

# PRESIDENT PROCLAIMS REPEAL, MAKES PLEA FOR MODERATION

Saloon Banned and There will be No Excess in Drinking ASKS RESPECT FOR LAW

Prohibition Ends Special Taxes in View of Revenue From Whiskey

Washington, Dec. 5.—A double purposed proclamation, putting an official end to prohibition and calling on Americans to help restore respect for law and order was issued tonight by President Roosevelt.

The proclamation, an unusual one, was signed by the chief executive shortly after Acting Secretary Phillips had certified that 36 states had approved the repealing amendment.

The National Recovery act made it mandatory that the chief executive proclaim the end of prohibition in order to abolish a series of special taxes.

The President made a special plea that no state authorize return of the saloon either in its old form or in a new guise and said the objective being sought through a national policy was education of every citizen toward greater temperance.

In asking for co-operation with the government in an effort to restore respect for law and order, the President enjoined all citizens and others in the United States to confine their purchases of alcoholic beverages solely to licensed dealers.

**Mrst. Abolish Bootlegger**  
"The policy of the government will be to see to it that the social and political evils that have existed in the pre-prohibition area shall not be revived nor permitted again to exist," he said. "We must remove forever from our midst the menace of the bootlegger and such others as would profit at the expense of good government and law and order."

He said the observance of his request for purchases solely from licensed dealers or agencies was made "personally to every individual and every family" in the nation and would result in consumption of beverages which had passed federal inspection, in the break-up and eventual destruction of the "notoriously evil illicit liquor traffic," and payment of reasonable taxes for support of the government.

The proclamation directed "specific attention" to authority given the government by the repeal amendment to prohibit transportation or importation of intoxicating liquors into dry states.

In concluding the President said: "I trust in the good sense of the American people that they will not bring upon themselves the curse of excessive use of intoxicating liquors to the detriment of health, morals and social integrity."

The President's Proclamation  
The text of President Roosevelt's

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veit's repeal proclamation follows:  
Whereas the Congress of the United States in second session of the 72nd Congress, begun at Washington on the fifth day of December in the year 1932, adopted a resolution in the words and figures following: to wit—  
"Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the United States.

"Resolved by the senate and house of representatives of the United States in Congress assembled (two-thirds of the states concurring therein), that the following is hereby proposed as an amendment to the constitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the constitution when ratified by conventions in three-fourths of the several states:

"Article 1. The 18th article of amendment to the constitution of the United States is hereby repealed.

"Section 2. The transportation or importation into any state, territory, or possession of the United States for delivery or use therein of intoxicating liquors, in violation of the laws thereof, is hereby prohibited.

**Provision For Ratification**  
"Section 3. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the constitution by conventions in the several states, as provided in the constitution, within seven years from the date of the submission hereof to the states by the Congress."

Whereas section 217 (A) of the act of congress entitled, "An act to encourage national industrial recovery, to foster competition, and to provide for the construction of certain useful public works, and for other purposes," approved June 16, 1933, provides as follows: "Sec. 217 (A) the president shall proclaim the date of:

(1) The close of the first fiscal year ending June 30 of any year after the year 1933, during which the total receipts of the United States (excluding public-debt receipts) exceed its total expenditures (excluding public debt expenditures other than those chargeable against such receipts), or  
(2) The repeal of the 18th amendment to the constitution, which ever is the earlier."

Whereas it appears from a certificate issued December 5, 1933, by the acting secretary of state that official notices have been received in the department of state that on the 5th day of December, 1933, conventions in 36 states of the United States, constituting three-fourths of the whole number of the states had ratified the said repeal amendment:

Now, therefore, I, Franklin D. Roosevelt, president of the United States of America, pursuant to the provisions of section 217 (A) of the said act of June 16, 1933, do hereby proclaim that the 18th amendment to the constitution of the United States was repealed on the fifth day of December, 1933.

Furthermore, I enjoin upon all citizens of the United States and upon other residents within the jurisdiction thereof, to co-operate with the government in its endeavor to restore greater respect for law and order, by confining such purchases of alcoholic beverages as they may make solely to those dealers or agencies which have been duly licensed by state or federal license.

