

Wets Want To Repeal State Liquor Laws, Says Leader of Dry Forces

Editor The Times:

The real issue in North Carolina now is not the 18th Amendment, but our own State Prohibition laws. The wets are certain that the 18th Amendment is going to be repealed regardless as to how North Carolina votes, and most of the dries seem to feel the same way about it.

The wets do not need, therefore, the vote of North Carolina to repeal the 18th Amendment. They are very much concerned, however, that North Carolina shall vote "wet" in order that they may have the backing to repeal the prohibition laws of this state.

The Biblical Recorder of September 20, quotes an editorial from the Winston-Salem Journal from which we quote the following paragraph:

"Let no one be deceived. The result of this election on November 7 is going to determine whether or not whiskey distilleries and liquor stores or saloons shall come back to the state of North Carolina."

Now I am confident that if the men and women that say they are dry will go to the polls on November 7 and vote dry, the dries will hold this state. But some that claim to be ardent prohibitionists say they are not going to vote; that it will be a waste of time. If enough of that class stay at home on November 7 it will be they that turn the state over to the brewery interests.

It was not the 28 percent in Texas that voted that won the battle for repeal. But it was the 72 percent that stayed at home and surrendered the State without a fight. And so in all the states that have voted for repeal; it was not the one third that voted that won the battle. There was no battle. The two thirds that stayed at home simply gave the states over to the enemy. And my honest conviction is that these stay-at-homes will be accountable before God, with the wets, for the evil consequences of this backward step. It is as though a heartless and cruel enemy were invading our State for the sole purpose of befouling our pure air with poison gas, and destroying our people and plundering our homes, and we throw down our arms and take to cover without firing a shot, and leave the enemy in possession of the field.

And indeed the most cruel and shameful enemy that ever shed the blood of innocence, and hurled strong men and women into the pit of despair is invading our states. And many of our citizens, men and women, have surrendered the field to this home-wrecking enemy without making any resistance.

Evangeline Booth, who got her information from years of experience in trying to save the wrecks of humanity, caused by the drink habit, says:

"Drink has drained more blood, hung more crepe, sold more homes, plunged more people into bankruptcy, aimed more villains, slain more children, snapped more wedding rings, defiled more innocence, blinded more eyes, twisted more limbs, dethroned more manhood, dishonored womanhood, broken more hearts, blasted lives, driven more to suicide, and dug more graves than any other poisoned scourge that ever swept its death-dealing waves across the world."—Biblical Recorder, Sept. 27, 1933.

Finally, unless you are prepared to bear the blame with the wets, for bringing back the meanest and most senseless business in the world, go to the polls on November 7 and vote "No Convention."

Yes, go to the polls. Don't wait for someone to go after you. Get up early, gather up your neighbors, and go in a body and vote the ballot that will not only save the state the expense of holding the convention, but also the disgrace and humiliation of going into this most soul-destroying, home-wrecking business in the world.

Show that you are not afraid to do the right thing, and are made of sterner stuff than to lie down in the stream and make a bridge for the brewers to roll their whiskey barrels over you.

J. K. HENDERSON.
Brevard, Sept 30, 1933.

Local granges were organized at Hudson and Granite Falls, Caldwell county, last week by the farm agent assisted by P. M. Hendricks of Davidson county.

T. T. Foster has dug and filled the first trench silo for Caswell county. He put six acres of corn, estimated to yield 25 bushels of grain an acre into the silo.

NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix for H. L. Wilson, deceased, late of Transylvania County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the said deceased to exhibit them to me on or before September 21, 1934 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons owing said estate will make payment.

September 21, 1933.
ALLIE C. WILSON,
Sept. 21—6tc Administratrix

Garage Men Adopt Code Fair Practice Governing All Lines Automobile Work

Automobile repair, garage, filling station and battery service operators adopted a code of fair practice at a meeting held in The Times office Friday night, the code to become effective Wednesday, October 4th.

Representatives of ten concerns of the county were present at the meeting and drew up regulations governing the various lines of work which will make the local business men comply with the National Recovery Act. Other garage owners and filling station men of the county were canvassed Saturday and Monday.

The Chilton Rapid Plate Rate and Repair Data was adopted as a basis of all automobile repair charges, thus putting each garage in this county on one rate for all repair jobs regardless of size.

