

Liquor Barred At White House

Mrs. Roosevelt Issues 58-Word Statement Regarding Use of Liquor

Washington, Jan. 29.—Hard liquor will come back to the national capital on February 15, but not to the White House.

So decreed Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt today in a 58-word statement which, however, admitted to her board "simple wines," preferably American.

A short time after her statement, Deets Pickett, of the Methodist board of temperance, prohibition, and public morals observed: "Half a loaf is better than no bread."

There was no comment from Mrs. Roosevelt's dictum was: "By the 15th of February, it will become legal in the District of Columbia to serve wines. No distilled liquor will at any time be served in the White House. There will be no fixed rule as to

the serving of wine, but when served there will be, of course, simple wines, preference being given to American wines."

Always individualistic, Mrs. Roosevelt failed to follow the course that had been confidently charted for her by many predictors—to give out a statement following in phrase her previous statement on beer.

It was: "When it is legal to serve beer in any government house, it will naturally be proper to do so for anyone who desires it in the White House. I myself do not drink anything with alcoholic content. But that is a purely individual thing. I should not dream of imposing my own convictions on other people as long as they live up to the law of the land."

\$500 REWARD IS SET FOR VIRGINIA GASSER

Finecastle, Va., Jan. 29.—A reward of \$500 was offered today for the apprehension and conviction of Botetourt county's mysterious "gas man" whose latest attack with a nauseating gas on a dwelling last night was brought to the attention of the county board of supervisors.

The attack last night was described by authorities as probably the most far-reaching in results of any of the series of attacks made by the stealthy marauder since he started operations in this section more than a month ago.


Victims of this latest attack at the home of Ed Stanley, near Cloverdale, were Stanley, his wife, a visitor, Miss Dorothy Garrett, and Mrs. Henry Weddle, and Frank Guy, who works at the Stanley place.

Others were present, but none suffered seriously, although all told officers they noticed the fumes.

Officers reported in Finecastle today that Mrs. Stanley and Miss Garrett were in a stupor as late as 11 o'clock today, although they were not made unconscious at the time of the gassing. Mrs. Weddle was so overcome that she had to be carried from the room for air, in extreme nausea, and later was removed to her home.

Approximately 95 per cent of the tobacco growers in Wilson county signed acreage reduction contracts, says Farm Agent W. L. Adams.

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One Youngster Writes Walker

The following letter, addressed to Chief of Police John Walker, and an editorial from the Winston-Salem Journal were submitted to the Journal-Patriot for publication by Ralph Bowman, Jr., one of the youngsters of the city who took note of Chief Walker's warning about skating and coaster wagon riding on the streets of the city.

406 D Street, City.

Dear Chief Walker:

Santa Claus brought most of us children something to ride on. Skates, side walk bikes, wagons, scooters, etc. Now we have to put them away. Since you don't want us to use them on streets and sidewalks, we have no place to play. Now I ask you, man to man—is that fair? What are we kids going to do?

Couldn't you have the CWA workers make us a playground on one of the vacant lots that nobody needs?

In Statesville the CWA workers have made playgrounds and parks in many of the swampy waste places in the city limits. They used the trees and shrubs on them to make rustic pergolas, rustic bridges, rustic seats, and tables. They have cement walks for skating, etc. In some of the parks they have tennis courts and basket ball grounds, and Dutch ovens for picnics.

Are the Statesville children better than the North Wilkesboro children?

The Boy Scouts would be glad to help.

We could even have two playgrounds, one with a rustic fence around it for girls and smaller children, with swing and slides, all homemade. I'm sure our factories would give us boards and things. I believe everybody in North Wilkesboro would help.

With a big work going on to make the children happy and our city beautiful, don't you think everybody in North Wilkesboro would want to have a part in it and see something they have helped with become pretty parks and playgrounds for us to proudly show to visitors and tourists?

Can you think of any other city with so pretty a "frame" as North Wilkesboro? With playgrounds and parks where all the tangled bushes now are, we could call our city a resort.

