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## Str. Santa Clara Goes on South EXTRA!

# SANTA CLARA ON SONTH SPIT

ADELINE SMITH REPORT THAT

SANTA CLARA IS FAST ON ROCKS

The Santa Clara's wireless apparatus went out of commission about 5 o'clock, indicating that she had struck the rocks and was taking water and her engine room was flooded.

The last wireless message from the Adeline Smith said the Santa Clara was hopelessly on the rocks.

The life-saving crew and the gasoline schooner May were making for the scene at the last report.

POSITION OF PASSENGER SHIP IS VERY DANGEROUS WITH ROUGH SEAS THREATENING

The Santa Clara, bound from Portland to Coos Bay, ran in on the South Spit, near Mussel Reef, about 4:30 this after-

The bar was very rough at the time and what swung her out of the course could not be determined by Captain Dunson from the lighthouse.

About 5 o'clock Captain Dunson said that Capt. Lofsted was town from their positions on the making a turn and if the seas subsided a few moments might be able to make his way out to safety.

Apparently the pumps were being worked, indicating that Mack. the Santa Clara had been damaged.

The Adeline Smith, which was about to put out, was laying list inside the bay, Captain Olson preparing to render every assistance possible.

By making the turn, Capt. Lofsted might be able to avail himself of the inside channel, Captain Dunson said.

REPORT SANTA CLARA'S BOATS BEING LOWERED

According to the last report from the lighthouse, Capt. Lofsted was apparently arranging to lower the boats to try and get the . passengers ashore, evidently having given up hope of getting the Santa Clara off the spit.

The Santa Clara, as near as could be judged, was in on the South Spit Just about directly opposite where the Claremont struck on the sunken Terrible Attack Continued Until Dayitty and was wrecked a few months ago.

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8.0. S. calls were sent out by Cap t Lofsetd as soon as the Santa Clara neared the dange: line.

Owing to the Adeline Smith being heavily loaded with lumber, it will be difficult for Capt. Olson to render the assistance that he might otherwise have given the Santa Clara.

The bar dredge Michie left Empire at ten minutes to five and will posthiy be able to work in close enough to get a line to the Santa Clara.

The Santa Clara is not far distant from where the Marconi, the Simpon Lumber Company's schooner we at ashore a few years ago and was ! after Capt. Olson, of the Adeline Smith, had removed most of the

### WILLARD TO FIGHT POWDER EXPLODES

SIGNS FOR AN EVENT FIRST WEEK IN MARCH

Will Go Twenty Rounds With Any Seventeen men were badly injured fire was started in Agua Prieta and Opponent the Promoters May Decide Upon

By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.] NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 2.—Jess olors to fight a 20-round bout the enveloped the entire premises: hat week in March against any op-

Link selected by the promoters.

SEVENTEEN MEN BADLY HURT AT DUPONT WORKS

(By Amociated Press to coos Eay Times.) WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 2 .-

Point, New Jersey, A carload of white cannon pow-Willard announced today that he der exploded. The injuries resulted ad signed a contract with local pro- from the vivid flash of fire which

Times Want Ads bring results.

After Storming Agua Prieta Four Times During Night Retires Early Today

Starved and Famished Army Re-opens Bombardment of City With Big Guns

TEN AMERICANS ARE HURT

General Funston Arrives at Doug- • las to Personally Command on American Side-Belief is Villa Must Take City Soon or Lose

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AMERICAN FORCES MAY TAKE ACTION

[By Associated Press to Coor Stay Times.] DOUGLAS, Ariz., Nox. 2 .-The American troops that had moved back from the border, were ordered to pack their baggage in a wagon . train and each instructed to . take individual rolls, indicating that it is the purpose . to take drastic action in the . event of further firing upon . American territory.

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DOUGLAS, Ari., Nov. 2.-Villa's -----attack of last night on Agua Prieta | surrender, as it is known that in adsharp machine gun attack. The Vil- his supply of ammunition is nonla gunners swept the center of the too large.

on the American side during this at- his casualties were 250.

Warnings Sent

by the American army officers after Mexican town. the two soldiers were shot at noon. The machine gun attack finally ceased and was followed by desulto- fiercest attack and the combined ry artillery exchange which practical- fire of rifles, machine guns and ly stopped at 1 o'clock. Protect Spectators

General Davis sent the American ican battle near the border troops back from the boundary 500 zone of fire in the expectation of a main attack this afternoon.

Woman and Children Die Major Ryan received a report that 35 women and children were killed in Agua Prieta and 35 women and children wounded.

BATTLE LAST NIGHT

light This Morning

(By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.) DOUGLAS, Ariz., Nov. 2 .- After four desperate attacks on Agua Prieta, which kept the Carranza defenses blazing practically all night with flashing guns and bursting Both Sides Try to Keep on Their shells, Villa drew off shortly after daylight today.

General Calles reported the Villa forces in retreat, but at 7:30 o'clock his big guns re-opened the bombardment.

Five Persons Hurt

side of the boundary were wounded guns to destroy the searchlights. as a result of the fighting yesterday and last night.

morning to assume command of the ritory. American forces here.

