

Samuel's Cape Shadew 1862

Friday May 23rd

Begins with a fine breeze from the Eastward
and fine weather heading along the shore to the
Northward in company with the Reindeer
mine & I part the same Leimback are up with

Saturday 24th

Begins with a fine breeze from N.E. and
fine weather Leimback mine & I part light winds
from the Northward and fine weather heading N.E.

Sunday 25th

Light winds and fine weather winds from the North
west heading N.E. Leimback mine & I part the same
mine and I part the same course N.E. & E

Lat 61. 11' Lon 175. 31' E

Monday 26th

Light winds and fine weather Sea 3,
Sails four N.E. & E. mine part the same
I part fresh breezes from the sea clear steering for
Cape Navarin saw plenty of Ice to the S. of the
Cape saw 4 sails Lat 62. 10,

Tuesday 27th

Begins with fresh breezes from the sea
and cloudy saw a Boat at the foot of the season
at Archangel Bay saw a dead whale in the Ice
took her alongside at 6 PM and in consequence
did not start strong breezes and snow. No further
cutting at 12 mid night last most of the morning
I part trying out saw 9 sails

Wednesday 28th

Begins with a fresh gale from the sea and thick
weather mine & I part clear further sailing
turner up 10 hbls saw 6 sails

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Thursday May 29th

Begins with a fresh breeze from the sea and
stormy weather with the Florides Isabella & Catherine
mine part fresh breezes from the sea clear sailing
by the Ice I part light winds and fine weather steering
along the Ice to the N.E. in company with the Florides
Isabella & Catherine Lat 62. 11' Lon 177. 26'

Friday May 30th

Begins with a light wind from E. & S. and
fine weather goes with the Florides mine part
the same saw a Boat going to the Northward
I part thick fog sailing back Lat 62. 34' Lon 177. 26'

Saturday 31st

Begins with a fresh breeze from the sea and clear
weathering through the Ice to the N.E. with the
Florides saw 6 sails saw a Boat whaling mine &
I part strong breezes and clear weather saw the
Florides take a whale saw the John Hancock
take a whale Lat 62. 50' Lon 177. 26'

Sunday June 1st

Begins with a fresh breeze and fine weather
after 3 hours from the sea the Boat
struck the Ice the Boat got cut in two with the whale
flukes the line got with a lance I lost the whale
mine part calm I part light winds and fine
weather steering to the Northward saw 4 sails cutting
Lat 62. 54' Lon 177. 26'

Monday June 2nd

Begins with light winds and fine weather
steering to the Northward saw a Boat heading to
the Northward saw mine & I part fresh breezes and
snow storm saw plenty of Boatheads saw 2 Boats
with out success saw the Florides take a whale alongside
ships sailing all around us saw the Lena off Cape Bering