

1853 Bark Active Thos Morrison Master

Friday Dec 16th

Begins with Moderate breezes from SW and fine weather at sunset the Latta Latta Isles bore S 86 dist 20 miles S P capn Ternate and Tidore in sight Lat 0.10 N

Saturday Dec 17th

Calm in with squally rainy weather wind from NW to SW on P wind and weather the same S P Celebes in sight bearing NW and N saw a Bark to seaward supposed her to be the Cleora Tylo in sight bearing S 8 E Lat By Obs 0.45 N Long 112.5 4.8 E

Sunday Dec 18th

Light breezes from NW to W throughout and fine weather Capt Smith of the Cleora came on board he has taken 500 lbs of Sp Oil since we parted Lat 1.00 N

Monday Dec 19th

Light airs from NW to SW and a strong current setting to NE headled in for Hema the Cleora in company saw a Brig Mount Klobat bore NW Lat 1.12 N

Tuesday Dec 20th

Calm in calm at 3 P M took a squall from off the land on P fresh breezes from NW I remained on deck through the night and beat the ship in the Hema Roads at daylight came to anchor in 12 fathoms of water abreast of the Pier

Wednesday Dec 21st

At 2 P M the Cleora came to anchor got off a raft of water one watch ashore on liberty

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Thursday Dec 22nd

Employed myself in recruiting ship one watch ashore on liberty

Friday Dec 23rd

one watch ashore on liberty

Saturday Dec 24

got off refreshments one on liberty

Sunday Dec 25th

The watch came on board at 8 A M

Monday Dec 26th

At 3 P M got under way with a strong breeze from NW in company with the Cleora Lat 0.28 North

Tuesday Dec 27th

Light airs and calm through out these 24 hours the Cleora in sight Lat 0.9 S

Wednesday Dec 28th

Light breezes all these 24 hours from NW headled SW the Cleora in sight Lat 1.19 South

Thursday Dec 29th

Light airs from E all these 24 hours heading SE the Cleora in company Lat 0.59 South

Friday Dec 30th

Light breezes from NW to W and squally at intervals headled N E and S W the Kulla Isles in sight the Cleora in sight also Lat By Obs 1.15 South

Saturday Dec 31st

Light breeze from NW standing over for Ob Major S P Ob Minor Batcham and No longer in sight kept off S 8 E