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Friday January 22nd Lat 34.05^S Lon 8.37^W
 This day cutting at 5.30 P.M.
 got body and junk in leave the case
 alongside for the night, 8 P.M.
 start the works

Saturday January 23rd Lat 34.20 Lon 8.28
 This day strong breeze and
 squally from the W. boiling at 1.00.
 P.M. Case Chain parted lost the case

Sunday January 24th Lat 34.03 Lon 8.58
 This day calm, boiling

Monday January 25th Lat 33.25 Lon 9.22
 This day light wind from
 the W. stow down 60 Bbls sperm oil

Tuesday January 26th
 This day fine weather at 5.00
 A.M. raise school sperm whales going to the
 S.E. quick bore four boats S.B. struck
 but got stove loss the whale W.B. struck
 and got stove B.B. struck the whale
 and save it got the whale to the ship
 got dinner went cutting finish at
 6.00 P.M.

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Wednesday January 27th
 This day fine weather under
 short sail boiling took W.B. on deck

Thursday January 28th
 This day fine weather under
 topsails and foresail stow down 24 Bbls
 sperm oil put out W.B. took S.B. on deck

Friday January 29th Lat 33.26 Lon 7.58^W
 This day fine weather steering
 to the S. saw jumper

Saturday January 30th Lat 32.44 S Lon 7.02^W
 First part of this day hazy
 latter fine weather wind from the W.W.
 under topsails and courses heading to the N.E.

Sunday January 31st Lat 32.44 Lon 7.01
 This day light wind and hazy
 steering to the N.

Monday February 1st Lat 32.29 Lon 8.28
 First part of this day light
 wind from the E all sail set heading to
 the N latter part calm put out the S.B.

Tuesday February 2nd Lat 32.22 Lon 8.28
 This day calm paint the
 starboard Boat