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# At Rocky Point

Thursday June 27<sup>th</sup>

Begins with a gale from NE at 2 P.M. dropped anchor in 9 fathoms of water gave the ship 45 fathoms of chain on the starboard anchor went on shore and prepared the grave at 2.30 A.M. took the corpse on shore and buried it, at 5 A.M. took the anchor stand out & with strong gale and very thick weather

Friday June 28<sup>th</sup>

Begins with strong wind from NE with thick rainy weather ship on different tacks with short sail middle and last part the same saw plenty of ice ship off Helixah Island not able to get in to the bays to much ice

Saturday June 29<sup>th</sup>

Begins with strong wind from NE thick and rainy ship with short sail set by the wind NW at 6 P.M. dropped anchor in 10 fathoms of water gave the ship 45 fathoms of chain on the starboard anchor middle and last part moderate but thick weather at 4 A.M. sent two boats for Shanten bay saw plenty of ice in S.W. by 10 ends the ship at anchor. Employed about ship

Sunday June 30<sup>th</sup>

Begins with brisk breeze from NE with thick fog at 7 P.M. anchored in 23 fathoms of water last part calm ship at anchor the two boats still off

Monday July 1<sup>st</sup>

Begins with pleasant weather from S.W. at 2 P.M. took anchor set all sail working up the bay middle part the same at 5 A.M. the boats returned saw nothing not able to pass the ice ship steering to the N.W. trying to get round the ice so ends this day no whales

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# Bound to Muncy Bay

Tuesday July 2<sup>nd</sup>

Begins with light wind from S.W. ship steering to the eastward with all sail set plenty of ice in shore middle and last part light with calm ship steering for Muncy bay

Wednesday July 3<sup>rd</sup>

Begins with light breeze from different winds steering for the bay saw some ice up the bay middle part by the wind last part steering S.W. found plenty of heavy ice so that the ship could not pass light wind from NE ship with all sail set working to the NE the land dist about 10 miles bearing N.W. saw no whales

Thursday July 4<sup>th</sup>

Begins with light wind from NE with thick fog ship on different tacks working to NE middle and last part the same at 11 A.M. anchored in 30 fathoms of water about one mile from Round Island gave 45 fathoms chain

Friday July 5<sup>th</sup>

Begins with foggy weather from NE ship at anchor middle and last part the same weather from NE at 5 A.M. took anchor stand out S.W. up the bay saw the ice ship by the wind NE

Saturday July 6<sup>th</sup>

Begins with thick rainy weather from NE ship working to the NE at 3 P.M. anchored in 30 fathoms of water gave 45 fathoms of chain on the starboard anchor middle and last part the same ship at anchor saw plenty of ice in shore the old tide

Sunday July 7<sup>th</sup>

The same weather ship at anchor middle and last part the same thick rainy weather nothing in sight so ends this day