

WHAT HAS GIVEN BOOTH IN EUGENE

Women and Business Men Separately Indorse Candidate, Laud His Probity.

INTENSE EMOTION SHOWN

Young and Old, Rich and Poor Proclaim to Favorite Son That Attacks by Political Opponents and in Press Are Resented.

EUGENE, Or., Oct. 12.—(Special)—R. A. Booth, candidate for the people of Eugene and Lane County to receive their approval in face of attacks upon him by Governor West and political opponents, declared tonight that he believed these acts of commendation clinched his election.

He referred to two specific instruments of approval. One was a letter presented to him tonight as a surprise by the women of Eugene containing an appeal to Oregon women to recognize Mr. Booth as he is known by the women of that home town.

The other was a statement signed by virtually every young man in Eugene, expressing confidence in the integrity of R. A. Booth, and thanking him for the service rendered Lane County by the company which he founded.

Even the students of the university spontaneously responded to the intender of him by his home city today. With their student band they marched from the campus tonight to join the throng that paraded the business streets in a remarkable demonstration of loyalty and appreciation. It was the same everywhere in the county during the day. The mill men at Springfield left their posts to greet him. In his office today old pioneers, men who had known him years ago, and men who had grown up with him, climbed the stairs with the younger business men to pay their respects.

"I am the nominee of a party largely in the ascendancy in Oregon," said Mr. Booth, after being presented with the two statements by his fellow townsmen. "The indications are that the people will vote as they are registered. This means that I will be elected unless the people of Oregon believe the stories that are being circulated by my political enemies from the platform and through the press."

"Whether or not I am capable or worthy of this is best known by my neighbors and friends.

Appreciation Is Expressed. "If the people of Eugene and Lane County can be induced to vote for me when they petitioned my candidacy, as they have done by the reception given me everywhere today, and by the testimonies given me tonight, such as that which the business men, without regard to political affiliation, and the women of Eugene have given me in these statements, I can be credibly received by the people of Oregon, it will guarantee my election."

"I feel that the service you have rendered me this day by your written statements and by the ovation given me at this hour, is the greatest help you could possibly give my candidacy. Only you who know me best know how deeply I appreciate it."

Mr. Booth said that the women of Eugene reads as follows: "We, young women, who have intimate acquaintance with you that has extended over many years and who earnestly petitioned you to become a candidate for the United States Senate, desire to express our renewed interest in you and your candidacy."

"We desire most emphatically to resent the attacks aimed at you by your political enemies now in high places in Oregon.

"We would like to have the message go from us to the women of Oregon that we know you intimately—we have seen you in your home and you in ours—that we are your friends and supporters because we know that, if elected, you will carry into the National Councils the same high moral attributes, and the same unselfish devotion to right, that has characterized your home and community life."

"In every battle that we have fought for purity, for some better civic virtue, you have been our counselor and helper; we want the same spirit, the same high purposes that have characterized your home and community life, that has made homes brighter, schools stronger and churches more effective; we want your influence and direct help, to be carried through your election to every home under our flag."

Detractors Are Condemned. "We regret that in this advanced age of your beloved and progressive state that people who have been honored and advanced by the vote of the people of the state should so far forget common decency as to make the name of a man who has recently been made upon you, but your influence for good in this state will be a potent force when their names are forgotten."

Following is the statement circulated by a self-appointed committee of business men and subscribed to by representatives of virtually every business firm in Eugene, regardless of politics: "We, the undersigned business men of Eugene, Or., having noticed the attacks on the personal integrity of R. A. Booth, and on the methods by which the Booth-Kelly Lumber Company has acquired its timber lands, desire to express our full confidence in Mr. Booth and our appreciation of the valuable service rendered our county by him and the company which he founded."

Vast Operations Rectified. "This statement is based on years of observation and business relations with R. A. Booth and the Booth-Kelly Lumber Company. They have not been timber land speculators or exploiters, but manufacturers of lumber. They have acquired timber lands for the purpose, but to provide logs for their extensive lumbering operations. Since they began operating in this county in 1898 they have distributed in our county nearly \$10,000,000, and each month have given employment to hundreds of our citizens."

Having seen the honorable career of this great institution in our midst and having satisfied ourselves of the integrity and wisdom of the management of R. A. Booth, we resent the imputation of dishonest methods or motives in our esteemed fellow-townsmen, and in the company bearing his name.

This is not a matter of politics, but a simple act of justice toward an honorable fellow-citizen for the greatest single industry in our county.

