

# Wright Queries Candidates On Dry Law Stand

## Newell Is Hostile To Any Change

Local Dry Leader Asks Five Direct Wet-Dry Questions

Bob Reynolds Will Not Answer Wright's Questionnaire

Liquor Men Trying To Seduce Many Candidates, Newell Avers

Jake F. Newell, Charlotte lawyer and republican candidate for United States senator, making public his replies to a list of five questions submitted him and Robert R. Reynolds, democratic senatorial candidate, by R. Lee Wright of Salisbury, prominent prohibitionist, maintains the staunch advocacy of the present prohibition set-up he announced following the statement of President Hoover urging a change in the amendment to allow states control over liquor.

"I see no reason why I should provide Mr. Wright through the columns of the metropolitan press of the state publicity that he could not otherwise obtain," declared Mr. Reynolds. "As a matter of fact, I did not find Mr. Wright's letter until this afternoon. Upon my return from a three weeks vacation I found 2,000 letters awaiting my consideration, and it was among them. His letter is simply a letter from an individual and although I wish to be entirely courteous and show him every consideration, I do not feel that I should go to the trouble of preparing an answer and mailing it to the papers as he requests, because it appears to me that after my recent speaking campaign my views on this question should be very well known."

The letter to Mr. Newell and Mr. Reynolds from Judge Wright, one of the leaders of the anti-Smith movement in 1928, was addressed to the nominees of the two parties and dated August 3 and follows:

"The anti-liquor men and women of North Carolina are anxious to know your attitude, in no uncertain language, in regard to the eighteenth amendment, as well as to the present liquor laws of our state; and to that end, I am submitting some questions in this letter which you are respectfully requested to answer through the Charlotte Observer, News & Observer, Greensboro News, Winston-Salem Journal, and other leading daily newspapers of our state, and in doing so you may publish this letter together with your answer, or explanation, to each question.

"The questions are as follows: 1. If you should be elected to the United States Senate and the question of repealing the 18th amendment should arise, will you cast your vote for repeal, or against it? 2. If so elected, and the issue comes up to modify the 18th amendment without submitting the same to a vote of the people, which way would you vote? 3. If in favor of repeal, or modification, what is your plan, idea or anticipated method, of regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor? And can you devise any way, or suggest any procedure, to prevent blockading and bootlegging?"

**State Enforcement.**  
4. If one state should remain legally dry and two adjoining states become legally wet, explain how the dry state could be effectively policed so as to prevent importation of whiskey from the wet states into the dry?

5. As a citizen of North Carolina, and as the nominee of your party, are you in favor of a future legislature of North Carolina repealing or modifying the present prohibition laws of our state which are now on the statute books? If so, have you any plan or anything to suggest which would better pre-empt conditions?  
Respectfully yours,  
"R. LEE WRIGHT."

Mr. Newell's reply to the five questions follows:  
1. If I should be elected to the United States senate and the question of repealing the eighteenth amendment should arise, I would cast my vote against repeal.  
2. If I should be so elected, and the issue comes up to modify the eighteenth amendment without submitting the same to a vote of the people, I would cast my vote against modification.  
3. I am not in favor of repeal, or modification, and, therefore, have no plan, idea or anticipated method of regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor, except as contained

in the eighteenth amendment itself, and the laws enacted for its enforcement, and suggest no way or procedure to prevent blockading and bootlegging, except to enforce the law and arouse our good people everywhere to a full sense of their duty to see that only officials who are fit to enforce the law and believe in the lay as a righteous law are elected; to see that no candidate who places himself in league with bootleggers either to win a nomination, or election, or for the graft that is possible in his position, is elected to office; to see that the officials and courts have the full co-operation of all good citizens in the enforcement of the law; and to see that the law is enforced in particularly among all classes, rich and poor, high and low, white and black, and those of neutral color.

**"National Evil."**  
4. If one state should remain legally dry and two adjoining states (or one adjoining state) became legally wet, I do not believe the dry state could be effectively policed so as to prevent importation of whiskey from the wet states (or state) into the dry. Liquor is a national evil, and therefore must be under a uniform national law administered by the federal government and the several states through their concurrent power.

5. As a citizen of North Carolina and as the nominee of my party, I am opposed to any future legislature of North Carolina repealing or modifying the present prohibition laws of our state. But I am confident a movement is now on foot in North Carolina to repeal the present prohibition laws of North Carolina, and that the liquor interests are trying to seduce many candidates of both parties.

"Yours very truly,  
"JAKE F. NEWELL."

### -:PATTERSON ITEMS:-

About ninety Patterson Grangers attended the grange picnic at Peeler's Lake on last Wednesday. A fine time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Flinion Albright entertained their friends at their home last Wednesday night. After an enjoyable recreational hour of games, delicious watermelon was served.

Rev. and Mrs. J. Floyd Menus and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Davis last week.

The Thyatira Young Peoples' League held an enjoyable social at the home of Miss Marjorie Silliman last Thursday night. About forty young people took part in the games after which refreshments, consisting of ice cream and cake, were served.

Our community was shocked to hear of the death of Willie Cooper Friday afternoon. He was instantly killed by lightning while pitching horseshoes at a neighbor's home, Mr. W. A. Morgan. He was 31 years of age, and the only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Cooper. He was an active member in the Grace Lutheran church. He also belonged to Patterson grange, and to the P. O. S. of A. Camp at Mill Bridge. He will be greatly missed by his friends and neighbors.

