

WHICH TO CHOOSE

Fairbanks Defines Rival Policies.

SPEECH AT ARMORY

Vast Throng Makes Roof Ring With Cheers.

ROOSEVELT ENTHUSIASM

Tribute Paid to Oregon for Its Splendid Majority.

DOLLIVER ALSO MAKES A HIT

Republican Candidate Thrills Portland Audience With Word-Picture of Contrast Between Panic and Prosperity.

Oregon's second gun was fired last night at the armory, when Charles W. Fairbanks...

It was a patriotic meeting and the hundreds of flags that draped the hall floated and fluttered in the waves of patriotism that shook the building...

Long before the speakers had left their hotel for the speaking place, the armory was crowded by thousands...

Wave of Cheering Bursts Out. As the party entered the hall the band was playing "America"...

Senator Mitchell's Speech. This magnificent audience is a tribute of which any city could well and justly be proud...

When Senator Fairbanks arose in answer to the introduction, pandemonium was let loose in the hall. He tried to speak and his voice was beaten back upon him...

Mr. Fairbanks spoke of the magnificent reception accorded him and made known his gratitude...

Oregon Spoke for Nation. He paid a tribute to Oregon and to the stand taken by the state...

The speaker then turned to the Representatives of the state in Congress and eulogized Senator Mitchell...

The Lewis and Clark Exposition was touched upon and the speaker said that Oregon paid high honor to herself by the commemoration of so great an achievement...

The Senator then delved into the National issues of the day and spoke of the tariff as the policy of the Republican party from the first...

THE REPUBLICAN POLICY. Senator Fairbanks Gives Masterly Review of the Campaign Issues.

Senator Fairbanks said in part: "I thank you for your more than generous welcome. I realize in the fullest degree that it is not altogether personal..."

SLAVS CHECK IT

Advance of Enemy, East of Mukden, Blocked.

HARD FIGHT UNNECESSARY

Raid Is Made Upon Boats Carrying Supplies to Oyama.

NUMBER SENT TO BOTTOM

Doubt Now Arises as to Whether the Czar Will Give His Consent to Immediate Reorganization of the Navy.

Advices received by the Russian General Staff last night are to the effect that a check has been put upon the advance of the Japanese to the eastward of Mukden...

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 2 (1:35 A. M.)—A dispatch from General Sakharoff, received by the General Staff late last night...

The operations to the west of Mukden have extended 26 miles down the Hun River, where the Japanese were temporarily driven out from Tachantan and seven supply-boats were burned.

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BRITAIN KEENLY FEELS LOSS

Deceased the Greatest Political Gladiator of His Day.

MEMBER OF THE OLD SCHOOL

Servant Calls the Ex-Liberal Leader, Receives a Response, and Returns in a Short Time to Find His Master Has Died.

SIR WILLIAM HARCOURT. Born in 1827. Graduated Trinity College with high distinction. Admitted to the bar, 1854. Became Queen's counsel, 1866. Professor international law at Cambridge, 1869.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Sir William Harcourt, the finest political gladiator of his age, died very suddenly today at Nuneham Park, near Oxford...

Among all classes in the United Kingdom, regardless of party, the unexpected news caused a sensation and unique regret.

"With the late Liberal leader there has passed away one of the last of those titanic figures bound up with the most brilliant traditions of the House of Commons."

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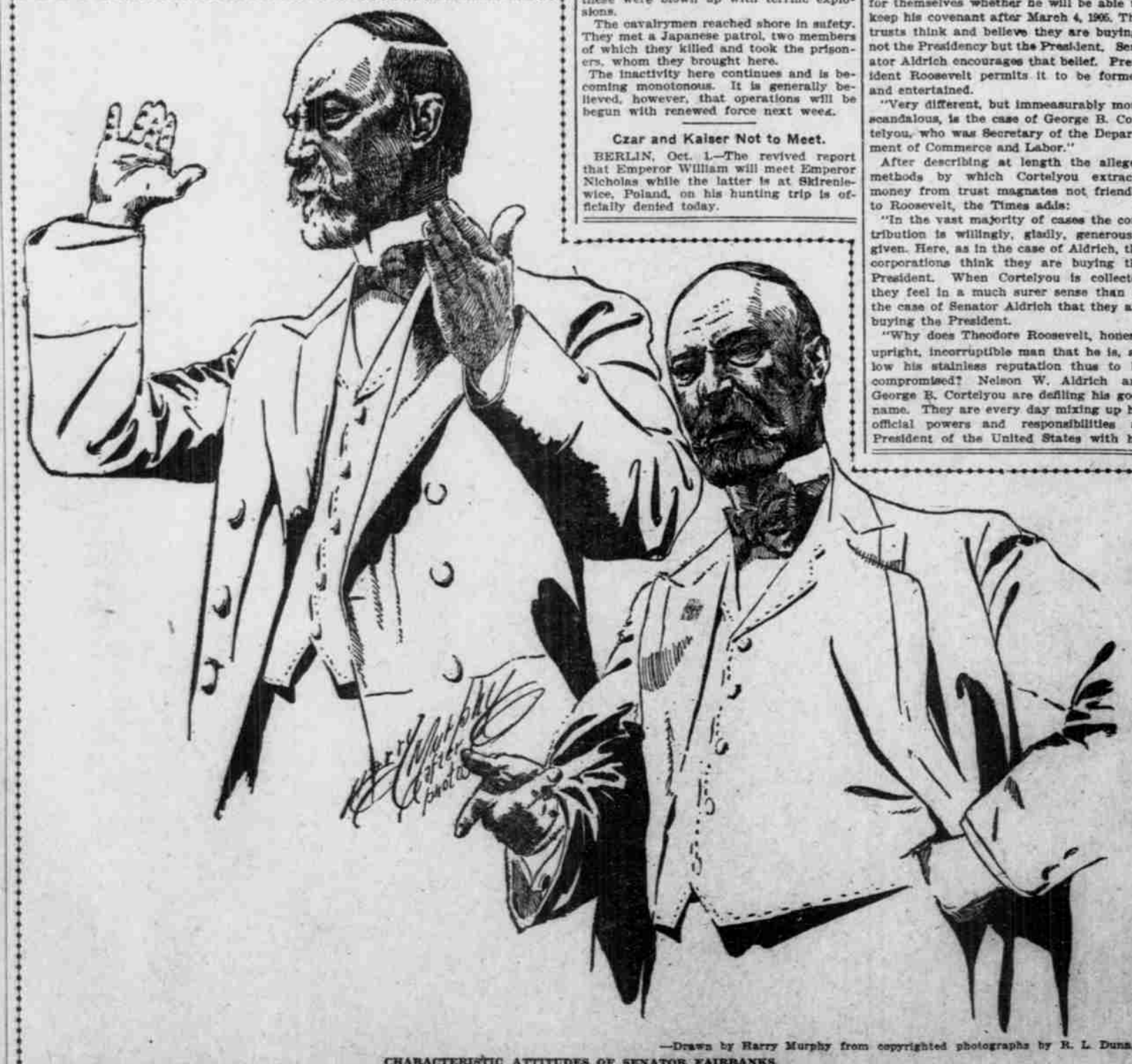
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