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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI,
WESTERN DIVISION.

November Term, 1927.

WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

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INDICTMENT.

WESTERN DIVISION;

COUNT I.

The grand jurors of the United States of America, duly and legally chosen, selected, summoned and drawn from the body of the Western Division of the Western District of Missouri, and duly and legally examined, empaneled, sworn and charged to inquire of and concerning crimes and offenses against the United States of America in the Western Division of the Western District of Missouri, on their oaths present and charge that on the 15th day of November, 1927, at and on the third floor of the building located at Number 617 Independence Avenue, in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, in the Western Division of the Western District of Missouri, within the jurisdiction of this court and within the Sixth Internal Revenue District of Missouri, ROSE COSTANZA did then and there unlawfully, wilfully, knowingly and feloniously engage in and carry on the business of a distiller and did operate a distillery for the purpose of distilling alcoholic spirits, with the intent to defraud the United States of America of the tax on the spirits distilled by her, and did then and there unlawfully, wilfully and feloniously carry on the business of a distiller without having given a bond as required by law; Contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the United States of America.

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COUNT II

And the grand jurors aforesaid, upon their oaths aforesaid, further present and charge that on the 15th day of November, 1927, at and on the third floor of the building located at Number 617 Independence Avenue, in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, in the Western Division of the Western District of Missouri, within the jurisdiction of this court and within the Sixth Internal Revenue District of Missouri, ROSE COSTANZA did unlawfully, wilfully, knowingly and feloniously, on premises other than a distillery duly authorized according to law, towit, at a dwelling house located at Number 617 Independence Avenue, in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, make, possess and ferment a quantity of mash fit for distillation and for the production of alcoholic spirits, towit, 120 gallons, more or less, the exact amount of said mash being to the grand jurors unknown; Contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and

provided, and against the peace and dignity of the United States of America.

COUNT III.

And the grand juror's aforesaid, upon their oaths aforesaid, further present and charge that on the 15th day of November, 1927, at and on the third floor of the building located at Number 617 Independence Avenue, in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, in the Western Division of the Western District of Missouri and within the jurisdiction of this court, ROSE COSTANZA did unlawfully and wilfully, and in violation of the National Prohibition Act, manufacture for beverage purposes, a certain quantity of intoxicating liquor, to wit, 6 gallons of whiskey; Contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the United States of America.

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COUNT IV.

And the grand jurors aforesaid, upon their oaths aforesaid, further present and charge that on the 15th day of November, 1927, at and on the third floor of the building located at Number 617 Independence Avenue, in Kansas City, Jackson County, Missouri, in the Western Division of the Western District of Missouri and within the jurisdiction of this court, ROSE COSTANZA did unlawfully and wilfully, and in violation of the National Prohibition Act, possess for beverage purposes, a certain quantity of intoxicating liquor, to wit, 6 gallons of whiskey; Contrary to the form of the statute in such case made and provided, and against the peace and dignity of the United States of America.

Harry L. Thomas
Assistant United States Attorney

A True Bill
Russell F. Greince
Foreman of the Grand Jury

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No. 8838

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
Western District of Missouri,
Western Division

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

vs.

Rose Costanza,

INDICTMENT

Vio: Secs. 3281, 3282, R.S. of
U.S. and Title II, of the
National Prohibition Act.

Harry L. Thomas
Asst. U.S. Attorney

A true bill,
Russell F. Greince
Foreman.

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