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Weather Forecast, Forecast for the period ending at midnight Monday: For Northern California--Clearing, preceded by scattering rains in the interior;

THE NEW PHASE OF THE BEHRING SEA QUESTION.

The letter of the President in reply to Lord Salisbury is a statesmanlike paper, strong, vigorous and inspires every self-respecting American with regard for the manliness and patriotism of the Executive.

Brought down to a concise statement, this is the situation, one which makes England's attitude toward us trifling, and, as the President suggests, very little short of insulting.

The treaty having been agreed to and submitted for ratification, English sealers enter the waters and begin to take seals. The United States protests and England replies that the agreement of suspension has expired.

The good citizens who have feared the centralizing of "power" in the hands of the Mayor, under the new charter, are simply mistaken. Let them read the provisions referring to that and they will see that there is no centralizing of power, but simply investment with responsibility where people can see it, and by which they can call some one to account.

There is, throughout the President's letter, a strain indicating that the United States made an error in consenting that the question of "a closed sea" should be waived, and a suggestion runs with this thought that the United States may reassert its right to exclusive jurisdiction and sole ownership over the marine territory.

On the heels of this Russia declares, it is reported, that what she sold to the United States in 1867 she had the right to sell; that it was an exclusive right, and had never been questioned or doubted, and that she cannot complacently remain idle and see that title made the subject of dispute, since it might affect her exclusive right to her half of Behring Sea, and which neither the English nor any other nation has ever trespassed upon or pretended to have a right to invade.

It is clear that the English Ministry is playing with us; that it has advanced propositions insincere and absurd, and hence insulting when addressed to a nation. It is equally clear that we have been too yielding, too desirous to prevent irritation, and are now esteemed cowardly. Indeed English newspapers do not hesitate to assert as much and to say that we are simply blustering.

To us it seems plain and undeniable that we made a mistake in leaving the closed sea and sole control questions out of the issues; that we made a graver mistake in ever submitting to arbitration a question that is not properly the subject of such settlement; that we moved toward the giving our case away when we agreed to arbitrate a claim to that which is ours by right of purchase, occupancy and decades of undisputed possession. For all which we have to thank our extreme anxiety to prevent war and the unreasonable opposition of such of the snarling press of the East as invariably sides against its own country when an English claim is preferred; committed us to a blunder that now makes us the butt of English ridicule and has brought upon us the just reproach of Russia, which has ever been our friend.

If the present irritation will open the door for our retreat and a return to the

ground of absolute right to exclusive control of the sealing waters and marine territory we purchased from Russia, without a word of protest from England at the time, then we shall be thankful that the new difficulty has arisen. The RECORD-UNION congratulates itself that at no time did it agree that it was wise to waive the question of exclusive jurisdiction; it at no time was satisfied to arbitrate; at no time agreed that there was anything to arbitrate. It insisted that the one thing to do was to patrol the sea and snap up and condemn every sealing pirate, be he a home skipper or a Canadian poacher. That is our position to-day, and it is the only true American one; the only one to command for the United States respect abroad and regard at home.

It has now been discovered that the so-called protest of the United States against Russia's claim to Behring Sea, when Mr. Adams was Secretary of State, did not point to the sea. Behring Sea was not mentioned in it by the United States or Russia--it all related to a Russian claim to a belt a hundred and ten miles south of the Aleutian chain. Russia yielded in the main, and there the matter ended. It was upon this commitment of the United States against the claim we now prefer, that the entire mugwump press has hinged its assaults upon the Administration; it was upon this supposed estoppel that the New York Post, Times, Harper's Weekly and lesser papers of the same order, based their bitter attacks upon our own Government for daring to deny the right of England to enter the sea and take our seals as they pass from one of our shores to their breeding-ground upon another of our islands.

But so far as the immediate issue is concerned, we submit that Lord Salisbury is treating us contemptuously, and even insultingly. We submit to the judgment of the commonest understanding that no man ever heard of a serious proposition such as this--and it is England's in a nutshell. A and B disagree as to the right claimed by A, and by him exercised, and which B contends is trespass and destructive of his timberlands. Thereupon A and B agree to leave to the judgment of C D and E the question as to how, when and to what extent A may enter upon B's land, B waiving the claim that A shall never enter. Pending the consultation of C D and E, A continues to trespass and to cut down trees upon B's possessions. B protests, and declares that pending the arbitration both A and B should refrain from touching the property occasioning the dispute. A replies "certainly not, let the arbitration go on, but in the meantime I propose to strip your land of its timber, just the same." Is it not a proposition so simple that a schoolboy can determine where exact justice lies, and unparalleled and brazen effrontery begins?

