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SAVAGE REVENGE.

Natives of the Solomon Islands Slain in Great Numbers.

BY THE CREW OF AN ENGLISH SHIP

The Story Told by a Former Resident of H. M. S. Royalist—Cause of the Massacre.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 17.—John Carter, an employee of H. M. S. Royalist, arrived in this city yesterday on the steamer America from Honolulu. Carter came to Hawaii from Sydney, where the Royalist is now stationed.

Lately, according to the account, the very slender relations in the neighborhood of the station of the British gunboat Royalist and natives of the Solomon group of islands, and natives on the south of the river Mary were disturbed. A landing party was ordered on from Vanua, an adjacent town, and massacres were thrown upon the inhabitants. A number were slaughtered. Fifty-four Mary Kay were killed. The British lost one man.

The Royalist's officers and enlisted men were brought ashore on the evening of a Mr. Dewatt Gray, late April, and the latter member of Sydney, Australia, who was visiting the Royalist's officers at the time of the massacre. The south side of the river Mary is a dense jungle, and the natives have never been subdued. The British have never had a good time