

Soldier Who Fleeced Girl Is Sentenced

Portland, Or., Mar. 30.—Robert Douglas, former second lieutenant in the spruce division at Vancouver barracks, whose home is at Warsaw, Ind., was sentenced a federal court to 13 months at McNeil Island prison following a plea of guilty to a charge of using the mail to defraud. The complainant was a young woman, formerly a student at the Oregon Agricultural college, whose name the authorities withheld, who charged she met Douglas in 1918 while sightseeing at Vancouver barracks, became engaged to him and advanced him at different times sums of money aggregating \$750.

Tilted Man Charges Fiancee With Swindle

Stating that he had found his former rival's picture in the bureau drawer of his ex-sweetheart, Elmer Enes was the first witness examined in the suit charging swindle brought by him in the circuit court this morning against Estella Pomeroy and her husband or the recovery of \$1500 given to Mrs. Pomeroy when she was Mrs. Brown for the first payment on a house which Enes and his intended bride expected to live after they were married. Enes stated that he had come from the hit springs where he had gone for his health and in looking through his fiancee's effects while she was away on a vacation with Pomeroy, whom she afterwards married, had found the picture. The witness further went on to relate how he had taken the picture to the Elks club and identified it with another as that of his rival, and that when he had asked Mrs. Brown about it she had said that she did not know the man before the Elks convention and that his name was Chambers. The complaint of Enes states that he intended to marry Mrs. Pomeroy while she was Mrs. Brown as son as his health permitted, and that he gave her \$1500 to make a payment on a house owned by Homer Goulet, and that she conspired with Goulet with the intention of cheating and swindling him out of his rights, by having the papers made out in her own name. Enes also testified that on encountering Pomeroy coming out of the house one evening, his rival had knocked him down and run.

Minsk Taken By Rebels Is Report Today

London, Mar. 29.—Minsk, an important city in western Russia, has been captured by revolutionaries, says a Copenhagen dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company, quoting Helsinki reports. The eighth bolshevik army is declared to have joined the revolutionists who have formed a democratic white Russian republic. Kiev is said to be surrounded by rebellious peasants and the communists there are adopting terrorist measures.

Harding's Aid In Irish Relief Is Appreciated, Claim

Dublin, Mar. 30.—Expressions of gratitude for President Harding's support of the movement in America to raise funds for the suffering in Ireland has been cabled to the White House by the lord mayor of this city. "The grand and afflicted people of Ireland," the cable message said "are sincerely gratified by your encouragement of the movement to give them financial support. America always was true to Ireland in her hour of trial. The funds are urgently needed to restore buildings destroyed and relieve distress."

Jeff knew the kind of a lawyer he wanted.



Ten Million Dollar Fruit Cannery Combine Forms; Market Assured Growers

Aside from the fact that it would assure a more stable and reliable market for the growers of fruit and berries in the northwest, W. G. Allen, local manager of Hunt Bros. cannery, who attended the meeting in Portland yesterday when it was decided to incorporate the Oregon-Washington Canning & Preserving company, was unable today to say just what effect the organization of the corporation would have upon local growers or canneries.

The merger of the canning and preserving industries of the two states, into this concern, to be known as the Oregon-Washington Canning & Preserving company, it was declared, will insure machinery sufficient to market the products. It was admitted, however, that the largest and most important market for their fruit, it was further declared.

Articles of incorporation of the new concern under the laws of Delaware were ordered filed by

who met with the... committee yesterday, declared that the magnitude of the new concern would make possible a vast reduction in overhead expense. He also declared that it would assure the widest distribution of products as a result of a world-wide selling campaign.

Board Is to Be Chosen. A board of directors consisting of 16 men, eight from each state will be chosen to direct the affairs of the corporation by the men comprising the organization committee.

In a statement given out yesterday it was announced that: "The purpose of the new company is to develop the fruit growing and packing industries of the two states as a unit, to stimulate berry growing and to facilitate the manufacture and marketing of berry and other fruits of Oregon and Washington."

