

DRUNKEN DRIVERS

Automobile travel, especially on Sunday, has become such a hazard, due to drunken drivers, that the average sane person fears to use the highways. Conditions are rapidly reaching the state where the majority of car owners, supporters and payers for the highways, are being forced to discontinue the use of them at times.

Drunk or reckless drivers, in many cases having no responsibility or assets, clear the road as they go. That they kill and maim apparently makes no difference. Once at the wheel of an automobile, they assume supreme dictatorship of the highway.

You, sober and with your family out for a Sunday ride, have no business on a highway. If you should by chance get on one of the roads that you have helped pay for, you do so at your own responsibility. Your car may have cost a thousand dollars or more, but the worn out, \$50 tin can has the road. When you see it coming, take to the woods. He may or may not get you. The chances are against you, though, as several cases have been reported of drunken negroes driving entirely off the road in order to hit another car.

Public sentiment will stand for a lot. But some times even worms turn. Sentiment against drunken drivers is getting pronounced. Rough treatment has been suggested. Courts, it is claimed, have been too lenient.

No doubt there is a remedy. Some day it will be found. The State police plan, as worked in many states, has proven of great value in this respect. Uniformed, motorcycle police, under State supervision, with no local attachments, and with authority to act definitely, will do much to clear the highways of this hazard.—The Sampson Independent.

"DYNAMITE--CONCENTRATED POWER"

The business of blasting of stumps, breaking up large boulders, blowing out drainlands under the plow through the medium of explosives is pictured in a new United States Department of Agriculture educational film, "Dynamite--Concentrated Power."

The film is a contribution from the Bureau of Public Roads. It is designed to show farmers safe methods of using dynamite, and contains many details of blasting operations. The acts of punching holes, loading, priming and exploding the charge have been transferred to the screen through the medium of the close up. Both the safety-fuse and electric methods of blasting are included.

The use of explosives on farms is said to be rapidly increasing. It is estimated that about 20,000,000 pounds of explosives are used annually for agricultural purposes. The film aims to encourage farmers to avail themselves of the tremendous power concentrated in dynamite and to insure proper handling of the explosives. Scenes showing the actual blasting of stumps, boulders, and ditches make a spectacular picture. The blasting of a ditch 400 feet long and 6 feet deep in a single shot, and slow-motion pictures of the blasting of a huge Douglas fir stump, are features of the film.

"Dynamite--Concentrated Power" was photographed in Virginia, North Carolina, Michigan and Washington. The film was adapted for general use throughout the United States. It is one reel in length. Copies may be

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is a prescription for Malaria, Chills and Fever, Dengue or Bilious Fever. It kills the germs.

borrowed for short periods or may be purchased at the laboratory charge. A complete list of the Department's films, with information on the method of distributing them, is given in Miscellaneous Circular 27, which may be obtained on application to the Department at Washington, D. C.

Report of the Condition of
The Farmers Bank,
At Woodland in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business April 12, 1926

| RESOURCES. | |
|---|---------------------|
| Loans and discounts | \$160,069 27 |
| Demand Loans | 68,866.00 |
| U. S. Bonds and liberty bonds | 13,000 00 |
| All other stocks, bonds, etc. | 10,062.50 |
| Banking houses \$2,500.00; furniture and fixtures \$1,995.30 | 4,495 30 |
| All other real estate owned | 2,610.00 |
| Cash in vault and net amounts due from Banks, Bankers and Trust Companies | 30,748 43 |
| Total | \$289,851.50 |

| LIABILITIES. | |
|------------------------------|---------------------|
| Capital stock paid in | 32,500.00 |
| Surplus fund | 32,500.00 |
| Undivided profits etc | 15,606 57 |
| Unearned discount | 1,300 00 |
| Deposits subject to check | 118 975 25 |
| Cashier's checks outstanding | 348 76 |
| Savings deposits | 93 620 92 |
| Total | \$289,851 50 |

State of North Carolina, County of Northampton, 1926.

I, Irvin T. Blanchard, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Irvin T. Blanchard, Cashier.

Correct--Attest:

L. C. Copeland,
E. G. Griffin,
Dr. C. G. Parker,
Directors.

Subscribed and affirmed to before me, this the 19 day of April, 1926.

R. M. Griffin,
Notary Public.

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Report of the condition of
The Bank of Severn

At Severn, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, April 12, 1926.

| RESOURCES. | |
|---|---------------------|
| Loans and discounts | \$101,760 22 |
| Overdrafts, unsecured | 10 72 |
| Banking Houses \$2,000.00; furniture and fixtures \$2,195 60 | 4,195 60 |
| All other Real Estate owned | 12,625.67 |
| Cash in vault and net amounts due from Banks, Bankers and Trust Companies | 21 607 97 |
| Checks for Clearing | 20 00 |
| Total | \$140,220 18 |

| LIABILITIES | |
|---|---------------------|
| Capital stock paid in | \$10,000 00 |
| Surplus fund, | 12 000 00 |
| Undivided profits etc | 769 96 |
| Dividends unpaid | 16 00 |
| Deposits subject to check | 62,692 85 |
| Time Certificates of Deposit, | 6,137 42 |
| Time Certificates of Deposits due on or after 30 days | 3,238 55 |
| Saving deposits | 45 365 40 |
| Total | \$140,220 18 |

State of North Carolina, County of Northampton, April 16, 1926.

I, J. B. Stephenson, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. B. Stephenson, President.

Correct--Attest:

A. M. Fleetwood,
Geo. D. Barnes,
D. W. Watson,
Directors

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 17 day of April, 1926

M. L. Martin,
Notary Public

My commission expires March 9, 1927.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned expects to apply to the Governor of North Carolina, for the parole of John K. Gordon, now serving a term of twelve months for violating the prohibition laws. Those opposing same are invited to forward their protest to the proper authorities. This 21st day of April, 1926.

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