

Barque Midas of New Bedford

Saturday the 24
 this day commences with light
 breeze and foggy weather the ship
 cruising amongst the ice saw no whales
 latter part light breeze and showing
 with working through the ice to
 the north the ice heavy
 so ends the day

Sunday the 25
 this day commences with light
 breeze and showing weather from the
 S.W. ship working through the ice
 to the north latter part light
 breeze and good weather from the W.
 morning through heavy ice to the
 North so ends the day
 Lat 54:33
 Long 149:40

Monday the 26
 this day commences with light
 breeze and good weather from the W.
 the ship running through heavy ice
 to the North under double reef top
 sails latter part light breeze and
 good weather ship working through
 the ice under short sail
 so ends the day
 Lat 54:08
 Long 149:58

Cruising In the the 1858

This day commences with light breeze
 and good weather from the S.W. ship
 working through the ice to the
 North under short
 sail latter part light breeze and
 good weather from the W. ship in the
 ice ship all day
 so ends the day

Thursday the 28
 this day commences with light
 breeze and showing weather from the S.W.
 though the ice to the North
 all sail bent a foresail
 past breeze and cold weather
 Southward ship working through
 ice to the S.W. double
 reef topsails
 so ends the day

Friday the 29
 this day commences with strong breeze
 and a storm from the South
 and ship running through the ice under
 foresails and a gale from the South
 out laying the ice the wind
 from the storm
 so ends the day