The agreement, copy of which is carried in an advertisement in this issue of the paper, also sets forth fixed charges for battery recharging and battery service; wrecker service and towing; tire repairing; washing, greasing and polishing.

Under the National Recovery Act it will be considered unfair competition for any garage or automobile service station of any type to take work for anything less or under conditions than those set out in the code of fair practices as adopted by the representatives in meeting Friday night, whether such operator

subscribes to the code or not. Penalty for failure to comply with the agreed code of fair practices will be, according to regulations sent out by the National Recovery Board, taking away of the blue eagle and publication of the name of such business.

AT THE CLEMSON THEATRE

For Friday and Saturday of this week, when hundreds of people from all sections of the county are expected to be in Brevard on account of the two day fair, the Clemson has secured a picture for showing that is remarkable in its imaginative greatness, depicting "the end of the world" in a great deluge that wipes out all lives on the earth except half a hundred men and half a dozen women. Peggy Shannon, Lois Wilson and Sidney Blackmer are stellar players in "Deluge."

Offering for Monday and Tuesday of next week is "The Solitaire Man," with Herbert Marshall, May Robson and Elizabeth Allan as leading players....meet the new Prince of Charmers....the Raffles of Boudoirs...daring all for love and loot, "The Solitaire Man" leads a life of intrigue until.....

GATHERING LOCUST SEED IS PROFITABLE

State College Head States Black Locust Short Throughout Land

The demand for black locust seed last season was greater than the supply available and indications are that the demand will continue through this season.

"This demand for black locust seed should offer mountain farmers a new source of income," says R. W. Graeber, extension forester at State College. "The seed are not difficult to harvest and there is a good crop indicated in the western part of the State this fall. The black locust is one of the best trees for use on reclaiming washed land and controlling future erosion. The tree was taken to Germany and Italy for this purpose and is now being used extensively in those two countries. Italy is using black locust in the 500 million dollar land reclamation and soil stabilization project which is very similar to President Roosevelt's Tennessee Valley project."

Graeber finds that this country has not supplied the demand for black locust seed so far needed in the reforestation and erosion control work being conducted. Last year when the State of Indiana wanted 15,000 pounds of seed, she had to go to Germany to get the supply. Yet the black locust is an American tree. Tennessee bought 3,000 pounds of seed from Germany also.

Mr. Graeber says black locust seed are selling for good prices. The North Carolina State Forester paid 60 cents a pound for some last season and one of the private nurseries paid a higher price.

This indicates that some farmers might harvest the seed to good advantage this fall. Plump seed from thrifty, vigorous trees should be gathered as soon as mature and allowed to dry or cure in a dry, well ventilated place. The pods may be hulled like peas or beans.

A robin's note isn't so very musical, but it compels instant attention.

BOY SCOUTS ENJOY PICNIC AND PARTY

Miss Henry Hostess to Brevard Troop at Annual Affair To Boys

Miss Violet Henry and mother gave a very enjoyable supper to Brevard troop of Boy Scouts on the beautiful lawn of her home Friday night. The scouts met on the lawn at six o'clock and hot dogs and popcorn were prepared at an open fire. Ice cream was later served to the guests and scouts. After the supper the boys gathered around the fire and listened to a band of colored minstrels. Later the scouts played games.

The supper has been an annual affair for several years. Miss Henry and her mother have been warm friends of the troop for years. Mrs. Henry donated to the scouts a lot on which to build a hut several years ago. The scouts had nearly enough money to build the hut at one time but lost all their funds with the failure of the Brevard Banking Company.

Those present included: Mrs. Henry, Scoutmaster and Mrs. J. A. Miller, Assistant Scoutmaster C. M. Douglas, Chief Sam Allison, Henry James Curry, Allen Smith, John Walker, Billy Nicholson, Richard Enlow, Max Ashworth, L. E. Bagwell, Billy Beasley, Steve Bracken, Vance Jackson, James Deaver, Ray Hayes, Edward Holler, John Holler, Lucien Deaver, and Billy Huggins.

The regular Scout meeting will be held next Friday night. All scouts are urged to attend as a proposal to attend the Cherokee Fair will be discussed.—Scout Reporter.

Catawba County farmers have purchased more farm machinery in the past three months than they have in the whole of the past three years.

Two hundred Orange County farmers attended the annual picnic given by the Board of Agriculture at the farm of E. S. Vanatta recently.

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