

Sun Causes Hi-Way "Explosion"

Slab "Buckles" Sending Concrete High Into The Air

Tourist Injured In "Hi-Way Explosion" Weldon-Halifax Rd.

A tourist, returning to his home in Massachusetts from Florida, via the Atlantic Coastal Hi-way, had a real taste of North Carolina warm weather last week, just before crossing the state line, on the Weldon-Halifax hi-way.

As the driver passed a point in the road, the concrete "exploded" buckling a place in the slab at least 18-inches high, and sending a shower of gravel, debris and particles of concrete high into the air, part of which struck and injured an occupant riding on the back seat of the car.

Old timers say last Friday was one of the hottest days they have experienced, particularly at this time of the year. It was undoubtedly the incessant rays of Old Sol pouring down on the roadway that caused the explosion, which state highway officials say are not uncommon, despite every precaution taken to prevent them, both in construction and maintenance of the highways.

H. B. House, clerk with the State Hi-way department stationed at Weldon, says he witnessed a "buckle" of concrete during hot weather upon one occasion, and that the explosion sounded like a gun-shot.

Names of the drivers and occupants of the Massachusetts tourists were not obtained. Only one of the four occupants of the car was injured, an invalid, weighing only 80 pounds. He was taken to a Weldon physician for treatment of his wounds, principal of which was a slight gash cut over his left eye, and it was only a matter of a few minutes until the tourists were again on their route.

Hospital Trustees Meet

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charges was ordered.

Dr. Weathers submitted, with his recommendation for adoption a contract with the Duke Hospital at Durham which was agreed upon by the Trustees of the Roanoke Rapids Hospital. Under the terms of this agreement the Duke Hospital, for a small annual fee, will do all the pathological work for the Roanoke Rapids Hospital.

Mr. T. J. Alford, Business Manager, read his Monthly Reports, which showed a general improvement in the financial affairs of the Hospital. Mr. Alford commented upon the very fine spirit of co-operation which he was receiving from the Medical Staff, the Hospital employees and the public.

Wedding Is Surprise

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untiring efforts in school and social work in this city made for her a host of friends who will keenly regret the loss of her as a teacher next year. Her home is in Lumberton, N. C., tho she has taught here for the past several years.

Clyde Hargrove is likewise well known here, having worked in a city drug store several years ago. He now holds a responsible position with a Winston-Salem drug store, where he and his charming bride will be at home to their friends after a short honeymoon trip thru the Valley of Virginia.

City Business Men On Yearly Fishing Excursion Tuesday

Messrs. C. T. Johnson, J. O. and J. E. Matthews, city business men went on their "annual fishing trip" Tuesday of this week, and report a big "catch" of Perch and other varieties.

All ardent fishers, these three men manage to get together once a year for a fishing trip composed of just the trio. This year's excursion took them to William's Pond in Gates County, about seventy miles from here.

Mrs. Leah Hirson of Chicago, told the court that her husband's occupation was swearing and she got a divorce.

NOTICE OF RECEIVER'S SALE UNDER ORDER OF COURT

Under and by virtue of an order made on the 10th day of June, 1933, by his Honor, R. Hunt Parker, Resident Judge of the Superior Court of North Carolina of the Third Judicial District, in that action pending in said Superior Court, in Halifax County, North Carolina, entitled "First & Merchants National Bank of Richmond, in behalf of itself and all other creditors of the Halifax Paper Corporation, who may come in and make themselves parties to this action, plaintiff, vs. Halifax Paper Corporation, Defendant," the undersigned receiver will in person or by attorney offer for sale at public auction, for cash, on the mill premises of the said Halifax Paper Corporation, at Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County, North Carolina, at eleven (11) o'clock, A. M., on Thursday, July 13th., 1933, all of the assets of the said Halifax Paper Corporation, both real and personal, defined and described as follows:

FIRST: That piece or parcel of land and the Halifax Paper Corporation's mill buildings, machinery and all other improvements situated thereon, lying and being in the vicinity of Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County, North Carolina, described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin at the high-water mark on the Southern bank of Roanoke River and running thence along the East side of North Carolina Highway No. 40, S. 54 degrees 45 minutes W. 320 feet to an iron pin in the right-of-way of the Seaboard Air Line Railway Company; thence along the right-of-way 112 feet, more or less, to an iron pin; thence Southwardly along said right-of-way as it curves to the right with a radius of 995.4 feet 300.15 feet to an iron stake; thence S. 32 degrees 0 minutes E. 1206 feet to an iron stake; thence N. 54 degrees 45 minutes E. 482.6 feet to an iron stake on the Southern bank of Roanoke River; thence N. 27 degrees 40 minutes W. 510 feet to an iron stake on the Southern Bank of Roanoke River; thence along the bank of Roanoke River following the bank to the point of beginning, the same being an iron stake in the Eastern line of North Carolina Highway No. 40.

