

Beddes Says English Nation Should Lead In World's Progress

Beddesville, Va., June 3.—The English speaking people of the world should be "handed to the leadership of all the nations in the era of world peace as a first step, to the era in which the wars which even now recognize as futile and unnecessary, are done with forever," said in an address today at the University of Virginia.

Experts Held Solvent; Court Reviews Assets

Portland, Ore., June 3.—Assets of a bankrupt company, which were reported March 20, exceed \$260,272.20, according to a complete schedule of assets, property, creditors and liabilities filed Tuesday morning in federal court.

Figures Show Condition of assets given as \$1,218.74 and total liabilities as \$27,514.54. No exemptions claimed from the assets. The assets, from which depreciation is to have been deducted, are as follows: Real estate, \$1,127.84; cash on hand, \$108.94; promissory notes and securities, \$1,390.14; carriages and vehicles, \$11,436.11; machinery, \$1,666.35; personal property, \$6,074.54; debts due, \$58,173.20; stocks and bonds, \$1168, and cash in the bank, \$1433.48.

the unsecured list of creditors, who range from farmers and laboring men to merchants in many lines of business in all parts of the nation. The secured creditors are for the most part banks which have taken fruits and vegetables as security.

Ambush Results In Death of Four

Dublin, June 3.—Four members of the police force were shot dead and three others wounded in an ambush at Clonmore, County Kerry, yesterday, it was announced at headquarters here today.

Flag Lowered On Funerals of Overseas Men

The flag on the post office will be dropped to half mast during the funeral of ex-service men who died overseas, if the Salem postmaster receives a request to do so from city officials, a duly recognized body of citizens, or officers of organizations interested in the ceremonies, according to information received this morning by Postmaster Huckenstein.

Canning Firm Given Permit To Do Business

The Oregon-Washington Canning & Preserving company, a \$10,000,000 corporation organized under the laws of Delaware was granted a permit to operate in Oregon by State Corporation Commissioner Handley, Wednesday. The company which will engage in a general canning and preserving business will be represented in Oregon by W. R. Scott as general agent with headquarters in Albany.

Resolutions of dissolution were filed with the corporation department Wednesday by the Sohm Manufacturing company, Portland; Bowman Mortgage company, Portland, and the Hammond Abstract company, Oregon City.

Espee Reduces Freight Rates On Dried Fruits

San Francisco, June 2.—Reductions in freight rates ranging from 15 per cent on rice to 43 per cent on dried fruit and averaging 32 per cent have been decided upon by the Southern Pacific Railroad company on carload shipments destined for Europe between California points and Atlantic and Gulf ports, G. W. Luce, freight traffic manager, wired the railroad's headquarters here.

New Marital Code To Follow Suffrage

Boston, June 2.—As a result of woman's demand for equality with man, the formulation of a new marriage code is imminent, Dr. Abraham Myerson, assistant professor of nervous diseases at Tufts Medical College, declared.

Ex-Service Man To Welcome Wife From Rhine Country-Maybe

Since the middle of last August Angelo Turin, a resident of Mt. Angel and an ex-service man has been trying to get the girl he married on the Rhine while with the army of occupation, to this country, and now it looks as if he has gone through about all the technical process of doing so and will soon welcome her to his own country.

The Willamette chapter of the Red Cross deserves most of the credit for aiding Angelo in wading through the red tape necessary to get his wife out of a country with which the United States is technically at war.

Three months before Angelo, an Italian by birth, showed off from the Rhine for this country, a baby was born, and just as his outfit received orders to move the little daughter took sick, necessitating the postponement of the ocean trip by the mother.

On marrying Angelo, his wife lost her German citizenship. The German government would not permit her to leave the country until permission was gained from the American commission at Washington which had to be gained through the American Consul at Berlin. The American Consul at Berlin couldn't handle the matter until he had received an affidavit from Angelo stating why he had left his wife in Germany. Then permission had to be granted by the commission to him to bring his wife over and a passport issued.

After that the passport had to be mailed to the American consul, who before granting permission for Mrs. Turin to come to this country had to have certificate of character from the German police as where Mrs. Turin was born if she is in good health, what her character was, and has been and other things which police officers in a German town are supposed to know.

All this has taken a little over nine months and Turin has done everything except receive the permission from the American commission; and the passport, and other incidentals mentioned subsequent to it. The worst part of it is, that Angelo bought a ticket from a railroad company when the unwinding of the red tape started, which is void after one year, and if it takes as long to gain the permission of the American commission as it has to go through

King George May Install Ulster Parliament, Report

Belfast, Ireland, June 2.—The News Letter today says it has learned "on very good authority" that in all probability King George will visit Belfast for the purpose of opening the Ulster parliament in state June 31.

The parliament will meet next Tuesday for the election of a speaker and the swearing in of the members.

Aerial Milk Wagon. London, June 3.—Milk from special cows for the consumption of invalids is now sent regularly by airplane from Holland to London. A can of milk is placed in a water-tight box and the space between the can and the box packed with ice. The milk arrives in London four hours after the cows have been milked.

Public Service Boards Seek to Unify Methods

A uniform classification of accounts for all public utilities operating in the three Pacific north west states will be taken under consideration by the public service commissions of Oregon, Washington and Idaho at a joint conference in Portland on June 13.

Other hearings before the Oregon commission for this month have been set as follows: June 10, Mullino, relative to the maintenance of an agency station by the Willamette Valley Southern railway.

June 14, Salem, hearing on application of Marion county for a grade crossing over the tracks of the Oregon Electric railway near Chemawa.

June 15, Reith, Umatilla county, relative to station facilities of the O. W. R. R. & N. company.

June 16, Baker, hearing on application of Baker county for a crossing over the tracks of the Sumpter Valley railroad.

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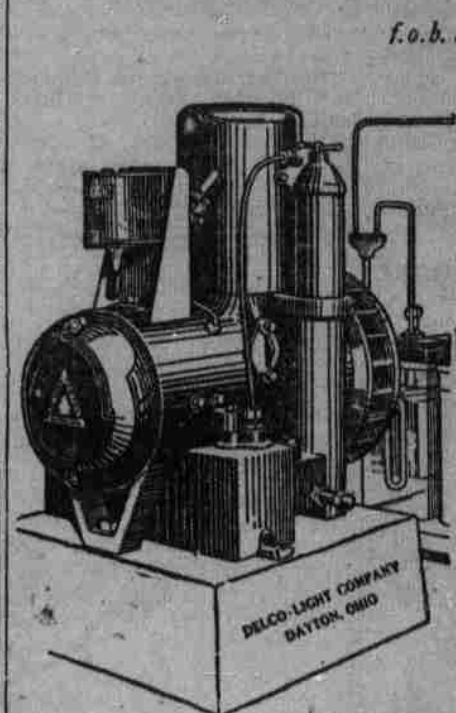
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