BEHRING SEA QUESTION.

Belief That the Differences Will Soon be Settled.

UNITED STATES FLEET WHICH WILL PATROL THE WATERS.

Favorable Action by the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations Expected on the Bill for the Reorganization of the Nicaragua Canal Company — The Senate Takes Action on the New Chinese Treaty, Reporting it for Ratification.

Special to the RECORD-UNION.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Minister Bayard has been pressing upon the attention of the British Foreign Office the necessity of speedy action upon the modus vivendi, relative to seal fisheries, by one on broader lines to conform more closely to the decision of the arbitrators.

There is reason to believe that the British Embassador here will soon receive authority to consummate such an agreement, by which the small differences respecting the extent of the closed zone will be adjusted on the basis of the forty-second parallel. This would make it impossible for sealing vessels to lawfully take seals anywhere in the Pacific north of the boundary between California and Oregon after May 1st.

It is understood the main point of difference arises from the insistence of the British Government that warning be served on the Canadian sealers who go into the forbidden seas before the agreement is ratified, as preliminary to seizure. Secretary Gresham has taken the ground that the vessels have already had sufficient warning in the publication of the discussion of the arbitrators and their decision. This point, however, does not appear to involve a difference so radical as to threaten an amicable understanding.

Secretary Gresham had an interview with the President to-day after Sir Julian Pauncefote's visit, and an evidence of the intention of the Administration was afforded by the selection of vessels for the patrol fleet, and the beginning of the preparation for the sailing orders of the fleet. The vessels designed for the service are the Mohican, Captain C. E. Clark; the Yorktown, Captain Folger; the Alert, Captain Morgan; the Bennington, Captain C. M. Thomas; the Ranger, Captain Longnecker; the Adams, Captain Brice; the Concord, Captain Goodrich; the Petrel, Captain Emery; the revenue cutters Bear, Rush and Corwin, and the Fish Commission vessel Albatross.

The patrol will include twelve serviceable vessels, and, with one exception, the Rush, they will probably all be ready to assume their position by the 1st of May, and follow the seal herds north from the California boundary line as soon as they appear, making it warm for the poachers who may seek to operate in the North Pacific and Behring Sea this season. While Captain Clark of the Mohican is the senior officer of the fleet, it has not yet been decided which of the fleet shall act as flagship.

Admiral Walker started from Washington this evening for San Francisco, to take the steamer on April 5th for Honolulu.

LONDON, March 28.—Attorney-General Sir Charles Russell will introduce in the House of Commons to-morrow a bill providing for the proper enforcement of Behring Sea arbitration. There is no question of a new modus vivendi. It is understood that the bill will not be opposed.

Sir Charles Tupper, Canadian Commissioner to London, who was one of the British agents at the Behring Sea tribunal of arbitration in Paris, held a long interview to-day with Sir Robert Meade at the Foreign Office. Sir Charles expresses the opinion that although it would have been preferable to have had no delay in legalizing the award of the tribunal of arbitration, there was every reason to believe all the countries concerned in the seal fisheries would peacefully conform to the award directly on legalizing.

PROCEEDINGS IN CONGRESS.

Contested Election Cases Under Consideration in the House.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—When the Speaker's gavel fell to-day there were less than eighty members on the floor. The House proceeded with some routine business pending a report expected from the Rules Committee on the disposition of the contested election cases of O'Neil-Joy and English-Hillborn.

Letters from the Secretary of the Treasury and Attorney-General were transmitted, asking for additional appropriations for the Secret Service and the United States courts.

Outhwaite, from the Committee on Rules, reported a rule limiting debate to two hours each on the election cases, the final vote then to be taken. Outhwaite demanded the previous question on the adoption of the rule. The vote on ordering the previous question resulted 164 to nothing.

Reed made the point of no quorum.

The Speaker voted in the affirmative. The result was greeted with applause.

This is the first time for a week that the Democrats have mustered a quorum.

Reed criticised the disposition to hustle the cases through the House without discussion. He said the purpose of the Republicans had been to call attention to a great outrage, the House and country being in the habit of paying little attention to election cases.

Outhwaite replied by saying that more time for discussion of these cases in the first place had been offered. He also reviewed the action of the Fifty-first Congress on election cases and pointed out the quick manner in which cases were then disposed of.

Reed moved to recommit the rule, with instructions to report a rule allowing further time.

The Speaker was inclined to think this motion should not be entertained.