Overflow Meeting Addressed. Five hundred persons, unable to gain admittance to the Courthouse, were addressed tonight as they gathered on the Courthouse lawn by Mr. Booth, who left the Auditorium, packed with

people, to speak from the Courthouse steps. "I want you to vote for the man which you feel will best represent you; that will put the most bread on your table. If your vote does not elect me I have no fault to find. "I have asked myself, 'what I can do to place more men in your university and schools, to see more virtue and less vice in the state. I want to see the time when the railroads shall carry products of this country to the markets of the East and to the harbors on the West. Our prosperity depends largely upon our ability to reach the markets of the West; the wealth of the forest and the farms must move Westward. The sands of the Columbia must be cleared away and from this stream there must be a silver path to every Western nation. Every acre of land susceptible to cultivation must produce crops. I want to see a system of rural credit so extended that the production may be increased manifold."

At the close of Mr. Booth's address a member of the local Women's Christian Temperance Union addressed Mr. Booth, saying: "There is no question in my mind as to how you stand on the temperance question, but others wish to know."

"I can best answer that question by referring to a letter addressed to the committee on candidates from the prohibition convention in reply to a letter in which they asked if I would accept their party nomination. I do not have the letter with me and do not recall the exact date, but it was about the first or second of May, as near as I can remember. My reply was as follows: "In the National Congress policies are carried through party organization. I am applying to this office through the Republican party. I have no objection for that nomination, but could not accept the nomination of any other party. I receive the nomination of the Republican party. After I receive that nomination, if I had your indorsement it would make my election today a foregone conclusion. If you indorsement or not I will in the future, as in the past, favor National prohibition."

MR. BOOTH SAYS HE LOOKS TO PEOPLE TO DEFEND HIM IN LANE COUNTY.

EUGENE, Or., Oct. 12.—(Special)—R. A. Booth, Republican candidate for United States Senator, looks to the people of Lane County to defend him from the insinuations of the Governor of the state. So he told the people of Junction City in a short address there this morning from his motor car, when hundreds of loyal friends surged about the machine, a dozen of them, which formed the procession that escorted Mr. Booth from Eugene this morning.

The people of Lane County made me a candidate for the United States Senate they gave me a good certificate of character," said Mr. Booth, "and I will stand by their policy, even though the attacks are frequent and vicious from political opponents and men in high positions, to make further answer to these."

Mr. Booth referred to the day in Eugene when several hundred Eugene citizens appeared at his home in person to petition him to become a candidate. He afterward said that it was the pressure of his Eugene friends that caused him to accept the tendered honor.

"The question as to who will be elected must be determined by every individual voter as to what he or she thinks is best for himself," continued Mr. Booth at Junction City. "And by the people of Junction City, who will decide that which is best for Lane County, the state of Oregon and the United States. They must decide whether they wish to have a candidate by one of their own community, who has had a part in the essential growth of western Oregon, and who is a member of that party that has made the growth of the nation and has compelled the respect of others. The party's policies have been to protect American interests, the farmer, the laborer and the manufacturer. Whether these policies shall be re-established or not, it is up to you to decide."

"Oregon, the United States, are interested in good prices for agricultural products and labor. And so long as conditions are obtained that bring these results, the country will be prosperous and the people happy."

GIRL FACES STARVATION. Capable Bookkeeper Out of Work and Penniless, Asks Chance.

Among the most pathetic cases noted yesterday afternoon by one of the social workers of the Associated Charities was a young woman, aged 20, an expert typewriter and bookkeeper, who has vainly sought for employment for several days and is destitute. She is well educated, refined and willing to work for a pittance, but she has no object of charity, but was forced yesterday to accept assistance from the association to keep her from starvation.

The party's policy has been to protect the party who are willing to give this girl a chance to work for an honest living may apply to the Associated Charities where her excellent references may be seen. Telephone Main 717.

Ticket Vacancy Filled.

GRANTS PASS, Or., Oct. 12.—(Special)—The Democratic central committee appointed C. C. Gillett, to make the run for County Judge, taking the place of Judge Jewell, deceased. Mr. Gillett owns the Grants Pass Feed Company.

CASCARETS CURE HEADACHE, COLDS, CONSTIPATION

Tonight! Clean Your Bowels and Stop Headache, Colds, Sour Stomach.

Get a 10-cent box of Cascarets tonight to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with a sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets? or merely forcing a passage every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil? Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases, take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels. Remember, a Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.—Adv.

BOY'S BODY FOUND; COMPANION HELD

Matthew Harris, 11, Missing Since Saturday, Taken From Creek by Father.

BULLET PIERCES HEART

Alvah Tower, 16, Detained for Investigation—Harry Nolan, 12, Killed at Minnehaha by Brother, Phillip, 14.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Oct. 12.—(Special)—Mystery surrounds the shooting and killing of Matthew Harris, 11 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Harris, of Sara, whose body was found at 3 o'clock today under a brush pile and ties in Whipple Creek, about three-quarters of a mile above Knapp Station.

A .22 caliber bullet had pierced the heart of the schoolboy, and his body had apparently been dragged over a steep bank and flung into Whipple Creek. Alvah Tower, 16, who lives at Sara, but has been attending high school in Vancouver, was with Matthew when he started on the hunting trip, and though he denies any knowledge of the tragedy, he is being held in the woman's ward in the County Jail pending an investigation.

