

BOOTH WILL MAKE RACE FOR SENATE

Eugene Man, Urged On by Many, Accepts.

PRINCIPLES PUT ABOVE PARTY

Platform Will Be Announced More in Detail Soon.

RACE ON IN EARNEST

In Seeking Republican Nomination, Candidate Who Deliberated Two Weeks Says He Is Heartily Out to Win and Serve All.

EUGENE, Or., Dec. 20.—(Special).—

After two weeks of consideration, during which time hundreds of letters have come from all parts of the state...

Unolicited Support Factor.

Mr. Booth makes it plain that the unolicited endorsements from all parts of Oregon have had a large bearing in making his decision.

Platform to Come Soon.

In making his statement Mr. Booth indicated he would in a short time set forth more at length the principles for which he stands and on which he will make his campaign.

The occurrence of December 4, when on the threshold of my home you brought affectionate greetings and by formal petition asked me to become a candidate for the United States Senate...

SAM'S Y'MAS PRESENT

WONDER JUST HOW FAR IT'LL STRETCH

SANTAS GIFT TO A POOR LITTLE VICE-PRESIDENT

COME IN, THE DOUGH IS FINE

HES A JOLLY GOOD FELLOW

SOMETHING FOR A BAD BOY

CHRISTMAS MORNING

THE EMPTY STOCKING

MUNICIPAL COURT LEGAL, IS RULING

JUDGE CLETON SAYS PUBLIC POLICY DEMANDS IT.

Circuit Jurist Declares Tribunal Is Necessary in Maintaining City Government.

CITY GOVERNMENT MUST BE MAINTAINED

and courts are an essential part of every city government and must be upheld, Judge Cleton ruled yesterday in sustaining the legality of the Municipal Court of Portland.

CONTRAST WITH TAFT'S APPRECIATION OF JOKES AT HIS EXPENSE SHOWN.

Battleship Skit Fully Enjoyed by Burleson.

OREGONIAN NEWS BUREAU, WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—

The Wilson Administration has advertised the fact that it is sensitive to criticism and ridicule, for that is what happened when President Wilson withdrew his letter accepting honorary membership in the Military Order of the Carabao...

CARDINAL WARNS PARENTS

Greater Exertion of Authority Is Chief Need in Homes, He Says.

BOSTON, Dec. 20.—In a pastoral letter on "the church and the home" to be read tomorrow in the churches of the Roman Catholic arch diocese, Cardinal O'Connell lays emphasis on the need for greater exertion of parental authority.

380 WANT ONE \$150 JOB

Hundreds Take Civil Service Test for Wharfing Position.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—

Three hundred and eighty applicants for a single position as wharfinger at \$150 a month put in an appearance at the Lowell High School today and took the examination held by the State Civil Service Board.

WOMAN CATCHES INTRUDER

Mrs. Ida Morris Holds Alleged Burglar Until Detectives Arrive.

Hearing a man ransacking dresser drawers in an adjoining room, Mrs. Ida Morris, proprietress of the Ross Hotel, 215 First street, opened the folding doors separating her room from that in which she heard the noise.

DANIELS STRUGGLES FOR ENTHUSIASM

His speech was coldly received. The coolness which greeted him peevish Secretary Daniels.

Washington Questions Sanity of Man Who Would End Strife. WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—

CRITICISM FEARED BY ADMINISTRATION

Carabao Affair Shows Dread of Ridicule.

SENSE OF HUMOR IS LACKING

Daniels Moved by Cold Reception Accorded to Speech.

SONG OFTEN SUNG BEFORE

WAR ADVICE WINS ARREST

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JUDGE B. B. LINDSEY MARRIES

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—

Judge B. B. Lindsey, founder of the Juvenile Court at Denver, Colo., and Miss Henrietta Brewster, stepdaughter of Dr. F. J. Clippert, of Detroit, Mich., were married here tonight.

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The Weather. YESTERDAY'S—Maximum temperature, 41 degrees; minimum, 26 degrees. TODAY'S—Fair, easterly winds.

Domestic.

Mrs. Buffum repeats accusation of double murder. Section 1, page 6. Considerable butter, but no eggs, coming from abroad. Section 1, page 3.

Foreign.

Governor Lister emphasizes honor convicts as house servants. Section 1, page 7. Festivities end and girls of Waldo Hall at Agricultural College leave for holidays. Section 1, page 8.

Sports.

Other players involved in Tinker transfer. Section 2, page 1. Duckhunters have poor fall, presumably because of mild weather. Section 2, page 2.

Real Estate and Building.

Small investors away securities, says Franklin D. Griffith. Section 4, page 8. Small residence sites in Alameda Park realize \$25,000. Section 4, page 8.

Automobiles and Trucks.

Portland to have cycle car factory. Section 4, page 8. Lane County Surveyor gives rules for highway work. Section 4, page 8.

Commercial and Marine.

Improvement in hops expected after turn of year. Section 2, page 15. Wheat lower at Chicago on fear of duty-free Canadian grain. Section 2, page 15.

Portland and vicinity.

Turkeys for Christmas begin to arrive. Section 1, page 4. Lane County men enroll for work from city. Section 1, page 14.

Government Ownership Fought.

Announcement of the agreement caused an unusual buzz of speculation here today. In some quarters it was regarded as an indication of the fight that some of the conservative members of President Wilson's Cabinet will make against Government ownership of public utilities.

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ALL PHONE LINES TO CONNECT WITH BELL

Compromise Wins More Than Litigation, Is Opinion.

CITY EXCHANGE NOT YET

Agreement to Make No Further Extensions Thought Highly Satisfactory to Independents.

Access to All Lines Given.

According to figures laid before the Attorney-General by N. C. Kingsbury, the vice-president of the American Telephone & Telegraph Company, who conducted the negotiations which led to the agreement of last night, there are more than 20,000 independent telephone companies in the country.

STEAMERS GROUND IN FOG

Vessels Navigate with Difficulty in British Columbia.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Dec. 20.—Missing the entrance to the First Narrows owing to the dense fog, the steamer Selma, provided with passengers from Powell River and way points, grounded on the Brockton Point side of the channel this afternoon and remained there until high tide.

ALL TELEPHONES SILENT

For 2-1-2 Minutes Girls Practice Fire Drills While Calls Wait.

For two minutes and 30 seconds yesterday morning not a call was answered at any of the Bell telephone stations in Portland. A fire drill was in progress. Similar drills will be a part of the regular routine in the several Portland stations two or three times a month hereafter.

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TURKEYSHIPMENTS ON FOR CHRISTMAS

SOME DEALERS SAY SHORTAGE MAY BE EXPECTED.

Prices Likely to Range Between 25 and 30 Cents, With Quality of Birds Highest.

CHRISTMAS RELIEF FUND ABOVE \$2500

Spirit to Help Needy Is Much in Evidence.

TOUCHING CASES REVEALED

Among Outside Towns to Send Aid Is Dallas, Or.

GIRL'S SAVINGS TURNED IN

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CARTOONIST REYNOLDS DRAWS SOME SKETCHES APPROPRIATE TO CHRISTMAS SEASON.

