

Tuesday June 26th

Begins with a strong breeze from N.W. W. The working to the North Middle Port Calm & Fog latter Port light-breeze from N.W. by W. Bk. heading N.W. by E. Diomedes at 7 P.M. bearing South distant 12 miles. Employed in breaking out Sugar & bag. Beans 1 Rice Pickles & Vingar and Ships duty 5 Bk. & Schis and 1 Stm in sight Spoke Bk. Wanderer reports 5 Stms at anchor under East Cape had taken 5 or 6 Whales So Ends this day By Obs Lat. 66.13. N Long 168.25 W

Wednesday June 27th

Begins with a light breeze from N.W. Bk. heading N. Middle Port Calm latter Port light air from N.W. to N.W. Bk. heading N. to N.E. Course N.W. by W. Employed in repairing main Royal upper main topsail and lower fore topsail Spoke Steamer Jackson Capt. Smith with 8 Whales So ends this day Lat 66.44. Long 167.08

Thursday June 28th

Begins with a moderate breeze from N.W. W. Bk. working along the edge of Pack Ice Middle and latter Port the same Employed in General Ships duty So ends this day Lat 67.20 N Long 166.13. W

Thursday July 3rd 1888

Begins with a strong breeze from South with thick fog Bk. lying aback off Starboard tack under short sail 11 a.m. Clearing kept off our course North made all sail sighted land at 12 m at 4 P.M. came to anchor 1/2 mile north of Point Hope in 4 1/2 fathoms water light rain and misty 1 Steamer and 2 Bk. in sight So ends this day

Friday July 6th 1888

Begins with strong breeze from South with Rain and Fog Middle Port the same latter Port clear and calm Bk. at anchor 1 mile north of Point Hope in 4 1/2 fathoms water Employed in breaking out fresh water & Shooks to set up for fresh water Stm Lucette Capt. Cook and Bk. Andrew Pickers Capt. Adams anchored here So Ends this day

Saturday July 7th

Began at Point Hope Capt. Owens very sick with inflammation of the eyes suffering intense agony Capt. Sully and Capt. Monrois came aboard and applied both policies which eased them somewhat O.C.A. Stm and Bk. J.W. Binkies anchored here latter Port thick fog and raining Employed in setting up fresh and General Ships duty