Reed argued the case on constitutional grounds.

The Speaker held the motion to recommit equivalent to a proposition to amend. Amendments were not in order after the previous question had been ordered. Therefore the motion of the gentleman from Maine was not in order.

On the question of adopting the report of the committee, Outhwaite demanded the ayes and nays. The division having developed the lack of a quorum, the Republicans again refrained from voting.

The resolution of the Committee on Elections declaring Jonn J. O'Neil entitled to the seat for the Eleventh District of Missouri was read.

After argument for and against contestant, the vote recurred on the substitute for the report of the majority of the committee presented by the minority declaring Mr. Joy entitled to his seat. The vote resulted: Yeas 102, nays 146. The substitute was rejected.

Burrows of Michigan moved to reconsider, and Springer moved to lay the motion on the table. The Republicans precipitated another filibuster by making the point of no quorum on the division, and the roll-call was taken, the Republicans not voting. The vote was: Yeas 137, nays 8.

The House then, at 5:45, adjourned.

IN THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—In the Senate Dolph introduced a joint resolution declaring the treaty between the United States and Great Britain, regarding the construction of the canal at Nicaragua, commonly known as the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, no longer in force.

A bill for the free and unlimited coinage of silver was introduced by Stewart (Rep.) of Nevada and laid on the table for the present.

Pettigrew of South Dakota introduced two resolutions which were agreed to, one calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information regarding the rules made in the weight or fineness of silver coins of silver standard countries, and the other calling on the Secretary of the Interior for information as to whether the sugar refineries have complied with all the provisions of the law in regard to the taking of the census.

A resolution introduced by Senator Frye, and agreed to, asks the Secretary of War whether subordinate employes and laborers employed by engineer officers on works of public improvement have been employed or discharged for political reasons.

Peffer of Kansas offered a resolution directing the Finance Committee to prepare a bill for the repeal of all laws authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to issue bonds or other interest-bearing obligations without special authority of Congress. It was temporarily laid on the table.

The resolution offered several days ago, directing the Committee on Judiciary to inquire whether the existing statutes are sufficient to punish simulation of silver coins by coins of like metal, weight and fineness, was laid before the Senate by the Vice-President, and after a short discussion was agreed to.

Senator Berry of Arkansas called up the resolution authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Treasury to receive at the sub-treasury in New York from R. T. Wilson & Co., or assignees, the amount of $6,740,000, to be paid to the Cherokee Nation. Agreed to.

Then, at 1:30 P. M., upon motion of Senator Call, the Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business.

At 2:30 the doors were reopened and the Senate took up the McGarrahan bill.

Senator Morrill of Vermont spoke in opposition to the claim.

Senator Hunton of Virginia followed Morrill, and argued in favor of the bill.

At 4 o'clock Hunton concluded his speech, and Vilas rose to address the Senate, but yielded to a motion for an executive session made by Pugh, which was carried.

At 4:05 the Senate adjourned.

NICARAGUA CANAL.

Favorable Action Expected Looking to a Reorganization of the Company.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations has under consideration bills looking to the reorganization of the Nicaragua Canal Company, and friends of the enterprise in the Senate are very hopeful of securing a favorable report at an early day. The sub-committee to consider the details of the question and to prepare a bill, it is understood, is to submit a report to the full committee to-day recommending the adoption of Senator Morgan's bill with some amendments.

This bill provides for the reorganization of the canal company with a capital stock of 1,000,000 shares of $100 each, for the issuance of bonds, the payment of which will be guaranteed by the National Treasury, and for the cancellation of the old company, and prescribing the method of procedure under the Organization Act. It is not supposed the bill will go through the committee without opposition. However, it is thought there will be a safe majority for the bill in committee, and there is little doubt the bill will go on the calendar with a favorable report.

Friends of the bill assert that the scheme for building a canal across the isthmus under the auspices of the United States has made material progress in public estimation within the past few years, and attention is called to the fact by a member of the committee that the President had changed from the attitude of hostility, which he occupied nine years ago, to one of advocacy, and that the Legislatures of the various States and the Chambers of Commerce of several of the large cities have memorialized Congress in the interest of the enterprise, advocating the building of the canal.

It is also asserted the House committee, which originally opposed the measure, has changed in sentiment, and is now in a fair way to report a bill similar to the Morgan bill.

SUGAR BOUNTIES.