Let there be no more trifling--cancel the treaty, if need be, and send the ships of patrol to the sea, seize the illicit sealers, and if England is displeased let her adopt her own remedy. It is what we should have done in the outset, and had it been so ordered, the British lion would not have been heard to utter a single growl, for the moral law, common reason and simple justice are against him.

FIXING RESPONSIBILITY.

The good citizens who have feared the centralizing of "power" in the hands of the Mayor, under the new charter, are simply mistaken. Let them read the provisions referring to that and they will see that there is no centralizing of power, but simply investment with responsibility where people can see it, and by which they can call some one to account. The Mayor is made an executive for the city as the Governor is for the State--just that and nothing more. There is no one-man power, because the Mayor is powerless without the concurrence of the Trustees, and they are subject in their legislation to his veto. The exception is that by a two-thirds vote the veto can be overridden, and that without the Trustees the Mayor can examine reports, inspect departments and see that officers do their duty, and, if they fail, to report them and bring them to trial. Really, we have one-man power now--absolutely tyrannically. The Superintendent of Streets is all-powerful; he cannot be interfered with; he is master in his department, independent and responsible to no one. So with the Superintendent of the Water Works. Ours is now a two one-man power, the Executive having not so much control over city affairs as has the Poundmaster. The new charter really reserves the power of the people in them, and breaks away from the present system, under which we surrender our power to officers we cannot even call to account.

TO-NIGHT'S MEETING.

The citizens choosing to act as a Finance Aid Committee for the purpose of providing means for the expenses of the reception of the National Editorial Association to meet at the Sutter Club at 7:30 this evening. It is hoped that every one chosen will promptly attend. Nothing can be done until this committee has organized, gone to work and reported, and hence every voice in it is needed to-night to determine its plans. It is essential that there be prompt action, for while May 20th is somewhat distant, yet if Sacramento cannot very early lay out and insure her programme, the State committee will have to arrange for changes that would be disappointing. But Sacramento is going to do all that she has undertaken. This is her special opportunity, and we are confident that she will prove fully equal to it and make her part in the great visitation the most successful of all.

SOME STRONG REASONS.

The new charter cuts down the expenses of elections immensely; it lessens the aggregate of output for salaries; it separates the legislative and executive so that no officer can pass upon his own bills or sit in judgment upon his own acts. It puts the executive arm, the Police Department, under the control of the executive; it secures efficient police

permanency in office, and thus encourages honest duty-doing, and saves the officers the shaving of their salaries to political place-brokers, so that their income at less salary will be greater than now. It gives us a revenue system under which the taxes can be collected. Now the poor man pays as the Assessor demands, and the rich pay what they choose, aware that, under our faulty system, the officers dare not sue the man with money enough to pay lawyers to raise objection to the legality of our methods. The present charter creates absolutely tyrannous power in the heads of departments that are subject to no control short of impeachment. But under the new charter we will have precisely the checks and balances that distinguish the State and the National Governments. These are virtues sufficient if there were no others, to commend the new charter to the people, and to offset any minor defects.

NOTE AND COMMENT.

The Sutter Independent has entered upon its sixth volume. It has always been conducted as a clean paper, is bright and newsy, and has the courage to support its convictions. Such papers are of incalculable benefit to the sections in which they are published.

Special Notices.

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New Advertisements.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, County of Sacramento. In the matter of the estate of LAWRENCE BENNETT, deceased. Notice is hereby given that on 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, and the court-room of said Court, Department No. Two, at the Court-house of Sacramento County, California, and State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Lawrence Bennett, deceased, and for hearing the application of Lawrence C. Bennett for the issuance to him of letters testamentary thereon. Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 26th day of March, 1892. W. W. RHODES, Clerk. By R. A. ROBINSON, Deputy Clerk. JOHN T. DEVLIN, W. W. H. DEVLIN, Attorneys for Petitioner. m28-111

PUBLIC INSTALLATION.

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OFFICE OF THE

Central Pacific Railroad Company.

SAN FRANCISCO, MARCH 15th, 1892. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Central Pacific Railroad Company for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of San Francisco, on TUESDAY, the 14th day of April, 1892. E. H. MILLER, Jr., Secretary. m28-141

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NOTICE.

A MASS MEETING WILL BE HELD under the auspices of Sacramento County World's Fair Association, at County Court-house, Saturday, April 2d, at 11 P. M. Good speakers will be in attendance and the public are invited. GEO. C. BATES, Chairman. W. WALTER GREER, Sec'y. [B.&N.C.] m28-119

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