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Eberbing & Kood-loo started out on a Took-too hunt this Morn but had not proceeded far before Seals arrested their attention. They shot ~~one~~ ~~two~~ - (one each-) & returned with them this Eve. The four Innuits now here are having a grand feast to-night. If I had not made my civilization supper I would liked it right well to participate with them. To-morrow ~~I~~ ~~start~~ ~~back three off~~ 3 dog teams ^[[insertion]] start off ~~[[insertion]]~~ & Kum-mi-tis with casks.

[[image - cross]] June 2d 1861
AM 32°
M 43°
PM 28°

I the 1st one up. Called Cook - then Steward - then commenced letter to my friend Capt. B. Before concluding it on arrival at IX of Se-Ko-Se-Can Innuits (Six) who were accompanied by "Bay and Taylor" (old SeKo) Finished 6 pages to Capt. B. - Told him News - & asked for Team of dogs to make trip of 3 or 4 days to land South Side R. Bay (Between F & B Bays) At XI Sharkey - John Bull & Dick each with team of dogs started off having casks & an old lady Inuit who evidently will live but few days. These 3 Inuit dog drivers induced SeKo-Sealer Innuits to let them and their dogs to the teams. I have gained information of the Seko-Selers that they have visited the Hudson Bay Company ships as they pass up & down every year. These fellows & their noolianas & young boys are well clothed (skinned) & fat. The story communicated to Eberbing

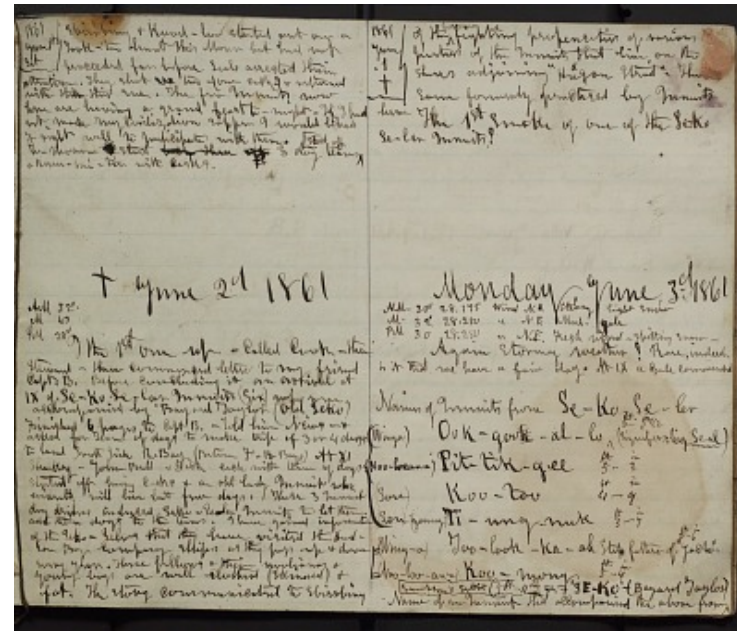
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of the ^ ~~former~~ ~~fighting propensities of various parties of the Innuits that live on the shores adjoining "Hudson Strait".~~ These same formerly practised by Innuits here The 1st smoke of one of the Seko Se-ler Innuits!

Monday, June 3d 1861
A.M. 30° 28.175 Wind N.E. strong light snow
M. 32° 28.250 " ~~[[ditto for: Wind]]~~ NE Mod. gale
PM 30 28.250 " ~~[[ditto for: Wind]]~~ N.E. Fresh Wind - spitting snow
Again stormy weather! Rare, indeed is it that we have a fine day. At IX a Gale commenced

Names of Innuits from Se-Ko Se-ler
{(Winga) Ook-goo ~~[[strikethrough]]~~ k ~~[[strikethrough]]~~ -al-lo ^ ~~[[insertion]]~~
5 - 5 1/2 ~~[[insertion]]~~ (signified ~~[[underlined]]~~ big Seal ~~[[underlined]]~~)
{Noo-loo-an-a; Pit-tik-gee ft. in
5 - 3
ft. in.
{(Son) Koo-too 4 - 9



ft in
{(Son) (young) Ti-ung-nuk 3 - 7
ft. in
[(Wing-a) Too-look-ka-ah Step father of "Jack".
5 6
ft. in
[(Noo-loo-an-u) Koo-mony 5 4
Name of an Innuït that accompanied the above from ^ [[insertion]]
Sampson's [[?]] (5ft - 11in = = "SE-KO" - (Bayard Taylor) [[/insertion]]

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