Villa's men have been without water for 24 hours and without food for three days.

Much Damage Done. His heavy guns in last night's WAR VESSEL REPORTED SUNK

battle did much damage. One big today by the heavy explosion of a a number of guns were dismounted. large quantity of powder at the Du- but the barbed wire entanglements pont Powder Works at Carneys were little damaged and Calles expressed the utmost confidence in his ability to beat back further attacks. Must Win Soon.

or cross the American boundary and after being in a collision.

AMERICAN AUTO RECORD BEATEN TODAY

NEW YORK, Nov. 2,-Dario Resta won the 100 mile auto race for the Harkness gold challenge \$ cup at Sheepshead Bay today. The averaged time was 105.39 miles an hour. This beats the American record.

. TEN AMERICANS

WOUNDED IN FIGHT

The Americans wounded on account of the Mexican battle were: Louis F. Taylor, struck in

spine, paralyzed. Corporal Jones, shot through

both thighs. Private Whidden, hit in

the neck. H. K. Jones, wounded in shoulder.

Private Harry Jones,

Mexican boy, shot in stom-

wound, probably Private Tank, wounded in

Mexican woman, lost fin-

Sergeant May, shot through hand. Private Mitchell, shot in

lest. although unofficial reports stated

was resumed again at noon with a dition to the lack of water and food

Losses Reported

Villa dead and wounded in large 44; against, 109, numbers strewed the desert around Two warnings were sent to Calles the barbed wire barricades of the

Noise is Terrific

At 3:00 a, m., Villa launched the cannon probably surpassed in vio-gens voted on state-wide prohibition York city today as watchers at the lence the din of any previous Mex- today. There are many municipal polls. The proposed changes in the Take Band On Steamer Congress to

American army officers declared yards to keep spectators out of the the noise the worst they had ever nor traffic is an issue again this today. heard. Douglas trembled under the year, as it was last year in the vibrations of the continuous crashes form of a proposed constitutional and concussions.

Rain of Bullets

Bullets from the Mexican side alcoholic beverages, rained upon the American town to points a mile or more from the bor- proposal with petitions under the inder. Scores of women and chil- itiative and referendum law by dren, most of them hysterical and which the people will also vote on adobe walls.

were concentrated at a camp in the twice in six years, suburbs of Douglas.

RESPECT AMERICANS

Own Side

(By Associated Press to Cook Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 2 .fighting at Agua Prieta last night era. believe Villa would have taken the Eight persons on the American town, but for the failure of his

> Colonel Slocum reported that it was evident both sides were en-

AT GIBRALTAR

Says That It Was Due to a Collision (By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.)

LONDON, Nov. 2.-The British Unless Villa succeeds in entering Admiralty this afternoon announced cause of the large Democratic ma- about 20 miles west of the Bui- 2 beginning to decline. the town within 24 hours, his forces that the British torpedo boat No. jority, today's election is regarded must, it is believed, either retreat 96 was sunk at Gibraliar yesterday merely as a ratification of the Dem-

Ohio is Only State Where General Prohibition Law is Being Voted On

Many States Are Selecting Officers or Deciding Other Questions Put to Vote

WOMEN OUT IN NEW YORK

Six Thousand of Them Act as Watchers at the Polls-Much Interest Is Taken in the Woman Suffrage Proposition There

(By Associated Press to Goos Bay Times.) WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 2. The chief interest in the elections being held in ten states today appeared to center in the propositions for granting suffrage to women in New York, Pennsylvania and Mass, · achusetts.

The voters of Massachusetts, Maryland and Kentucky are also balloting for Governor and other state officers.

State-wide prohibition is the feat ure of the Ohio election. Other state or local issues are be

fore the people of New Jersey, Mississippi, Michigan and Virginia. FIRST RETURNS IN

District In Massachusetts is Against Woman Suffrage

tiated Press to Coce Bay Th BOSTON, Nov. 2.—Returns from 8701. The same precincts in 1914 Acushnet, first received from today's gave McCall 3583 and Walsh 8324, fensive movement, were repulsed The losses of the Carranza gar- election in Massachusetts, gave for Sergeant Mays was shot in the rison are reported by General Cal- Governor, McCall, Republican, 110; hand and Private Mitchell in the leg les as 45 killed and 75 wounded, Walsh, democrat, 48. The vote for the suffrage amendment stood for,

PROHIBITION UP

Ohio People vote on State-wide Liq-

uor Question Today Illy Associated Press to Cuca Bay Times.)

elections. State-wide prohibition of the liqamendment, which would forbid the sale or manufacture for sale of any

The "wets" have countered this vent the submission of any consti-Twenty-three hundred refugees tutional amendment more than

Is Only State,

Ohio is the only state in the Union which will vote this fall upon the liquor issue. In addition to the broader question of prohibition the so-called quiro license decentraliza-

Also Under Fire.

