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WAY TO BUILD ROADS

Building Highways On Prin-

ciples

Pennybacker, Director of Roads A.

A. A., presented, through the Amer-

ican Motorist, ten anxions to guide

in the construction of the Nation's

system of roads. His presentation

(1) That all who share in the

benefits of road improvement should

share proportionately in the bur-

of them is as follows:

Under the above caption Mr. J. E.

### KINDS OF LIARS

#### Uncle Tobey's Lecture On Liars

With the windows all raised to the highest notch and the cool breeze your Uncle Tobey feels that it is good for us all to be here this beau-Uncle Tobey will measure out his look like whipped hounds with a bad lectures to an expectant public on case of distemper. The aforesaid Sunday morning, beginning prompt- prominent official was elected main ly at 9 o'clock, so as to get through guy, but the liars are still lying. and give the audience time to catch its breath in time for Sunday school. a lot of business men in town listen-

known to lie under water for a long better spend their money in a redtime-after he was dead. He is blaze write-up which he would give usually a coward, and when truth them in a paper published 200 miles comes limping in at the front door from the town. They believed him with a stonebruise on its heel and a and each gave him the required awill jump through the back window many papers to distribute according other way.

One day there was a liar came a- the country wanted the papers, and long and told your Uncle Tobey that they finally were thrown in the back he could live without work-that is alley where several old farmers the liar could. So he lounged around found them and took them home to the saloons and street corners until wrap around their fruit trees to pro-He then sponged off his neighbors cal paper was neglected. The eid- ployment. and relations until he wore out his tor's wife starved to death trying to welcome and his old clothes, and live on a diet of bed slats and wild they wouldn't have anything more to onions, and the editor shortly followdo with him. He then took a with- ed her to heaven, where he was givand joined the Weary Willies and appear against the business men of became a third-class tramp. Between that town and his delinquent subhunger on the inside and bulldogs on scribers on the Day of Judgment. the outside, his chosen profession The town is now wrapped in sleepy kept him on the move, and he long- silence and dogfennel. The business ed to be a boy again, pulling a bellcord over a little brown mule's back, Gabriel's horn, knowing full well while he acted as chief enginer to a double-shovel plow.

One day a liar told a pretty young girl that she could reform a young but it's enough for one dose .- Home man who wanted to marry her, but and Farm. who got drunk, was vulgar, and mean to his mother and sisters. One night while the whippoorwills were calling to their mates and the cows

seventeen inches long on their backs, and still growing. One time up in Missouri a lot of

liars told a prominent official that policy and spoils were better appledumplings than honesty and manhood. The aforesaid prominent ofblowing in from the green fields, ficial refused to take their advice, and the case was submitted to the people. The way the people swatttiful Sunday morning. Hereafter, ed those liars would jar your grandwhile the nights are so short, your mother's preserves. They made them

One time your Uncle Tobey saw

(2) That the degree of improve-Your Uncle Tobey will talk to you ing to a liar who was telling them ment should be proportionate to the this morning about liars. The liar that a local paper wasn't much pump traffic importance of the road imis a land animal, but he has been kins anyhow, and that they would proved.

dens.

(3) That the rate of payment or the rate of accumulation of the sinking fund on any public debt contracted for road improvement should approximately equal the deterioramansard roof over one eye, the liar mount of shekels. Each received so tion of the improvement.

(4) That road building and mainif he can't get out of the house any "to his deeds" done to the aforesaid tenance comprise work requiring liar. But nobody about town or in special qualifications on the part of

those who direct it. (5) That responsibilities should be definite as to persons.

(6) That continuous employment is more conducive to efficient service he had spent all the money he had. tect them from the rabbits. The lo- than intermittent and temporary em-

(7) That the specialists who direct road work should be appointed instead of elected; and that they should hold office during efficiency drawal card from the Sons of Rest | en a harp and a witness summons to | instead of for a fixed term.

(8) That no road is wholly permanent and that it requires continuous upkeep from the outset, for which financial and supervisory provisions must be made.

men are lazily awaiting the blast of (9) That cash is a much more satisfactory form of tax than is lathat they have got to meet that edi- bor.

(10) That all agencies at the This isn't all I know about liars, disposal of the State, capable of use in works of public improvement, should be so used, rather than in

### **Public Health Nursing**

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would conflict with private enter-At the request of the National Or- prises.

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were quietly chewing their cuds, this girl stole away from home and married him, and their children have been stealing ever since they were big enough to reach what was in sight. Yes, he changed after she married him. He got worse, and large number of books, pamphlets, soon went over the river by the jimjam route. The young wife took in phases of public health, and it offers washing to support herself and this service to any citizen of the children, and died one day from sick- State who may be interested in the ness contracted from being turned subject. The material may be borout of doors in midwinter because rowed for a period of two weeks, the she was unable to pay the rent for borrower paying postage charges living in a dog-house.

your Uncle Tobey that it was his each way. Package libraries and Christian duty to drop his chopping material can be secured on the folax, throw down his grubbing hoe, unhitch his plow team, drive his mower in the fence corner and let the day lie in the windrow, while he ran thirteen miles in the hot sun to take a hand in a quarrel that did not concern him. He did as he was told, and the doctor charged him \$50 for picking the shot out of him, and a heavy rain set in and ruined eighteen tons of hay in the field.

