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Throughout the northern shores of the American continent, & in the islands beyond it the summer thaw penetrates from ten inches to a foot or a little more, but no shafts have been sunk in America within the Arctic circle to ascertain the thickness of the permanently frozen substratum.

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"Polar Regions"

Ency. Brit. Vol. 8.

An excellent table of the temperatures of Principal places in the Arctic Circle - same page.

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They ~~the~~ Esquimaux ~~the~~ [^][[Red Men]] have nowhere dwelt among them [^][[the Esquimaux]] in America except on Behring Sea where there is a fusion of the ~~the~~ [^][[?races]]

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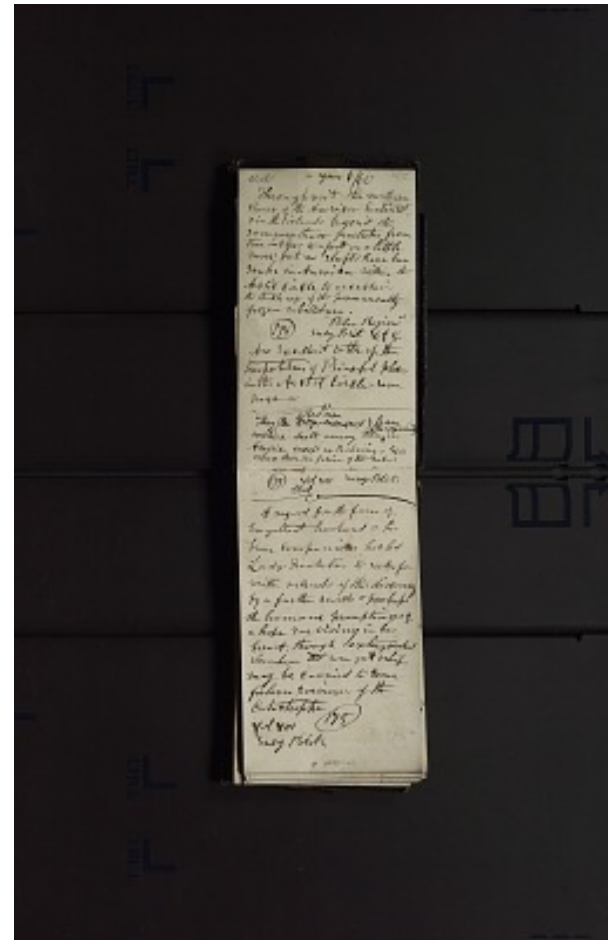
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A regard for the fame of her gallant husband & his brave companions has led Lady Franklin to seek for written records of this discovery by a further search & perhaps the humane promptings of a hope surviving in her breast, though extinguished elsewhere that even yet relief may be carried to some forlorn survivor of the catastrophe

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