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[Legend has it that Al Capone was an occasional tourist in the Lincoln-Logan County area as the guest of his local beverage distributor, John “Coonhound Johnny” Schwenoha. Coonhound Johnny took Capone hunting and arranged for other entertainment. After Coonhound Johnny was arrested for bootlegging, according to legend, he was pardoned by the President of the United States for health reasons — allegedly the only bootlegger to receive this perk.](#)