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Journal of a voyage in the Whale Ship *Cypander*

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Sunday ^{the} 24 This day commences light winds from the North and Eastward steering S by E at 1 P.M. saw black fish forward 3 boats the Mast boat fastened and killed him brought him along side & hoisted him latter part the same

Monday ^{the} 25 This day commences light winds from E. S. E. steering by the Wind heading South employed in hooking out black fish at 6.1.16 saw a bark so ends the day

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Wednesday the 27

This day commences with light winds from S. E. by S. Middle and latter heavy showers of rain 2 sails in sight at 6 P.M. saw Whales supposed them to jump Backs so ends this day steering full and by

Thursday the 28

This day commences with calm at 11.30 A.M. saw black fish toward the boats without success at 6 P.M. light winds from the Northward & steamed 3 sails in sight hours 3 by E so ends the day