Plan for Their Abolishment Discussed by Members of the House.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—A plan for the abolishment of the sugar bounties, without waiting for the repeal of the tariff bill, has been informally discussed among members of the House radically opposed to bounties in general and the sugar bounty in particular.

It has been suggested to members of the Ways and Means Committee that a bounty repeal amendment be attached as a rider to the legislative and judicial appropriation bill. The committee has taken no action on the suggestion, nor is it likely to for the present, as it would indicate fear that the tariff bill might fail.

Wagner of New York, who secured the passage of the amendment to the Wilson bill placing raw and refined sugar on the free list, says: "We will get rid of the sugar bounties one way or another. If they are continued in the tariff bill as it comes back from the Senate we will reach them by a special bill, or a repeal rider will be attached to some other bill, if that gives promise of accomplishing the end quicker. As yet, however, there is no definite plan, but the sentiment against bounties is so strong that a plan will readily be formulated as soon as the opportunity offers. Nothing will likely be done, however, until the Senate passes on the sugar schedules."

EXPENSES OF U. S. COURTS.

Immediate Necessity for Additional Appropriations.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Acting Secretary Curtis of the Treasury Department has sent to the House a communication from the Attorney-General calling attention for the immediate necessity for additional appropriations for the fiscal year of 1894 for the expenses of the United States Courts as follows: Fees for witnesses, $200,000; fees of jurors, $50,000; support of prisoners, $275,000. United States Marshals, the Attorney-General says, are fearful the Judges will adjourn the courts unless money is furnished for jurors and witnesses. He also says there is not a district where a United States Court is held that is not in need of money for support of United States prisoners. The jailers are needy men. They supply their own money for food for prisoners and guards protecting them, and they ought to be paid out of the Treasury.

New Chinese Treaty.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—It transpired that the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations did take action upon the Chinese treaty to-day, and later, while the Senate was in executive session, reported it for ratification. A motion to make the treaty public was objected to, and was not pressed.

International Copyright Act.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Attorney-General Olney has rendered an opinion to the effect that the International Copyright Act of March 3, 1893, does not prohibit the importation of uncopyrighted lithographs, although these lithographs may be copies of copyrighted paintings.

Weather Service Bulletin.

Director Barwick has issued his bulletin for February, containing twenty pages of valuable meteorological and other data. It is a very interesting and valuable number.

Wonderlich Discharged.

In the Police Court yesterday Dick Wonderlich, charged with threatening the life of Bernard Waldispeuhl, was declared not guilty after a long and tedious hearing.

For Charity's Sake.

On Friday evening, the 30th, a charity ball will be given at the Old Pavilion. The grand march will begin at 8:30, and the music will be by Jones, Fisch & Watson.

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SAD ACCIDENT NEAR ELK GROVE.

Drowning of Lee Conklin, a Ten-Year-Old Boy.

His Younger Brother Tries to Save Him, But Nearly Loses His Own Life.

Yesterday afternoon Lee Conklin, the 10-year-old son of Louis Conklin of Elk Grove, was drowned in a small stream near that place. His younger brother came very near meeting the same fate, and at last accounts his recovery was in doubt.

The RECORD-UNION learns from Dr. McKee, by telephone, that the brothers were wading about in the water in the bed of the creek, when Lee stepped into a deep hole and went out of sight.

When he arose his little brother, only 7 years old, sprang in to rescue him, but he was unable to do so.

Seeing the plight of the younger boy, a companion named Thomas Lewis, 16 years of age, who was not far off, jumped into the stream and rescued him more dead than alive, but was too late to be of any service to Lee, who by that time had drowned.

The younger brother was taken to the home of his agonized parents and every possible effort made to resuscitate him, but at a late hour last night there was only a bare chance of his living.

The sad affair has cast a gloom over the community, where the family have many friends.

THE LADIES' MEETING.

The Call of the Humane Society is Responded to.

A goodly company of representative Sacramento women, enough to fill all the seats in the hall, responded to the call of the Directors of the Humane Society last evening.

They met at Pioneer Hall banquet chamber, and Mrs. Mayor Steinman was called to the chair. She said that though her duties were many, her hands would not be allowed to be too full to be extended in aid of the Humane Society, and she believed the women of Sacramento, who fully appreciate the worth of the society and its good purpose, would respond heartily to the appeal for help.

The several directors of the society then laid the case of the association before the meeting, and reviewed all its good work and outlined what was still necessary to be done to the credit of the Capital City and the cause of the association, and what the people are demanding that it shall do.

