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WOOD PAVING QUESTION

Much has been said upon the wood block paving question in the last year or so. The Evening Telegram gives a resume of experiments tried in the east as follows:

About fifteen years ago Baltimore began an experimental test of different types of paving which, conducted to a conclusion, was probably as comprehensive and as thorough as any ever made in any city of the country. In 1901, Holiday street one of the important thoroughfares, running through the heart of that city, was divided into strips, running from curb to curb, and in the zone of heaviest traffic. It was a time when there were big paving contracts in prospect which contractors wanted to capture, and concerning which there was determination on the part of the city authorities to learn by actual and adequate experiment just what type of pavement, price and wearing quality considered, would be the most economical for the city to lay down.

The section selected for the test was a single city block to make certain that every test section received an equal amount of traffic. Street car tracks and switches intersected the street, crossing every test section. It was the conclusion that a pavement to be successful under heavy traffic, should resist the effects of vibration of rails and the dripping of oil from the cars. There was no factor of wear or deterioration left out of consideration. The competitors in this test were two sheet asphalt companies, six vitrified brick companies, one asphalt block company and one wood block concern that used material treated under the so-called creosinate process.

Under the conditions of the test no repairs were permitted for six years. At the end of the first year much of the vitrified brick had broken and splintered under the blows of the horses' hoofs, so that such portions of the street were rough and exceedingly dirty. During that same period of a year the sheet and block asphalt stood the test fairly well, except where they came in contact with the rails. Vibration loosened the material and ruts beside the rails were the result.

At the expiration of the six years there had been no repairs except where there had been excavation. As a result of the test

no part of the brick pavement was in a condition that could be called satisfactory. The asphalt, for the most part, was in bad shape; uneven in contour and showing bad holes. Next to the car track the asphalt had failed entirely being so worn in many places that the old stone block pavement used as a foundation was exposed. The wood block pavement was the only type that stood the test satisfactorily, showing marked deterioration only where it came in contact with other paving. Back of such point of contact the contour had remained even, the pavement was clean and smooth and there had been no injury from rail vibration.

When the street was paved the wood block section was taken up with the rest, in order that the newly paved street might be uniform. The decision was for wood block for the entire street, and the blocks that had been in use for six years were relaid. By this test Baltimore declared for wood block paving, which since that time has been greatly improved. It was a test that helped mightily to give wood block its deserved reputation.

YOUR SAVINGS

(By Samuel Smiles)
(By Per. of Harper & Bros.)

It is the savings of the world that have made the civilization of the world. Savings are the result of labor; and it is only when laborers begin to save that the results of civilization accumulate. We have said that thrift began with civilization; we might almost have said that thrift produced civilization. Thrift produces capital, and capital is the conserved result of labor. The capitalist is merely a man who does not spend all that is earned by work.

But thrift is not a natural instinct. It is an acquired principle of conduct. It involves self-denial—the denial of present enjoyment for future good—the subordination of animal appetite to reason, forethought and prudence. It works for today, but also provides for tomorrow. It invests the capital it has saved and makes provision for the future.

But a large proportion of men do not provide for the future. They do not remember the past. They think only of the present. They preserve nothing. They spend all that they earn. They do not provide for themselves; they do not provide for their families. They may make high wages, but eat and drink the whole of what they earn. Such people are constantly poor and hanging on the verge of destitution.

The Polk County Observer of Dallas aptly remarks upon the road problem as follows:

This is the season of the year when especial attention should be given to the care of country roads. The winter rains have left the highways full of ruts and pitch holes, formed by much travel by vehicles, which will require extensive, and in some instances expensive, repairs. There has been valuable opportunity to make effective use of the road drag, but in many cases this has been neglected.

Just a little persistence in keeping the ruts filled and the roads crowned at this season of the year will work wonders in preserving good roads and converting poor roads into better ones, and if the work is properly done it will mean a good season.

In ten years past, only eight waterpower plants, aggregating less than 140,000 horsepower, have been built upon our navigable streams under the general dam acts of 1906 and 1910. President Wilson, Secretary Lane and committees of both houses of Congress, after careful study have announced their belief that new laws are necessary to stimulate waterpower development.

