

Thursday July 12th 1861.

S.W. Greenland Current.

Friday July 13th

Sight air from S. working in for sand spit in company with Alpha & Merlin. Looked for Devil fish. Saturday

Saturday July 14

X Stood in D sand spit. ran over to W. side of bulph of Holy Cross anchored in a Bay in company with the Alpha, intending to send Boat up the Bay in company in search of Whales, at 9 A.M. we hauled from N.E. but go 2nd anchor, windlass fell turned down. Broke of windlass rippers, and raised the drum all around, at 2 P.M. wind moderate got under weigh.

Sunday July 15th

All day on board Bark Merlin repairing windlass rippers, raining hard, wind S.W.

Monday July 16th

Moderate S.E. winds & thick weather, on board Bark Merlin repairing Windlass, got it in working order again, working E. Ench north strong wind.

Tuesday July 17

S.E. winds & foggy working E.

Wednesday July 18th

S.E. winds foggy & rainy.

Thursday July 19th

of Marcus Bay, Calm, 6 ships in sight.

Friday July 20th
Sight breeze from S. off Cape East.

Saturday July 21 Moderate & with winds. Stowed down the what taken in fur, 20th.

Sunday July 22nd

Sight air from S. D. Calm working for compass. Assembled, 10th of 9.

Monday July 23rd

N.E. winds & clear weather, saw 5 ships. Spoke Bark Europa at anchor cutting. What had been sunk two days. Lat. 68.33 Long. 170.45

Tuesday 24 July.

At 4 A.M. made the ice, working E. wind E.

Thursday July 25th

Working E. along the edge of the ice. Lat 70.30 Long 166.40 West So Ench wind E.

Thursday July 26th

S. winds & better fast sang. Letter post gained with B.K. Norman. Stearing for Point Barrow. Saw the land about Blenheim Shoals.

Friday July 27th

First Post Moderate S. winds, heading for Point Barrow, at 2 P.M. Calm anchored to avoid a heavy lee of the aground, land five miles distant, about 30 miles from Pt Barrow.

Saturday July 28th

At 7 A.M. got under weigh with a moderate S.W. winds & kept away for Point Barrow, sun about 12 miles & came to ice, hauled back again. Brig Victoria. Boats of Hawland & Norman in company. Letter post came & rainy. Strong current setting N.E.