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Date: Thursday 9 April 2020

Time: 19:00 - 21:00

Location:

Alington House
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Durham City DH1 3ET

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Please be aware this meeting has now been postponed due to COVID-19. Please keep updated on our event website.

SPEAKER | Dr. Matthew Ayre,
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ABSTRACT | At 10:20pm on 18th September 1902 during a blinding snowstorm, the veteran Dundee Arctic whaling vessel Nova Zembla struck of reef on a remote coastline high in the Canadian Arctic. Historical climate research using the extant logbooks from this once industrious trade uncovered clues to the location of Nova Zembla's final resting place. This revelation, along with a little more historical investigation, lead to two improbable Arctic

expeditions and the
identification of the first
Scottish whaling wreck to be
discovered in the Canadian
Arctic.

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