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Friday February 14 First part of this day dead calm, with smoky weather. Vessel under no sails, set saw a lot of porpoises crew making pump attended to.

Saturday February 15 First part of this day very light breeze from the SE with clear weather. Vessel under all sails set standing on windward on Starboard tack, latter part dead calm we took in all the sails pump attended to.

Sunday February 16 First part of this day very light breeze with foggy weather. Vessel under all sails set standing to the South on Starboard tack, in morning saw a school of Black Fish we lower three Boats we catch 14 - SB-5 - SB-7 - WB-2 we take this fisher along side and we shorting sails pump attended to.

Lat 17° 00' S Long 11° 10' E

Monday February 17 First part of this day light breeze from the SE with cloudy weather at day light we made all sails on Starboard tack, at noon we took in fore sail and we start fire. Saw a school of Black Fish we lower two Boats but we can't not get any. Boats returned on board we hoist up and we took in sails pump attended to.

Tuesday February 18, First part of this day very light breeze from the SE with clear weather. Vessel under all sails set on Starboard tack, going to the Windward, saw a lot of Black Fish we lower 3 Boats we catch 6 SB-3, SB-2, WB-1 at 3:20 PM we take this fish along side we shorting sails pump attended to Lat 17° 30' S Long 11° 26'

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Wednesday February 19 First part of this day dead calm all day vessel under no sails set - crew making punts, saw a lot of porpoises pump attended to.

Thursday February 20 First part of this day very light breeze from the SE and cloudy weather in morning we made all sails in Starboard tack at 9: AM we ship in Port tack, at 10: AM we raised a school of small whales far near to the windward we keep letting up, at 4: PM we lower 3 Boats we catch 2, Young Bull, SB-1 SB-1 we take this Whales along side at 9: PM and began to breeze up strong we shorting sails pump attended to.

Friday February 21 First part of this day very strong wind with rough sea on. Vessel under two topsails, lying to on Starboard tack, with two Whales along side, we can not cut in in account of the weather, at 6: PM we ship in Port tack, Vessel shipped some water on deck pump attended to.

Saturday February 22 First part of this day moderate wind with clear weather, at day light we commence to cut in Whales, at noon we finished cut in and we took gear down, and we start fire at sun set we took in main sails pump attended to.

Sunday February 23 First part of this day fresh breeze with heavy swell from the SE, Vessel under shorting sails, standing on windward on Starboard tack, at 6: PM we finished boiling pump attended to.

No observation this day