120 DROWN WHEN VESSEL HITS MINE
STEAMER NELDA STOPS IN GULF OF ALASKA.
Ship Flying American Flag Goes into Waters Answered by Explodant

WILSON, May 25.—The steamer
Nelda, steaming northward, struck a mine in the Gulf of Alaska
and sank under the eyes of all passengers on board the
little ship at the time of the accident. The
120 passengers, all Americans, are reported
all dead. The Nelda, which was flying the
American flag, was owned by a Line of Puget
Sound, Washington, which is the steamer's
flag.