

1878 Remarks on board Bark Matilda Seas

Thursday July 18th Lat 32° 46' S Lon 84° 44' W
Commenced with strong winds from W. N. W.
Wind died heavy rain from S. W. heading
S. W. at sundown took in the foresail and
anything seen middle and aft at 12 heading
from S. W. water strong breeze from W. N. W.
heading north and nothing seen

Friday July 19th Lat 32° 18' S Lon 84° 06' W
First part strong breeze from W. N. W. and
heading north shortened sail & were out at
sundown heading S. W. middle forenoon
from S. W. then S. E. and latter part breeze
from S. W. steering E. S. E. and broke out for
water & bread and freshacks

Saturday July 20th Lat 32° 30' S Lon 84° 34' W
Commenced with light breeze from E. W. and
steering E. S. E. at sundown shifted to
the ground heading S. E. and shortened
sail only set up eight middle heading
S. W. latter fresh breeze from W. N. W. heading
S. W. joined with the Bk. hantles saw freshacks

Sunday July 21st Lat 32° 55' S Lon 84° 55' W
Commenced with strong breeze from W. N. W. and
heading S. W. at sundown shortened sail
& were ship heading W. N. W. joining with the
hantles middle heading north latter strong
breeze from W. N. W. heading north were ship
at 12 the hantles in sight

Monday July 22nd Lat 32° 42' S Lon 84° 31' W
First part strong breeze from W. N. W. and
to W. N. W. were ship heading N. W. the hantles
in sight middle heading from W. N. W. latter
fresh breeze from W. N. W. steering S. by head the
hantles in sight

Cruising Off was a fur

Tuesday July 23rd Lat 32° 43' S Lon 83° 57' W

Commenced with strong breeze from W. N. W.
S. W. heading from S. W. at sundown shortened
sail at sundown the hantles in sight
latter heading south latter breeze from S. W. fresh gale
from S. W. were ship at 12 heading W. N. W. fresh the
fore topsail & close up the masts and anything seen

Wednesday July 24th Lat 33° 01' S Lon 83° 45' W
First part blowing & moderate gale from S. W. and
heading W. N. W. at night moderate calm and any
thing seen middle heading W. N. W. latter light winds
from S. W. steering E. S. E. and sail set

Thursday July 25th Lat 33° 13' S Lon 83° 15' W
Commenced with light winds from S. W. and
steering E. S. E. at sundown shortened sail at
sundown one sail in sight middle heading S. W. and
latter fresh breeze from W. N. W. steering E. S. E. and
all sail set the hantles in sight

Friday July 26th Lat 32° 43' S Lon 83° 45' W
Commenced with fresh breeze from W. N. W. and
steering E. S. E. at sundown shortened sail & shifted to
sail at sundown joining with the hantles middle
heading south latter light breeze from W. N. W. steering
E. S. E. and saw freshacks the hantles in sight

Saturday July 27th Lat 33° 20' S Lon 82° 38' W
Commenced with light wind from the S. W. and
steering S. W. at sundown shortened sail & shifted to
the wind heading S. W. the hantles in sight
middle heading S. W. latter light breeze from
W. N. W. with light rain squalls steering E. S. E.
The hantles in sight steering the sail