

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER, 1957

August 8, 1957
[No. 3194]

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, we are grateful for the faith in which our fathers found their strength, and for the hope which has guided our Nation from the earliest days; and

WHEREAS, it is a good thing for a people unitedly to remember their heritage of spirit, and to refresh themselves daily in the Divine Truth which is their most precious inheritance; and

WHEREAS, in our steady drive for enduring peace among men we must always seek the aid of the Father of mankind; and

WHEREAS, the Congress, by a joint resolution approved April 17, 1952, has provided that the President "shall set aside and proclaim a suitable day each year, other than a Sunday, as a National Day of Prayer, on which the people of the United States may turn to God in prayer":

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, President of the United States of America, do hereby set aside Wednesday, the second day of October 1957, as a National Day of Prayer; and I call upon our citizens, each according to his own faith, to unite in prayer and meditation on that day.

In constant dependence upon our Creator for the spiritual gifts required in the conduct of our affairs as individuals and as a Nation, let us now ask for wisdom and strength to fulfill the high purposes for which we are called, seeking the welfare of all peoples through a just and lasting peace across the face of the earth, bringing happiness to the home of the humblest family and to the courts of the Almighty. Let us pray with eager expectation that we may be inspired to sacrifice, at home and abroad, to achieve a life worthy of the children of God, for all men, everywhere.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Washington this eighth day of August in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-seven, and of [SEAL] the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and eighty-second.

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

By the President:

JOHN FOSTER DULLES,
Secretary of State.

RELATING TO THE IMPORTATION OF CERTAIN AGRICULTURAL ARTICLES
FOR EXHIBITION AT TRADE FAIRS OR FOR RESEARCH

August 17, 1957
[No. 3195]

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 22 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended (7 U. S. C. 624), I issued proclamations limiting the quantities of certain articles which may be entered or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption, as follows:

Proclamation No. 3019 of June 8, 1953, with respect to certain dairy products and other commodities;

66 Stat. 64.
36 USC 185.

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50 Stat. 246.
65 Stat. 76; 67 Stat.
472.

67 Stat. c46.

Proclamation No. 3025 of June 30, 1953, which amended Proclamation No. 3019;

67 Stat. c54.

Proclamation No. 3178 of April 15, 1957, with respect to certain butter substitutes including butter oil; and

Ante, p. c29.

Proclamation No. 3193 of August 7, 1957, with respect to certain articles containing 45 per centum or more of butterfat or of butterfat and other fats or oils; and

Ante, p. c52.

WHEREAS it now appears that those proclamations are unduly restrictive in certain respects and require modifications in the interest of simplification of enforcement; and

WHEREAS the required modifications would in no way alter the purposes of those proclamations:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER, President of the United States of America, do hereby find and declare that the entry or withdrawal from warehouse for consumption on and after August 17, 1957 ----- of those articles included in Lists I and II (except peanuts) appended to and made a part of Proclamation No. 3019 of June 8, 1953, as amended, and those articles the importation of which is restricted by Proclamation No. 3178 of April 15, 1957, and Proclamation No. 3193 of August 7, 1957, under the conditions herein prescribed, will not render, or tend to render, ineffective or materially interfere with any program or operation of the Department of Agriculture, nor reduce substantially the amount of products processed in the United States from agricultural commodities with respect to which any such program or operation are being undertaken. Accordingly, I hereby proclaim that the provisions of Proclamation No. 3019, as amended, shall not apply to articles specified in Lists I and II thereof (except peanuts) and that the provisions of Proclamation No. 3178 and Proclamation No. 3193 shall not apply to articles restricted therein: *Provided*, that such articles are entered or withdrawn from warehouse for exhibition, display, or sampling at a Trade Fair or for research, and in any importation, the aggregate quantity of such articles does not exceed 100 pounds net: *And provided*, that the written approval of the Secretary of Agriculture or his designated representative is presented at the time of entry, or bond is furnished in a form prescribed by the Commissioner of Customs in an amount equal to the value of the merchandise as set forth in the entry plus the estimated duty as determined at the time of entry, conditioned upon the production of such written approval of the Secretary within six months from the date of entry.

Agricultural articles for trade fairs or research.
Modification of import restrictions.

67 Stat. c46.

Ante, pp. c29, c52.

Nothing in this Proclamation shall be deemed to modify the provisions of Proclamation No. 3025 of June 30, 1953.

67 Stat. c54.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Washington this 17th day of August in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-seven, and of [SEAL] the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and eighty-second.

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

By the President:

CHRISTIAN A. HERTER,
Acting Secretary of State.