Antarctica the Polymorphess

A strong current setting With heavy gales and fog Many a strange thing written Down in the Captain's log

Clouds of a snowy whiteness Foreshadow immense fields of ice

South Where the giant sleeps Motionless, cold and proud

Eternal Two worlds collide Senses go numb

Sleeping Dreamless aeons And aeons

Will he ever Dream again?

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To the west: icebergs Four hundred fathoms high Our passage south is doubtful O Father, hear our mournful sighs

This gigantic creature tossed Its vast bulk across our thole board Seizing one man - instantly lost Peters plunged the blade and roared

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