Some of the MOST NOTED AMERICAN WRITERS Will Contribute to THE SUNDAY JOURNAL



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The Russian cruiser Boyarin was blown up at Port Arthur with her entire crew of 200 men by coming in

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TING READY FOR COMING OF THE JAPS Russian Commander at Vladivostok

Orders People for Seventeen Miles Around to Move Out.

The News Creates Consternation and Everybody Believes That the Mikado's Forces Ate Getting Ready for Business.

(Journal Special Service.) St. Petersburg, March 5 .- The Russian commandant at Vladivostok has issued a proclamation warning the inhabitants within a 17-mile

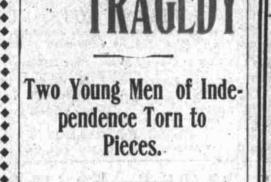
radius to leave immediately; taking their personal effects but no food stores nor cattle. This proclamation is regarded as evidence that the Russians expect an early attack upon Vladivostok.

. It is known that a part of the Japanese fleet was dispatched in the direction of Vladivostok and it is reported to have been seen in that vicinity, but its movements have been shrouded in secrecy. The harbor is ice-bound, but the Russians have been breaking the ice so as

to enable their vessels to get out. If Port Arthur should be taken by the Japanese or abandoned by the Russians, Vladivostok will be the next point of naval attack, and the action taken by the commandant is indicative of a fear that it may

SAYS THE JAPANESE USED FALSE LIGHTS this morning and Gilbert McCabe, a young boy of about 13 years of age, went down with him for the purpose

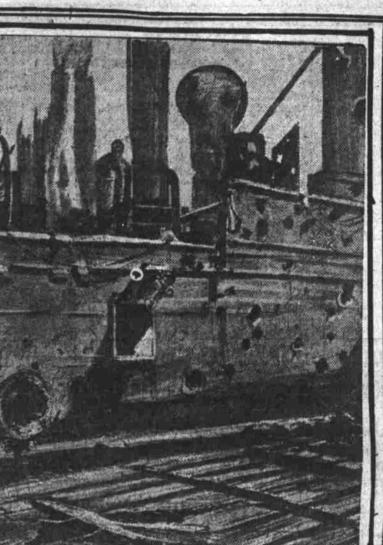
(Journal Special Service.) | been for a last look, when ship's lights, stumps. While Mr. Burton was heating St. Petersburg, March 5.-An officer white above red, according to the Rus- the dynamits in a can of hot water sian method, were observed. The capof the Russian cruiser Pallada in describing the first Japanese attack on tain supposed they were Russian boats from some unknown cause, exploded and Port Arthur, writes a denial of the returning from the drill until he noticed set off the rest of the hundred pounds a different style of attack that was he- of dynamite that was near by. story that the Russian officers were ing followed.



contact with a submarine mine

(Journal Special Service.) Independence, March 5 .- One of the nost distressing and horrible accidents that has occurred in Polk county, causing the death of two young men, hap-pened at 8 o'clock this morning about one and one-half miles north of Independonce, where Curtis Baker was dynamiting stumps with John Burton on Mr. Burton's hop land.

of visiting him and seeing him blast stumps. While Mr. Burton was heating preparatory to blasting, the dynamite, boys, McCabe and Baser, were instantly



Coup to Discomfit Simon Faction Compels Democrats to Advance Date of Caucuses to March 9.

CAUSES CONFUS

"They're Getting Scared" Says Senator Simon, "the Outlook Is Extremely Promising"---Session in "Jack" Matthews' Office.

March 16 is the date fixed for the primorning. April 2 is the date recommended by the state central committee. The advance of the date is taken as a coup on the part of the Mitchell faction of the Republican party. Mr. Field's notice follows the decision of the executive committee of the Republican county and city central committee which met last night in the

office of United States Marshal "Jack" Matthews, who has retired from politics, ecording to his own statement. County Clerk Field also attended.

Democrats Change Date. "In their efforts to defeat the Simon people, the Mitchell faction, by setting the date for the primaries as early as March 16, has entirely ignored the ex-istence of a Democratic party in this city and county," declared John B. Ryan, secretary of the Democratic county central committee. "Now that County Clerk Field has named March 16 as the date for the primaries, we will have to hold them in this city on that day as well. The Democratic primaries in the country precincts will be held March 15, at 2 o'clock in the after-

"The date originally set for the city caucuses was the evening of March 15. As conditions exist now we have been forced to change the date to March 9, the law requiring that the list of dele-gates be placed in the hands of the county clerk not less than four days prior to the date of the primaries. Notices have been sent out today to the precinct committeemen that the cau- marles on March 15. We have been pre-

Among the Simon Republicans the acmaries by County Clerk F. S. Field this tion of Judge Carey's committee is accepted as evidence of weakness and as a virtual confession that the Mitchell forces are losing ground. There is good reason to believe that Simon has been making substantial gains during the past fortnight and this has been especially noticeable on the west side of the river. His adherents insist that they will carry a decided majority of the west side precincts, and if they should do this and at the same time carry the precincts on the east side which they had two years ago, the victory would be theirs. Two years ago Simon carried only 15 of the 36 precincts on the west side.

