

Tuesday May 21st Begins with foggy weather spoke the bark Arctic and Ship Florida middle and latter part fine weather was making off and on the ice saw nothing

Lat 63° 16' N Long 178° 00' W

Wednesday May 22 Begins with fine weather saw one whale the Arctic's boats were passing saw 13 ships middle and latter part fine weather was in and about the ice saw 23 ships but no whales

Lat 63° 56' N Long 178° 10' W

Thursday May 23rd Begins with fine weather wind N was moving Northward in strips of clear water saw 23 ships middle and latter part fine weather was working through open ice to the Eastward

Lat 64° 13' N Long 177° 44' W

Friday May 24th Begins with fine weather and N spoke the Elizabeth Swift and Cicero was laying in a clear place waiting for the ice to open middle and latter part was working through the ice to the Northward

Lat 64° 17' N Long 177° 15' W

Saturday May 25th Begins with fine weather wind N W was working through the ice in company with the Elizabeth Swift and Cicero at night saw clear water to the N of the ice middle and latter part fine weather was working through the ice

Lat 64° 23' N Long 176° 15' W

Sunday May 26th Begins with fine weather forced and warped through the ice at 11.30 P.M. got through to the North of it into clear water middle and latter part light breezes from S W was working Northward

Lat 64° 56' N Long 176° 10' W

Monday May 27th Begins with fresh Northwesterly winds was working in shore at 2 P.M. saw whales lowered the bow boat struck one starboard boat struck second boat and killed the whale took him alongside and cut him in middle and latter part a gale from S W was laying to on starboard tack saw one ship

Tuesday May 28th Begins with more moderate weather was standing in for the land saw 2 ships middle and latter part fine weather employed stoning away lone and cutting up flatter