I think the swellest place for a park is around the swimming pool. The skating road is already there and the trees along the river could be made into rustic seats and things. Wouldn't it be just swell?

Yours Truly,
RALPH BOWMAN, JR.

BLACK OFF THE STREETS

(Editorial, Winston-Salem Journal)

The action of some cities and towns in this section in blocking off a portion of several streets on certain nights and for certain intervals for the use of skaters, is to be commended.

Children are going to skate. And it is not always children. Many young men and women engage in this sport. The law provides that they must skate on the sidewalks. But the sidewalks are rough in places, some of them very rough. And they don't get the ride they can get on the street surface. Therefore they get into the street, regardless of whether it is against the law or not, and there is an element of great danger in this.

Of course they are warned. But a warning lasts only a short time and back they are again. They can't all be arrested, and even if they were it would only be taking away one of the pleasures the children have. And certainly in Winston-Salem they have few places to play, such as parks and therefore must make use of some place to play.

By blocking off certain streets on certain nights and at certain times, the skaters are not alone given the opportunity of enjoying themselves, but the element of danger is taken from the sport.

Northern Alexander News

PORES KNOB, Route 2, Jan. 29.—Mr. E. P. Cavin has returned from a trip to Florida. He was accompanied on the trip by his two sons.

Mr. Alonso Davis and family have gone to Charlotte to make their home. Mr. Davis is connected with the Davis Freight Lines which runs from Charlotte to different Northern points.

"Aunt" Mary Davis, the oldest person in Alexander county, is sick. She is confined to her bed.

Mr. Ralph Russell spent the week-end with his family. He returned to the Veteran C. C. Camp near Marion, Sunday.

Mr. G. E. Deal who has been in Davis Hospital for several weeks, was brought home Saturday. His conditions is much improved.

Mr. Roosevelt Lowe and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Lowe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Deal, Jr., who live in the Salem community.

Woman Who Swallowed Poison Reported Better

Danville, Va., Jan. 28.—Mrs. L. W. Mobley was reported at Memorial hospital today as showing little ill effect after being taken there last night after swallowing poison tablets. It was thought she would leave the institution tomorrow.

Soon after being taken to the hospital Chief of Police James H. Martin went to the hospital and the woman is said to have made a statement to him but the purport of it was not divulged.

Her husband was in jail, being previously arrested on a charge of being intoxicated and disorderly.

Surgeon Forgets \$300 Fee And Some Thief Has It Now

Charlotte, Jan. 29.—Dr. W. M. Scruggs, Charlotte surgeon, is just one operation behind—so far as fees are concerned—and a thief is \$300 ahead, so far as his own operations are concerned.

The surgeon had just received \$300 from a patient when he went to a hospital here today to perform an operation. He left the money in his trousers when he changed clothes.

I. O. O. F. To Give Sacred Service Soon

A sacred service will be held by Union Lodge No. 331, I. O. O. F., at Baptist Home, five miles north of the city on Highway 18, on Sunday, February 11, at 11 o'clock. The lodge is conducting a religious service regularly in churches of that section and the public is cordially invited to attend.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of the power conferred upon the undersigned trustee in a Deed of Trust executed by Vernon Parks and Pansy Parks, his wife, which Deed of Trust is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wilkes County in Book 154, page 427, and there having been default made in payment of the note secured thereby, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction at the Court House door of Wilkes County in Wilkesboro, North Carolina, on Thursday, March 1, 1934, at 2 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate lying and being in Wilkes county:

Bounded on the north by Claud Ball, on the west by C. L. Williams, on the South by Henry Parks and on the east by Lonnie Sale, containing two acres, more or less.

This 27th day of Jan., 1934.
AVALON E. HALL,
Trustee.
Boece & Hall, Attorneys.

Opportunity News

CYCLE, Jan. 29.—Mr. G. A. May, trader, 29 Yackville, was in this neighborhood buying calves and other produce the past week.

Some of the farmers of this community are taking advantage of the pretty weather by doing their spring plowing.

Mr. Homer Wyatt is confined this week with a bad leg which started from a small sore that inflamed.

