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ought to his friends about his death his conversation and by not coming aft when called makes it look as though he drowned him self purposely although it might have been an accident, but I think that if it had been <sup>think</sup> day light we should have saved him I that there was some one aboard that did not care much about it for all hands was kept to work all day as usual fitting the rigging and rigging out the fore topmast stee sail boom and set the sail & sail in night but part light breezes no fitting with in night these 24 hours

Sund the 9<sup>th</sup> This day light breezes from the N.W. steering S.E. sent up the <sup>main</sup> royal yard saw several flocks of fin backs but no sperm seen these 24 hours

Monday the 10<sup>th</sup> This day fresh breezes from the N.W. steering S.E. & saw 4 small breeches on our lee but they were of no consequence this afternoon we began to shake the decks since these 24 hours

Tuesday the 11<sup>th</sup> This day light winds from the S.W. steering S.E. & employed in setting up the rigging and sheathing the decks nothing on sight these 24 hours had a squally night and some heavy rain over

Wednesday the 12<sup>th</sup> This day part part fresh breezes from the S.W. steering S.E. & employed in breaking out after hole for meat and flour last part light winds from the E. with our sails took about standing the to the south on the main nothing seen these 24 hours

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Thursday the 13<sup>th</sup> This day light winds from the S.W. steering S.E. & employed in ships duty saw several flocks of fin backs last part fresh breezes saw a large sea to the south of us steering N.W. so ends these 24 hours

Friday the 14<sup>th</sup> This day fresh breezes from the S.W. steering S.E. & employed in ships duty nothing sight these 24 hours

Saturday the 15<sup>th</sup> This day light winds from the S.E. steering by the wind took ship 2 saw several fin backs but no sperm but live in hopes this day warm and pleasant employed in ships duty

Sunday the 16<sup>th</sup> This day fresh breezes from the S.W. steering S.E. & saw a large breeze on our weather bow about 4 miles off but saw it no more this day warm but squally weather saw 1 sail so ends these 24 hours

Monday the 17<sup>th</sup> This day strong breezes S steering by the wind employed in ships duty saw 1 sail & large sea. 1 Brig. & 1 frigate after saw a large breeze this morning on our lee quarter and called it a fin back so ends