

I. Prohibition

- The 18th Amendment (1920) to the Constitution bans the sale,
- distribution and manufacture of alcohol.
- Women were the biggest supporters of prohibition.

II. Problems with Prohibition

- **Gangsters!!**
- **Bootleggers:** People that made and distributed illegal alcohol.
- **Speak-easy:** Illegal bar.
- Drinking actually increases during the 13 years of prohibition.

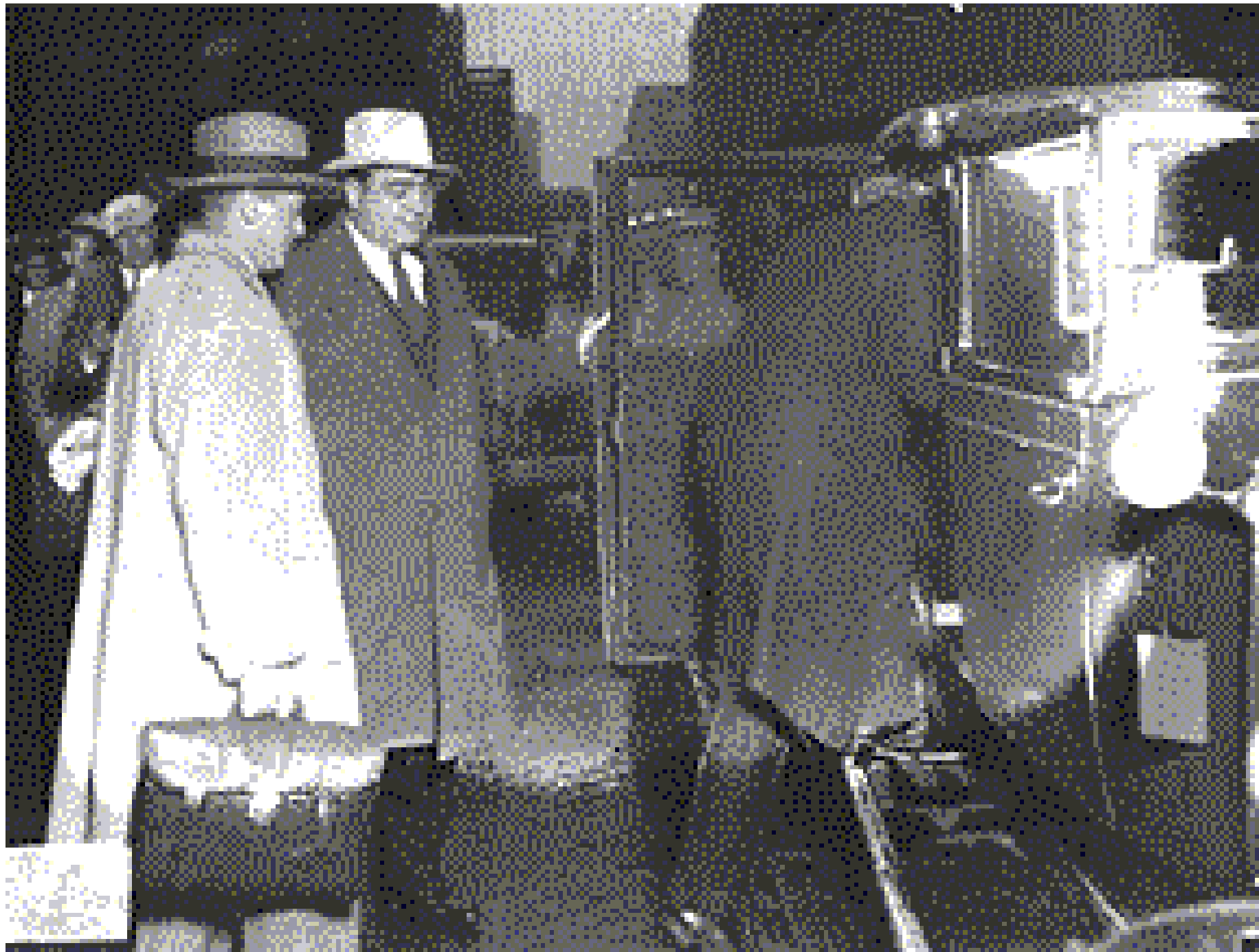
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- Not enough law enforcement(The Volstead Act)
- Soldiers returning from war were upset
- PEOPLE wanted to Drink.
- In 1933 the 21st Amendment repeals Prohibition.



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