

STATEMENT IN THE SENATE BY SENATOR STROM THURMOND (D-SC) ON
GALLUP POLL ON PROHIBITION, APRIL 15, 1957

MR. PRESIDENT:

I ask unanimous consent to have inserted in the Appendix of the Record a news release which was issued by the National Temperance League on April 9, 1957. The article is entitled "Gallup Poll on National Prohibition Doesn't Reflect True Picture of Liquor Situation, Temperance Leader Charges in Statement."

Mr. President, this article points out that there is more sentiment in the Southern States against the excessive use of alcoholic beverages than in any other section of the country. It also gives statistics which show that these States had approximately half as many alcoholics as did the other sections of the country. I am proud of this record which has been made by our Southern States, and I hope that we can make greater improvements in dealing with this problem.

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