Schoolboys Aid Search. The boy was shot some time after about 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, although bloodhounds owned by Sheriff Word, of Multnomah County, were used, the body was not found until today. All Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night, 150 men and boys searched for the boy. The High School at Ridgefield was dismissed today and the boys joined the systematic searching parties, headed by Sheriff Cresap and his deputy, George Johnson.

Coroner Victor H. Limber went to the scene shortly after the body was found. L. M. Burnett, County Attorney, joined the county officers on the ground. Mr. Limber decided to hold a post mortem examination at Sara tomorrow, probe for the bullet, and find the gun that Alvah Tower had with him. Little Matthew had a .22 caliber gun, but this has not been found, though the creek was raked thoroughly.

Tower Says He Hunted Alone. Alvah Tower says they went to L. R. Thurman's place near the cemetery. Then both got their dinner at their own homes. Tower hunted with a .22 belonging to M. V. Bond was at Tower's and this was taken out by Matthew. Both boys started down the railroad track to a popcorn field three-quarters of a mile above where the body was found.

Tower said Matthew began to pick popcorn and he went on hunting for pheasants. He says he did not see his companion again. "The creek had been searched once for the boy Mr. Harris, the father, discovered evidence that a body had been dragged over the bank. He investigated and Matthew's body was found in Whipple Creek, under a pile of brush."

The post mortem will be held at Sara tomorrow and investigation of a number of clues made, and the coroner's jury impaneled and the inquest held. When Coroner Limber was investigating the killing of Matthew Harris, a call came in to his office telling of another party that had been killed where Phillip Nolan, 14, had shot and killed his brother, Harry Nolan, 12 years old, accidentally. Both are sons of Mart Nolan, a farmer.

The boys had been attending school and when they returned home in the afternoon started after the cow in the pasture. They carried a shotgun hoping to get a pheasant. Harry walked a few feet in front of his brother, in some manner which Phillip cannot distinctly remember the shotgun was discharged and the charge struck Harry in the back, killing him instantly.

MINISTERS RE-ELECT HEAD

Rev. E. D. Hornschuh President United Ministerial Association.

The Rev. E. D. Hornschuh has been re-elected president of the United Ministerial Association of Port, which held its first meeting for the year yesterday morning at the Y. M. C. A. Other officers are: Vice-president, F. B. Parsons; secretary, J. A. Goode, and treasurer, H. Schuchmecht. Speakers at the meeting were: The

ECZEMA BURNED SO NEARLY WENT CRAZY

Like Ringworms on Face and Neck. Later Formed White Scales. Spread. Could Not Sleep. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Healed.

354 Plum St., Youngstown, Ohio. "Itch like ringworms started to come out all over my face and neck. Later it took the form of white scales and when I would rub they came off in little white scales. The eczema so disfigured me that I was ashamed to go out anywhere. It itched all the time and whenever I perspired or got my face the least bit wet, it would burn until I very nearly went crazy. The more I rubbed or scratched the more it spread and it made me so restless I could not sleep at night. "I used one remedy after another.

and two or three others that were made at home, but none of them did any good and I was despairing of ever being cured. One day a friend prevailed upon me to get a sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. They caused the itching to stop instantly and in a very few days my face and neck began to show a marked improvement. I used three cakes of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment and my face and neck are completely cured." (Signed) Newton D. W. Chapman, Feb. 27, 1914.

Samples Free by Mail

Although Cuticura Soap (25c.) and Cuticura Ointment (50c.) are sold by druggists and dealers throughout the world, a sample of each with 25-p. Skin Book will be sent free upon request. Address post-card: "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

Rev. C. P. Gates, of Dallas, and the Rev. H. R. Giles, of this city. The report of the programme committee provides for a meeting October 28, at which the Rev. C. C. Polling will give a review of the general conference at Barrington, Ill. On November 9 Bishop Bell, of Los Angeles, will give an address.

Bible services were held on the preceding day at the Oakley Green United Evangelical Church, of which G. L. Lovell is pastor.

MAN AND VICTIM TALK

GUN-WIELDER SAYS VETERAN TRIED TO TAKE HOUSEKEEPER.

J. F. Gibson, 70-Year-Old Pensioner Shot at Sodaville, Deales Tale of Fray Told by W. Z. Angel.

ALBANY, Or., Oct. 12.—(Special)—Alleged persistent attempt by Gibson to persuade Pearl Adams, housekeeper of W. Z. Angel, of Sodaville, to leave and accompany him back to Lebanon today, resulted in a shooting at the Angel home to gain that end and his alleged threats to take Angel's life after having been ordered away are the reasons given by Angel for shooting John C. Gibson, 70-year-old Civil War veteran of Lebanon, at Sodaville Saturday.

