

New York Harbor June 3rd
Sch. Chas. C. Hansen, Capt. Peter Smith
sailed from Pier 13 East River for
Mindanao N. I. at about 7 o'clock June 3rd
After towing to Jersey Flats we let go
Anchor and lay until about 6 o'clock
when we again got under way and
beat down towards Sandy Hook
the wind growing light after about
an hour, we came to anchor Staten
Island and there lay all night.

Off Staten Island June 4th
Went on deck this morning and found
it thick fog and a stark calm after
getting our hot coffee, shifted our
humbly from the waist to the quarter deck
the vessel being by the head. Got under
way and ran as far as Quantuck
Island then let go anchor and lay
all night weather still foggy & some
light.

At Sea. June 5th 1869
Got under way this morning at about
6 1/2 o'clock and beat out by Sandy Hook
Wind continuing to blow up - at 10 o'clock
we are going along freely steering about
E. S. E. Just before 12 m. the Capt.
called to us that if we wished to speak
the Bark Burnside there would soon be
Chance - went on deck and sure enough
there was the Burnside in our weather Bow
and not more than 1/4 of a mile off - The
Capt & mate were aft by the wheel House and
the second mate on the deck we waivered to
them and they answered we gave some
time constantly nearing them, when we
went about they crossed our Stern in
easy passing distance. We wished each other
Bark Voyage and so we departed to melt
When we came up from dinner the

was still down standing E. S. E. We stood
on the inside tack heading S. W. till 5 P. M.
when we went about and stood off when we
tacked Long Branch N. I. was close aboard
Soon after we had quite a little squall from
N. W. took in everything but the foremast and
let her pull - After the squall we had a fair
wind for the rest of the day night, our course
being S. by E. -

Sunday June 6th Two sails
in sight - weather fine wind fair course
S. S. E. going along freely - so continued through
the 24 hours.

Monday June 7th Wind
Fair - Course S. S. E. - weather fine - During
the day saw & passed several sails
all as we believe were in the Gulf Stream
hope to be through soon - nothing new
or notable happened this 24 hours.

Tuesday June 8th
Commenced with fine strong breezes -
from N. E. course S. S. E. Weather very
warm in Sun - During the night
passed several vessels one a ship
close aboard - have seen several this
morning and run them out of sight
at (11 o'clock am.) this time there are
two in sight -