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TO VISIT MRS. M'KINLEY. Secretary Root and Senator Hanna Will Go to Canton Today.

TO HONOR ROOSEVELT. Move on Foot to Make Him a Colonel in a British Line Regiment.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 25.—Secretary of War Root will arrive in Cleveland early tomorrow morning to be for a brief time the guest of Senator Hanna. At noon Secretary Root, accompanied by Senator and Mrs. Hanna, will leave in a private car over the Baltimore & Ohio road for Canton to visit Mrs. McKinley. The party will return to Cleveland tomorrow afternoon. On Saturday Secretary Root and Mr. Hanna will go to Akron, where both are to make speeches at the opening of the state campaign in that city Saturday afternoon.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The Daily Chronicle this morning gives currency to a rumor that a movement is on foot to make President Roosevelt a Colonel in a British line regiment. The paper believes that the matter of precedent for such action is being inquired into.

Time Limit of Harbor-Work Contract HONOLULU, Sept. 25.—The contract for the harbor work at Honolulu, which has been subject the Pearl harbor dredging contract, have been given nine months by the Navy Department in which to complete it.

## ASK LARGE SUM

State's Share for '05 Fair \$500,000.

## THE TAX NOT TO BE HEAVY

Covering Two Years, It Will Be 1.75 Mills.

## LEGISLATURE IS TO DETERMINE

Ways and Means Committee of Exposition Speedily Reaches Conclusion—How Ten New Directors Are to Be Chosen.

Five hundred thousand dollars for the Lewis and Clark Fair of 1905. This sum the ways and means committee of the Exposition will advise the directors to ask from the Oregon Legislature next January. The committee reached the decision last night, after a brief discussion. The vote was unanimous.

The sum of \$500,000 has engaged the private discussion of the directors and citizens for some time past. It was a clearly fixed upon by common understanding that the committee reached the focus of its deliberations last night some time before it reduced the question to a formal vote.

The committee decided to advise that at least five of the 10 additional directors to be chosen by the stockholders of the fair on October 6 be selected from parts of Oregon outside of Portland. It also discussed the advisability of having three of the five members of the committee on legislation, which is yet to be appointed, represent parts of the state other than Portland. The objection was that the quorum of the committee would depend on members who lived at a distance from the city, and who might not always be able to attend the meetings of the committee. This question is still under advisement.

To Decide on a Sum. Chairman Fenton said at the outset of the meeting that, inasmuch as the committee on legislation had not yet been created, the consideration of what appropriation would be sought from the Legislature might properly be initiated by the ways and means committee. According to the by-laws of the fair, this committee is "charged with the duty of raising funds necessary for the corporate purposes of the company, including the soliciting and collecting of subscriptions to the capital stock, the selling of tickets of admission, the fixing upon the rates at which concessions are to be made, and the disposal of, and all other matters relative to the collection of amounts due or to become due to the company."

Work for Legislation Committee. If the committee on legislation were created, the deliberation over the state appropriation would come promptly within its sphere of duty. The opinion last night was that as soon as this committee is appointed the appropriation should be attended to by that body instead of within the ways and means committee. Section 14 of the by-laws says:

It shall be the duty of this committee (on legislation) to initiate and secure the passage of all legislation necessary for the business of this company, whether municipal, in the several states or in the Congress of the United States; to report from time to time to the executive committee of pending legislation, and to recommend such measures as to them may seem best to promote the success of the company's business.

From the General Fund. The sentiment of the committee was that the Legislature should appropriate the money for the fair from the general funds of the state. An appropriation raised by a special tax was deemed impracticable. Mr. Fenton said that the appropriation could not be made directly to the Exposition, because of constitutional obstacles, but he suggested that the money given by the state could be expended under the authority of a commission created for the purpose. This commission could co-operate with the fair management, and although technically it would be a body created with individual duties, yet practically its work would be in common with that of the directors.

Tax for Two Years. The committee will advise that the tax to meet the appropriation cover a period of two years, namely 1903 and 1904. The amount collected in 1904 and 1905 would be \$500,000 for the year. The appropriation could be met by a levy, which, at most, would be 1 1/2 mills.

