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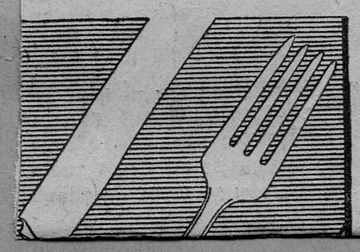

WOMAN REBUKED IN LIQUOR CASE

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Mrs. Berry Reprimanded by Court, Then Placed on Probation

A widow, with five children, was sharply reprimanded in Federal Court by Judge Avis today for trying to make a living by selling liquor.

The defendant, Mrs. Elizabeth Berry, of Mount Holly, escaped a jail sentence after Senator Clifford R. Powell had made a plea for mercy in her defense.

The Court then placed her on probation for two years, after declaring that he "didn't want to send any woman to jail unless the circumstances demanded it."

Senator Powell appeared in court out of respect to the memory of the woman's husband, Sergeant James Berry, who had served in the National Guard at Mount Holly under him. Berry died a year ago.

Before his death, Berry owned and operated a hotel in Mount Holly, and it was in this place that the liquor laws were violated by Mrs. Berry, according to evidence.

"This woman, a widow with five daughters," declared Senator Powell, "tried to eke out a living by selling liquor. She knew of no other way to get money to keep her family together."

What? Rye, Not Apple, in New Jersey Rum-Running

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Something new in Jersey bootlegging—a cargo of moonshine rye whiskey from an inland still consigned to the notorious rum-running shore line—was uncovered early today when New Egypt State Police captured a liquor truck on the Lakehurst-Toms River Road.

The truck was speeding shoreward when Troopers Spieker and Long overtook it. Fifteen 15-gallon barrels were aboard. Eddie Mason, of Roselle, the driver, volunteered the information that the liquor was "rye," but he was close-mouthed on its shipping point and destination. It is believed the moonshine was enroute to a shore bottling plant for conversion into "imported" goods, fresh from the 12-mile limit. Mason, the cargo and the truck, which was owned by Martin Kelly, 729 Van Buren Street, Elizabeth, were turned over to the Federal authorities.

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JUDGE PUTS LABEL ON "SPEAKEASIES"

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Calls Them Unlicensed Saloons, in Sending Proprietors to Jail

Federal Judge Clark caused a mild sensation in court here today when he referred to speakeasies as "unlicensed saloons."

When Joseph Gassler, South Plainfield, and Charles Tredway, Plainfield, appeared for sentence for liquor violations, Judge Clark remarked:

"This might be described as an unlicensed saloon. Then he sentenced Gassler, the proprietor, to serve 60 days, and Tredway to 10 days in jail. Sentence was deferred pending the result of a similar case which is being tried in a higher court by Frederick M. P. Pearse, counsel.

And when the case of Charles McKenna, Clifton, came up, Judge Clark again asked: "Is this another unlicensed saloon?"

"It's a restaurant," counsel tried to explain.

"Don't call it a restaurant," said the court briefly, and then sentenced McKenna to serve 40 days in jail.

And in still another liquor case, involvng three men from North Jersey, the court exclaimed: "This seems to be an unlicensed saloon on a big scale."

Despite a plea of counsel, the court sentenced Harry Marotta, of Hoboken, to serve five months in jail, and imposed terms of one month each on James DeMarco, of Jersey City, and James Marotta, of Hoboken.

A bench warrant was issued for Joseph Ottobere, 11 Tyrell Avenue, Trenton, who failed to appear to answer charges of possession and transportation of liquor.

W. Herbert Walter, Camden, was given a 10-day sentence for transportation of beer.

Howey, Central Figure in Assault On 18th Amendment, Faces Court Again in Violation of Liquor Law

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William Howey, the former Sussex clerk, whose liquor violation case caused Federal Judge William Clark to declare the Eighteenth Amendment unconstitutional, was in Federal Court again today—this time to plead to a charge of maintaining a common nuisance.

The case will probably be heard some time today by Federal Judge Avis.

Accused with Howey is Marcus Norman. They are charged with liquor violations in the operation of Gobel's Inn, Sussex. Both are being defended by former assistant United States Attorney Frederick M. P. Pearse, who led the fight to prove the Volstead act unconstitutional in October, 1930.

It is more than likely that United States Attorney Phillip Forman will represent the government in this case, thus bringing face to face the two men who fought out the sensational battle that took place in the Federal Court here.

A great array of legal counsel aided Mr. Pearse in his fight, and the case was finally taken to the Supreme Court of the United States, where Judge Clark was reversed.

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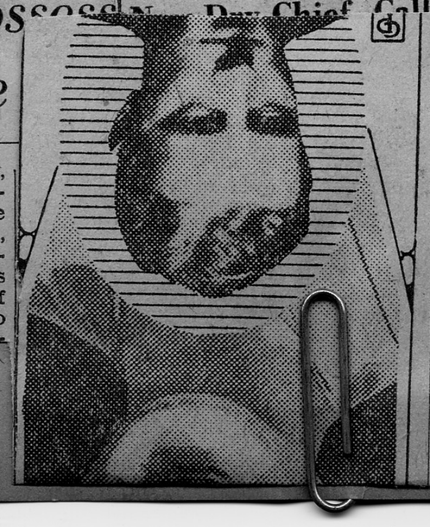
Convicted on Possess... Delay Sentence

After months of legal procedure, during which time the Federal government was authorized to confiscate equipment valued at nearly $100,000, Lewis Stern, of Camden, was convicted yesterday in the United States District Court here on a charge of possession, and then was forced to



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to whether the government had decided to clamp down on liquor over the Washington Birthday week end. "The raids here are conducted in exactly the same way I have worked during my seven years I have been in the department." He denied that under-cover men were used to make "buys" in the

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