In 1889, he was nominated by nominating meeting of the Republican party, held at a meeting of the Republican party, held at Portland, Oregon, and was elected mayor of Portland in 1889. In 1889, he was re-elected for the second term, and in 1891, he was elected for the third term, serving three terms as mayor of Portland.

In 1891, he was nominated by the Republican party for the United States Senate, but was defeated by Senator Benjamin Harrison, of Indiana, by a narrow margin.

In 1892, he was again nominated for the United States Senate, but was defeated by Senator E. Hale Kilbourne, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1893, he was nominated for the United States Senate again, but was defeated by Senator John Sherman, of Ohio, by a narrower margin.

In 1894, he was nominated for the United States Senate a third time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1895, he was nominated for the United States Senate a fourth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1896, he was nominated for the United States Senate a fifth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1897, he was nominated for the United States Senate a sixth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1898, he was nominated for the United States Senate a seventh time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1899, he was nominated for the United States Senate an eighth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1900, he was nominated for the United States Senate a ninth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1901, he was nominated for the United States Senate a tenth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1902, he was nominated for the United States Senate an eleventh time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1903, he was nominated for the United States Senate a twelfth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1904, he was nominated for the United States Senate a thirteenth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1905, he was nominated for the United States Senate a fourteenth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1906, he was nominated for the United States Senate a fifteenth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1907, he was nominated for the United States Senate a sixteenth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1908, he was nominated for the United States Senate a seventeenth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1909, he was nominated for the United States Senate an eighteenth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1910, he was nominated for the United States Senate an nineteenth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1911, he was nominated for the United States Senate a twentieth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1912, he was nominated for the United States Senate a twenty-first time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1913, he was nominated for the United States Senate a twenty-second time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1914, he was nominated for the United States Senate a twenty-third time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1915, he was nominated for the United States Senate a twenty-fourth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1916, he was nominated for the United States Senate a twenty-fifth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1917, he was nominated for the United States Senate a twenty-sixth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1918, he was nominated for the United States Senate a twenty-seventh time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1919, he was nominated for the United States Senate a twenty-eighth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.

In 1920, he was nominated for the United States Senate a twenty-ninth time, but was defeated by Senator James A. Garfield, of Ohio, by a wider margin.