the port tack at sun down the same continued middle and latter part strong from S & continued Bark on the port tack Lat 37:10 S Lon 76:01 W

Saturday 26th
This day begins with strong gale from S & on the port tack at sun down were ship on the starboard tack middle and latter part strong gale from S & continued Lat 36:52 S Lon 76:03 W

Sunday 27th
This day begins with strong gale from S & on the starboard tack at sun down strong gale continued middle part moderated at day light and latter part strong breeze from S and hazy weather Bark on the starboard tack Lat 36:50 S Lon 75:12 W

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Monday February 25th
This day begins with pleasant breeze from S the Bark on the starboard tack at two P.M. spack Bark N.W. at sun down took in sail on the starboard tack middle part strong wind on the port tack at day light and latter part the same one sail in sight Lat 37:04 S Lon 76:20 W

Tuesday 26th
This day begins with strong winds from S & the Bark on the port tack at two P.M. were ship on the starboard tack at sun down strong gale from S & on the starboard tack one sail in sight middle part the same at day light and latter part strong gale from S & on the port tack Lat 37:07 S Lon 76:20 W

Wednesday 27th
This day begins with strong gale from S & the Bark on the port tack at sun down the same continued middle part more moderate at day light and latter part strong breeze from S & five sails in sight Lat 37:00 S Lon 77:04 W

Thursday 28th
This day begins with strong winds from S & on the starboard tack five sails at sun down moderate winds took in sails the Bark on the starboard tack middle part fine weather at day light and latter part two sails in sight pleasant breeze from S & on the starboard tack watch employed in the ships duty Lat 36:53 S Lon 76:05 W