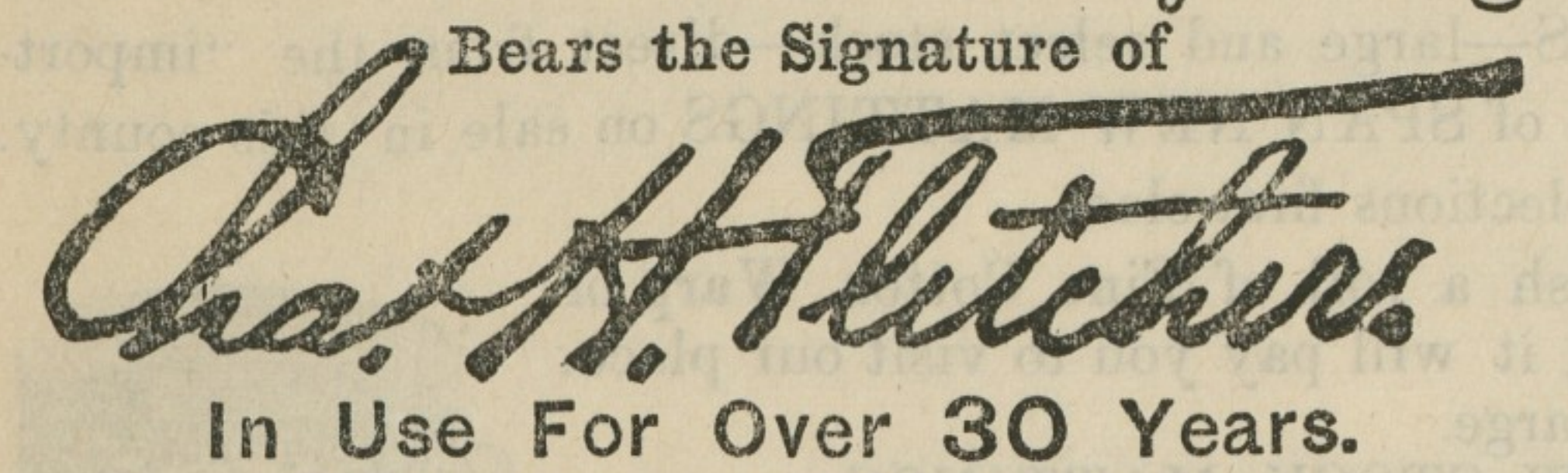


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I return to my home in Cheswold, Del., and my mind will often wander back to my Kent county friends.

Respectfully,  
MARION DAWSON.

**NEARLY MARRIED DAUGHTER.**

A curious and romantic story is reported from the town of Appenzell, Switzerland. In 1887 a Swiss, named Joseph Muller, deserted his wife and child, a little girl named Anna, about 6 months old, at Lucerne, and fled to Mexico.

Mme. Muller died soon after, and Anna was adopted by a prosperous butcher of Lucerne, who gave the girl a good education. Eighteen months ago, the butcher sold out his business and bought a large hotel at Appenzell, Anna, now a handsome, intelligent girl, managing the establishment.

Last May, Joseph Muller, Anna's father, who had made a large fortune in America, arrived at the hotel, but as Anna had taken the name of her foster parents, he was not aware of their relationship. A young local doctor of good family and the elderly Joseph Muller became suitors for Anna's hand, and in July last the girl chose the latter.

The marriage was fixed for the end of December and in the meantime Joseph Muller courted his daughter. The day before the wedding Muller, seeing his fiancée wearing some jewelry which seemed familiar to him, questioned her about it and discovered the truth. Next day he left for Berlin and sent his daughter a letter explaining his conduct and advising her to marry the young doctor; he inclosed a cheque for \$40,000 in the letter.

The other day Anna Muller was married to the doctor, but she has not heard of her father since his flight.

**DRY STATES CAN'T STOP LIQUOR.**

By a vote of three to two, a subcommittee of the judiciary committee of the Senate Monday declared unconstitutional all the bills intended to give states absolute control of intoxicating liquor the moment such liquor enters the states.

