

ALL SORTS OF ROADS

Forty-seven Kinds in a Mile Near Ithaca, N. Y.

BUILT IN 100 YARD SECTIONS

Work of the Department of Agriculture and Cornell University—Designed to Give Data on Highway Construction.

Forty-seven different sorts of road to the mile seems a pretty large order, but that is the sort of construction that the road office of the department of agriculture has been undertaking in New York state. It is a large piece of work and promises to give some of the most valuable comparative data on roadmaking that have ever been accumulated in the United States.

The work is to be done in conjunction with Cornell university and will be on a stretch of well traveled highway outside of Ithaca. The materials for the construction have all been accumulated, and the work has attracted much attention. The road will be divided into sections of 100 yards each, and each of these will be built of different material and in a different manner. The road office made plans for the construction of telford and macadam sections, and these will be given a top dressing of almost every conceivable sort of road binder. The roads will be coated with asphalt, different sorts of tar, light and heavy oils and such other binders as have been brought to the attention of the department from various sections of the world.

There will be roads constructed of slag, granite and various sorts of rock, and these will be combined with different sorts of top dressings tending to form a good chemical combination for preserving the surface from wear.

It is expected that the road will be finished before the coming of cold weather, and the first report on its



USING THE ROAD ROLLER ON A MACADAM SECTION.

(From Good Roads Magazine, New York.)

wearing qualities will be made early next spring. From that time on there will be periodical inspections and reports, so that the department will know just how the various sections are standing up to the work. All of the sections will be kept in as perfect repair as possible, and a record will be made of the cost of the work, so as to give not only the original cost of building, but the annual cost of upkeep.

The cost will be calculated for the various materials used, both with and without including the transportation charges, so that it will be for any community to tell just what a certain sort of road ought to cost in its own vicinity.

The department has so far decided on the sort of roads to be built on about 4,200 feet of the experimental stretch, and the whole work probably will cover about a mile.

One of the essential features of the periodical reports that will be made will be how the different sections withstand different sorts of traffic. It has been found that some of the best roads where iron tired vehicles and horses are used are the poorest in withstanding the scouring effect of rubber automobile tires. One great object of the various sorts of binders to be experimented with is to find something that will make a permanently dustless highway and one that will not be disintegrated by motor traffic.

The experiments of the road office with what it terms "palliative" dressings have been quite wide in the past season and tolerably satisfactory. The stretch of road laid in the agricultural department grounds and treated with wood pulp sulphite liquor has stood up quite well, but it is found that it will require about two dressings per year to keep the road in good condition. As the liquor now costs more than light oil for road dressing it seems not to be an economical material to use.

What the Purchase of an Auto Did.
A farmer in western Kansas bought a \$3,000 automobile recently. After he got it home he found a stretch of road a mile long in his neighborhood too sandy for his machine. So he simply took his farm hands and teams and built a mile of macadam road through that sand.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

To Be Observed in Schools of the County Tuesday, February 22—Program of Suggestive Exercises Prepared by the State Department of Education—Letter from County Superintendent.

For the first time, perhaps, the State Department of Education has taken the responsibility of recommending that all teachers in the rural schools should observe Washington's birthday with appropriate exercises. In order to supply the necessary program of exercises, Mr. A. J. Barwick, chief clerk in the Department of Education, has prepared a new pamphlet on Washington. In this pamphlet appears patriotic selections, orations on Washington, flag drills, quotations about Washington and numerous national and state songs. Altogether it is one of the neatest booklets ever issued from the State office, and will fill a long-felt need. The County Superintendent, in recommending that all teachers observe the day with some kind of appropriate exercises based upon the suggestions of the State Superintendent, has addressed the following letter to the teachers of the county:

To the Teachers of Randolph County:
Under separate cover I am sending you Educational Bulletin XIII. For a long time we have been wanting some suitable exercises for Washington's Birthday. Our wants have been supplied since Mr. Barwick has prepared this pamphlet of appropriate exercises. You will find, upon examination, that it contains suggestive progress, and also material for the exercises. You cannot do better than look this pamphlet through at once and see for yourself just what it contains.

When you have done this, decide that you and your school are going to celebrate Washington's Birthday in some way. It may not be best for you to follow the exact plan suggested by the pamphlet, but you can formulate a plan of your own by referring to this program. A simple afternoon exercise lasting an hour or two hours will assist greatly in giving new life to your school.

It is a well known fact that parents do not visit schools enough. This will give you an opportunity to invite them to visit your school and inspect the work. In this way you will give inspiration to the children and also interest the parents.

You are not confined to afternoon program. Perhaps you can have an exercise at night. I know of one teacher who is going to have the exercises at night. She expects to have a box party when the exercises are over. With the money proceeding from the sale of the boxes she expects to purchase a large bell for the school house, and some pictures for the walls. It may be that some other teacher can afford to follow this suggestion.

If you are in doubt about what you want to do and how to do it, write me for suggestions. I cannot answer all your suggestions, nor can I give definite plans to every school, but I shall be glad to help you in any way I can.

Let me know what you are going to do about observing the birthday of the "Founder of our Republic."

Yours truly,
E. J. COLTRANE,
County Superintendent of Schools.

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When Mr. Roosevelt hears how his case against the newspapers collapsed he will feel like doing likewise.—Charleston News-Courier.