Pearl Adams has been employed by me for some time as housekeeper and to assist in caring for my invalid children, whom I recently brought to Sodaville from the State Hospital at Salem. Gibson, when questioned at his home in Lebanon said: "Late Saturday afternoon, while Miss Adams and I were attending my sick daughter, Miss Adams heard a noise in the adjoining room. I opened the door and there stood Gibson with a shotgun in his hands. He was holding the piece above his shoulder. When I asked him what he wanted he replied 'I want you,' and, lowering his rifle, he pressed it to my side. I reached above my head and got my rifle, which hung on the wall before he could get the shotgun up. I pressed my rifle against his side and ordered him from the place. He wouldn't go, and while pushing him from the room with my rifle, I pulled the trigger."

Gibson, when questioned at his home in Lebanon said: "I drove to Angel's home in Sodaville Saturday to ask Pearl Adams where her parents had moved. Her father having been indebted to me when he left. I took my shotgun along to hunt pheasants. When I arrived at Angel's place I got out of the rig, leaving my gun in the vehicle. Angel opened the door and invited me inside. I asked him where the Adams family had gone and he replied that he didn't know and didn't care, at the same time picking up his rifle, which stood in the corner. He then shot me in the first hip. I had never had a quarrel and I know of no reason for his action."

Gibson has been married three times and had two J. B. P. sons, one first wife died less than a month ago

The Only Scrip Company Licensed to Do Business in Oregon. American Travel Scrip. Always look for this trade-mark. An Oregon Company for Oregon People. Patronize the Company With Legal Standing in Oregon. SIMILARITY OF NAMES PUZZLES COMMISSIONER. SALEM, Or., Oct. 7.—(Corporation) Commissioner Watson announced today that he had issued a permit to the American Travel Scrip, Incorporated, of Portland, to do business in the state. Because of a conflict of the name of this company with the American Scrip Company, of Los Angeles, the Corporation Commissioner was in doubt for a time as to which of the two concerns was entitled to the permit. The former, however, had filed its articles first, and he concluded to give a permit to it. The California corporation in order to obtain a permit must now either change its name or contest the other for the name in the courts. Which it will do is not known by the Commissioner.—From the Telegram of Oct. 7th. This clipping tells the story. UINE—LOOK FOR THE RED "A. T. S." IN THE SHOP WINDOWS. A Mile of Travel For Every Dollar Spent. American Travel Scrip, Inc. Northwestern Bank Bldg. Phone Main 4203. at the State Hospital at Salem. Gibson rallied last night and may recover. Angel's preliminary hearing has been set for tomorrow morning. VOTE OFFICIALS CHOSEN. Recall Judges and Clerks Also to Serve General Election. Continuing with plans for the proposed recall election against Mayor Albee and City Commissioners Dieck and Brewster October 27, City Auditor Barbur yesterday selected a list of judges and clerks to serve if the election is called. The recall election officials selected are those chosen to serve for the county in the general election November 3. It is expected that the State Supreme Court will decide the recall case now pending today or Friday at the latest. If the decision is against the recall the city will have spent but little, as publication of special election notices and arranging of ballot forms are the only steps taken that have entailed expenditure. MRS. GILL'S FUNERAL HELD. Friends Pay Tribute to Woman at Grace Methodist Church. The funeral of Mrs. Frances Willson Gill, wife of J. K. Gill, who died last Friday at the Virginia Hill Hotel, was held at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the Grace Methodist Episcopal Church with interment in the River-view Cemetery. The church was packed with friends who came to pay their last respects, and the casket was buried in flowers and floral wreaths. Services were conducted by Rev. F. L. Loveland. The pallbearers were all nephews of Mrs. Gill. They were: Ralph, Joseph W., Walter J. and Harold D. Gill and Edward Hanson and Edward Harriman. The Italian City of Milan has changed over gas lighting to electricity, generating its current by Alpine waterfalls, nearly 100 miles away.

Prices Reduced. Welsbach & Reflex "SHIELD OF QUALITY" Gas Mantles. 25c "Reflex" brand, now 15c. 35c "Welco" brand, now 25c. The economy, efficiency and comfort of Modern Gas Light depend upon the mantle! You cannot get good light by using inferior and inefficient mantles. For this reason, we have determined to put Welsbach and Reflex "Shield of Quality" Mantles within the reach of every user of light. The Heart Of The Light Is The Mantle! Welsbach and Reflex Mantles burn brighter, last longer, use less gas and give that quality of light which is best for the eyes. At these new low prices, their use is a double economy. Accept only the genuine Welsbach and Reflex Mantles, trademarked with the "Shield of Quality" on the box. See Your Dealer or Gas Company Today. WELSBACH COMPANY MANUFACTURERS. When You Know Gas Lighting You Prefer It.