

PROVISIONS FOR ELEVEN MEN DURING A SIX MONTHS' STAY
ON THE ICE

	Pounds
Roast and boiled beef, 14 tins of 72 pounds	1008
Minced collops, 3 tins of 48 pounds.	144
Corned beef, 3 tins of 84 pounds	252
Compressed ham, 3 tins of 84 pounds	252
Corned mutton, 17 tins of 6 pounds	102
Bread, 37 tins of 50 pounds	1850
Knorr's soups, various, 2 tins of 56½ pounds	113
Vegetables: white cabbage, julienne, pot-herbs	60
Flour, sugar, 3 cases of 40 pounds	120
Oatmeal, 4 cases of 80 pounds	320
Groats, 4 cases of 80 pounds	320
Cranberry, 2 cases of 10 pounds	20
Margarine, 20 jars of 28 pounds	560
Lunch tongue, 1 case	20
Danish butter, 2 cases	336
Stearine candles, 5 cases	200
Preserved fish, 1 tin	22
Macaroni, 1 case	50
Viking potatoes, 4 cases	208
Våge's fish flour, 2 cases.	200
Frame-food jelly, 1 jar	190
Marmalade jelly, 1 jar	54
Lime-juice jelly, 1 jar	54
Cadbury's chocolate, 3 cases	144
Lactoserin cocoa, 1 case	18
Milk, 10 cases of 48 tins	480
Tea, 1 case	20
English pemmican, 13 cases	756
Danish pemmican, 1 case	68
Dried liver patties, 3 cases	204
Vril-food, 5 cases	208

Besides these, 2 tins of salt, 1 tin of mustard, and 1 tin of pepper.

When all the stores were ready and packed, they were provisionally stowed at certain fixed points on deck, under the awning forward. I did not want them taken out on the ice until later in the year, or until circumstances rendered it necessary. We had still abundance of coal—about 100 tons. I considered that 20 tons would be about enough for six months' consump-