

1853 Bark Active Thos Morrison Master

Sunday Dec 4th

A light breeze from ~~W~~ and fine weather steered N N W and calm
Lat 6.35 S 123.13 East

Monday Dec 5th

Light air and fine weather throughout S P saw the small Island of Tegadlis bearing S W Bouton in sight to the North and West 5.54 S.

Tuesday Dec 6th

Light air and fine weather steered N S P the Loken Bepes in sight saw a sail
Lat 5.35 S

Wednesday Dec 7th

Light air and fine weather steered to the N on P calm S P light air Wangiwangi and Bouton at 2 P on saw a shoal or reef to the South of Gadupag dist from the land about 5 miles stretching about S S W and N N E 6 or 7 miles with the rocks above water in several places a ship and a Bark in sight at 8 PM spoke the Bark Brothers. Home of and 23 months from London Co 100 of Sp Oil Lat 4.57

Thursday Dec 8th

Light breeze on P experienced a heavy squall of the land with rain and lightning the Brothers in company
Lat 4.44 S

Friday Dec 9th

Light breeze steered N Bouton Wangiwangi and Celebes in sight the Brothers in sight
Lat By Obs 4.12 South

In The Flores Sea Dec 1853

Saturday Dec 10th

Calm in with a light breeze on P squally with some rain S P Bouton and Wangiwangi in sight and calm Lat 3.41 South Long 123.49 E

Sunday Dec 11th

Calm at 3 took a light breeze from N at 5 PM saw sperm whales going quick to windward lowered and chased but without success at 7 took up the Boats and stood to N N W during the night S P at sunrise followed by N N at 8 AM tacked to N E by N squally Lat By Obs 3.17 South

Monday Dec 12th

Began with strong breezes from N N E steered N E S P squally with rain No Obs 3.10

Tuesday Dec 13th

Calm at 4 PM saw a school of sperm whales bunched S E lowered but without success at 7 came on board on P light air and calm the Dome on Bouro bore East repaired the Lib and bent it Lat 3.09 S

Wednesday Dec 14th

Light breezes from N headed E N E at 2 PM took a heavy squall of wind and rain from S W steered N E by N run about 30 miles in 3 hours S P squally with rain Kulla Bepes Bouro and Kulla Mangolatin sight
Lat 1.56 S

Thursday Dec 15th

Moderate breezes from N N W steered N E by N with a strong tide setting N Lipatmatul bearing S W dist 6 miles by Major in sight on P fresh breeze S P Bouton Mangolatin and Tawala in sight
Lat 0.34 S Long 126.10 E