Observance of this request, which I make personally to every individual and every family in our nation, will result in the consumption of alcoholic beverages which have passed federal inspection, in the break-up and eventual destruction of the notoriously evil illicit liquor traffic, and in the payment of reasonable taxes for the support of government and thereby the superseding of other forms of taxation.

I call specific attention to the authority given by the 21st amendment to the government to prohibit transportation or importation of intoxicating liquors into any state in violation of the laws of such state.

I ask the wholehearted co-operation of all our citizens to the end that this return of individual freedom shall not be accompanied by the repugnant conditions that obtained prior to the adoption of the 18th amendment and those that have existed since its adoption. Failure to do this honestly and courageously will be a living reproach to us all.

**Asks Bar to Saloons**  
I ask especially that no state shall by law or otherwise authorize the return of the saloon either in its old form or in some modern guise.

The policy of the government will be to see to it that the social and political evils that have existed in the pre-prohibition era shall not be revived nor permitted again to exist. We must remove forever from our midst the menace of the bootlegger and such others as would profit at the expense of good government, law and order.

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## Roaring River And Dellaplane News

**ROARING RIVER, Route 2, Dec. 5.**—Mr. and Mrs. Ransie Staley feted the carpenters who have been building their new home with a turkey dinner and all the accessories that could be thought of for the season Thanksgiving. Besides the immediate family and the carpenters, Messrs. A. G. Segraves, J. T. Martin, Thurmond Steelman and James L. Mastin, Mr. and Mrs. Staley had as their guests their married children and a few others.

Thanksgiving passed very quietly here. Practically everyone went hunting.

Sunday was the day for regular services at Antioch Baptist church and at the Roaring River Methodist church.

At the funeral of Mr. Otho Mathis at Cranberry two weeks ago there were twelve ministers and about six times as many people as could enter the house. The pastor, Rev. W. G. Mitchell, read appropriate scripture. Rev. N. T. Jarvis read the obituary and made a few very fitting remarks. Rev. W. T. Comer, of Stony Point, brought the comforting message, describing the "real place," about which Mr. Mitchell read in St. John, to which Otho had gone. Rev. D. W. Poole, venerable minister of Hiddenite, offered prayer, as did Rev. J. B. Ray, local minister; and there were also present Rev. J. W. Rash, of Statesville; Rev. W. E. Linney, of Wilkesboro; Rev. Mr. White; Rev. J. A. Foster, Rev. Pervis C. Parks, General Staley and several ministers unknown to this correspondent.

The active and honorary pall bearers were prominent men of the Wilkesboros. The unusually lovely and profuse flowers were borne by the nieces of the deceased. Besides all the countryside, a vast number of people from the Wilkesboros, Ronda, Elkin, many from Winston-Salem, and a few from High Point, Statesville, Hickory, Greensboro, and Charlotte were present for the sad occasion.

Both Rev. N. T. Jarvis and Rev. W. T. Comer, former pastors and life-long friends of the deceased, stated that they had known Otho his entire life of 42 years. "His failings leaned to virtue's side." Any faults he may have had, were counterbalanced by the assurance he left in his dying words that he was entering heaven, and by his almost unique friendliness, generosity and hospitality. Universally loved and admired, he is being irreparably missed by his relatives, neighbors, and friends, and by the Democratic party in Wilkes, of which he was an influential member. More than anyone we ever knew he kept open house; anyone who was at Cranberry or in that community was at Mr. Otho Mathis'; and his hand and heart were equally liberal and helpful.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reynolds, of Danville, Va., and Mrs. Osa Sparks, of Greensboro, visited Mrs. Reynolds' and Mrs. J. A. Wood, of Ronda, again recently. Mr. Buster Staley and a girl friend, of Asheville, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ransie Staley.

Mrs. Lin Chambers, Mr. Vance Chambers, Mrs. W. O. Hanes, Mr. and Mrs. Jim P. Jarvis and children, of the Twin City, were among the many Forsyth people here for the funeral of Mr. Otho Mathis.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wheeler and a party of other guests, of Kannapolis, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sparks. Some of the party went hunting.

Mrs. Augusta Sale will go to Winston-Salem this week to live with her son, Mr. Everett Sale.

