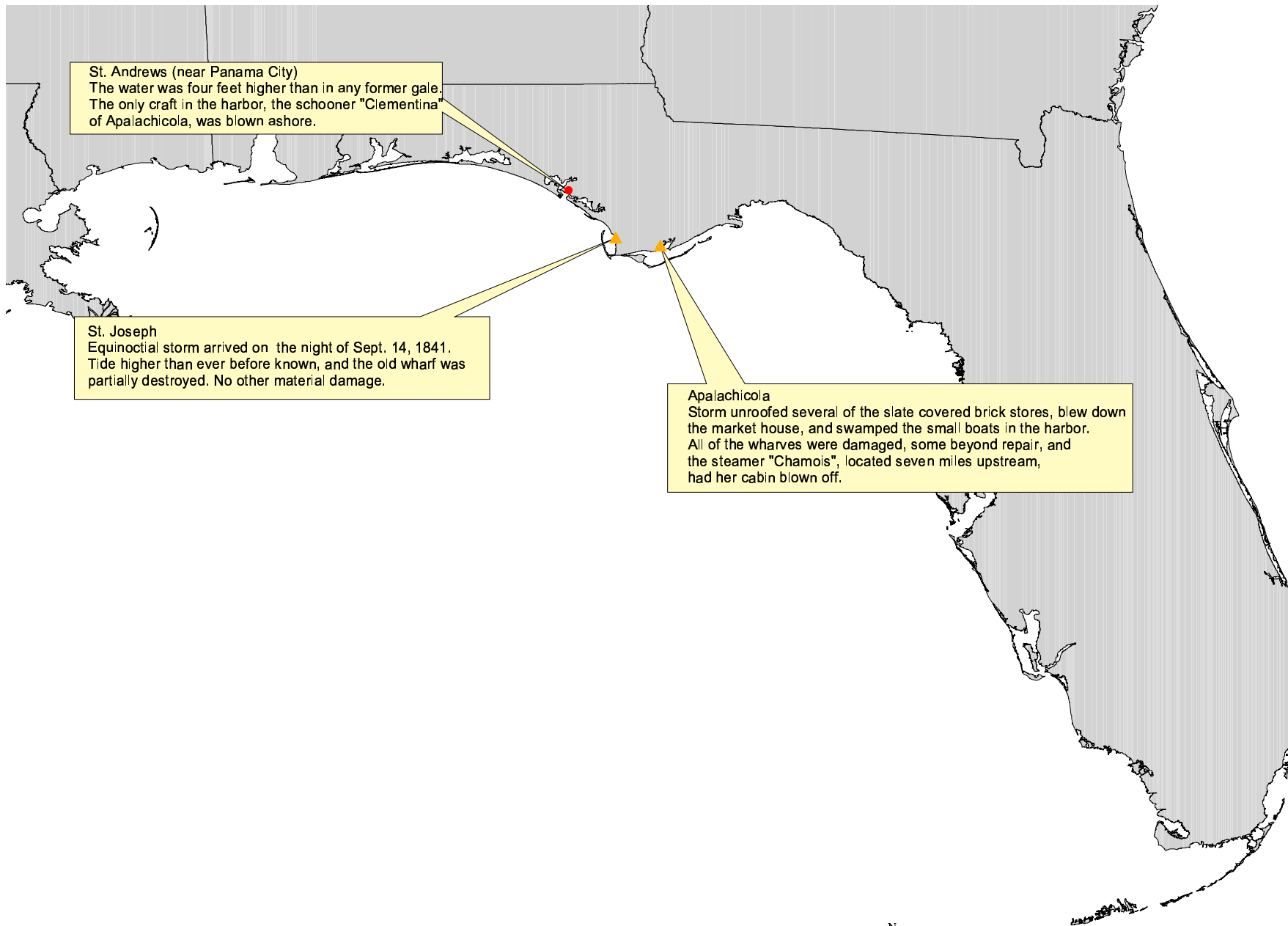


The Late Gale at St. Joseph - September 14th, 1841



St. Andrews (near Panama City)
The water was four feet higher than in any former gale. The only craft in the harbor, the schooner "Clementina" of Apalachicola, was blown ashore.

St. Joseph
Equinoctial storm arrived on the night of Sept. 14, 1841. Tide higher than ever before known, and the old wharf was partially destroyed. No other material damage.

Apalachicola
Storm unroofed several of the slate covered brick stores, blew down the market house, and swamped the small boats in the harbor. All of the wharves were damaged, some beyond repair, and the steamer "Chamois", located seven miles upstream, had her cabin blown off.

This storm was reported along the Gulf coast of Florida on Sept. 14, 1841. The storm was termed a "gale" in Ludlum (1963).



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