The subcommittee is composed of Senator Knox, Fulton, of Oregon; Nelson, of Minnesota, Republicans, and Bacon of Georgia, and Rayner, of Maryland, Democrats. Senator Knox, Fulton and Rayner voted against the constitutionality of the proposed bills. Under existing laws, courts have held that until liquor shipped from another state into a prohibition state has been delivered to the person to whom it is consigned, it is interstate commerce and is not subject to state laws.

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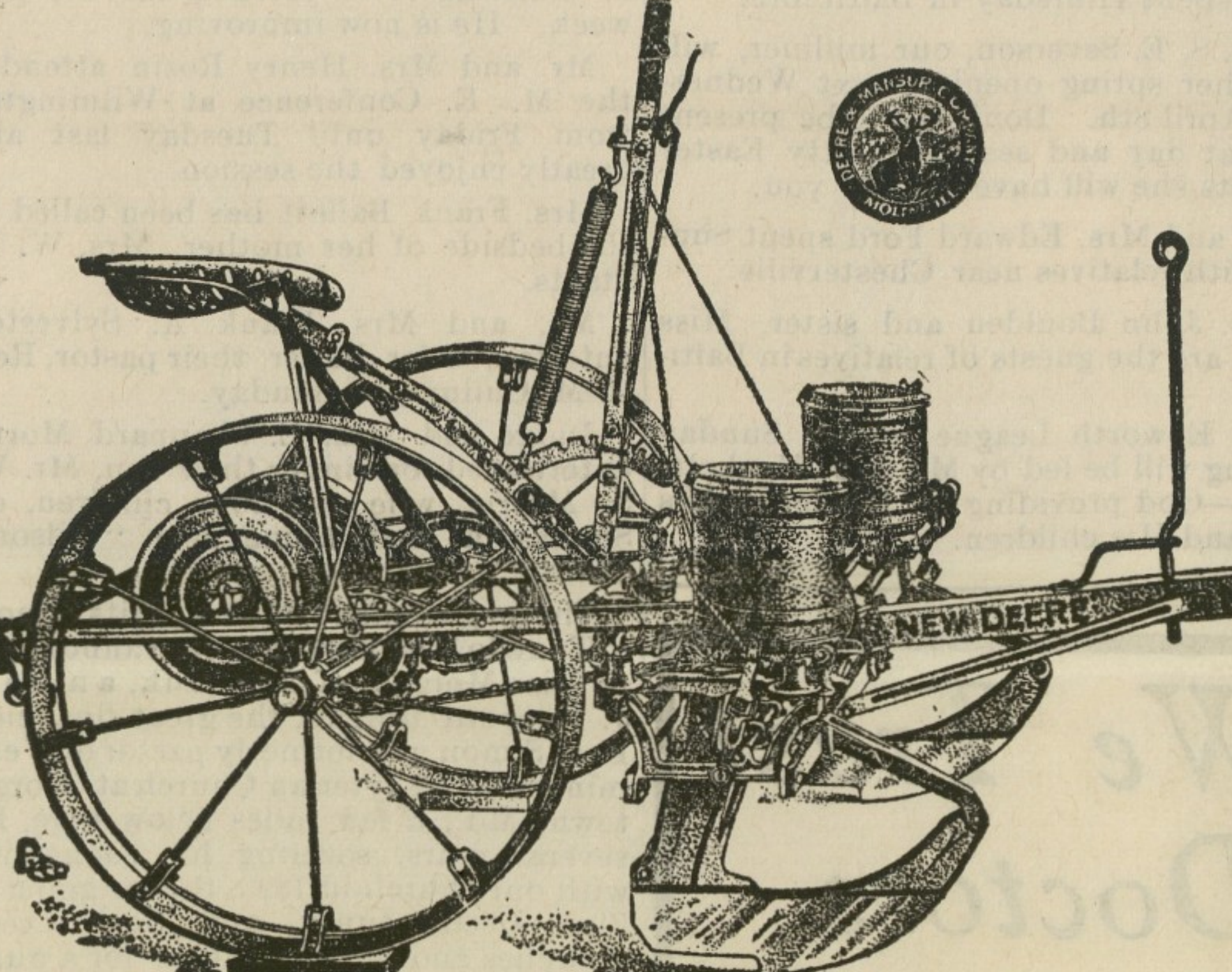
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