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GREAT NATIONAL HIGHWAY.

Enthusiastic Antelope Plan One Between Chicago and New York.

Dr. Gardner S. Chapin and H. Sargent Michaels of Chicago arrived recently at New York after covering in an automobile 3,000 miles seeking a route for a national highway between Chicago and New York. They left their city on Sept. 15 and since then have been surveying roads, studying the soil of which they are composed, photographing the surrounding country, marking on their maps the location of gravel pits and quarries and gathering material for a presentation to congress of a proposition that the government place its mark of approval on and give its aid to the construction of a national highway between the two cities, says the Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Dr. Chapin is a young man of wealth. He is an enthusiastic automobilist who does not believe in exceeding the speed limit. He is not interested in automobile races, although he is much interested in the development of the gasoline engine and the storage battery. He believes that with a highway that will furnish good traveling across half the continent the various states will then concentrate their good roads movements into providing feeders for that highway and that eventually travel by automobile will be common between distant points, and that the farms will be able to assert their independence of the railroads as gasoline and electric vehicles become cheaper and more fitted to the demands of farmers.

Dr. Chapin's trip to New York has provided him with a set of field notes so complete that he believes engineers cannot fail to be interested in them. They include conditions of soil, grades, percentages, location of gravel pits, stone quarries, stone deposits, suggestions for roads that will lead the main highway and much general information valuable to road construction experts.

Dr. Chapin when he has finished with his survey will present his maps and materials to representatives in congress and have the matter taken up in committee. When his plan has the stamp of approval of the government the agitation for a highway will be started in the state legislature.

Practical Illustration of Economy.

The following interesting item is from a personal letter to the editor of the Good Roads Magazine from W. W. Crosby, chief engineer of the Maryland geological survey. As it illustrates in a practical way the economy of an improved road we take the liberty of printing the extract referred to. It serves to show the farmer what a good road really means:

Just as I opened your letter a caller from Prince George's county came in. Last year he built nearly four miles of road in three different sections of this county, one of which was on the road between Washington and Hyattsville. My caller this morning stated in the course of his conversation that a prominent resident near Hyattsville told him only the other day that while this mile which we improved last year used to be almost the worst stretch of road between his place and the city of Washington, now whenever he sent a load of produce into the city he sent back to his farm two horses out of the team as soon as it reached the near end of our improved section. And he was now, he said, beginning to realize in a more substantial and intimate way than ever before what the improvement of the country roads according to modern methods meant to the individual farmer.

How to Curb Billboard Nuisance.

"Tax the billboards out of existence" is the slogan of the American Civic Association, says Leslie's Weekly. Clinton Rogers Woodruff, the secretary of the association, even goes so far as to declare in favor of a boycott of all firms who use that style of advertising, believing it the most effective method yet proposed, and a Tacoma improvement club has already taken steps to secure such action on the part of its members. This is a more drastic measure of reform than that which merely proposes a tax upon billboards, for its general adoption would result in raising every one of these advertising eyesores.

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Then e'en the ruby wine,
That heat and fire and kill the soul
To every thought divine?

Licensed to make a strong man weak,
To make a good man bad;
To make a wise man just a fool
A state of things how sad!

Licensed to make the women weep;
The little children cry;
Licensed to farther go than this,—
Licensed to make men die!

To die in misery, shame and want
To die, on beds of woe,
Poor, frail, erring, sinful man,
Where will his soul then go?

Licensed to rouse the winter wind
To howl round many a door?
No fire to warm, no food to cheer,
The drink hath made them poor.

Licensed to cause to wander off
A man once kind and true;
A loving husband he had been,
What will his sad wife do?

Licensed to cause a father to leave
A legacy of shame,
Unto the children God had given,
'Tis all that they can claim.

Licensed I thought was liberty,
But 'tis a question grave,
To license grant unto a few,
To make so many a slave.

Licensed to take away the will,
To bind with fetters strong;
Until man sells his very soul,
And forfeits right for wrong.

Licensed to take a loving son,
A mother's hope and joy,
And change him, till the heart cries
out,
"O give me back my boy!"

Licensed to make the angels weep
O'er such a state of sin,
Until strong prayers go up to God,
O call the wanderers in!

O Saviour, Spirit, Father hear,
Let not prayers rise in vain;
Open dull ears, and to the blind
Give sight to see again!

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