The ladies then took up the matter spiritedly, and after a long and free interchange of views, unanimously resolved, on motion of Mrs. R. C. Irvine, seconded by several voices:

It is the sense of this meeting that a benefit should be given the society to equip it with funds for its educational alms and the needs of its every-day work. Therefore resolved that the Chair name a committee to consider plans and report at an adjourned meeting to be held at Pioneer Hall, Monday, at 4 P. M., and that the women of the city be invited and urged to then attend and hear the report and take up the matter for action.

The Chair named as the temporary committee to advise a plan Mrs. R. C. Irvine, Mrs. W. C. Hendricks, Mrs. W. A. Henry, Mrs. J. N. Payne, Miss Nellie O'Neil.

The Chairman was declared ex officio a member of the committee, Mrs. Steinman thereupon called it to meet to-day at 3 P. M. at her residence on I street. Word was received by letter and by messenger from Mrs. W. D. Lawton, Mrs. Wm. Beckman, Mrs. J. A. Woodson and others of good cheer, and regretting that absence from the city or sickness prevented their attendance, but promising their assistance.

The meeting then adjourned to meet at Pioneer Hall next Monday, at 4 P. M. Each person present pledging himself and herself to agitate the matter and secure pledges from others to attend, at which time plans will be adopted and the necessary organization completed.

UNIVERSITY EXTENSION.

Professor Gayley's Second Lecture on the Evolution of English Comedy.

The second lecture of Professor Chas. M. Gayley of the University of California, upon the "Evolution of English Comedy," was attended last evening by a very fair and appreciative audience. The subject of discussion was the immediate predecessors and earlier contemporaries of Shakespeare, and finally the discussion of Shakespeare's comedies. The lecturer read sketches from Nicholas Udell's "Ralph Roister Doister," the first English comedy, and from John Lyly's "Alexander and Campaspe," and pointed out the traits peculiar to undeveloped comedy.

In discussion of the comedy of Shakespeare, Professor Gayley divided it into four clases. The first, the mechanical stage, as exemplified by "The Comedy of Errors." The second, the comedy of character, as in "Taming of the Shrew." The third, the comedy of the combination of the mechanical and character, as "The Twelfth Night." The fourth, the the comedy of life, as "The Tempest."

The speaker dwelt upon the fact that each of these four stages marked a development in Shakespeare's writings that was the outgrowth of the other, and that this outgrowth was an evolution to pure and perfect comedy.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Clunie Opera-house Boucicault's "Long Strike" is running. It is well worth seeing. The exterior factory scene, with the blazing furnaces lighting up the structures, and the foreground of hedge and walkway and wall, is very good, indeed, a fine mechanical effect. So, too, the scene in the telegraph office is realistic. The instruments are genuine, and the dispatches sent and received are easily read by any who read telegraphy by sound, the actors using the machines being operators. Miss Waldron's Jane is a fine bit of emotional acting, not strained, over-colored or extravagant, but full of feeling. Andrew Waldron is in the best make-up we have ever seen him attempt. He is like one of Cruikshank's pictures; appears to have stepped out of a page of Dickens, and is the realization of the ideal of an old time English lawyer, old but kindly, crochety but tender-hearted. Mr. Armstrong's Jem is a strong and effective character and is a fine foil to the Orthem of Mr. Cooley. The same play to-night.

Manager Todd has secured Frederic Warde and Louis James for two nights early in April, to appear in "The Lion's Mouth" and "Francisca da Rimini."

He has also contracted for Stuart Robson, two nights, and the Conrad Opera Company, two nights, late in April.

That old time actor, C. W. Couldock, now 82 years of age, is chief support in the Effie Ellsler Company, to appear here all of next week.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

S. I. Roper of San Jose is at the Golden Eagle.

Colonel John P. Irish spent yesterday in this city.

Mrs. W. C. Van Fleet is visiting friends in this city.

Assemblyman Vaun is down from Colusa visiting friends here.

Senator Frank Sprague is here from his home in Anderson, Shasta County.

Mrs. J. G. Harrison and daughter of Forest Hill are at the Golden Eagle Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Levy and daughter of Portland, Or., have returned to this city from the Midwinter Fair.

