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Relating to the seizure of British vessels in Behring's Sea.

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Vessels now being fitted out for this year's trip to Behring's Sea. Owners enquire whether, when not near land, they may depend upon being unmolested by United States cruisers.

Please reply by cable.

LANSDOWNE.

Sir H. T. Holland to Lord Lansdowne.

Downing Street, 23rd April, 1887.

Mr Lord,—With reference to previous correspondence, I have the honor to transmit to you for communication to your Ministers, copy of a letter from the

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