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WILL USE MISSOURI WINE IN BATTLESHIP CHRISTENING.

Elaborately Designed Silver Case, Fashioned by Missouri Workmen, to Be Presented to Man-of-War's Sponsor, Miss Marion Cockrell—Radical Departure From Former Custom of Using Imported Wines.

Missouri wine in a bottle designed and fashioned by Missouri workmen will be used in christening the battleship named after the State.

On the opposite side of the bottle is a large shield bearing the inscription, including the date of the launching.

JUDGMENT AGAINST DIRECTORS. Court Approves Referee's Finding in Mullaphy Bank Case.

Circuit Judge Douglas yesterday affirmed the finding of Referee James A. Seddon in the suit of William J. Stone, receiver of the Mullaphy Savings Bank.

Assignment for \$7,655.16 was given against J. H. Rottmann, Henry Klumpp and Joseph Marks, \$3,238.35 against J. H. Joseph, \$3,566.46 against Conrad Kellerman and Charles Schumacher, and \$3,369.89 against Casper Gestring.

One of the principal charges against the directors was that the bank suffered losses because of overdrafts, which, it was stated, the cashier, L. G. Kammerer, allowed to be made.

They call off the editors. County Republicans trying to harmonize warring factions.

Bazaar last four days. Ladies of First Christian Church begin sale to-day.

Will greatly benefit wheat. Rain and snow provide the needed moisture.

May teach social economics. University of Illinois considering advisability of new department.

Oppose Knox's confirmation. Labor organizations delay attorney general's indorsement.

Will end its session to-day. Methodist Episcopal hymnal revision commission divides work.

Wine bottle which will be used in christening the battleship Missouri.

Wanted. A four-inch fall of snow, which had been preceded by a twenty-four-hour rain.

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FRANCIS WILL ASK FOR TWO MILLIONS.

Appropriation Not Sufficient to Carry Out the Plans for the Government Exhibit.

APPEAL TO FEDERAL BOARD.

Increase of \$1,500,000 Is Thought to Have Approval of President Roosevelt—Hunting for Other Things.

Two million of dollars is the sum President Francis and Treasurer Thompson intend to recommend for a Government exhibit at the Exposition while they are in Washington.

On the general principle that the present appropriation of \$500,000 is not commensurate with the scope of the Exposition, the company officials will suggest that half a million of the proposed increase be diverted toward the exhibit of the insular possessions of the United States.

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President Roosevelt's strong indorsement of the Exposition in his annual message to Congress is also relied upon to convince the nation's lawmakers that a wholly inadequate sum has been set aside for a proper display on the part of the nation.

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FIGURES WENT WRONG.

Something About Food That Has One From Brain Fog.

That food can make or break a man is shown in thousands of cases. If one requires the use of the brain, the food must furnish particles that will build up the brain and replace the daily loss.

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PROGRESS OF THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Manufacturers propose to contribute energy to the Exposition power plant by exhibiting their engines in motion at a nominal rental.

The monster power plant of the Exposition will be divided into three groups co-ordinate divisions, which will be operated separately, while at the same time they are dependent one upon the other.

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DIDN'T THINK SHE WAS FIT TO LIVE.

Mrs. Louise Powers Hangs Herself to Bedpost in the Oxford Hotel.

PATHETIC NOTE TO A SISTER.

She Begs for Forgiveness and Love From Relatives and Declares "Drink Caused It All."

Mrs. J. G. Algea, 1323 Clara avenue—Dear Sister: I have acted so bad that I am ashamed to come near any of you. Don't ever let brother know. I am not fit to live, so here goes. I do wish you would love and forgive me. Don't ever drink. This is what caused it all.

Dependent, after a misspent night, Mrs. Louise Powers strangled herself to death at the Hotel Oxford, Seventh and St. Charles streets, yesterday morning.

Mrs. Powers left her sister's home two days ago, saying that she was not feeling well, and would visit the family physician. The family heard no more from her, and the anxiety occasioned by her absence was explained when the police notified Mr. Algea, who is credit man for the Meyer Bros. Drug Company, that a note had been found addressed to his wife, and written by a woman who identified herself as Mrs. Louise Powers.

The Exposition directory will meet to-day in the Noonday Club at 11 o'clock. Vice President Spencer will preside. The matters to be taken up by the highest tribunal of the World's Fair relate to the selection of the Executive Committee for their consideration will be the selection of the Advisory Board, which will be the local company and the National Commission, and the rights of domestic exhibitors at the Fair to appeal to the commission for final adjustment of any difference which may arise between them and the Exposition management.

The St. Louis Millers' Club has appointed a committee to consider plans for a clubhouse to be erected on the World's Fair site. The cost of the proposed structure, which will be used exclusively for social purposes, will be about \$20,000.

Through Sleepers to St. Louis to Jacksonville, Va., W. & O. R. R. Leaving St. Louis at 8:23 p. m. daily. Secure reservations and excursion tickets at the O. O. office, 52 Olive street, or Union Station.

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