

WHALER ALICE KNOWLES.

Deserter Captured While Swimming Ashore—Captain Resigns.
The whaler Alice Knowles, which arrived off port on the 13th, sailed Sunday morning for the North. Until the night preceding her departure none of the sailors showed any inclination to desert. At 10 o'clock on Saturday night a sailor named Barret, realizing that the vessel was about to depart, jumped overboard and made a bold break for shore. When a little past the lighthouse he was caught by the Custom guards and taken to the station house for safe-keeping until the departure of the whaler.

Yesterday morning the deserter was taken out to the vessel in company with T. Giffard, the previous captain, American Consul Mills and Oscar White, representing E. O. Hall & Son as agents of the whaler.

The resignation of Captain Giffard as master of the Alice Knowles on account of rheumatism unfitting him for duty, led to some dissatisfaction on the part of the crew. They did not feel sure of receiving advance money from first mate Ogden, who succeeded as captain of the vessel.

In consequence of this the American Consul and agents of the vessel were called aboard. Agreements were signed granting the men advanced pay due them and the matter amicably settled. The whaler weighed anchor and set sail shortly afterward.

CRICKET MATCH.

Team from the Nympe Easily Defeats the Honolulu Club.

The match game of cricket played on the baseball grounds Saturday afternoon between a team from the Nympe and the Honolulu Cricket Club, resulted in an easy victory for the Nympe. Following is the score:

H. M. S. NYMPHE.	
H. Verrall, b Pihanla.....	5
G. Genser, b Hatfield.....	2
J. Hopkins, b Pihanla.....	1
Lieut. Chambers, c and b Hatfield..	19
E. W. Harrison, c Mackintosh, b Hatfield.....	19
R. Hill, b Hatfield.....	0
A. Bamsey, b Hatfield.....	4
J. Chorlton, c Levey, b Hatfield.....	7
J. Thompson, c Mackintosh, b Hatfield.....	0
A. Robbins, c Mackintosh, b Dr. Walters.....	0
F. Plunk, not out.....	0
Extras.....	10
Total.....	64
HONOLULU CRICKET CLUB.	
A. St. C. Pihanla, b Harrison.....	2
A. St. M. Mackintosh, b Harrison.....	1
Dr. St. D. G. Walters, b Harrison.....	3
S. J. Levey, b Chorlton.....	7
F. B. Auerbach, b Harrison.....	9
A. R. Hatfield, b Harrison.....	2
F. C. Paetow, b Chorlton.....	0
A. Garvie, b Harrison.....	3
Rev. Y. H. Kitchin, c Chorlton, b Harrison.....	0
W. L. Stanley, b Harrison.....	0
D. Logan, not out.....	0
Extras.....	1
Total.....	28

In the second innings the Nympe Cricket Club scored 62 runs for 6 wickets.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE.

Series of Eighteen Games—First Contest on April 20th.

Captains J. Gauzel, J. Thompson and G. Clarke, of the Star, Athletic and Unknown baseball teams respectively, met in the parlors of the Y. M. C. A., at 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, for the purpose of arranging a schedule of games for the ensuing season.

Following is the series as adopted at the meeting:

Athletic vs. Star.....	April 20
Unknown vs. Athletic.....	April 27
Star vs. Unknown.....	May 4
Athletic vs. Star.....	May 11
Unknown vs. Athletic.....	May 18
Star vs. Unknown.....	May 25
Athletic vs. Star.....	June 1
Unknown vs. Athletic.....	June 8
Star vs. Unknown.....	June 15
Athletic vs. Star.....	June 22
Unknown vs. Athletic.....	June 29
Star vs. Unknown.....	July 4
Athletic vs. Star.....	July 6
Unknown vs. Athletic.....	July 13
Star vs. Unknown.....	July 20
Athletic vs. Star.....	July 27
Unknown vs. Athletic.....	Aug. 3
Star vs. Unknown.....	Aug. 10

Robert Simmons and Alberto Behrens, of Puget Sound, who are to play with the Stars as pitcher and catcher during the season, did not arrive by the Miowera as expected.

Will Paint Makapu.

D. Howard Hitchcock and some gentlemen friends returned yesterday afternoon from Makapu Point, where the former has been painting a picture of the fort and surroundings. While roaming about in the vicinity, the boys found a flask of whiskey, partially filled. This was brought to the city intact.

OUR NEW MINISTER TO MEXICO.

Senator Matt W. Ransom's Long and Interesting Career in Public Life.

Matt W. Ransom of Weldon, N. C., who has been appointed to succeed the late Isaac Pusey Gray as minister to Mexico, has just completed his fourth term in the United States senate. Although not distinguished as a debater or a promoter of legislation, Mr. Ransom has been so long a familiar and pleasing figure in the senate that he will be greatly missed by his colleagues. The parting was bound to come, however, as the North Carolina legislature a short time ago elected a Populist to succeed Mr. Ransom as a result of last fall's political upheaval.

Although not an orator, Senator Ransom is an accomplished politician and has a firm hold on the affections of his people. Their regard for him is well illustrated by an incident of his canvass for re-election in 1889. At that time his opponents charged him with failing to pay his debts, and a Charlotte paper



MATT W. RANSOM.

published the following defense: "His poverty is a monument of glory to North Carolina, and it is an everlasting proof of Senator Ransom's stainless honor and unimpeachable integrity. How many men have become rich in the senate during Senator Ransom's term there? Is it not cherished glory of this proud state that, with thousands of opportunities, Ransom, North Carolina's peerless son, has passed through the fire free from dross and actually and positively too poor to pay his debts?"

Senator Ransom is 69 years old, and was born in Warren county, N. C. He was graduated at the University of North Carolina in 1847, studied law and was admitted to the bar. In 1852 he was elected attorney general of North Carolina and was a member of the legislature in 1858-60. He served as lieutenant colonel, colonel, brigadier general and major general in the Confederate army, and surrendered at Appomattox. In 1872 he was elected to the senate as a Democrat, and was re-elected in 1876, 1883 and 1889.

AFTER MRS. LEASE'S LAURELS.

Mrs. Stryker May Succeed to Mary Ellen's Position in Kansas Politics.
If Mary Ellen Lease does not look to her laurels, she will soon be playing second fiddle as the great woman orator and politician of the day. A very formidable rival in the person of Althea Briggs Stryker has appeared in the political arena and is rising rapidly to fame and power. Mrs. Stryker confesses to 32 years, was born in Centralia, Ill., and is called a self-made woman. She was left an orphan early in life without money or influential friends and from early girlhood supported herself and was untiring in her efforts to acquire a good education.

In 1883 she moved to Kansas and entered Fort Scott college, where she was married a year later to Professor Stryker, who was a teacher of sciences and higher mathematics in the institution. Having fitted herself for the work, Mrs. Stryker also became a teacher in the college and began to interest herself in all movements for the betterment of the condition of women and for acquiring a more satisfactory outfit of inalienable rights. In 1889 Professor and Mrs. Stryker removed to Great Bend where they took charge of the Great Bend college.

Professor Stryker is still teaching the young idea how to shoot at the college, but Mrs. Stryker has developed into a full-fledged Populist and is doing her best to aid in running the Kansas ship of state. She is in great demand as a lecturer and not long ago created a great sensation in Topeka by denouncing certain prominent ministers, who, she alleged, overlooked the flagrant violation of the prohibitory law. She spends hours daily in the Kansas capital lobbying in the interest of woman suffrage, and she is also working to establish a state normal school at Great Bend.

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