

Remarks on board Rk Gunbeam B. Fisher

Saturday Dec 4th

Began with fresh northeast breeze and overcast heading to N. by E. at 2 pm raised squally weather quarter backed toward N. appeared to be Pinbacks. At sunset dark breeze and more to N. squally. Middle part light breeze with squally rain. Latter part fresh baffling breeze from N. by E. steering different course southward. Pinbacks in sight.

Sunday Dec 5th

Began with light southwesterly breeze and fine weather. Middle part light baffling breeze and latter part light westerly breeze and squally heading from N. by E. Two Merchant ships in sight steering eastward. On the passage.

Monday Dec 6th

Light westerly breeze and fine weather heading from N. by E. to N. by W. Middle part light westerly breeze squally. Latter part light air and calms with rain. Two Merchant vessels in sight steering eastward. Blackfish & grampoisers in sight.

Tuesday Dec 7th

Light southwesterly breeze heading southwesterly at 6 pm first point of Bona. Bearing about N. by E. Middle part squally same steering. Latter part light baffling air and calms. One Merchant ship in sight - eastern.

Master Bound to Banda Cila

Wednesday Dec 8th

Began with light baffling air and calms trying to get westward making very little progress. Middle and latter part much the same.

Thursday Dec 9th

Began with moderate southwesterly breeze but at 2 pm backed to N. by E. Middle part baffling breeze heading southwesterly. Latter part light northwesterly breeze. Two ships in sight steering eastward.

On the Banda Cila.

Friday Dec 10th

Began with light northwesterly breeze heading southwesterly. Middle and latter part light air and calms. Lat. B. 80° Long. 125. 34°

Saturday Dec 11th

Began with light southwesterly breeze and fine weather. Middle part light air and calms. Latter part much the same backed to N. by E.

Sunday Dec 12th

Began with light southwesterly breeze and fine weather heading southwesterly. Middle & latter part much the same. At 8 am a Merchant ship just to windward of us steering eastward. At 11 am backed to N. by E. porpoises and grampoisers in sight. Lat. 4. 13° Long. 125. 29°

Monday Dec 13th

Began with light southwesterly breeze and fine weather. Middle part light southwesterly breeze but at 3 pm latter part southwesterly breeze but at 4 pm N. by E. & N. by W. Lat. 4. 04° Long. 124. 02°