

The Behring Sea Negotiations

According to the New York Herald secret orders have been sent by the American State Department to the captains of the two cutters, which have been detailed to watch the seal fishing in Behring Sea. The Herald says: "The conclusion was reached a few days ago that the interest and duty of the government would not permit an execution of the original treasury intention of asserting our asserted rights in Behring sea with the strong hand. The two revenue cutters will therefore spend the remainder of the sealing season in innocent police duty, entirely unobjectionable to the British and Canadian authorities."

Referring to Gen. Middleton's resignation on account of the censure of Parliament in connection with the fur looting in the Northwest, the Militia Gazette asks why he should be punished and the public servants—Bodson and Hayter Reed—who led him into this act, be allowed to go free. It is not likely they will be, for the Opposition threatened last session that when Gen. Middleton's case was disposed of, they would bring charges against these two men next session. Reed confessed his guilt by returning the furs some months after they had been stolen, but Bodson has neither made repentance nor has returned his share of the plunder. In due time we hope that these men will also be obliged to toe the mark.

Affairs in Newfoundland.

St. John's, Nfld., June 29.—It is not putting it too strongly to say that the colonists here are openly defying the British authority. They decline to respect the modus vivendi, and in several instances have invited British naval officers to enforce it if they can or dare. Up to the present time the naval authorities have done nothing more terrible than to issue proclamations in which the vague threat is made that unless the person addressed submit to the naval authorities, he will render himself liable to be dealt with according to the instructions issued to Her Majesty's officers of the Navy. What these instructions are, the proclamations contain, say, nor are they indicated by any action of the Imperial authorities. In no case has the Imperial voice been obeyed, and yet Sir Baldwin Walker preserves an even temper in which he has met these defiant defiance has led to the suspicion that he is not authorized by his instructions to do anything more than demand that no factory, British or French, not in operation before that date can operate during the season of 1890. The British gunboat Pelican visited each of the three factories, they did open, and they were then warned, some of them several times, that they must close, but they defiantly continue to catch and export fish, not merely, but under the very eyes of the British cruisers, and that fact nothing has been done to interrupt them forcibly. There is no doubt that they have committed an act of rebellion, and that their rebellious attitude is due to an understanding. They propose to force the British warships to assume the responsibility of taking up their traps, and then they will remove the content to the courts and sue the British Government for damages.

In this position they are sustained by the Provincial Government and Legislature. The Colonial address to the Queen, which was submitted by the Premier, Sir William Whiteway, to his Parliament and unanimously adopted, has just been published. It is a remarkable document, couched in a very humble or servile tone. It denounces the modus vivendi as a treaty, and declares it unlawful, unreasonable and inconsistent with the position England has maintained for a full century.

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