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CASES ARE CONTINUED.

The suit of E. G. R. Lewis against W. L. Green was continued by Judge Lynch this morning until Oct. 15, while the case of Joseph T. Carroll against William T. Carroll, has gone over until Sept. 26.

The suit of John Hexem against Charles Shehon, set for hearing today, was ordered vacated.

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WEEKLY REPORTS TO BE REQUIRED

Requests Sent Out for Volunteers Who Will Report Food Prices.

The Post's Washington Bureau.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 14.—National banks in Montana and the other states are being called into service to do their bit in keeping the cost of food down to proper levels. In the system of co-operation that has been devised by Herbert C. Hoover, food administrator, the national banks are asked to designate persons in their power of communication to furnish at intervals information to Mr. Hoover on the cost to consumers of 50 principal articles of food.

During the last few days copies of an identical letter to the presidents of national banks in Montana and elsewhere have been sent out from the treasury department bearing the signature of John Skelton Williams, comptroller of the currency. This letter says in part:

"Herbert C. Hoover, food administrator in the public interest, is desirous of securing from responsible and confidential sources weekly reports as to the retail prices paid by consumers for food in towns and cities throughout the country.

"He desires to find correspondents in each place who will have the courage to inform themselves at the end of each week as to the prices which are being charged by the retail grocers and food dealers for 50 of the principal articles of food and has therefore requested the comptroller of the current to correspond with him in this direction to the extent of asking the national banks throughout the country in each town of 1,000 population or over in which there is a national bank to recommend to the food administration some person or persons who will agree to gather and to forward to the food administrator at Washington the figures and information desired.

"It has been suggested," the letter adds, "that perhaps intelligent and patriotic women can be found in each town and city who will be willing to give their services for this purpose—possibly the wives or daughters of the officers of the banks would agree to inform themselves and forward to Washington the information sought as a work of public service in these war times.

"There will be no expense attached to this service on the part of the persons thus asked and it is contemplated that any compensation should be paid for the services so rendered. The necessary blank forms will be furnished by Food Administrator Hoover, who will also furnish to the correspondents thus selected the official envelopes which can be used in mailing the statements weekly to Washington."

CLOCK KEEPS TIME NEARLY THREE CENTURIES

Commendable, to be sure, but exceedingly startling to the imagination is the fact that a Kansas City man who died recently was the owner of a clock that had been keeping time for nearly three centuries—the exact period given in 1584 years. The timepiece was made in 1623 in Plymouth, England, and its usefulness continued until 1914—though there is nothing to indicate that it stopped "on account of the war."

But what a record of eventful moments has been ticked off by this old timepiece! The Pilgrims' colonies were not yet complete when its maker first set the pendulum to swinging and adjusted the weights and strings to run its needs. Manhattan Island had been settled only five years, and to many—perhaps even to the clockmaker—the very existence of such a continent as this was half-doubted hearsay.

But this production ticked on and ticked on while Cromwell rose to power and passed from place; it ticked the last moments of ten of England's sovereigns; through the time of the Great Plague in London in 1664 it kept its steady record, and perhaps its parts moved the freer in 1679 upon the passage of the habeas corpus act.

It pointed out the eventful moment of the issue of the first newspaper ever printed in America, in 1690; it showed the birth hours of practically every man widely known in American history, having outlived the period of usefulness of the modern timepiece long before the birth of Franklin, and being well started on its second century by the time George Washington was born.

It twice saw the country of its adoption victorious in war over that of its origin, and ceased its own usefulness only a few months too soon to see those once bitter enemies united in arms in behalf of the cause over which they had themselves resorted to force and bloodshed.

Not a president has served the United States but the hours of his birth, nomination, election and inauguration have been marked by the hands of this old clock, with its record of wonderful events that have left eternal impressions on the soul of the human race.

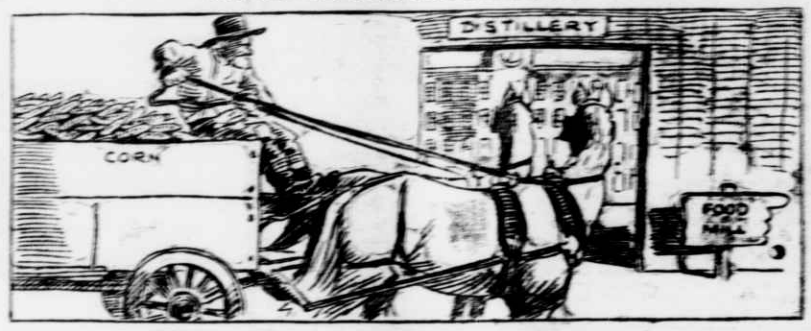
And now—for Fate is full of pranks and odd conceits—this staid old timepiece stands in the midst of other curios in the house of the family of its late owner; and while it broods, perhaps, over its wonderful record and the tremendous events, the loves and sorrows, the hopes and disappointments and achievements, it has seen pass before its figured face, through its unlatched door and in and out among the pendent weights and strings romps a family of kittens that found just the sort of home that they were looking for in the base of this conqueror of nearly three centuries of time and wear and tear.—Duluth Herald.

CHEER UP!

Come too much rain or too much drought,
Don't be one of the scolders;
Don't train the corners of your mouth
To hang down on your shoulders.