Mrs. Smith of Lowell, Mass., is visiting the family of her brother, J. L. Huntoon, and her sister, Mrs. Pierson, will arrive from the same place to-morrow.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: C. McDermott, New York; W. O. Newell, Salt Lake; Mrs. J. G. Garrison and two daughters, Forest Hill; Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Eiless, Chicago; S. I. Roper, San Jose; J. V. Piazza, Kansas City; V. A. Alderson, Wausaw, Wis.; E. J. Woolverton, Grimsby, Ont., Canada; Hiram Johnson, wife and children, Sacramento; W. B. Pless, J. T. O'Brien, A. Hamberger, A. G. Smith, H. C. Meussdorffer, R. J. Tyson, H. G. Howell, A. Hoeber, John D. Stange, William Mackie, L. C. Inen, A. G. Stoll and wife, San Francisco.

Robert T. Devlin, President of the Board of State Prison Directors and a prominent member of the Sacramento bar, and Miss Minnie Dwyer, both of this city, were married at noon yesterday at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Thomas Dwyer, Sixth and N streets. Bishop Manogue officiated, and Frank J. Devlin of San Francisco and Miss Nellie McMorry of this city were groomsman and bridesmaid respectively. The wedding was private, only a few immediate friends of the two families being present. After the ceremony and a charming wedding breakfast, laid by the bride's mother, a reception period of three hours enabled a great number of friends of the young people to call, and they embraced the opportunity and showered the new married pair with a wealth of blessings and good wishes. These guests were in return entertained by Mrs. Dwyer and her sons in a most hospitable manner, all that free expenditure and good taste could command being supplied to the tables. The dwelling was beautifully decorated with flowers and vines, and Mr. and Mrs. Devlin received their friends beneath a magnificent floral horseshoe suspended in a cloud of wild cherry branches in full bloom. The presents to the wedded pair were very many and very rich and beautiful, consisting largely of silver plate, rare pottery, choice crystal and finest table ware, with bric-a-brac, vases and elegant articles for home adornment. One notable present was an elaborate and elegant outfit of cutlery in rare pearl, and was from the officers and attaches of the Folsom State Prison. The personal gifts to Mrs. Devlin, who as Minnie Dwyer has been honored and esteemed throughout the city for her amiable qualities and lovable disposition as are only the modest and deserving, were exceedingly rich and beautiful. The wedding was throughout one of free expenditure without ostentation, and elegance and richness without display and vanity. Mr. and Mrs. Devlin left the city at 3 P. M. for a tour to San Francisco and thence south.

BRIEF NOTES

W. H. Hammond was yesterday sentenced by Judge Catlin to twenty days in jail for receiving stolen property.

The case of C. A. Fiske vs. Weinstock, Lubin & Co. has been appealed to the Superior Court from the judgment rendered by Justice Devine in favor of defendants.

John Butler complains to the police that while drunk he was robbed of a gold watch. As that is all he knows about the affair, it is not likely he will ever see the ticker again.

Yesterday Judge Catlin awarded C. C. Taft judgment for $91 50 in his suit against J. R. Hodson for a much larger sum for the pasturage and care of the mare Kate Bender.

Nine lots in the block between Q and R, Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets, were sold at auction yesterday by D. J. Simmons for Curtis & Bowley. The average result was $450 for each 40x160 feet.

R. T. Devlin, attorney for the Anti-Debris Association, has written a letter to Attorney-General Olney at Washington concerning the present status of the suits in the Federal courts in this State against hydraulic miners.

George Brady, who is employed at 803 K street, is quite anxious that his friends do not confound him with the George Brady who was arrested a couple of days since for vagrancy.

B. C. Brier has received news of the death at Oxford, Ind., of his uncle, Colonel W. J. Templeton. The deceased had resided in Benton County since 1851, and served a term as Sheriff. He went to the war, where he won distinction for his bravery and was promoted to a Colonelcy. Since the war he had been engaged in farming and stock-raising on a broad scale, and was a citizen of prominence.

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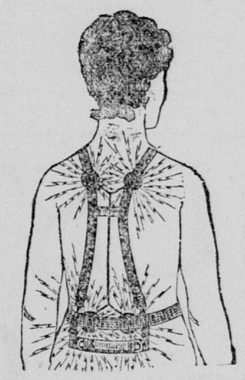

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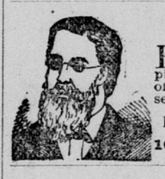

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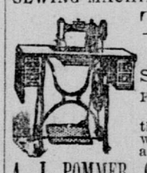

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