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SIDEWALK ORDINANCE NO. 85.

AN ORDINANCE for a sidewalk in the village of Downers Grove, DuPage county and state of Illinois.

Be it ordained by the president and board of trustees of the village of Downers Grove, DuPage county, Illinois: Section 1. That a sidewalk be con

structed in said village on the south side of Grove street immediately i front of the following described lots or parcels of land: Lots 1, 2 and 8, block 1 Carpenter's sub-division, in said village and that the whole cost thereof be paid by a special tax to be levied upon such lots or parcels of land, in proportion to their frontage upon such sidewalk, in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided.

Sec. 2. Said side walk shall be 4 feet 8 inches wide and constructed of ce ment. Said coment sidewalk shall constructed of material and in the manner hereinafter provided. Foundations for said coment sidewalk shall be prepared by bringing the space to be occupied by the sidewalk to a grade inches below the established grade given herein. When necessary, the aubfoundation must be consolidated b wetting and ramming to give the proper solidity. Soft and spongy ground or grass or vegetable matter or s must be dug out and the place refilled with solid material. Upon the subgrade, 12 inches below the established grade, shall be placed a foundation o cinders. Said foundation shall not be less than 7 inches thick and 4 feet 8 in Springs, Salt Lake City, Utah, Dead- | ches wide after being flooded and thoroughly rammed with tools made for that purpose. Upon said foundation of cinders as aforesaid, the surface of which foundation of cinders shall be inches below the fluished grade or the grade as herein stipulated, there shall be laid a layer of cement concrete 4 inches thick and 4 feet 8 inches wide throughout the entire length of said sidewalk upon the lines as above specified. Said concrete shall be composed of one part of Alpha Portland cement or other Portland cement equally as good, three parts of torpedo grayel and five parts of broken limestone, by volume which shall be carefully measured; said material shall then be thoroughly mixed dry by being turned with shovels twice while in a dry state. After the addition of the necessary amount of water, which shall be sprayed upon said material, the mixture shall be again turned twice with shovels before being apread upon the foundation. After being spread it shall be rammed until free mortar appears on the surface. On this concrete before it shall have time to set, shall be placed a wearing surface one inch thick, composed of one part Alpha Portland cement, or other Portland cement equally as good, and one part clean Torpedo sand, This top

> with no depressions. All of said sidewalk shall be laid sections 5 feet wide each for the ful width of the walk, each section to entirely separate from the adjoining sections, to the whole depth of the concrete. The joints shall be smooth straight and plumb throughout their depth and at right angles to the line of the walk.

CEMENT. -All cement shall be Alpha Portland cement, or other Portland cement equally as good, and shall be subject to the inspection and approval the president and street and alley com mittee of the board of trustees.

SAND. - All sand and gravel used in concrete and in the top surface of the walk shall be a clean Torpedo sand, free from gray, foreign or earthy matter of any kind.

STONE, -All broken stone shall be o a hard limestone, broken to a uniform dze so as to pass through a ring one half inch in diameter, and shall clean and free from all particles of foreign material.

SIDE FILLING. -On each side of the walk, after it shall have been built and the cement properly hardened, clean earth shall be banked up against the walk, level with the top thereof, ex tending two feet beyond its sides and sloping downward in the ratio of one half horizontal to one vertical, unti the natural surface of the ground is reached; this filling to be carefully smoothed off with rakes to a smooth surface. All surplus earth and material of any kind shall be removed entirely from all finished sidewalk spaces, or it shall be, if earth, evenly spread in such places and in the manner as may be directed by the president and street and alley committee of the board of

Said sidewalk shall be built under the supervision of the president and street and alley committee of the board of trustees and built in accordance with the grade fixed by the street commis-

of land aforesaid, are hereby required the whole depth of the concrete. The to construct the sidewalk in front of joints shall be smooth, straight and plumb their respective land aforesaid within throughout their depth and at right angles forty days after the publishing of this to the line of the walk. specifications aforesaid, and in default Portland cement, or other Portlands cethereof said cement, sund and all other | ment equally as good, and shall be sub materials and labor shall be furnished ject to the impection and approval of th and the said sidewalk constructed by president and street and alley committee

Sec. 4. The street and alley commitses of the board of trustees of the said concrete and in the top surface of the village of Downers Grove shall certify | walk shall be a clean Torpede sand,

aforesaid, showing in separate items the costs of grading, materials, construction and supervision and file it in the office of the village clerk of said vil- in diameter, and shall be clean and free lage, together with a list of the lots or parcels of land touching upon the line owners thereof, and the frontage of their said lots or parcels of land on said sidewalk so constructed.