Even so recently as the meeting of the Republican state central committee, Judge Carey and his committee ware in favor of holding the primaries as late as April 2, and it was at their suggestion that that date was formally recom-mended by the state committee. But the views of the Mitchell leaders have evidently undergone a change, and this is not unnaturally attributed to a fear that their success will be endangered by pro-longing the campaign.

Senator Simon Talks

Senator Simon was asked this morn-ing what he thought of the action of the

Mitchell faction in fixing such an early date for the primaries. "It is a plain indication that they are getting scared," he replied. "The longer the primaries are postponed, the weaker the Mitchell men were growing. We shall be quite ready for the pricuses will be held at 8 o'clock in the evening of March 9, and the list of make and we are not taken by surprise.

ashore, and asserts that the Japanese enemy headed back toward Dainy. The at once to close the breach. Soon after ened by the charge of powder. crews of the fleet retired.

be near at hand.

scended from the bridge where he had ended the attack.

JEWS IN RUSSIAN ARMY.

Over 30,000 of Them Have Already Been Sent to the Front.

(Journal Special Service.) St. Petersburg, March 5 .- The number

of Jews being sent to the front by the Russian government is utterly disproportionate to the proportion of Hebrews to the entire population. It is estimated that fully 12 per cent of the reinforcements to the ranks of the army are Jews and over \$0,000 of them are now pro-ceeding to the scene of operations to take part in the war against Japan. other class in Russia has contributed so largely in proportion to its numbers.

Notwithstanding these proofs of loyalty, popular hatred of the Jews con-tinues unabated and fears are entertained that wholesale massacres of the Jews will occur at the Easter holidays.

SMALLPOX BAGING IN BUSSIA.

(Journal Special Service.) St. Petersburg, March 5.-Smallpox has become epidemic in the trans-Balkal district and is raging flercely. Grave fears are entertained that the scourge may spread to the Russian troops and hurried precautions are being taken to prevent this. The wretched condition of the peasantry greatly hastens the spread of the disease.

ARRIVES AT ST. PETERSBURG. St. Petersburg. March 5.-Admiral Marakoff arrived by the trans-Baikal route direct, after a fortnight's trip, five days longer than usual.

ROFE FOR AMERICAN AID. St. Petersburg, March 5.—The Novos Vromya asserts that American ship-day. The crew were saved.

is dead.

The crews were then called to quar- killed. The bodies were picked up and used false lights. At 11 o'clock that ters; the guns were loaded with grape hurled in midair a distance of over 150 night a practice drill to repel torpedo and fire was opened. A terrific explo- feet, their limbs ware torn from their attacks was executed by the Russian sion under the Pallada submerged the bodies, which were disemboweled, and fleet and at midnight four Russian tor- cruiser's deck but did not stop the firing their faces were mangled beyond recogpedo boats that had simulated the or manouvering. Measures were taken nition, having been completely black-

A house standing at a distance of a raws of the fleet retired. The captain of the Pallada had de-Retvizan and the Czarivitch. This few hundred yards is in complete ruins the windows demolished, the casings and wood work wrenched loose, and the whole house practically off from its owners have offered to fit out a large foundation. The earth where the hornumber of fast steamships to act as ror occurred was torn up to a depth of four feet, and for a space of 30 to 40 feet in diameter. A small pig was feed-

ing a few yards distant and was in stantly killed. Japanese Fleet Again Preparing to Bom Mr. Burton was at work only a short distance away, and it was a miracle that Mr. Wood, a young man who was in the field, was not also killed. He

had started to the spot where the boys report here this morning that Port Arwere and was called back by Mr. Burton, who wished him to help him with some of his work. But for this he too forces in China in the Boxer uprising, is will renew the attack. The Russian, dying. would have fallen a victim to the explosion. pected.

The coroner of Dallas was called up, but he concluded that an official investigation would not have to be made and the bodies were picked up and taken to the undertaking parlors for burial.

