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Sat the 20th strong breeze and foggy with rain killed a Big seal in whales these 24 hours we saw 22 years of age to day and so goes it.

Sund the 21st strong breeze some foggy very rough saw whales at 7 A.M. lowered but got nothing but a wet jacket at 1 P.M. lowered again but could not come at this time. 1 sail in sight.

Mon the 22nd strong breeze with a considerable sea on no whales in sight these 24 hours 1 sail in sight spoke the ship John & Elizabeth from London 25 months out 1700 bbls of whale 1000 bbls of sperm 5 whales this season pretty good.

Tues the 23rd light breeze and foggy saw no whales these 24 hours but we live still in hopes of seeing some soon but can not tell when employed in making a mous trap caught one mouse so goes the Day.

Wed the 24th calm saw a plenty of every thing what we no want we also saw 3 right whales lowered for them but could not come it came on leave and went to bed so goes the time.

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Thurs the 25th continues calm saw a plenty of fish but no whales at 5 P.M. saw a Barque to the windward of us some ways off with 3 boats down but know not who she was neither name and clear so be it.

Frid the 26th light breeze no whales in sight these 24 hours but we saw 5 ships and one was a looking which looked good at about 9 P.M. we gamed in company with the ship Magnolia of New Bedford and the ship Liverpool the 2^d of N. B. fore and ship Bristol of New London so goes the time.

Sat the 27th good breeze saw a plenty of fish but no right whales 4 sail in sight 3 ships and a barque.

Sund the 28th light breeze at half past 3 A.M. saw two right whales lowered 3 boats for them but could not get one return on board and got a break part and at 11 P.M. lowered again the S. D. took and brought him along side and cut him in 30 miles these 24 hours.

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