



Commissioner John Lee Williams' October 27 Journal Entry

October 27th.—Agreeable to our determination of last evening, we set forward about 2 o'clock this day, the doctor having hired Ellis for a guide, while Dr. Foster and a black servant of Dr. Simmons had started to Fort St. Marks for provisions. We proceeded about six miles from the Ocholockney this evening and encamped near a marshy pond where we spent the night. During our ride this evening the grass meadows have been frequent and extensive, affording a fine range for stock. The pines also are frequently interspersed with oak and dogwoods on a gray soil, which I think would produce good rice and cotton.



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