

a crew of nine sailors and hunters, and was fully equipped for said voyage, and for the hunting and capture of seals.

3. On the 1st day of August, 1886, whilst in the Behring Sea, in North Latitude 55:50, West Longitude 168:53, and distant about 70 miles from the nearest land, the "Carolena" being then lawfully engaged in the taking of seals at that place, was seized by the United States revenue cutter "Corwin."

4. The "Carolena" was towed by said cutter to Ounaslaska and there dismantled, and such proceedings were afterwards had and taken in the United States District Court of Alaska, at the instance of the Government of the United States of America, that the said schooner, her tackle, apparel, outfit and cargo were condemned for a violation of the municipal laws of the United States of America relating to seal fishing in the waters of Alaska, and detained under such condemnation until after the month of December, 1887, when the return of the said schooner was offered but not accepted on the ground that the vessel had been practically wrecked in the meantime.

5. By reason of the premises further prosecution of the said sealing voyage during the year 1886 was wholly prevented, and the owner of said schooner was also prevented from using her for the purposes of seal hunting during the year 1887, as he otherwise would have done; and finally the said schooner, her tackle, apparel, outfit and cargo were wholly lost to those interested in the same, and other loss, damage and expense were suffered and incurred by the persons so interested.

6. Under the facts as found in the award of the Paris Tribunal of Arbitration, the said seizure, condemnation and detention were without any warrant or right according to the principles of international law, and Her Britannic Majesty claims that full and complete compensation should be made by the Government of the United States of America to the Government of Her Britannic Majesty for all loss thereby sustained.

7. The claim made for the loss arising out of the premises