

the stall. Photo 900704-2 of one of the original buildings used as grocery store and general merchandise. At present there are 31 residences that line here the year around. At a potluck dinner, ^{that} we were invited to included most of the regulars and about 20 outside friends or summer vacationers. Blanch, an Eskimo or Indian and 86 years old was the honored guest at the party. Photo 900704-3 Another photo of cave as photo no 900704-2. Photo 900704-4 of the school house built by Alaska oil money and used by 7 students. The village had no roads and only single trail paths thru forests for transportation. No mayor or leader appointed but the village is governed by mutual respect for each other. 2 mew gulls in area.

Meyer's Chuck, Clarence Strait, Alaska

July 5, 1990

Left Meyer's Chuck at 8:31 AM at hr. meter 2854.4 3 bald eagles in area and 2 mew gulls and 3 pigeon guillemots.

9:09 AM. and heading into Ernest Sound. 14 Dall porpoise followed our boat for 5 minutes at 11,000 R.P.M. The porpoise are found most frequently at entrance of minor channels into the larger straits where water is more active than elsewhere. 11:26 N of Easterly Island. 12:29 Eaton Point? 1:13 Point Santa Anna. Upper end Santa Anna Bay at 1:30 P.M. Anchored in 30' at high tide. This inlet is on the E side Second Passage about 3 mi. E of Point Peters. From the approach from SW it is difficult to see entrance into inlet until almost there, however, the high ^{mt} ridge demarks the NE side of inlet. The inlet is about a mile long and is deep but at the upper SE end the depths decrease to about 9 fathoms, although abruptly where anchor can be fixed on sloping floor.

Wind was from the NW when we anchored but changed to SE and and although the anchor pull was counterindicated, it held. Upon arrival at head of bay, a family of roven called continuously for about 45' then left. At 3:37 a group of Candiefish? covering 8'x8' surface, ran 30' continuous feet toward mouth of creek entering to SW. Most reaction from Candiefish is a splash but these continuously surfaced in their escape.