Mrs. Ransie Staley spent Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Noah Jarvis, Jr., of the Cranberry vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight G. Jarvis and little daughter, Sue, of Hickory, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jarvis and small sons, Jim Jr. and Jerry, and little daughter, Betty Jean, of Winston-Salem, spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. N. T. Jarvis.

Mr. G. W. Scroggs has been foreman in some road work recently done in this section by relief workers or CWA employees,

American people that they will not bring upon themselves the curse of excessive use of intoxicating liquors, to the detriment of health, morals and social integrity.

The objective we seek through a national policy is the education of every citizen towards a greater temperance throughout the nation.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington this fifth day of December, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and thirty-three, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and fifty-eighth.  
By the President,  
Secretary of State.

and Mr. B. L. Johnson has been time-keeper. Mr. Johnson was foreman for much of the road work last year, and it is reported that he will be foreman in the well and pump and basement projects at the Roaring River school.

The handsome new 9-room bungalow of Mr. and Mrs. Ransie Staley is practically completed. It displays unusually fine lumber and excellent workmanship by Messrs. A. G. (Pete) Segraves, J. T. Martin, Thurmond Steelman and others, and is very attractive.

Miss Buena Laxton, of Rutherford College, spent Thanksgiving with her uncle, Mr. H. E. Parks, and other relatives at Roaring River. Miss Laxton teaches in the high school at Rutherford College.

Pansy Parks, Ella McGee and others of the colored people were to go to Poplar Springs, a few miles from Ronda, Sunday, to attend services and see their relative, Peter Martin, of Huntsville. Peter Martin is a brother of the late Sarah and Betty Martin, who were the wives of the late Cal and Peter Sale, and is a son of one Lucy Martin, who is said to have been a servant of B. O. H. P. Martin, in slavery times.

Messrs. Vilas and Harley Glass visited their uncle, Rev. N. T. Jarvis, Thanksgiving. Mr. Vilas Glass lives at Spurgeon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dorsett were to visit her father, Mr. J. C. Linney, postmaster at Hiddenite, and they were to make a trip to Newland just after Thanksgiving, according to Mr. Linney.

Mrs. Laura Linney and Miss Ruth Linney spent last Tuesday afternoon visiting Mrs. Ransie Staley, looking at the new house, and seeing their cousin, Mr. J. T. Martin.

Mrs. Lois Jarvis Roberts and little sons, Jim Frank and Shirley Jr., spent Friday with her father-in-law, Mr. Roberts, of the Shady Grove vicinity.

Mrs. N. T. Jarvis and Mrs. Laura Linney were among the several spending the morning before the funeral at Mr. Otho Mathis' with the bereaved family, Wednesday before last.

Rev. and Mrs. N. T. Jarvis and daughter, Miss Minnie Sue, and Mr. Noah Jarvis Jr., and little son, Gray, of the Cranberry section, spent last Friday afternoon

## THE ANNUAL RACE



with Mrs. Jarvis' sister, Mrs. Laura Linney. During the evening Rev. Mr. Jarvis, Mr. Noah Jarvis, Jr., and little Gray also made a short trip to the Wilkesboros.

Mr. M. M. Mathis carried the mail Saturday for Mr. H. E. Parks.

Mrs. Essie Byrd, 34; Herman Staley, 21; and Mr. Otha Mathis, 42, died within 8 days and were buried within 9 days. We are happy that the neighborhood has had no deaths in two weeks.

**Birthday Celebration**

WILBAR, Dec. 4.—Children of Rev. W. F. Carlton gathered at his home here Sunday to celebrate the veteran minister's 77th

birthday. There were 62 present, the number including the eleven children and their families.

Among those present were W. C. Carlton, J. F. Carlton and W. T. Carlton, of Lexington; B. L. Carlton, of Kannapolis; M. L. Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Shoe, of Winston-Salem; Mrs. Ethel Truell, Mr. and Mrs. C. Taylor, Rev. Darnell, of Lexington; Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Parsons, Rev. L. A. Carlton and children, of Wilbar; Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Blackburn, of Harley and Mrs. C. E. Parsons, of Shoe.

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