ONLY ONE MOTHER

You have only one mother, my boy,
Whose heart you can gladden with joy,
Or cause it to ache,
Till ready to break—
So cherish that mother, my boy.

You have only one mother who will
Cling to you through good or through
ill,
And love you, although
The world is your foe—
So care for her love ever still.

You have only one mother to pray
That you in the good path may stay;
Who for you wouldn't spare
Self-sacrifice rare—
So cherish that mother alway.

You have only one mother to miss,
When she has departed from this,
So love and revere
That mother while here
Sometime you'll not have her dear kiss

You have only one mother—just one
Remember that always, my son,
None can, or will do
What she has for you;
What have you for her ever done?
—Selected.

"The Ne'er-Do-Well."

"The Ne'er-Do-Well," by Rex Beach, the Selig spectacular drama filmed by the Selig Polyscope Company, features Wheeler Oakman and Kathlyn Williams and an all-star cast. The hero is Kirk Anthony, a college graduate, a veteran football player, and, since graduation the coach of his university team. On the evening following a football victory, the last of the season, Kirk and others start out to celebrate. Late that night he finds himself on shipboard, and when he awakens he is without money and without baggage. During the voyage Kirk becomes acquainted with a woman—Mrs. Stephen Cortlandt—whom he learns to admire very much. She is really a diplomatic agent of great influence. One day while Kirk is out hunting he meets in a forest bower, a Spanish girl who is known only as "Chiquita." He falls desperately in love with her, and tries vainly to discover her identity. The story of his making good, of his winning of Chiquita despite the counter-plottings of Mrs. Cortlandt, of the clearing of his name, and of the final decisive intervention in Panamanian affairs of old Darwin K. Anthony, is strongly engrossing and varied by many richly humorous episodes. Chiquita is by far the most charming feminine character Rex Beach has drawn and Kathlyn Williams as Edith Cortlandt is an exceedingly convincing and fascinating type. "The Ne'er-Do-Well" will be shown on Tuesday, April 25, at the Bell Theatre.

What's the matter with this town?
Nothing sir, it's you!
Are you helping it along?
Lots of things to do!
Finding fault with this and that
Doesn't cure the ill;
Taking off your coat and hat
Is the way to fill the bill!

What's the matter with this town?
Anyway, you ask;
If there's anything that's wrong
Righting it's your task!
Knocking, maybe, has it's place,
But it's up to you—
With a bright and smiling face
To do some bosting too!

What's the matter with this town?
Matter is that men
Find it easier knocking down
Than helping up again;
Let's get busy right away,
Lots of things to do:
Nothing matter with the town,
The matter is with you!
—Sioux City Journal

CHURCH NOTICES
First Baptist Church.
Rev. Will N. Ferris, minister.
Bible School at 10:00 A. M.
Gilbert Miller, Supt.

Divine Worship at 11:00 A. M. Palm Sunday services will be of special interest. Sermon by pastor.

Mrs. J. E. Richmond will sing "Jerusalem" by Parker.
6:30 P. M. Senior and Junior meetings.

7:30 evening service of song and sermon. Rev. Ferris will speak. Music by chorus choir. All are cordially invited. Strangers always welcome.

Methodist Church.
Corner Second and B streets
James T. Moore, pastor, phone 117-W.

Next Sunday—10 A. M. Sunday school.

Last Sunday marked a record attendance for the season, make next Sunday still larger.

11 A. M. Dr. Carl G. Doney, D. D. L. L. D. President of Willamette University will preach. The Dr. is one of the foremost scholars and orators of the state He should be heard by every person in the town.

7:00 P. M. Epworth League. This young people's society is thoroughly alive, and full of interest. Be on time next Sunday night. Dr. Doney will speak to the young people.

8:00 Dr. Doney will preach. Monday 6:30 Brotherhood meeting. The Banquet at 7:00. Dr. Doney will be the after dinner orator. This insures a rare fine address. All who can possibly attend will do well to give their names to Dr. Pollard or R. W. Smith so that we may be prepared for all.