Will L. Finch of New York, F. A. Douty, president of the Multnomah Lumber & Box company, Portland; J. C. Ainsworth, president of the United States National bank, Portland; S. L. Eddy, vice-president of the Ladd & Tuttle bank, Portland; William A. MacKae, manager of the Portland branch of the Bank of California; Frank C. Stettler, president of the Stettler Manufacturing company, Portland; Albert C. Schmitt, president of the First National bank of Albany, Or.; Will G. Allen of Hunt Bros. Canning company of

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Growers' Benefit Is Seen. "The growers," he declared, "will benefit as a result of the ready market the new concern will give them for all kinds of fruit products."

The concern, according to Mr. Finch, contemplates taking over various canneries now established in the two states, especially those in strategic positions. With this in view, he said, officers would be established soon in the leading cities of the section.

He said that the Rupert & Co., organization probably would have an opportunity to be included in the new concern as soon as the affairs of that company could be put in shape. That company has six canneries in Oregon and one in Washington.

Attending the meeting from Oregon were F. P. Kandall of the American Can company, Portland;

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Salem. Fram Washington were H. C. Henry, president of the Henry Investment company, of Seattle, W. Spangler, president of the Seattle; Gordon C. Corbaley, of the Meinrath-Corbaley corporation of Seattle; Henry Rhodes of Tacoma;

W. R. Rust of Tacoma; Chester Thorne of Tacoma; G. H. Raleigh, manager of the Tacoma branch of bank of California; W. H. Paulhamus, president of the Puget Sound & Summer Fruit Growers' Canning company of Puyallup, and Will L. Finch, of New York.

Ex-Senator Ankeny Dead; Spent Early Days Around Salem

Walla Walla, Wash., Mar. 30.—Levi P. Ankeny, ex-United States senator, died at the family home here at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon after a long illness. Death was due to general senility and rheumatism. He was in his 77th year. He was surrounded by his immediate family.

At the age of 6 years Levi Ankeny crossed the plains to the north west from his home in Missouri. His father died on the plains while the family was journeying west. While a mere youth he was adopted by Captain A. Ankeny, who was one of the early river navigators of the west.

Spent Boyhood Days On Farm Near Salem Several of the boyhood years of the late Sen. Ankeny were spent on the Ankeny place near Salem and he was well known personally by many of the older residents of Marion county. He was a brother of Henry E. Ankeny, of Ankeny Bottoms.

Senator Ankeny was born on a farm near St. Joseph, Mo., in 1844. His family name was D'Arcy, and his ancestors were French Huguenots. With his parents he came to the Oregon country when he was six years old, but his father died on the plains. Some time after her arrival in Oregon his mother married Captain Alexander P. Ankeny, a prominent Oregon pioneer, who was engaged in the cattle business. Young Levi took his stepfather's name, and when the Ankens settled in Yamhill county Captain Ankeny sent the boy to the Portland academy, which was the most prominent educational institution in the metropolis at that time.

By the time the Fraser river gold excitement broke in 1859, Captain Ankeny had developed a packtrain business in partnership

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New York Journal
New York Evening Post

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New York Sun

"It is all so wholesome, so amusing and so delightfully done... acted by an exceptionally well chosen cast."
The Morning Telegraph

"Robert G. Vignola who directed the production is responsible for some charming bits of light acting."
The Evening Telegram

Alan Dale says: "Straight Is the Way' has a fascination that is quite irresistible. It is one of the very few pictures that gives you a comforting sensation of enjoyment. You bask in the pleasure of the story."
New York American

"Straight Is the Way' is as fresh and wholesome as the clover fields near which it was apparently filmed... It provides a pleasant hour's diversion."
New York Daily News

"This picture is an exceptionally interesting one of its kind—and those who sit back and enjoy a puzzler will find nothing better in filmland."
New York World

"Treated with real originality... Skillful direction of Robert G. Vignola who has a special gift of putting new touches into situations."
New York Globe

"A commendable 'control' for evoking laughter."
New York Herald

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