

LOST WITH SHIP

Admiral Makaroff and 800 Men Go Down.

SEA FIGHT IS ON

Russian Vessel Strikes a Submerged Mine.

Turns Turtle and Sinks

Grand Duke Cyril, One of Few to Escape, Is Wounded.

Togo Is Off Port Arthur

While Returning to Roadstead, After Steaming Out to Attack Japanese, the Petropavlovsk Meets With Disaster.

THE LOST SHIP.

The Petropavlovsk, which had twice previously been reported damaged in Japanese attacks on Port Arthur, was a first-class battleship of 10,500 tons displacement...

ST. PETERSBURG, April 13.—Striking a submerged mine at Port Arthur today, the Petropavlovsk, the flagship of the Russian fleet...

According to the Associated Press informant while Admiral Makaroff was returning after going out to attack the Japanese fleet...

manner similar to the British battleship Victoria, which was rammied by the Camperdown in 1853...

Report of Alexieff. The following dispatch to the czar has been received from Viceroy Alexieff: "Mukden, April 13.—A telegram has just been received from Lieutenant-General Stoessel...

Another dispatch from Viceroy Alexieff to the czar says: "According to reports from the commandant at Port Arthur, the battleships and cruisers went out to meet the enemy...

Rear-Admiral Gligorovitch has reported to the czar that the Russian squadron was under Golden Hill when the flagship struck a mine...

Outlook Is Decidedly Gloomy. Even if Rear-Admiral Ouktomsky, who is now in charge of the fleet at Port Arthur...

STILL SHELLING THE TOWN. Togo has a Very Powerful Squadron Off Port Arthur. SPECIAL CABLE FROM THE CORRESPONDENT OF THE LONDON TIMES AND PORTLAND OREGONIAN.

ON BOARD THE STEAMER HIAMEN, off Port Arthur, April 13, by De Forrest Wireless Telegraph to Wei Hai Wei, April 14.—The Japanese torpedo squadron attacked Port Arthur this morning...

Argentine Ships in Line. The third and fourth of this latter line were the Kasaga and the Nisshin, built at Genoa, Italy...

The fleet with the battleship Mikasa flying Admiral Togo's flag, was shaping its course toward Port Arthur...

At 12:30 A. M. the shore batteries opened fire upon the Japanese fleet...

Three times the Japanese squadron circled the front of the Russian position...

TORN BY GRIEF

Russia Stunned at Death of Makaroff.

TRULY THE PRIDE OF NAVY

His Loss Far More Serious Than That of Many Ships.

CZAR'S SORROW DOUBLY KEEN

Valiant Officer Did Not Desire the Far Eastern Command, but His Ruler Would Not Accept a Refusal.

MAKAROFF'S BRILLIANT CAREER

Vice-Admiral Makaroff was appointed February 25 to the command of the Russian Pacific fleet. He was one of the heroes of the fighting on the River Danube during the Russo-Turkish War...

ST. PETERSBURG, April 12.—The awful disaster to the battleship Petropavlovsk at Port Arthur, with the loss of almost her entire crew of 600 men...

"Reveres we can endure," said a prominent Russian, "but to have the Petropavlovsk meet the fate of the Yenesei and the Boyarin is heart-breaking."

First Inking of the Catastrophe. The day has been one of intense excitement in St. Petersburg. The first inking of the catastrophe leaked out on the receipt of a telegram by Grand Duke Vladimir from his son, Grand Duke Boris...

At 12:30 A. M. the shore batteries opened fire upon the Japanese fleet...

Blown to Death

Terrible Disaster on Battleship Missouri.

TWENTY-NINE MEN KILLED

Powder Ignites as It Is Being Rammed Home.

FOUR OTHER CHARGES IGNITE

Captain Cowles Promptly Floods the Handling-Room, Saves Vessel and Then Heads Rescuing Party.

The blowing up of the Maine, to which the Missouri disaster is likened, was accompanied by the loss of 250 lives. It occurred at Havana, February 15, 1898...

Pride of the Navy. Vice-Admiral Makaroff's death is really a greater loss than would be the loss of several battleships. The pride of the navy was he, and he enjoyed the confidence of the Emperor...

ST. PETERSBURG, April 13.—By the explosion of 2000 pounds of powder in the after 12-inch turret and the handling-room of the battleship Missouri...

The Missouri was on the target range with the Texas and Brooklyn at practice about noon, when a charge of powder in the 12-inch left-hand gun ignited from gas...

Cause of the Explosion. Captain Cowles, completely overcome by the disaster, referred all newspaper men to Lieutenant Hammer, the ordnance officer...

The admiral's death is also mourned (Concluded on Page Three.)

WITH ONE VOICE

J. N. Williamson Is Nominated Representative.

MOODY DRAWS OUT OF RACE

His Followers Make Choice of Convention Unanimous.

