

KING IN PERIL.

His Majesty Had a Miraculous Escape from Death.

CUP CHALLENGER ON BOARD OF WHICH HE WAS A GUEST

Totally Dismasted by a Sudden Squall

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Southampton, May 22.—The cup challenger, with King Edward and party on board, was totally dismasted today by a squall off Cowes, Isle of Wight.

The King was on deck and had a miraculous escape.

The topmast, mainmast and bowsprit were broken off short.

The squall struck the Shamrock breaking the main mast which weighs two tons, without gear, which weighs as much more.

King Edward was sitting on the deck but fortunately the mast fell into the water.

HONORED BY THE POPE.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Tacoma, Wash. May 22.—Kneeling before the railing of the chancel at St. Mary's Catholic church in Dawson two weeks ago, Alexander McDonald, king of the Klondike, and a native of Cape Breton, N. S., was made a knight of St. Gregory. His wife, kneeling beside him, pinned the insignia upon his breast.

This honor comes direct from the Pope because McDonald founded a Catholic hospital in Dawson and gave \$25,000 toward the Catholic church at that place. It has been conferred upon only two other Catholic Canadians, Ex-Gov Chapleau and Ex-Prime Minister Mercier of Quebec, both of whom are dead.

SOLD FOR \$5000.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Halifax, N. S., May 22.—A despatch from North Sydney, C. B., says the Anglo-American syndicate that has been examining the works of the Nova Scotia Steel Co. have taken up their options and the purchase has been concluded. The price is \$5,000,000. The property includes the steel plant at Ferrona, N. S., coal mines at North Sydney and iron deposits in Newfoundland.

A leading English firm of iron workers are the chief purchasers. Works equal to the new Whitney plant at Sydney will be placed at North Sydney.

THE CAPTAIN DROWNED.

(Special to Daily Herald.)

Moncton, May 22.—Three brothers, Albert J., Thomas and Hanlon Skaling of Cambridge, N. S., purchased the schooner Maud at St. Martins and yesterday started up bay.

Accidentally Captain Skaling was knocked overboard and drowned. The schooner arrived here this morning to tell the tale. Capt Skaling was only just married in St. Martin's.

Attacked the Government.

(Special to the Daily Herald.)

Ottawa, May 22.—In the house this morning Borden, opposition leader, made an attack on expenditure of the government, accusing ministers of extravagance. He thought that with a large revenue the debt should be decreased.

HOTEL BURGLARIZED.

(Special to Daily Herald)

Moncton, May 22.—On Monday night at Shediac the hotel run by J. D. Weldon and Phillip Melanson was burglarized and some money taken from each, besides other articles.

10,000 MILES TO ATTEND FUNERAL.

Judge Lives in Honolulu and His Sweet-Heart in Naples—Burial in Philadelphia.

Washington, May 21.—Judge George D. Gear of the U. S. circuit court at Hawaii was in Washington last week and saw some of his old friends. Judge Gear is on his way to Honolulu. He came from Philadelphia, whither he had journeyed from the Orient to attend the funeral of his fiancée, Miss Anna M. E. Walker, daughter of the late James H. Walker of Philadelphia.

The romance between Judge Gear and Miss Walker, who was a beautiful and accomplished young woman, began last winter when Mr. Gear came from Hawaii to prefer charges against Robert D. Wilcox, the Hawaiian delegate to congress. Here he met Miss Walker, and after a brief but ardent wooing the engagement

and announced. The marriage was to have taken place next fall.

Mr. Gear gained the confidence of the President and was appointed to the judgeship in Honolulu. He was confirmed by the senate after a bitter fight made on him by the friends of Wilcox. He departed for his post immediately, and Miss Walker went to Europe to purchase her trousseau and to pass the time until her wedding.

About April 1st she contracted a violent cold, which soon developed into pneumonia. She died in Naples on April 12. Her body was taken to Philadelphia and Judge Gear hurriedly left Honolulu and arrived at the same time as Mrs. Walker with her sad charge.

Judge Gear had begun the erection of a home for his bride in the handsomest part of the Hawaiian capital.

SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

New York, May 22.—A despatch to The Sun from Cape Town says Gen. Bindon Blood has just committed a successful concerted movement against the Boers in the northern Transvaal. The British columns engaged in the operations covered a wide area, routing all the commandoes that opposed them and capturing 1,000 Boers and great quantities of supplies, stock and waggons in various districts. Gen. Blood conducted the operations in the centre, with Col. Plummer on his left flank and Gen. Kitchener on his right. The Boer commander, Gen. Ben Viljoen, abandoned everything but succeeded in making his escape with a few mounted men. The Boers did not make a stand at any point.

London May 22.—A parliamentary paper just issued shows the total of British troops in South Africa May 1 to be 249,416. The total deaths were 14,978, and the wounded 17,209. In hospital, April 15 there were 13,797.

Hammocks.

The season has arrived when it is proper to swing out your hammock in some shady place, that is if you have one. If you do not own one, by calling at Edgcombe's you can secure one or two very large ones at very reasonable prices.—d

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May 6.—dmwstf.

MARYSVILLE NEWS

(Special Correspondence to the Herald.)

May 22.—Miss Annie Morrison, who has been spending the last few months with her sister Mrs. George Munroe, of Lower Southampton, has returned home. George Gailey spent Sunday at Blackville with friends.

Mrs. John Foss returned home yesterday from Hainesville where she spent Sunday.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harris are congratulating them on the arrival of a daughter at their home.

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