SECOND: That piece, parcel or tract of land lying and being situate in the City of Roanoke Rapids, Halifax County, North Carolina, to-wit:

That house and lot lying and being situate on the West side of

Hamilton Street, beginning at a point on the West side of said Hamilton Street 50 feet from the Northwest corner of the intersection of Hailton and Fifth Streets and running thence Westerly at right angles to said Hamilton Street 125 feet to a point; thence at right angles to Fifth Street and parallel to Hamilton Street a straight line 100 feet to a point; thence in an Easterly direction at right angles to Hamilton Street and parallel to Fifth Street a straight line 125 feet to the West side of Hamilton Street; thence

in a Southerly direction 100 feet along the West side of Hamilton Street to the point of beginning.

THIRD: Also the following described personal property:

Accounts receivable, 6 mules, 3 wagons, 1 truck, 160 tons paper, 140 tons Halifax pulp, 6 tons foreign pulp, 40 tons coal, 30 tons salt cake, 20 tons lime, 8 1-2 tons size, 3 tons alum, 500 lbs. color, 5 felts, 2 wires, twine, plugs, 1000 cords wood, all supplies and spare parts for machines.

Sale of above described assets, both real and personal, to be made

for cash, subject to confirmation by the court. The successful bidder or bidders to deposit ten (10%) percent in cash of his or their respective bids as good faith money.

Date of Sale: Thursday, July 13th, 1933, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

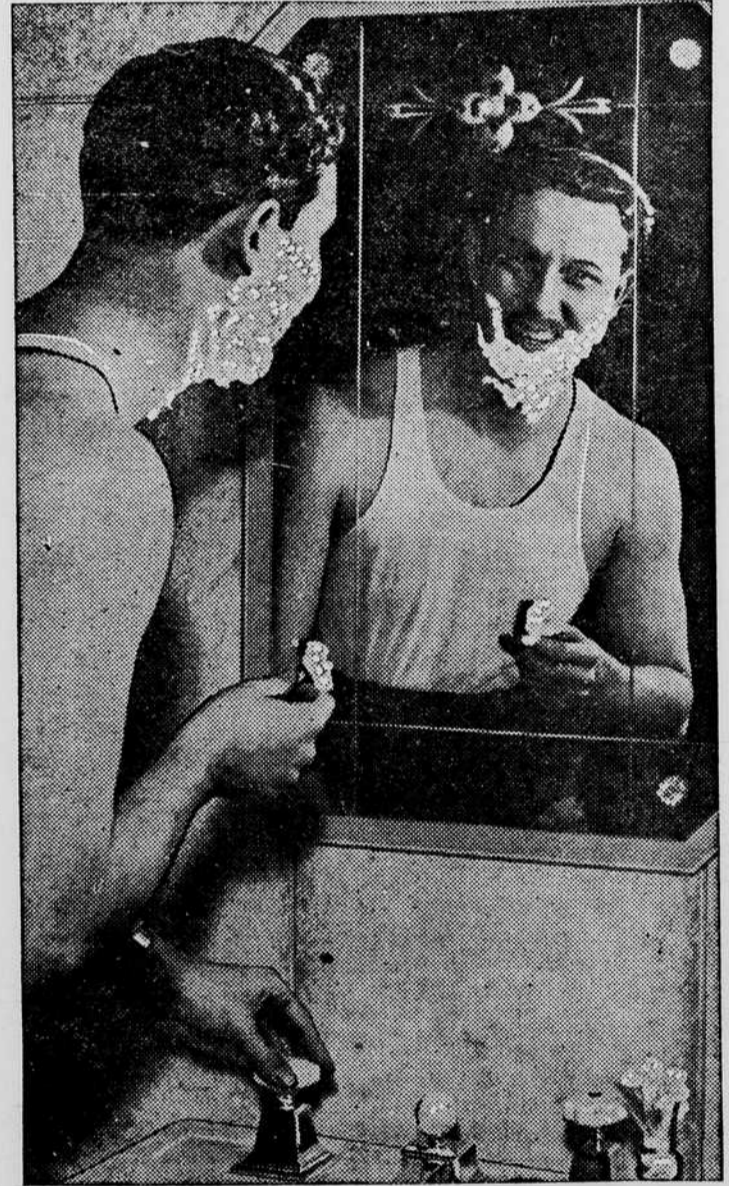
Place of Sale: Mill Premises of Halifax Paper Corporation, Roanoke Rapids, N. C.

This, June 12th., 1933.

F. M. BROWN, Receiver of Halifax Paper Corporation, Roanoke Rapids, N. C.

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