THE END OF THE DISTILLERIES

Chorus of Gentlemen to the Right—"Is it closed for good, Uncle Sam?"
Uncle Sam—"Yep, for your good and for my good."



"Give a little and get up, horses. We don't run in there any more."

The Booze Fighters will now have time to do their fighting in other ways.

JEFFERSON FAIR TO OPEN TUESDAY

Will Be Ushered in in a Blaze of Glory and Continue Four Days.

Jefferson county's annual fair will open at Whitehall next Tuesday and will continue for four days. Five thousand dollars in purses and premiums have been hung up and according to Secretary F. C. Fessenden, the Iowa wife who is in charge, the exhibits will not only be bigger and better than ever but all in all the fair will be the best county fair in Montana.

Special race events will be added each day as the occasion arises. "Hitching on your Horses" is the admonition of Secretary Fessenden to the ranchers. "There'll be plenty of room and plenty of races to keep them busy."

One of the features of Tuesday, the opening day, will be a prize of $10 for the largest family residing in Jefferson or Madison counties which attends the fair on that day.

Another prize of $5 is offered for the opening day. It will be given for the largest load of ranchers attending the fair on that day in a single conveyance, it matters not of what nature.

Another feature of the opening day will be a concert by the Orphans Home band. The address of welcome will be delivered by Mayor Ike E. O. Pace, after which there will be a great program of sports, ranging from broncho busting to automobile racing. It will conclude with a free-for-all harness race.

Wednesday morning will be given over to the judging of the various exhibits. In the afternoon there will be a concert by the Whitehall orchestra. This will be followed by a gentlemen's driving race of a half mile and a free-for-all harness race. A greased pole climbing contest will furnish fun for old and young. In addition, the program calls for broncho busting, motorcycle race and running race.

Thursday the boys and girls of school age will have their innings, a monster program of athletic events having been arranged. Another feature of the program will be wild steer roping and riding. Riders under 18 will get a chance to show their ability in a half mile pony race. A mile open race and a three-mile motorcycle race will follow. A cowboy race and a free-for-all harness race will end the day's festivities.

Friday, the last day of the fair, will see a monster athletic carnival. There will be more broncho busting and wild steer roping—also an auto race and a relay race between man, horse and auto.

BOOZE WAS IN HEARSE NOT "LATE LAMENTED"

Vehicles of "Funeral Party" Are Stocked With Smuggled Liquor.

Clarion, Ia., Sept. 14.—Residents of northern Iowa are enjoying a good laugh at the expense of law enforcement officers stationed along the Minnesota border to prevent the illegal importation of liquor. The story goes that they were cleverly outwitted by a party of thirsty Mason citizens who organized a "funeral" procession to get past the vigilance officers.

At a "wet" town in Minnesota, so the story goes, a motor hearse was engaged. The casket was filled with liquid refreshments of the kind that make men beat their wives and see pink elephants. The "mourners'" cars were well stocked. Then the procession, composed of some 25 or 30 automobiles, moved solemnly toward the state line.

As the procession neared the border the "cortege" moved slowly. Members of the party assumed a solemn mien. They fairly exuded grief. The ministerial appearing person in the front car appeared so sanctimonious that crepe could have added nothing to his generally dejected and downcast spirit.

Arriving at the state line, the enforcement officers stood up the solemn party, uncovered their heads and bowed and the procession moved on unmolested. So complete was the air of gloom and sadness that it is said the officers even shed a few tears of sympathy for those who so visibly suffered, not stopping to inquire the name of the "dear departed."

Once the gauntlet was safely passed, so the story goes, the pent-up spirits—liquid and otherwise—were released. The sadness quickly departed and gloom and bottles were scattered along the way.

There have been indignant denials of the story, but if it is not true, the Mason City liar has got in his work. Mason City is widely credited with being the home of a bodding genius. The border enforcement officers are "the goats" of the season's best booze hoax—whether true or not.

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ROSS ASSISTS IN NAMING OFFICERS

Montanan on Committee Selecting Heads of Forestry Regiment.

Kenneth Ross, superintendent of the lumber mill of the Anaconda Copper Mining company, located at Bonner, a few miles east of Missoula, has been named a member of a committee of lumber experts who will name 12 commissioned officers of the second forestry regiment which is being formed and which will officially be known as the Twentieth United States Engineers regiment. The first regiment has finished its training in Washington state and is awaiting orders to leave for France, where it will assist the armies of the United States and her allies in the war.

The committee will name, by Sept. 20 if possible, one major, four captains, nine first lieutenants and seven second lieutenants from the woods engineers of northwest Idaho, western Montana, eastern Washington and northern Wyoming.

A. W. Laird of the Potlatch Lumber company of Spokane heads the committee, which besides Mr. Ross includes R. M. Hart, general manager of the Blackwell Lumber company, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho; E. H. Van Ostrand, president of the Craig Mountain Lumber company, Winchester, Ida., and T. A. McCann, general manager of the Libby Lumber company, Libby, Mont.

The commission as major has been offered W. C. Smith, general manager of Guthrie & Co., who is in active charge of the logging operations near Cle Elum for the Cascade Lumber company of North Yakima. He will probably accept.

The committee has in mind 19 others to whom commissions have been offered but from whom no definite decisions have been received.

Careless Use of Soap Spoils the Hair

Soap should be used very carefully if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle and ruins it.

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