

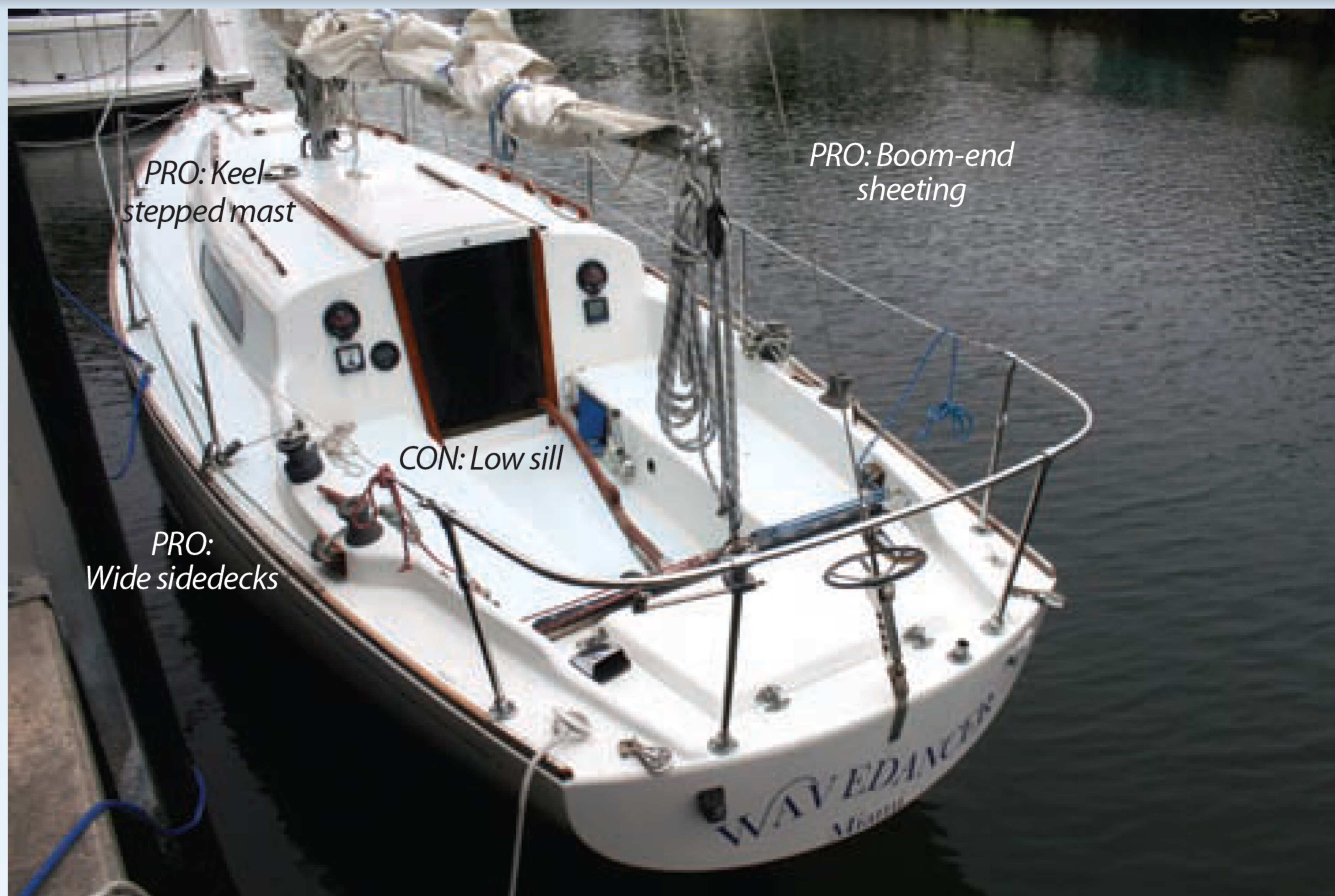
## CRITIC'S CORNER MORGAN 30

### PROS

- Wide sidedecks allow easy passage fore and aft.
- Clear view from the helm.
- End-boom mainsheet keeps load where it belongs.
- Keel-stepped mast reinforces rig.
- Double lifelines (optional) add security.

### CONS

- Low sill exposes companionway to downflooding.
- Big masthead genoa not well-suited for quick tacks.
- Roller-furling boom more trouble than it is worth.
- Molded foredeck hatch not as water-tight as a gasketed aluminum-frame, acrylic or Lexan hatch.



*Most of the shortcomings of the Morgan 30 are typical of boats of its era and can be remedied by retrofitting with new hardware and some modifications. .*

