

Brig Kate Cory Cruising

Remarks on board Monday August the 12th 1861

Commenced with pleasant weather exhibiting a heavy swell coming out from which P.M. got a heavy rain and water and steamed east south east at noon and at 12 o'clock P.M. took in the foretopmast and hauled to the wind to the southward at daylight set the fore sail and foretopmast and set off east south east latter part thick and foggy weather. By ends latitude 37° 45' N Longitude 33° 20' W

Remarks on board Tuesday August the 13th 1861

Commenced with strong breezes from west south west and thick and foggy weather the water embled in ordinary white sails at sundown took in the foretopmast and hauled to the wind heading south by east had strong breezes threw the night and thick and foggy weather latter part strong breezes heading to the southward. By ends latitude 37° 04' N Longitude 31° 04' W

Remarks on board Wednesday August the 14th 1861

Commenced with strong breezes from the northward and thick and foggy weather nothing going on with the weather at noon P.M. the Schooner *Boon* being spoke as had seen nothing she was steaming east south east for the two thirty sails saw a Barge sailing to the eastward at sundown saw Blackfish had it more moderate

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At nine o'clock P.M. the wind shifted round to the northward and did to sail. Being the weather threw the night at daylight set the foretopmast got ready and commenced making out for sails and provisions sent a new foretopmast latter part light breezes were ship to the eastward. By ends latitude 37° 20' N Longitude 29° 20' W

Remarks on board Thursday August the 15th 1861

Commenced with light breezes from west and fair weather at two o'clock P.M. got three fishing out and stood off sent a new mainstaymast saw two sails at sundown took in sail heading south east by south at twelve o'clock P.M. were ship to the northward at daylight main sail and backed ship to the southward saw a Whaler to the northward of us sent the foretopmast staymast and repaired it latter part fresh breezes took ship to the northward. By ends latitude 36° 40' N Longitude 27° 20' W

Remarks on board Friday August the 16th 1861

Commenced with fresh breezes from the eastward and fair weather sent the topmast staymast at five o'clock P.M. leave for Blackfish but could not get past became we heard again at sundown took in sail heading north east had light breezes threw the night at daylight set all sail and have east north east latter part fine breezes and saw a Sloop. By ends latitude 36° 54' N Longitude 25° 54' W