The men and boys of Patterson Grange went on their annual fishing trip Wednesday and Thursday, down at the High Rock Lake. They all report a good time.

Mrs. J. L. Brown, of Mt. Ulla, visited friends and relatives here last week.

Several members of Patterson Grange went over to Willow Lunch Friday night and took the 6th degree.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Cress are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Litaker.

The degree team of Patterson Grange is planning to visit the Concordia Grange Tuesday night to put on the third degree.

The Freeze reunion will be held Saturday, August 20th in Freeze's pasture, near Mr. H. W. Corriher's. Everybody invited.

The annual Shinn-McCorkle reunion will be held Saturday, August 27th, at Mr. Fletcher Shinn's, near the Mooresville landing field. Friends and relatives are especially invited.

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## CITY and COUNTY NEWS BRIEFS

### W. F. ELLIS

W. F. Ellis, 73, retired business man, died at his home at 428 South Church Street, August 11. Funeral services were conducted from the home August 12, by Rev. A. L. Stanford, pastor of the First Methodist church.

Mr. Ellis is survived by his wife and the following children: George, F. A., William, Joe, Robert Ellis, and Mrs. E. C. Willis.

Mr. Ellis was founder of Ellis-Stone Company, Durham, one of the leading mercantile establishments of that city. This company also operated a large store in Greensboro for many years.

### MRS. LULA McCUBBINS

Mrs. Lula McCubbins, widow of T. J. McCubbins, died at her home on West Council street Saturday night after an illness that had continued for some months. The funeral was conducted from First Methodist church Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock and interment was at Chestnut Hill.

Surviving are eight children, Ben D., Howard T., Mrs. J. J. Batts and Mrs. J. B. Ross of Salisbury, Miss Mabel of Huntersville, Miss Mary of Hendersonville, Eugene of Spartanburg, and Mrs. Andrew Church of Cape May, N. J.

### DRUG STORE TO MOVE

Carter & Carter Drug Store will occupy new quarters on September 1, according to an announcement made recently. This firm will move from its present location, 112 North Main street, to the building located at the intersection of Main and Innes streets, formerly the home of the old Davis & Wiley Bank. Occupancy of its present quarters begun 14 years ago.

### RESERVE OFFICERS MEET HERE

The annual meeting of the North Carolina Department of Reserve Officers will be held here October 7 and 8, immediately preceding the inauguration of the new officers of the North Carolina American Legion. Dr. I. E. Shafer is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

### JAMES H. LYONS

James H. Lyons, 40, son of James Lyons, this city, died Sunday night in Winston-Salem following an extended illness.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday by Rev. G. W. Vick, Charlotte, former pastor of Green Street Methodist church, Winston-Salem, of which the deceased was a member. His burial was accorded military honors, the deceased having been a world war veteran. Interment was in Chestnut Hill cemetery.

Surviving: James Lyons, his father; E. P. Lyons, brother and Mrs. J. W. Aids, sister.

### NEGRO BOY KILLED

Keith Green, negro boy, died here Saturday as a result of injuries sustained when struck by an automobile driven by J. C. Sifford, of Shuping Mill section of the county. Sifford was exonerated by a coroner's jury.

### MILL STRIKES SETTLED

Announcement has been made of an adjustment of the differences between the officials and employes of the Salisbury and Rowan Cotton Mills which resulted in a several weeks strike. Striking employes returned to their work. Details of the settlement were not divulged. However a satisfactory agreement was reached.

### TWO ROWAN MEN KILLED IN AUTO CRASH

Arthur M. Eller, 52, farmer and business man, and Cal Cauble, 75,

both of eastern Rowan, were killed Monday near Wilmington when a truck in which they were riding overturned while attempting to negotiate a curve. Over 20 residents of Pooltown vicinity made up the party, a number of whom were painfully but not fatally injured. The party had gone on a fishing trip on the coast. The truck as driven by Lester Eller, son of Arthur Eller.

### N. C. DAIRYMEN MEET HERE NEXT WEEK

Plans are being completed for the annual meeting of North Carolina Dairymen's association which will be held at the Rowan county fair grounds August 25. A detailed announcement of this meeting was carried in a recent issue of The Watchman. The visitors, approximately 1,000, will be welcomed by Mayor B. V. Hedrick.

### GOLD HILL R. 1 ITEMS

We all would be glad to see another shower of rain, as it is getting very dry throughout our section.

The annual home-coming was held at Pinnywoods Lutheran church Sunday, a very large crowd attended. Also a large dinner was served in the grove at noon. The speakers were Rev. John Moose, of Chicago, a former pastor, also Rev. H. A. Trexler, of Rockwell, a former pastor, and Rev. Shipton, of Rockwell, the supply pastor. The Holt Brothers of Albemarle, and Mr. Talbert and singers of Concord, all gave some fine vocal music as quartettes.

The revival meeting at Antioch Baptist church closed with good success. Rev. Honeycutt held the baptizing in Ryles creek near Mr. J. A. Miller's Sunday. Nine members were baptized.

They are expecting to begin their meeting at St. Paul's Holiness this coming Friday or Sunday.

The Morgan reunion will be held the first Thursday in September, at the usual place near Corinth Baptist church.

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