Wednesday 2:00 P. M. Ladies Aid society.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Midweek prayer meeting.

All these services are of interest and will be helpful. You are welcome.

Church of Christ
9:45 A. M. Sunday school, Mr. Ferguson, Supt.
11:00 Junior Christian Endeavor Mrs. Lansbury, Supt.
11:00 a. m.—Communion and morning sermon.
6:30 P. M. Christian Endeavor
7:30 P. M. Evening Services.
Wednesday 7:30 P. M. Prayer Meeting.
Thursday 7:30 Choir Rehearsal. E. C. WIGMORE, Pastor.

Free Methodist Church.
Sabbath School at 10 a. m. Preaching services at 11 a. m. Prayer and praise service at 7 P. M., preaching at 7:30 P. M. Tuesday, 7:30 P. M., Young people's prayer meeting. Midweek prayer meeting on Thursday at 7:30 P. M. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

M. F. CHILDS
Pastor.
ROBERT BURNS Lodge, No. 78, A. M. F., Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite Universal and Symbolic Free Masons meets first and third Friday evening in W. O. W. hall. Visiting brothers welcome.
T. B. Harris Secretary. P. A. Johnson R. W. M.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office at Roseburg, Oregon, March 18, 1916.
Notice is hereby given that Julius Beck, of Vida, Oregon, who, on October 25, 1910, made Homestead Entry, Serial No. 86693, for Lots 1 and 2 and NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 and SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 4, Township 17S, Range 2E, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five-year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before L. P. Hewitt, U. S. Commissioner, at his office, at Eugene, Oregon, on the 11th day of May, 1916.

Claimant names as witnesses: Walden H. Pendell, of Vida, Oregon; John F. Minney, of Vida, Oregon; Ben F. Minney, of Vida, Oregon; William Schornig, of Vida, Oregon.
J. M. UPTON, Register.
Mar. 20-Apr. 24.

CITATION TO HEIRS
In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Lane County.
In the matter of the estate of Samuel D. Weaver, deceased.
To Mrs. Hattie Ege, Miss Ella Martin, Gust Martin, Charles Martin, F. V. Weaver, Rachel Weaver, Frank E. Weaver, Mrs. Charles Link, Mrs. May Fress, Clark Weaver, Russell Weaver, Fern Weaver, Samuel Wesco, William Wesco, Effie Maud, Russell Mattix, Theodore Mattix, Anna Hause, John C. Weaver, Ferdinand Edgar, Mrs. C. W. Lehman, and Willie Weaver.
BY THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You and each of you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Lane, at the courtroom thereof in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 9th day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day and then and there show cause, if any exist, why an order of sale of the real estate belonging to said estate should not be made to pay the charges, expenses and claims against said estate, and that said order direct the administrator of said estate to sell the real estate of said estate under the provisions of Section 1257 of Lord's Oregon Laws providing for the sale of real estate of a

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decident without notice where the inventory and appraisement of the estate shows that all the property within the jurisdiction of the Court does not exceed \$250.00.

This citation is issued pursuant to an order of the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, in the above entitled estate dated March 31st, 1916.

The property described in the petition for the order to sell and which will be sold if the order is granted, is described as follows:

Commencing at a point South 20 degrees 36 min. 1/2 East a distance of 21.5 feet from a point which is North 88 degrees 34 minutes East 171.3 feet from center of section 18 township 20 South Range 2 East Willamette meridian; thence S. 48 deg. 19 min. W. 265.4 feet; thence South 35 deg. 36 min. East 255 feet; thence South 78 deg. 18 min. East 219.9 feet; thence North 20 deg. 36 min. 30 W. 464.3 feet to place of beginning, containing 1.89 acres, more or less, in Lane County, Oregon.

Witness the Honorable H. L. Bown, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, Lane County, and the seal of said Court hereto affixed this 31st day of March, 1916.

The date of the first publication of this citation is April 3, 1916.

Attest
STACY M. RUSSELL,
(Seal County Court) County Clerk

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