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Voyage in S.S. Belvedere

Wednesday March 8th 1904.

At 11-00 A.M. Captain Tilton came on board of ship at anchor. Took our anchor and steamed out of harbor. At 3-10 P.M. point Bonita bears North. Shaped a course for clearing all points S.W. & S. with a crew of 45 men all told. At sundown everything secured and steaming to course S.W. & S.

Thursday March 9th

Came in with moderate breeze and fog from S.W. At 8 A.M. stopped steaming and steering to course N.E. & W.

Thursday March 10th

Came in with fresh gale from S.W. And ship under lower main top sail. Have had bad weather and westerly winds since leaving Fairco

Lat 39-26

Long 130-00

Sunday March 13th

Came in with rain and variable winds. At 2 P.M. got a breeze from and steering course West

Lat 40-14

Long 133-48

Wednesday March 23

Came in with gentle breeze from North and steaming to a course S.W. by W.

Lat 44-42

Long 150-16

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G. F. Tilton Master

Sunday March 27th

Came in with fine weather and steaming a course for Akutan Pass N.E. & W. to day is my birth day

Lat 51-49

Long 161-09

Thursday March 31st

Came in with light breeze from S.W. and ship steaming toward Analga Pass and at 6-30 anchored in 17 fathom water in Dutch Harbor Alaska

Tuesday April 5th

Came in with fine weather. At 6-30 got under way and catching Cool Fish all day off of Cape Wheeler. At 4 P.M. steamed to course S.W. While lying at Dutch Harbor took fifty ton of coal put the Roate out sent up cutting gear and got all ready for whaling

Saturday April 9th

Came in with fresh breeze and quite cold from S.W.

Lat 58-15-

Long 173-40

Monday April 11th

Came in with light variable winds and steaming course S.W. by E. At 4 A.M. run into and sprung thin ice. At 10-00 A.M. saw the Island of St. Chathew 15 miles off bearing S.W.