Mr. S. L. Sparks, local lumberman, moved his sawmill from the Cranberry community to near J. W. Robbins Moaday. From the general appearance the lumber business must be much improved as there is much activity among the lumbermen of this section.

Rev. Willie Mitchell visited his daughter, Mrs. S. L. Sparks, a short while Friday afternoon.

Mr. S. G. Mayberry, Mrs. J. W. Privette and son, Gale, made a trip to the Wilkesboros Thursday where Mrs. Privette visited Dr. G. T. Mitchell where she received treatment for high blood pressure.

Mr. Floyd Speaks, of Winston-Salem, spent a few days the past week with his sister, Mrs. Mamie Windsor.

Mr. Eugene Windsor, of Hamptonville, is doing some carpenter work for S. G. Mayberry.

Mr. Alvin Sturdivant, of North Wilkesboro, spent a short time in this community Friday attending to business for the Reins-Sturdivant funeral home.

Messrs. D. A. Holleman, Leonard Templeton and Harvey Wooten, made a shopping trip to North Wilkesboro Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Isom Coleman and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Holleman.

Miss Nettie Cass is confined to her home by illness. Her friends hope her an early recovery.

Mrs. Bertha Holbrook and children visited Mrs. E. K. Wooten Sunday afternoon.

Rev. E. K. Wooten filled his regular appointment at Cherry Grove Baptist church, Saturday.

Miss Ethel Parker spent Sunday afternoon with Misses Ennis and Roxie Jolly.

Miss Nell Rash, teacher of this place, was in North Wilkesboro Saturday afternoon.

The CWA force, headed by Robert Sale, which has been doing road work in this community, has moved back near Ronda where they are hauling field stones.

Large Furniture Stock Purchased By Rhodes-Day

Bought Heavily At Recent Furniture Show; Making Changes At Local Store

Buyers for Rhodes-Day Furniture company, one of the leading furniture stores of this section, bought heavily of new production furniture, suitable for all these needs, at the recent furniture exposition at High Point. The purchases were much larger than usual and when the new stock arrives it will provide the largest array of furniture ever displayed at the local store.

A number of changes are being made in the local store building, including up-to-date show window rooms. A contract has been made with an expert decorator to change windows weekly and these will keep before the eyes of the public the very latest in furniture styles.

BEATTY IN CAGE AS LION KILLS LIONESS

Cleveland, Jan. 29.—In a savage battle to the death, a huge male lion killed a young lioness today while Clyde Beatty, ace animal trainer, risked his life trying to separate the beasts.

The lions tore and clawed at each other in the cage where Beatty twice daily has been handling 40 lions and tigers for the amusement of patrons of a circus staged by the Grotto, Masonic organization, in Cleveland's public auditorium. The battle took place only a short time before a matinee performance.

Beatty was in the cage, cracking his whip, during the entire 10 minutes of the struggle. Four other male lions and four savage tigers, which had already been brought under control of the trainer, were in the cage at the time, perched on high pedestals.

Wild roars and savage growls reverberated through the auditorium as the circus attendants thronged to the cage, shouting to Beatty: "Come out. They'll turn on you."

Apparently unperturbed, Beatty went on with his regular afternoon act calmly. The cats in the show performed normally, and few of the thousands who jammed the auditorium knew of the disturbance which had gone on shortly before.

Beatty admitted it was one of the most trying experiences of his animal-training career. "I wasn't expecting anything like this," he said. "I was putting three young lionesses through their paces. Be-

When Oscar Fallick started his cotton reduction campaign in Mecklenburg county recently, 192 farmers took part in the opening meetings and indications were that the growers would sign the adjustment contract 100 per cent.

of trembling and aim and in bed waiting for breath. My own friends having called by apartment today morning. I opened the door immediately and drove out the other two females into the room.

"I whipped the two fighters with the whip and poked Sammy with the stick. The attendants turned three water hoses on them, but Sammy clung onto his grip until the female slumped over dead."

Sammy was led into solitary confinement.

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