

To the Taxpaying Public of KLAMATH FALLS

This City Is Entering Upon the Construction of a
\$300,000 SEWER SYSTEM

**Every Taxpayer Wants A First Class Job At As Small
A Cost As Possible**

I want to call your attention to reasons why concrete pipe manufactured here in Klamath Falls should be used on this job. Please read carefully the following facts about sewer pipe

Let me answer anyone who contends that concrete pipe is not suitable for sewer construction with the following extracts from telegrams from officials where concrete has been and is being used:

Have used concrete sewer pipe for fifteen years city of San Diego. Satisfactory in every respect. Recommend to any city.

William B. Harper, Supt. of Sewers
San Diego, Calif.

Bent Concrete Pipe Co. made pipe for approximately 37,000 feet sewer extension here 1919. Pipe entirely satisfactory. No trouble with same. Same company now making fifteen mile fourteen and sixteen inch water line as part of our half million water works extension. I consider Bent's concrete pipe satisfactory for sewer work

F. R. Goodman, City Engineer
Flagstaff, Arizona

Bent concrete pipe company built pipe for our sewer system in 1919. We recently investigated condition of this pipe and found it to be in just as good or better condition than when laid. They are also building fourteen mile water pipe line for us at present and tests have proven this line to be more satisfactory due to actual results services rendered and business conditions with these people. We are more than glad to recommend both the company and their product most highly.

C. T. Pullman, City Clerk
Flagstaff, Arizona

Report at request of Portland Cement Association on Bellingham has used concrete sewer pipe of all sizes for the past sixteen years, and out of miles laid have yet to find a defect.

J. C. Hills, City Engineer
Bellingham, Wash.

In response your request referring cement sewer pipe, this city calls for bids on equal basis for both cement and vitrified pipe for sewers. Cement pipe sewers six inches to thirty inches diameter giving good satisfaction here.

O. Laugaad, City Engineer
Portland, Ore.

Chino has ten miles of the Bent Co. pipe in their sewer system which is giving entire satisfaction. We are now putting in a new unit of thirty-five hundred feet. Highly recommend their products.

J. H. Beckly, Acting Engineer
Chino, Calif.

Sewerage and water board now using machine made concrete pipe in direct competition with terra cotta pipe in sanitary sewerage system and in subsurface drainage for rain water. All sizes above eight inch it is the opinion of the engineering department that machine-made concrete pipe is equal and better than terra cotta pipe in New Orleans on account of its uniformity and strength. Our experience with concrete pipe extends over two years.

John T. Eastwood Prin. Asst. Engineer
New Orleans, La.

The city of Salem has used cement sewer pipe since 1911 and exclusively since 1916. Have had no trouble whatever with this kind of pipe.

M. Poulsen, Purchasing Agent
Salem, Ore.

City of Jacksonville has used machine-made concrete pipe for sanitary sewers to a considerable extent during the past three years to date. We have found it entirely satisfactory.

W. E. Shedden, City Engineer
Jacksonville, Fla.

The city of Everett after using both vitrified clay sewers and Portland cement concrete sewers has for the past 13 years used Portland cement concrete sewers exclusively. We have laid approximately 45 miles of concrete sewer using all sizes and have found the service rendered to be entirely satisfactory and have never had a single failure with that type of material. We can recommend concrete sewer pipe as an economical and satisfactory material.

S. E. Paine, Everett, Wash.

Have used concrete pipe for 15 years. It has given fine service. We are using nothing else for sanitary and storm sewers.

J. C. Manley, City Engineer
Tacoma, Wash.

Have used miles of concrete pipe all sizes in sewer construction since 1909. Bellingham, Ferndale, Blaine, Lynden and Sumas have used no other kind for the last seven years.

J. C. Hill, City Engineer
Bellingham, Wash.

This city has used concrete sewer pipe exclusively for the past ten or twelve years with entire satisfaction.

Harry Devereaux, City Engineer
Eugene, Ore.

City of Astoria, Oregon specifications are open to bids on both concrete and vitrified sewer pipe. All existing concrete sewers are in good condition. No reason to discontinue their use. We specify concrete for all sewers over 24 inches in diameter.

R. A. McClanathan, City Engineer
Astoria, Ore.

Request I wire you Houston experience with concrete pipe: Have used precast and poured concrete for sanitary sewers a number of years. Have used cement concrete pipe about four years. All entirely satisfactory. Suggest all sewer pipe be furnished under A. S. T. M. specifications.

G. L. Gugato, Prin. Asst. Engineer
Houston, Texas

Have been using small size machine-made concrete pipe A. S. T. M. standard for two years for sanitary sewers in residential districts with good results. Admission of concrete pipe has tended to keep down prices of tile pipe.

Edward S. Rankin, Engineer of Sewers
Newark, N. J.

I find from experience in Ogden that machine made concrete pipe properly made gives very satisfactory results.

Joseph N. Tracy, City Engineer
Ogden, Utah

Your wire date. Approximately 100 miles concrete sewer pipe used in Longview and vicinity past four years. In size from four to forty-four inches diameter. Not a known failure. Its ease of installation and comparative low cost and permanent lasting qualities when properly manufactured are sufficient to warrant its continued use. We are will pleased with the concrete pipe used here.

T. H. Davis, City Eng.
Longview, Wash.

Our experience in Atlanta with machine-made concrete pipe for sanitary sewers entirely satisfactory over period of years.

Wm. A. Hansell, Jr., Chief of Construction
Atlanta, Ga.

Understand your city is constructing a sewer system and there is some question as to the advisability of using concrete pipe. City of Upland constructed a sewer in 1917 and used concrete pipe for the outfall of the system. During that time we have experienced no trouble with same and on thorough investigation recently made the pipe appeared to be in good or better condition than when installed. If you desire any further information would be glad to give same. The pipe was manufactured by the Bent Concrete Pipe Co., of Los Angeles.

E. C. Mehl, City Clerk
Upland, Calif.

Have used miles of concrete pipe in culverts with absolute success. Have about two miles of 12-inch sewer pipe in since 1915. No failure so far.

B. McHugh, City Engineer
Enumclaw, Wash.

Is not this sufficient proof to justify Klamath Falls using concrete pipe in her big sewer project? And bear in mind, the factory here is a home institution, owned by home men and employing home labor. Every dollar the city spends for concrete pipe stays right here in Klamath.

**Concrete Pipe Costs the Taxpayers Less
And It Has No Superior in Sewer Work**

*I Ask Every Taxpayer To Give This Some Thought,
For the Taxpayers Pay the Bill*

W. D. MILLER

Klamath Falls Concrete Pipe Co.