Once a liar told another friend of Uncle Tobey that he could get rich quicker and easier by buying futures than any other way and run no risk of getting in jail. So our friend sold a large farm, all but forty acres, his stock and everything, and went up to St. Louis to get rich quick. Six months after that he was back without a dollar. He had, however, gobbled up an immense amount of experience and stowed away large gobs of wisdom. He went back on the forty acres he had not sold, bought a mouse-colored mule on credit and is now raising cotton for the speculators to steal.

A liar once told a boy that if he would learn to chew, smoke, drink, swear and cheat he would be a man right now. The boy tried it, although his father and mother did everything they could to keep him from doing so. He is now in jail for obtaining goods under false pretenses.

At another time a liar told a young man that if he would tell vulgar stories about young ladies that condescended to go with him he would become very popular among the other young men, and the young ladies would break their regular gait Lewis of Raleigh and Dr. E. J. Tuck-Kansas cyclone.

two-by-four politician with an eight- Wood of Wilmington, who retires at ducts, vegetables and all farm proby-ten mouth tell a lot of farmers his own request after a number of duce. Mr. Farmer, Mr. City Man,

ganization for Public Health Nurses and the North Carolina State Board of Health, the University Library has become the distributor in North Carolina of literature on public health nursing. It has collected a and magazine articles on various

from and to Chapel Hill. In most One day a liar told a friend of instances this charge will be six cents

> lowing subjects: Blindness Cancer Cereal Foods Child Health Common Colds Diptheria Disinfectants Flies

Hay Fever Insects

Keeping Fit, or Right Living Malaria Measles Mosquitoes Pellagra Public Health Public Health Administration Public Health Nurses Pure Water Safe Milk Safety First Sanitation Scarlet Fever School Hygiene Sewerage Spanish Influenza Trachoma Tuberculosis **Typhoid Fever** Venereal Diseases Welfare Work The Library also has files of the Journal of Public Health, The Public Health Nurse, American Journal

of Nursing, and the Journal of Outdoor Life, copies of which will be loaned upon request. - University News Letter.

**Governor Appoints Members** RALEIGH, July 5. - Governor Roads. Bickett has appointed Dr. Richard H. in their efforts to be first in his fa- er of Roxboro as members of the vor. He tried it, and when the girl's State Board of Health to fill vacanfather got through with him he look- cies occurring in June. Both aped like a wet dishrag just out of a pointments are for terms of six years. Dr. Lewis succeeds himself Your Uncle Tobey once heard a and Dr. Tucker succeeds Dr. E. J.

Applying these principles would mean classifying roads according to their use into national, State and county systems; apportioning the cost burden so that cities and country, motor vehicles, railroads and industries should help according to the benefits they receive.

such commercial production as

It would mean building roads according to the weight and volume of traffic they must sustain and measuring cost by traffic units instead of squares of road surface.

It would mean avoiding long-term bonds for temporary roads and using methods of payment that will retire the debt at a pace equal to the road depreciation. For example, a \$100,000 twenty year 5 per cent bond will cost on the sinking fund plan with sinking fund yielding 3 1-2 per cent \$170,722 while on the serial plan it will cost \$152,500 saving \$18,222.

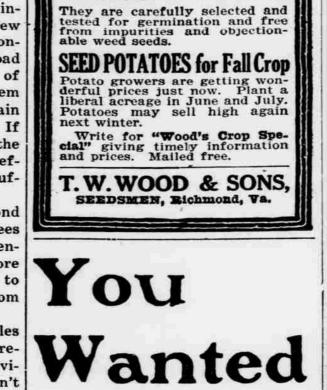
It would require the placing of road work in the hands of trained specialists thus recognizing the intricate and difficult nature of highway construction and upkeep under modern conditions.

It would do away with conflicting and multitudinous officialdom and make each public official definitely responsible for definite duties. It woud do away with putting men in positions to do highway work at odd times when their private business interests permitted. Better a few men steadily than many occasionally. Highway engineers and road supervisors would be taken out of the field of politics by making them employees appointed to do certain things and receive stipulated pay. If road builders must trust to the whims of political fortune their efficiency as road builders must suffer.

The eager rush to build with bond issues paid for by motor vehicle fees which ordinarily comprise maintenance funds would be analyzed more closely and full provision made to take care of every mile of road from

the day it is completed. Maybe these highway principles seem too self evident to require restatement but on all sides is the evidence that our practice doesn't square with them.-Southern Good

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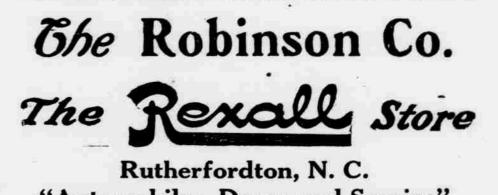
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