Gilbert McCab was a young man of about 18 years of age. His father died he was aide de camp to the king of being Prince Frederick of Schleswig-here about a year ago and his mother Prussia and was present as a staff of- Holstein. is living in the east. His father be-queathed him the tile factory at this in the yacht Zarla, arrived here today. Baron Tell, the commander of the exboy's guardian, 'Laomas Pomeroy. Mc-Cabe had stated that he had no work to Baron Tell, the commander of the several pedition, was drowned with several companions in November, 1902, while making a trip in a small boat from the got up early and left with his friend

It is thought that the sudden BELGIAN STRAMER FOUNDERS.

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ISLAND CITY RECTORY (Journal Special Service.) New York, March 5 .- Rev. Father Mr. Baker was a young man of about 22 years of age, and well known here, having been in this city for a number Higher the state of the pather that the state of the pather the state of the state of the state of the pather the state of the state

jured in a fire 'which destroyed St. Patrick's church and the adjoining rectory this morning at Long Island City. The fire caught in the church and spread unknown.

Orleans and Le Mans. At the conclu sion of the war he was made German charge d-affaires at Paris. In 1888 he His last conspicuous military service

The Countess von Waldersee was Miss

delegates will be filled not later than the evening of March 11. Alex. Sweek, the chairman of the committee, is out of the city, but I have been authorized to take this action by the executive committee, which will meet tonight. At

that time my action will be indorsed. "We were led to believe that the date of the primaries would be set for April 2, or in any event not earlier than March 23. The date we selected for the caucuses, March 15, would have date so early in relation to the Simon

party. Though taken by surprise, we

will accomplish what we set out to do." county central committee.

ASHLAND GIRL HAS CAUGHT A TARTAR

Redding, Cal., March 5.-Rose Fowler, the 14-year-old adopted daughter of Price Fowler of Ashland, Or., has mysteriously disappeared. The papers recording her adoption are also missing. It is believed that the girl has been kidnaped.

down one by one. The burglars were so dazed that they were unable to get away, and were soon made helpless by away, and were soon made helpless by the sturdy widow's blows. The police DISASTROUS FLOODS were summoned and took the men into custody.

JEALOUSY WAS THE CAUSE.

(Journal Special Service.)

(Journal Special Service.) Wahington, D. C., March 5.-Justice New York, March 5. -- Charles P Muhlback, an enamel letter manufacturer, committed suicide this morning after attempting to kill his niece, Lena Fressnicht, who persisted in receiving ent letter box fastener, and sentenced him to two years in Moundsville, W. the attentions of a suitor who was ob-jectionable to Muhlback. The woman Va. prison and to pay a fine of \$10,000. is in a critical condition, having rethe same as the other co-defendants in

> London, March 5 .- King Edward is better today, and continued improve-ment is expected. In the province of Granada. Many of the villagers were entombed.

(Journal Special Service.) Madrid, March 5.-An avalanche of snow today buried the village of Reas

LOST IN WHIRL OF PORTLAND STREETS

Supposed to have more than \$600 in rival in this city he went to the Y. M. his pockets and with no friends in this C. A., where he registered, and said thas city, a youngster of 20 named Voegel he was a Presbyterian. The boy was a has disappeared. Vogel had been in Portland since Thursday. Upon his to American city ways. He said that he arrival here he is said to have depos-ited his savings of two years in a local bank, and yesterday afternoon drew out the money. No trace of him has since Fourth street. been found. After eating his lunch yesterday, Von-

been found. Voegel came from the Fatherland marily two years ago, and since living in America has been employed as a shoop herder near Fairview. For 16 months Voegel worked near Fairview and saved all his scarings. He was anxious to secure an English edu-catioh, and so every cent of his pay, which was \$40 a month, was saved. Having suved something over \$660 the roung shoepharder came to Portland in an

THE JOURNAL is both surprised and gratified over the deep and general interest which is being manifested in its new enterprisethe printing of a Sunday newspaper which it has just announced. It has believed that Portland was ripe for such a paper but it was not aware that the sentiment favoring it was so strong and abiding. All classes of people are looking forward to the day as though it marked an epoch in our local history.

The intense good will thus shown, The Journal heartily appreciates, and it will do its very best to live up to expectations. This good will is already manifesting itself in the tangible form of subscriptions to the Sunday issue which are coming by mail, by telephone and over the counters of the business office.

By a remarkable coincidence the very first subscription to come into the office for the Sunday issue was handed in by the very first subscriber to the evening edition. His name is George M. Cockburn. He is a florist with greenhouses at Lone Fir. The first subscription to be sent in came from A. J. Brown of the Laue-Davis company.

Since then there have been many others, but these were the first and therefore deserve the special distinction herein given them.

Don't forget the date. It is March 20. And we violate no confidence in saying that The Sunday Journal will be strictly worth while.