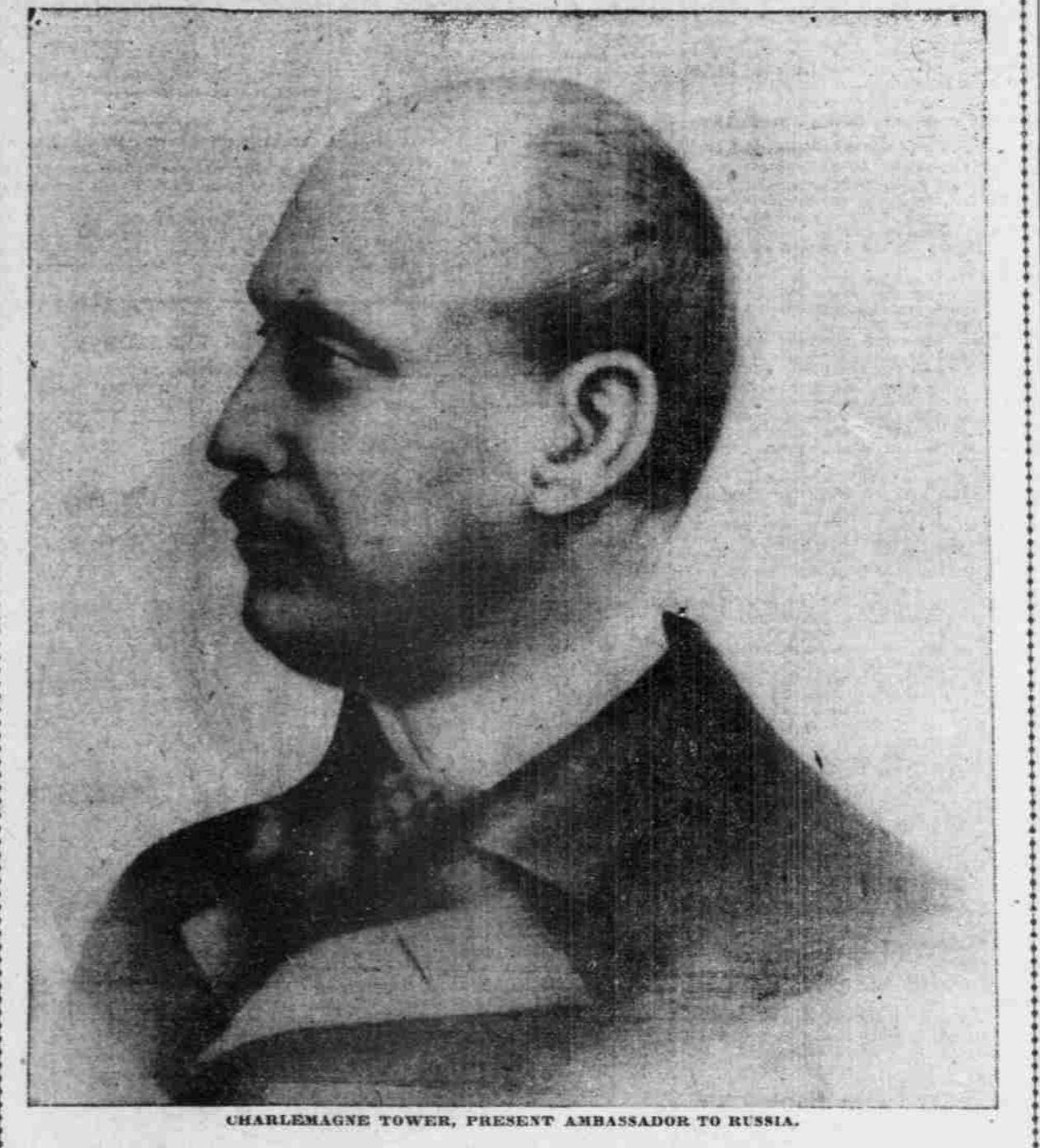
The assessed valuation of the state in 1901 was \$11,395,513. In 1900 it will probably be considerably more, so that a levy of 1 1/2 mills would meet requirements. The levy under which taxes are now paid is 3 1/2 mills. An addition of 1 1/2 mills would make it 5 1/2 mills—a levy which would be only 7 mill above the highest that has been imposed in the past decade. In 1892 the levy was 7 mills on an assessed valuation of \$10,000,000.