SLOGANS FOR ASHEBORO.

List of All Slogans Suggested—Committee Awards Mrs. W. T. Foushee The \$5.00 Prize.

1. Amiable Asheboro Always Ahead.
2. Brains, Energy, Money Combine, And Asheboro Always Sublime.
3. Fairer, Purer, Greater.
4. Pushing, Progressive, Asheboro.
5. Active, Advancing, Ambitious, Attractive Asheboro.
6. Always Active Asheboro.
7. Progressive, Booming Asheboro.
8. Asheboro With Her Good School, Watch Her Build Good Streets.
9. Ample, Active, Alert.
10. Asheboro's Got a Hump on Her.
11. Aim High, Push.
12. Asheboro The Hub.
13. Pride of Her Country.
14. Asheboro Come.
15. Happy, Healthy, Honest Asheboro.
16. See the Beautiful Asheboro Prosper.
17. Push.
18. Men.
19. Watch Asheboro Win.
20. Asheboro, Onward, Upward.
21. All Roads Lead to Asheboro.
22. Always Busy Asheboro.
23. Watch Her Intellectual and Editorial Enterprise.
24. Help Asheboro Grow.
25. On Asheboro, On to Greater Things.
26. More Prosperous, More Progressive Asheboro.
27. Greater Works Yet Shall be Done in Asheboro.
28. Beautiful, Blooming, Business Asheboro.
29. Hustling Asheboro, the Pride of Asheboro.
30. Look at Asheboro Swell.
31. Asheboro Always Ahead.
32. Higher, Clearer, Surer, Better Go.
33. Assiduously, Advancing, Attractive Asheboro.
34. The Home of the Common People.
35. Asheboro For Wealth, Liberty, Learning, Love and Health.
36. Hustler, Boomer, Educator.
37. Asheboro Always Advances.
38. The Town for Health and Prosperity.
39. Asheboro Always Leads.
40. Asheboro is Growing.
41. Watch Asheboro's Trowel and Hammer.
42. Ladies Watch.
43. Progressive, Booming Asheboro.
44. Thrifty, Thriftier, Wotthier Asheboro.
45. Watch Asheboro's Push and Energy.
46. Work, Watch, Endure, Asheboro.
47. Beautiful, Blooming, Booming Asheboro.
48. Wise, Wonderful, Wide-awake Asheboro.
49. Look at Asheboro Lead in Business.
50. Watch Asheboro Grow a Bigger, Busier Town.
51. Asheboro, She Gets Thar.
52. Upward, Onward and Ever Asheboro.
53. Asheboro to the Front.
54. Watch Asheboro Thrive.
55. Prudent, Prosperous, Progressive.
56. Healthy, Social, Busy.
57. Boost Asheboro and watch her Grow.
58. The Safest Jump to Asheboro.
59. Healthy, Wealthy, Lucky, Plucky, Watch her Spread.
60. Asheboro is the Queen of the State in cleanliness and education.
61. Catch the Bargains while they fly, Asheboro property will soon be high.
62. Asheboro is growing "Bigger, Busier Town."
63. Keep working for Asheboro.
64. Keep Both your eyes on Asheboro.
65. Talk for Asheboro.
66. Asheboro Gradually Gaining Ground.
67. Asheboro Gradually Gaining on The Line.
68. Asheboro Always Alright.
69. Watch Asheboro Win.
70. Make Asheboro Grow.
71. Work for Asheboro.
72. Pushing Asheboro.
73. What Can Asheboro Do.
74. Bigger, Cleaner, Livelier, Asheboro.
75. Asheboro Steadily Gaining Ground.
76. Still Strive for Asheboro.
77. Ask About Asheboro.
78. Doing, Daring, Desiring, Asheboro.
79. Wide Awake Asheboro.
80. Hustling Asheboro.

Asheboro, N. C. Jan. 15th, 1910,
To The Asheboro Courier, Asheboro, N. C.:
Gentlemen: We, the Committee appointed to make selection from the list of "slogans" sent in to your office, of the one in our opinion best suited for the town of Asheboro, have found it an arduous and em-

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barrasing task to settle upon one "war cry" for the town on the large number of excellent ones sent in to you, and we trust that our selection may meet the approval of yourselves and the community, as well as the contestants themselves.

We beg to report that we have selected as the slogan best suited to the town, No. 47 on the list: "Watch, Work, Endure"—Asheboro

Respectfully submitted:
O. V. WOOSLEY,
J. O. REDDING,
HAL M. WORTH,
Committee.

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There are ninety pupils on the revised census, eighty of which are enrolled at Providence and eight going elsewhere, thus making an average of ninety-seven per cent on census attending school. During the first month of school seventy-five per cent on census were enrolled and there was an average attendance of sixty per cent, and for the first three months the enrollment was eighty-seven per cent.

Every family in the district is represented in school and part of those not enrolled are away teaching. Ruth Coble, Allie Frazier and Hazel Berker having not been absent from school nor received any tardies, have their names on the honor roll of attendance.

Besides teaching all the branches required, they are carrying General History, Rhetoric, Algebra and Latin. Providence is doing some thing if it hasn't been playing such good ball.

If any school with this large a district can beat this report, we would like to hear from it.

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