

ARCTIC WALRUS—Walrus is an important animal in the Seward Peninsula and to the lesser degree around the Arctic coast. Its tusks are used for carving ivory items and its tough skin is used

for umiaks or skin boats. As its main diet, the walrus eats hundreds of clams that abound on the bottom of the Bering and Chukchi Seas and Arctic Ocean.—ROBERT KOWELUK Photograph