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Dedication

We dedicate this book to Georg Wilhelm Steller (1709–1746), Alaska’s first scientist. Steller first described the anadromous life cycle of North Pacific salmon and identified sockeye salmon by its present scientific name *nerka*, a term originally used by the Koryak people of Kamchatka (Steller, 2003).

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ABL	Auke Bay Laboratory
ADF	Alaska Department of Fisheries
ADFG	Alaska Department of Fish and Game
APA	Alaska Packers Association
ARLIS	Alaska Resources Library and Information Services
ASA	Alaska State Archives
BCF	Bureau of Commercial Fisheries
BSFW	Bureau of Sport Fisheries and Wildlife
FRED	Fisheries Rehabilitation, Enhancement and Development Division, ADFG
FRI	Fisheries Research Institute, University of Washington
FWS	Fish and Wildlife Service (1940–1955)
NARA	National Archives and Records Administration
NMFS	National Marine Fisheries Service
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
RG	Record Group
UAF	University of Alaska, Fairbanks
USBF	U.S. Bureau of Fisheries
USFWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (1956–present)