The Sprague Congressional redis- frage amendment is keen. tricting bill, passed by the recent Legislature, will also be under fire by referendum, which was petitioned General Funston arrived this deavoring to respect American ter- by the Democratic state organization. The redistricting law as drawn would, it is declared, result in normal years in the election of sixteen Republican Congressmen and possibly six Democratic Congressmen. The Democrats claim that the law which Transports With Soldiers Arrive Off they passed when in power divided the districts evenly as between the two parties.

> Statement Made by the Admiralty ors and other municipal officers, but no state officers are to be chosen this fall.

All cities in Ohio will select May-

ALL DEMOCRATIC

ocratic nominees for state offices.

KING GEORGE IS TODAY REPORTED RECOVERING

Associated Press to Cook may Times.] LONDON, Nov. 2.-King George, who returned to London last night from France, is recovering slowly from the fall from his horse.

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PRESIDENT WILSON CASTS HIS BALLOT IN NEW JERSEY

Third Time Within Few Weeks That He Has Made Trip Back

to Princeton

(By Associated Press to come Bay Times.) PRINCETON, N. J., Nov. 2 .- For the third time within a few weeks, President Wilson returned home today to vote. He cast his ballot in an effort to restore the New Jersey umn and elect Democrats to local

RETURNS INDICATE HIS ELEC-TION AS GOVERNOR

One-fourth of Boston Precincts Give Him Double the Vote of

McCall tilly Associated Press to Coce Bay Times, 1 of Boston gave McCall 4297, Walsh,

governor.

WOMEN ARE OUT Act as Watchers at Polls in New

York [By Associated Press to Coos day Times.] NEW YORK, Nov. 2 .- Some 6, 000 women suffragists were on duty TWO HUNDRED FROM WASHING COLUMBUS, Ohio, Nov. 2.-Citi- in every election district in New constitution were the only state-wide

ELECT IN MARYLAND Interest There Centers in Contest For Governor

[By Associated Press to Cook Bay Times.] BALTIMORE, Nov. 2 .- Autumn weather prevailed throughout Maryweeping, cowered behind brick or another provision which would pre- land today. Interest centered in

CONTEST IS CLOSE

Lively Contest for Governor On in Massachusetts

BOSTON, Nov. 2,-Indian sumtion law, passed by the recent Legis- mer weather prevailed here. It is lature, will be subjected to referen- generally conceded that the race bedum. The issue concerns largely tween Governor Walsh, Democrat American officers who watched the the method of Beense commission- and former Congressman McCall, Republican, for Governor, would be . close. Interest on the woman suf-

ANOTHER ANGLO-FRENCH EXPE-DITION TO BALKANS MADE

Kavala, Greece, Twenty Miles From Bulgarian Border

diy Associated Press to thes Hay Times.] AMSTERDAM. Nov. 2 .- A new Anglo-French expedition to the Balkans is announced by the Tageblatt, which says that British and French transports with troops, have appear-JACKSON, Miss., Nov. 2.—Be- ed off Khvala, Greece, which is garian border.

Times want ads pring results.

Capture Important Railroad Town and Forces Now Rushing on to Capture Nish

Think Rumania Will Enter the . War and That Greece May Possibly Also Help

STILL FIGHTING AT RIGA

Further Progress Claimed to Have Been Made by the Germans in That Quarter-Fierce Fighting Under Way in Dvinsk Region

[By Associated Press to tees Bay Times.]

LONDON, Nov. 2 .- According to reports received, Cask, an important Legislature to the Democratic col- railroad junction point in Serbia about 30 miles southwest of Kraguyevatz has been occupied by the Teutonic forces and apparently the invaders are now rushing through the valley toward Nish at a rapid

> Want Rumania In Meanwhile the entente allies are hoping Rumania may throw in her lot with them and that Greece will final-

ly join them also. The Bulgarians have drawn closer in on Nish. The French assert they inflicted considerable losses on the

Bulgarians in south Serbia. Fight in the East In the east, the German advance BOSTON, Nov. 2 .- Returns from on Riga from the west made further 50 out of 225 precincts in the city progress. In the Dvinsk region, Russians, undertaking a strong of-

Walsh is the present democratic with heavy losses. Further south is evidence of considerable extension of the Russian offensive. No important engagements are reported in the west.

TON WILL SEE GAME

See Football Event at San Francisco Today

issues before the voters of the state (By Associated Press to Coos Say Times.) SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 2 .- Two hundred and fifty University of Washington students with a band left for San Francisco on the steamer Congress today to attend the Washington-California football game at Berkeley Saturday,

> COSTS TEN DOLLARS TO ABUSE HIS WIFE

Fred Nieme was fined \$10 in the police court late today for assaulting bis wife yesterday. Mrs. Nieme appeared as her own attorney and sprung question after question at her 'usband, tangling him up in his answers. He told the judge he did not strike her in the face but sought only to take the revolver away from her and that the whole trouble started when she grabbed a handful of letters away from his. Mrs. Nieme is applying for a divorce.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* ITALIAN OFFENSIVE IS ON THE DECLINE

[By Associated Press to Coos Bay Times.] VIENNA, No. 2.—The general Italian offensive, which has been in progress for a fortnight, has been met successfully by the Austrians, the War Office announced, and is

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