

Knysna

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KNYSNA. — The little town of Knysna, where the yacht Albatros II was built, was agog with excitement yesterday as news was flashed from Rio to Mr. H. E. E. Stent, chairman of the Thesens Company, about the feat of the Knysna sloop.

When the news hit Knysna yesterday afternoon the siren at the Thesens factory resounded all over town, and Mr. Stent reported having had telephone calls from all over the country.

At a cocktail party held at Thesens last night, Mr. Stent said: "We are proud of Albatros and her skipper John Goodwin. This is a proud day for South Africa, Knysna and the Thesen family."

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