

1878 Remarks On board Bark Matilda Sears

Thursday Mar 14th Lat 37.14 South
Lon 75.34 West
Commenced with light winds from N.W.
Heaving to N.W. with all sail set and
Gard's foremast sail at anchor yanking.
With the Captain & Mary & Susan midday heaving
S.S. East latter fresh breeze from S.W. & S.
More ship at E heading N.W. & have got our
Cooker employed in repairing Coaks.

Friday Mar 15th No Observations
Commenced with moderate winds from N.W.
Heaving to N.W. with all sail set and
Sail at anchor & foremast sail heaving S.
N.W. & sail on middle heading S.W. & latter
fresh breeze from N.W. steering S.E. & N.W.
Then heaved to the wind heading S.W. & N.W.
Sail in sight.

Saturday Mar 16th Lat 37.20 South Lon 75.15 West
Commenced with fresh breeze from N.W. to S.W.
Heaving from S.W. to S.E. & S.W. & S.E. & S.W.
Sail at anchor & sail on middle heading
S.W. & latter strong breeze from N.W. & S.W.
More ship at E heading N.W. took in fore
sail & close reefed fore topsail 2 sail on.

Sunday Mar 17th Lat 37.10 South Lon 75.21 West
Commenced with strong winds from N.W. to S.W.
To S.W. & N.W. heading from N.W. to N.W. & N.W.
Ship at sundown heading S.E. & two sail
in sight. middle heading S.W. & latter moderate
winds from S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W.
With all sail set & sail & S.W. & S.W. & S.W.

1878 Cruising Off Chilli

Monday Mar 18th Lat 37.18 South
Lon 74.55 West
Commenced with fresh breeze from S.W. & S.
Heaving S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W.
John & Mary & Susan sail in sight middle heading
S.W. & latter strong breeze from S.W. & S.W.
Ship at seven heading S.W. under double
Rigged Topsail & foremast & 4 sail on.

Tuesday Mar 19th Lat 37.19 South
Lon 75.26 West
Commenced with strong breeze from S.W. & S.
Sail heading S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W.
Took in the foremast heading East 4 sail on
middle heading East latter fresh breeze from
S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W.
At 12 heading East & sail on B.W. & S.W. & S.W.

Wednesday Mar 20th Lat 37.16 South
Lon 75.26 West
Commenced with moderate wind from S.W. & S.
Sail heading East with all sail set & S.W. & S.W.
With the Mary & Susan & other sail in sight
middle heading & heaved to N.W. heading S.W. & S.W.
N.W. & latter fresh breeze from N.W. heading
N.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W.

Thursday Mar 21th No Observations
Commenced with strong
Winds with rain from N.W. to S.W. & S.W.
Heaving from N.W. & N.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W.
Topsails & staysails & one sail on middle
Heaving foremast latter fresh breeze from N.W. & S.W.
N.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W. & S.W.
Sack heading North & sail in sight.