NATIONAL DELEGATES NAMED

C. H. Carey and N. C. Richards Will Represent Second District Republicans—Williamson and Moody Forces Fight for Committee.

Republican nominee for Representative in Second District—J. N. Williamson, of Prineville.

WORK OF THE CONVENTION. Republican nominee for Representative in Second District—J. N. Williamson, of Prineville.

With one voice the Republican convention of the Second Congressional District yesterday declared J. N. Williamson, of Prineville, the Republican nominee for Representative.

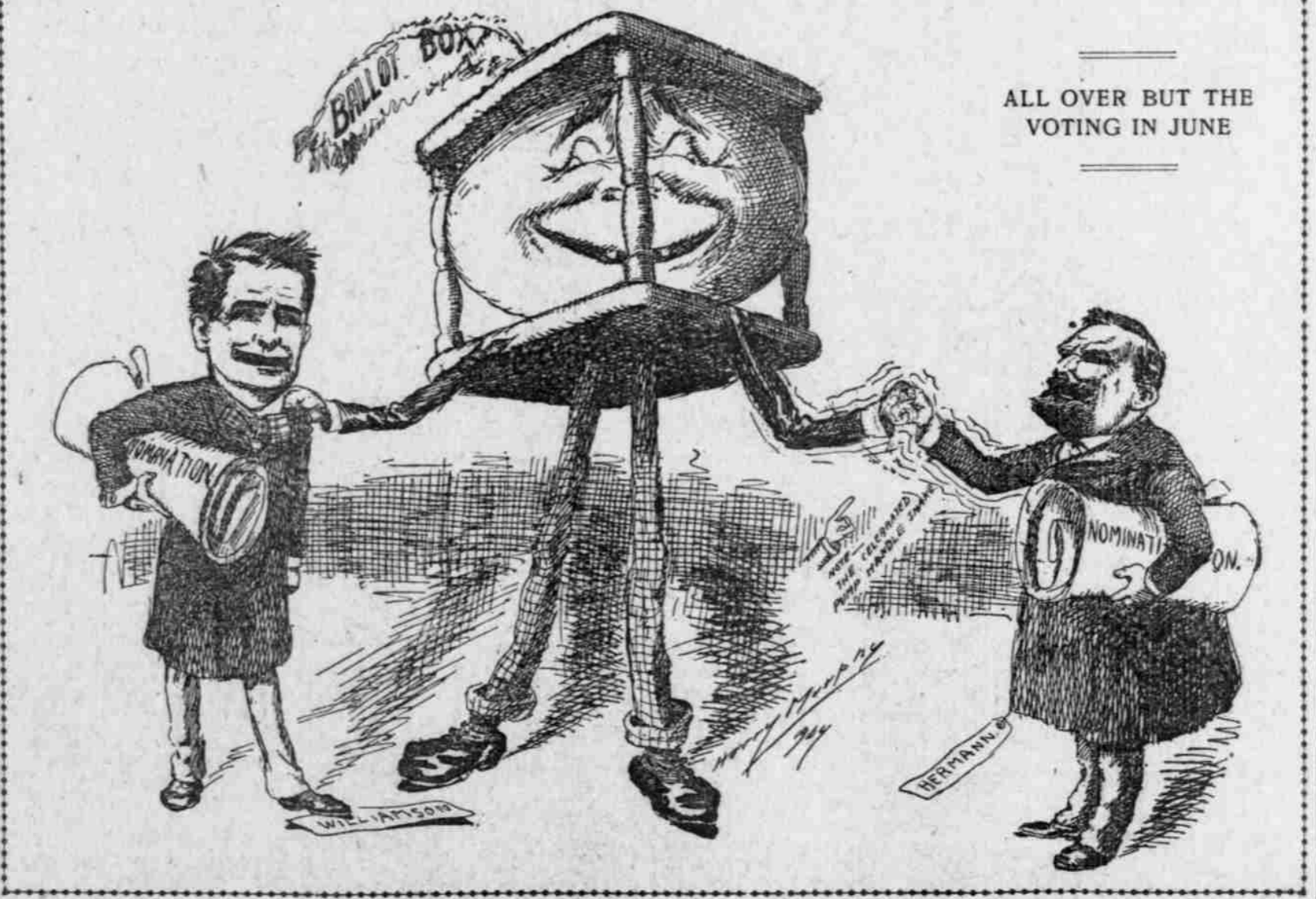
OFFICIAL REPORT OF DISASTER. Consternation Reigns at Capital—Moody Wires Victims' Relatives. WASHINGTON, April 13.—News of the disaster on the battleship Missouri was conveyed to the commandant at Pensacola by wireless telegraph from the Missouri...

Contents of Today's Paper. Russo-Japanese War. Admiral Makaroff and about 600 men are lost with battleship Petropavlovsk...

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