Added to the Board. Mr. Wolfe strongly insisted that influential citizens of districts outside of Portland be added to the board of directors. His suggestions moved the committee to make the recommendation as stated above. Mr. Wolfe said that the attachment of such persons to the management of the fair would go far toward enlisting the co-operation of all districts of Oregon in the enterprise. The arrangement would also remove any local tinge that in the eyes of outside people might have colored the fair project.

Members of the committee present were: W. D. Fenton, L. N. Fleischner, G. W. Bates, A. H. Devers, J. F. O'Shea and Adolph Wolfe.

Good Friend of the Fair. "The Lewis and Clark Fair can have anything from Eastern Oregon it wants," (Concluded on Second Page.)

## APPOINTED AMBASSADOR TO GERMANY BY PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.



CHARLEMAGNE TOWER, PRESENT AMBASSADOR TO RUSSIA.

## TOWER TO SUCCEED WHITE

AMBASSADOR TO RUSSIA WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO GERMANY.

His Successor to Be Bellamy Storer, American Representative at Court of Madrid.

BERLIN, Sept. 25.—President Roosevelt has chosen Charlemagne Tower, Ambassador to Russia, to succeed Andrew D. White as Ambassador to Germany. Notices of this decision, and that Mr. White's letters of recall had been issued by the State Department, have reached the Foreign Office here.

Mr. White will probably not have his farewell audience of the Emperor November 7, his birthday, as had been provisionally arranged, because His Majesty leaves November 5 for England. The retiring Ambassador, therefore, is not likely to present his letters of recall until the middle of November.

## STORER TO SUCCEED WHITE

Ambassador to Court of Madrid Will Be Sent to Russia.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—The appointment of Charlemagne Tower, as Ambassador to Germany, to succeed Mr. White, is confirmed. Mr. Tower's acceptance of the German mission will create a vacancy in the Ambassadorship to Russia, which is held now by him. It is regarded as quite probable that he will in turn be succeeded by Hon. Bellamy Storer, present Ambassador to the Court of Madrid.

## CAREER OF TOWER.

Charlemagne Tower, who was yesterday appointed United States Ambassador to Germany, has held a like appointment to Russia since January, 1899. Mr. Tower was born in Philadelphia, April 17, 1848. He received his education at the Military Academy at New Haven, Conn., and at the Phillips Academy, Exeter, N. H. In 1872 he was graduated from Harvard. He received the degree of LL. D. from Lafayette College. Mr. Tower studied history, foreign languages and literature in Europe, 1872-6, and studied law in Philadelphia. He was admitted to the bar in 1878. From 1883 to 1887 he resided in Duluth, Minn., and was president of the Duluth & Iron Range Railroad, and manager and director of the Minnesota Iron Company. He returned to Philadelphia in 1887. Mr. Tower has large interests and is an officer and director in several corporations. He was for several years a trustee of the University of Pennsylvania. He is a member of the Academy of Natural Sciences, American Philosophical Society, American Institute of Mining Engineers, etc. Mr. Tower was appointed United States Minister to Austria-Hungary in 1897, and was promoted to Ambassador to Russia in January, 1899. He is a staunch Republican.

## Service for Queen of Belgium.

BRUSSELS, Sept. 25.—A memorial service in honor of the late Queen Marie Henriette was celebrated today in the Cathedral of Sainte Gudule, King Leopold and members of the royal family attended, accompanied by a large procession of military and civil officials, diplomats and Cabinet Ministers.

## Wichita Flour in Texas.

WICHITA, Kan., Sept. 25.—The Interstate Commerce Commission took up today the matter of the complaint of Wichita against the Santa Fe and Rock Island roads for alleged discriminations

## ROOSEVELT DOING NICELY

PRESIDENT SPENDS THE DAY SITTING UP IN BED.