Subscriber thize in the war between Russia and anniversary of the Birth of Robert Em-met, the great Irish patriot, was cele-brated last night at Native Sons' hall. "I say to you, my friends, that the under the auspices of the Knights of the Red Branch. For the past 35 years this society has honored Emmet's mem-re to similar fachion and the year interview. This was between Russia and Japan?" I say to you, my friends, that the action taken by Russia 40 years ago, when the United States had not another friend in the world, has not passed from to THE ory in similar fashion, and this year the celebration was, if possible, even more enthusiastic than its predecessors. SUNDAY action. Russia has always shown her

A notable feature of the occasion was sympathy with the cause of oppressed the declaration of Chairman James T. Ireland. For that reason, if for no Caniffe that the sympathies of the other, our sympathies should be with Knights of the Red Branch are with the Russia.

cause of Russia in the war now rag-ing in the Orient. Mr. Caniffe brought up the subject during the course of his remarks, introductory to the evening's our race—England. That is enough for celebration. He said: "The society of the Knights defeat of Japan." celebration. He said:

celebration. He said: "The society of the Knights of the Red Branch is universally regarded as the true Irish nation." The speaker's remarks were greeted with loud cheering by the entire audialist organization in this country. That | encor

(San Francisco Bureau of The Journal.) being so, the question will be asked San Francisco, March 5.—The 126th With which nation do the Irish sympa-| being so, the question will be asked; anniversary of the birth of Robert Em-

"WE PRAY FOR THE DEFEAT OF JAPAN"

privateers in the Russian service.

WILL RENEW THE ATTACK.

bard Port Arthur.

(Hearst Special Service.)

thur is now isolated and that the Jap-

anese fleet is again close in shore and

BACK AT STOCKHOLM

(Journal Special Service.)

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ships are still in the harbor.

POLAR EXPEDITION

St. Petersburg, March 5 .- There is a

for the bottom, where the accident occurred. VETERAN WATCHMAKER DEAD. Mr. Baker was a young man of about (Journal Special Service.)

Stockholm, March 5.-The Russian queathed him the tile factory at this FATAL FIRE IN LONG

having been in this city for a number of years. His death comes as a terrible Boston, March 5.-Edward Howard, the dean of the American watchmakers, shock and calamity to the stricken family. No blame is placed for the acci-

contraction caused by the hot water to the rectory. Escape was cut off by the postoffice conspiracy trial. Groff in the freezing process was the cause the flames. The cause of the fire is was subsequently released on bonds of of the explosion.

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The effect of the successful fire of a modern war vessel's guns is illustrated by the above photograph, taken during the war between Japan and China. It shows the Chinese battleship Chen Yueh, which was completely riddled by the Japanese gunners.

GERMANY'S GREATEST SOLDIER IS AT REST

Manover, March 5 .- Count von Wal- mont, Sedan, Beaune la Rolande, Loigny,

Hanover, March 5 .- Count von Waldersee, the famous Prussian field mar- was appointed chief of the Prussian shal, and the commander of the allied staff and in 1898 he became inspectorin China in the Boxer uprising, is The end is momentarily ex- knight of the Grand Cross of the Bath.

was as the commander of the allied Germany has no more distinguished forces in the march to Peking. Count soldier than Count von Waldersee. He von Waldersee was born in April, 1832. entered the Prussian army in 1850 and The Countess von Waldersee was Miss served in the campaigns of 1866 and Mary Esther Les of New York. She 1870. During the Franco-Prussian war was married twice, her first husband

GROFF GETS SAME

(Journal Special Service.) lersee is dead.

Fannie Blackburn, a widow of 35 years, who is fair but muscular. She used a hickory club on the men as they emerged from the cellar, knocking them

AS CO-DEFENDANTS

faction also applies to the Democratic

(Journal Special Service.)

given us plenty of time to carry out our plans. I suppose that the same motive which has actuated the setting of the

No, our fight will not be embarrassed by an early primary. We have been by an early primary. gaining ground steadily and every day that passes means fewer votes for the Mitchell faction." "Then you consider the outlook promising?"

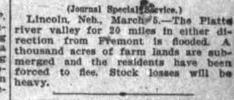
"It is extremely promising," replied Senator Simon with emphasis. The Democratic county convention will be held on April 14, the date net for the Republican state convention.

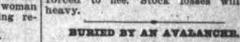
is announced that the date for Republican county convention and the apportionment of delegates will be determined tonight. Notices were sent out this morning to precinct committeemen to hand in their lists to the Republican

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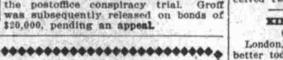






ceived two wounds.

KING EDWARD BETTER. (Journal Special Service.)



Iffcer at the battle of Gravelotte, Beau-FOUND THEY HAD

Cleveland, O., March 5 .- Three burg lars were captured last night by Mrs.