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Icy Cape. On the 2nd of July the bark — far away dropped anchor close side of us — at 11 o'clock A.M. called all hands orders from the captain to go on a whaling expedition with the boats. after being down about 10 hours it came on thick fog and a dead calm but did not see any whales nor hear any. it took us quite a while to find the ship. but after a while we succeeded. before leaving Icy Cape I shall give you view of Icy Cape the bark far away and Arctic —

view of Icy Cape
Bark far away
and Arctic.

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On the 29th of July, hove up anchor and got under way made all possible sail bound to Point Barrow the northern most point of North America. On the 30th of July spoke the ship Europa having 50 whales aboard 800 barrels stowed down. On the 31 of July a man came aboard of our ship and told our captain that there was six ships on fire at Whalemans Inlet we made all sail and went as far as we could go. when we got up there there were four or five ships still burning dropped our anchor at Whalemans Inlet could not get any farther north for a day or two. Below I give you a view of Whalemans Inlet and the barges Monticella and Henry Sabor still a smoking. —

Whalemans
Inlet.
Barges —
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