

1879 Remarks On board Bark Matilda (over)

Wednesday May 7<sup>th</sup> Lat 26° 35' S Lon 79° 35' W  
First part light breeze from S East steering  
by the compass with all sail set and nothing seen  
in sight the Island of St. Andrew bearing  
by the middle steering by the compass latter  
light breeze from S East steering by the compass  
employed in ship duty and nothing seen

Thursday May 8<sup>th</sup> Lat 25° 39' S Lon 79° 31' W  
First part light breeze from S East to S  
with rain squalls steering by the compass  
and nothing seen middle part hauled to  
by the compass steering by the compass latter  
light breeze from S East with all sail  
employed in ship duty and nothing seen

Friday May 9<sup>th</sup> Lat 24° 39' S Lon 79° 31' W  
First part light breeze from S East steering  
by the compass with all sail set and nothing  
seen middle part steering by the compass latter  
light breeze from S East steering by the compass  
employed in ship duty and nothing seen

Saturday May 10<sup>th</sup> Lat 23° 30' S Lon 78° 34' W  
First part light breeze from S East steering  
by the compass with all sail set and nothing  
seen middle part steering by the compass latter  
light breeze from S East steering by the compass  
employed in ship duty and nothing seen

Sunday May 11<sup>th</sup> Lat 22° 30' S Lon 77° 34' W  
First part light breeze from S East steering  
by the compass with all sail set and nothing  
seen middle part steering by the compass latter  
light breeze from S East steering by the compass  
employed in ship duty and nothing seen

Bound to the Off Shore Ground

Monday May 12<sup>th</sup> Lat 21° 59' S Lon 77° 30' W  
First part light breeze from S East steering  
by the compass with all sail set and nothing  
seen middle part steering by the compass latter  
light breeze from S East steering by the compass  
employed in ship duty and nothing seen

Tuesday May 13<sup>th</sup> Lat 20° 17' S Lon 77° 11' W  
First part moderate trades from S East steering  
by the compass employed in painting the S Board  
middle part nothing seen middle part steering  
by the compass latter light breeze from S East  
steering by the compass got out another and nothing seen

Wednesday May 14<sup>th</sup> Lat 18° 13' S Lon 76° 46' W  
First part strong trades from S East steering  
by the compass employed in painting the S Board  
middle part nothing seen middle part steering  
by the compass latter light breeze from S East  
steering by the compass employed in painting the S Board  
middle part nothing seen

Thursday May 15<sup>th</sup> Lat 16° 20' S Lon 76° 00' W  
First part light trades from S East steering  
by the compass employed in painting the S Board  
middle part nothing seen middle part steering  
by the compass latter light breeze from S East  
steering by the compass employed in painting the S Board  
middle part nothing seen

Friday May 16<sup>th</sup> Lat 15° 10' S Lon 75° 50' W  
First part light trades from S East steering  
by the compass employed in setting the main  
stays to the main and main back stays middle  
part steering by the compass latter steering by the compass  
employed in ship duty and nothing seen

Saturday May 17<sup>th</sup> Lat 14° 15' S Lon 75° 43' W  
First part light trades from S East steering  
by the compass employed in setting the foremast  
rigging middle part steering by the compass  
latter steering by the compass employed in ship duty  
and nothing seen