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**Wrecks**

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KADIAC

St. sch. 1929

5/1/1929/6 St. scho. "Kadiak" sent S.O.S. off  
Pt. Reyes, leaking badly in storm. The tug  
"Sea Scout" picked up her up and has her in  
tow for S.F.

KAHODATE

Ex. "Saucy Lass"  
British Sch.

Emp. 1/2/1925/6 A San Pedro fisherman found  
wreckage of the above off the Calif. Coast,  
but no sign of her crew, or their fate.

KAISER WILHELM DER GROSSE

German liner

Collided in mid-Atlantic 11/15/1906 with the  
U.S. liner "Orinoco" Both vessels damaged but  
made N.Y.

KAKE

Gas. No. 211033

Green Book Dec. 20, 1913

KALIYUGA

Gt. Lakes Steamer

Green Book Oct. 19, 1905



KANAWHA

St.s. No. 161199

Green Book Mar. 16, 1916

KANAWHA

No. 161088

Green Book Jan. 5, 1915



KAPTAN

Turkish steamer

Green Book    Nov. 26, 1907

KAPUNDA

S. American steamer

Green Book Jan. 20, 1887

KATHERINE DONOVAN

Wood St. sch.

Green Book Jan. 22, 1941

KATIE

3-masted ship

Foundered off the West Coast of Vancouver Id.  
B.C. Apr. 9, 1904. Had left Port Ludlow, Wn. in  
March 1904. Capt. Larson and crew all went miss-  
ing.

KATOHIRA MARU

Jap str.

Wrecked 1917 on S. side of Alaska Penn. (McBride)

KAWACHI

Japanese battleship

Green Book July 12, 1918



KAYAK

St.s. No. 161177

Green Book Dec. 19, 1913

KEARSARGE

.U.S. Corvette

Green Book Feb. 2, 1894

KENKOKU MARU

Lg. Jap Frtr.

Ran aground Apr. 28, 1951 75 miles North of S.F. Calif. 11,000 tons and owned by the Inui S.S.Co. (Gen. S.S.Co. agents) was to load cargo of 9800 tons of rice for the Orient.

First radioed that she was on the Farallon Ids. 25 miles west of S.F. but later corrected her message to read on Calif. Coast near Stewards Point.

First week in May salvage operations were being made by C.G. "Magnolia" and Red Stack tug "Sea Fox" Unsuccessful. She was floated off in June.

KENNECOTT

M. S. No.

Green Book    Oct. 8, 1923

KENSINGTON

U.S. Steamer

Green Book Jan. 27, 1871



KENTUCKIAN

Am. Haw. S.S.

Emp. 9/22/1928/8 S.S. "Kentuckian" collided with  
the tanker "Los Alamos" off Pt. Sur in heavy  
fog yesterday morning. Both sustained bad  
damages but made port. No one hurt.



KENTUCKY

Gas. No.

Green Book Sept. 29, 1926

KEY WEST BARGE

Florida.

D.A.Disp. 10/20/1906 says '150 men were blown to sea in a storm at Key West today on a barge, or several barges; 50 men were picked up later by an Australian steamer and a number of others are reported to have died of exposure. They were blown over 160 miles at sea---etc.

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KIANG KWAN

Chinese steamer

Green Book Apr. 25, 1918

KICKERMARU

Jap steamer

Green Book Sept. 28, 1912

KILTUIISH

Canadian M.S. 1927

Emp. 4/4/1927 Canadian M.S. "Kiltuish" wrecked on  
Cape Fairweather in a snowstorm on Mar. 28th  
last and one man is reported drowned.



KING CYRUS

Sch. No. 161003

Green Book July 17, 1922



KINGFISHER

Gas. No. 226604

Green Book June 3, 1942

KINGSTON

Sm. frt. trader.

5/20/1933/5 Owned by H.E. Arvon is a total wreck in Whitestone Narrows last night. Capt. Brannigan. 95' x 22' x 6' 150 h.p. diesel eng. and crew of 6 men. 204 gross; 189 net.

5/22/1933.8 "Kingston" Capt. Walter Grannigan and purser Chas. A. West, ran on rocks Fri. at 22:00 black and shadows. Grannigan on the wheel. Left Baranof at 09:00 that morning. All 12 crew O.K. and picked up by troller "T-3096" and taken to Sitka. Built 1901.

6/6/1933/6 "Kingston" abandoned. Alaska Trading Co. owned by Charlie West. Vessel carried \$4000. insurance and cargo also insured. The "Akutan", Capt. Jennings, salvaged her 100 n.p

Fairbanks\*Morse C.O. engine. and sold it to  
Larry Freeburn of the Pyramid Pkg. Co. of Sitka.

KINGYA

Chinese refugee str.

Green Book Dec. 3, 1948

KJOEBENHAVN

~~Danish pass. str.~~

Green Book    June, 11, 1948



KLAMATH

Str. No. 206801

Green Book    Feb. 5, 1921



KLAMATH

Wooden st. sch.

Green Book Feb. 7, 1921

KOBENHAVEN

Danish training ship

Green Book    Dec. 1, 1928

KODIAK

Old Sch.

Wrecked 1878 on S. End of Kodiak Id. (Mc<sup>B</sup>ride)  
" " on Goose Id. May 1878 (D.A.Disp)

KOKOMO

Emp. 2/2/1925/2 Str. "Kokomo" is adrift about  
20 miles below the Col. River Bar and tugs  
have been sent out to her aid.

KOLYMA

Gas. No.

Green Book July 22, 1920

Empire: 9/23/1920/2 The American gas-boat "Koly-  
ma" was wrecked 02:45 on the N.W. side of Sledge  
Island, near Nome on July 22, 1920. Capt. John  
Vatney and crew all safe. Built at Seattle in  
1915 and was a 29 ton vessel. Storm.



KOOMBANA

British steamship

Green Book Mar. 28, 1912

KOREA

Old Bark

Wrecked 1890 on Kalgin Id., Alaska (McBride)

KOTO HIRA MARU

Jap. Freighter

Green Book July 27, 1917

KOYUKUK

St.p. No. 203496

Green Book May 12, 1911

KUSKOKWIM RIVER

Old trader 1928

See Emp. 1/5/1929/6 in story of S.S. "Starr" and  
tug "Roosevelt" Mentions Capt. Wally Tinnø of  
the tug "Columbia" which went to Chignik to tow  
the "Kuskokwim River" to Seattle