Good Results Are Already Apparent From the Complete Rest He is Giving His Injured Leg.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—President Roosevelt was resting very comfortably when his physicians called to see him this evening. He is complying strictly with their injunctions to give his injured leg complete rest, and good results are already apparent. In view of the improvement in the President's condition, no prepared statement was made. Secretary Cortelyou simply saying when he left the temporary White House at 10 o'clock for the evening, that Mr. Roosevelt was doing nicely. Dr. Lung, the President's regular physician, had left the house at an early hour.

## De Witte Starts for Manchuria.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 25.—M. de Witte, Minister of Finance, started for Manchuria yesterday.

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## AS VIEWED BY LITTLEFIELD.

HENDERSON'S DECLINATION WILL HAVE NO EFFECT OUTSIDE OF IOWA.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Sept. 25.—Representative Littlefield, of Maine, passed through this city this afternoon en route to San Francisco, where, after a few days' rest, he will begin a campaign of the Pacific States under the direction of the National Republican Congressional Committee.

## THE DEATH ROLL.

Justice of Kansas Supreme Court.

TOPEKA, Kan., Sept. 25.—Justice A. H. Ellis, of the Kansas Supreme Court, died here very suddenly tonight at 10:30. He had been in bad health for several months. Justice Ellis served in a Michigan regiment during the Civil War. In 1878 he came to Kansas, settling in Beloit. He was appointed by the Supreme Court by Governor Stanley two years ago, and was nominated by the Republican State Convention for a four years' term. He was one of the leading Republicans of the state, and was an able member of the Supreme Court.

## "Bud Brier," Journalist and Writer.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—William Hopkins, a member of the Globe staff, and known under the pen name of "Bud Brier," is dead at Newton from pneumonia, says a Boston dispatch to the Times. His home was at Danversville, O.

## Report of the Santa Fe.

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—The annual report of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railroad for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1902, shows a balance sheet earnings for the year. A balance of \$1,027,415 was carried forward. During the year the stockholders received a total of \$785,919 in dividends.

## IOWA IS LOYAL

Republicans Stand by Roosevelt.

## TARIFF POLICY INDORSED

Judge Birdsall Named to Succeed Henderson.

## STATE PLATFORM REAFFIRMED

Third District Convention Holds Its Tariff Plank Is but a Reiteration of St. Louis Declaration in the Interest of Workingmen.

"We cordially recognize and earnestly commend the patriotic fervor of President Roosevelt and the wisdom of both the foreign and domestic policies of his Administration, which are adding constantly to the high reputation of the Nation abroad and the prosperity of the people at home."—Iowa, Third District, Republican platform.

HAMPTON, Ia., Sept. 25.—Judge R. P. Birdsall, of Clarion, Ia., was today nominated for Congress by the Third district Republican convention, to succeed Speaker D. B. Henderson, who declined a renomination. The nomination was made on the second ballot by a vote of 88 to 26 for C. A. Ransier, of Buchanan. The report of the committee on resolutions adopted by the convention was as follows:

"We the representatives of the Republicans of the Third Congressional District of Iowa heartily endorse the platform of principles adopted by the late Republican state convention at Des Moines. We deny that the Dingley tariff breeds and shelters trusts. We interpret the tariff plank in the Des Moines platform of 1902 to be nearly a reiteration of and to mean no more than the St. Louis plank of 1896, which recited: 'We are not pledged to any particular schedules. The question of rates is a practical question to be governed by the conditions of the times and of production. The ruling and uncompromising principle is the protection and development of American labor and industry.'"

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"We most earnestly regret the declination of the renomination which the Republicans of this district for the 15th time unanimously tendered the Hon. D. B. Henderson. No official has been more anxious to keep in touch with, and faithfully represent the well-considered judgment of his constituents than has Colonel Henderson during all the long years of his Congressional career. We have faith in his patriotism, and in his personal and political integrity. We are conscious of his great mental power and ability. We realize his superior judgment and commanding influence in Governmental affairs, and believe his withdrawal means a great loss to the people."

Judge Birdsall is about 45 years old. The only office he has ever held is the Judgeship of the District Court, which he resigned a year ago to resume the practice of law in Clarion.

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