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ply with the previsions of "An Act to shall be, if earth, evenly spread in such provide additional means for the con- places, and in the manner as may be distruction of sidewalks in cities, towns and villages, approved April 15th, 1875, alley committee of the board of trustees. and in force July 1st, 1875," in accordance with which said statute this ordinance is passed; and if any land is de- and alley committee of the board of truslinquent after the return of the war- tees and built in accordance with the rant of collection of said special tax by grade fixed by the street commissioner. the said village collector to the said | Sec. 3. All owners of lots or parcels of clerk, then said clerk shall make a re- land aforesaid, are hereby required to conport of all such special tax in writing struct the sidewalk in front of their reto the county treasurer and ex-officio spective land aforesaid, within forty days county collector of DuPage county, after the publishing of this ordinance, in state of Illinois, prior to April 1st, 1904, full accordance with the specifications as required by said act; said county storesaid, and in default thereof said cetreasurer and ex-officio county collec- ment, sand and all other materials and tor shall then have full authority to labor shall be furnished and the said sidecollect the same as previded by said act. | walk constructed by said village.

Sec. 7. All ordinances or parts of or-

force from and after its passage, apas required by law.

Passed this 10th day of August, 1903. Approved this 10th day of August, 1908. Published this 13th day of August, CHARLES MOCHEL, President. Attest: BERT C. WHITE, Village Clerk.

SIDEWALK ORDINANCE NO. 86.

AN ORDINANCE for a sidewalk in the village of Downers Grove, DuPage county, and state of Illinois.

Be it ordained by the president and board of trustees of the village of Downers Grove, DaPage county, Illinois:

Section 1. That a sidewalk be constructed in said village on the west side Fairmount avenue immediately in front of the following described lots or parcels of land: Lot 4 to 10 inclusive block and that the whole cost thereof be paid by made and provided.

8 inches wide and constructed of cement. layer shall be flooded perfectly smooth Said coment sidewalk shall be constructed on the upper surface and to a true plane of materials and in the manner bereinafter provided. Foundations of said cement idewalk shall be prepared by bringing the space to be occupied by the sidewalk to a grade 12 inches below the established grade given herein. When necessary the sub-foundation must be consolidated by wetting and ramming to give the proper solidity. Soft and spengy ground or grass or vegetable matter or sod must be dug out and the place refilled with solid material. Upon the sub-grade, 12 inches below the established grade, shall be placed a foundation of einders. Said foundation shall not be less than 7 inches thick and 4 feet 8 inches wide after being flooded and thoroughly rammed with tools made for that purpose. Upon said foundation of cinders, as aforesaid, the surface of which foundation of cinders shall be five inches below the finished grade or the grade as herein stipulated, there shall be laid a layer of cement concrete 4 inches thick and 4 feet 8 inches wide throughout the entire length of said sidewalk upon the lines as above specified. Said concrete shall be composed of one part Alpha Portland cement or other Portland cement equally as good, three parts of Torpedo gravel and five parts of broken limestone. by volume which shall be carefully mean ured; said material shall then be thoroughly mixed dry by being turned with she vels twice while in a dry state. After the addition of the necessary amount o water, which shall be sprayed upon said material, the mixture shall be again turned twice with shovels before being spread upon the foundation. After being spread it shall be rammed until free mortar appears on the surface. On this concrete before it shall have time to set, shall be placed a wearing surface one inch thick, composed of one part Alpha Portland cement, or other Portland cement equally as good, and one part clean Torpedo sand. This top layer shall be flooded perfectly

plane with no depressions. All of said sidewalk shall be laid in sections five feet wide each for the fall width of the walk, each section to be entirely Sec. 8. All owners of lots or parcels separate from the adjoining sections, to

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of the board of trustees.

when constructed by said village; as kind,

STONE .- All broken stone shall be of bard limestone, broken to a uniform size so se to pass through a ring one-half such from all particles of foreign material.

SIDE FILLING.—On each side of the of said sidewalk and the name of the walk, after it shall have been built and the cement properly hardened, clean earth shall be banked up against the walk, level with the top thereof, extending two feet Sec. 5. The village collector is here- beyond its sides and sloping downward by designated as the officer to collect | in the ratio of one-half horizontal to one vertical, until the natural surface of the and to whom the bills or warrants for ground is reached, this filling to be carethe same shall be given for collection, fully smoothed off with rakes to a smooth in accordance with the statute in such surface. All surplus earth and material of any kind shall be removed entirely Sec. 6 The village clerk shall com- from all finished sidewalk spaces, or it rected by the president and street and

Said sidewalk shall be built under the supervision of the president and street

Sec, 4. The street and alley commitdinances in conflict with or contrary to | tee of the beard of trustees of said village any of the provisions of this ordinance, of Downers Grove shall certify to the bill are each and all of them hereby repeal- of the costs of such sidewalk, when constructed by said village, as aforesaid, show-Sec. 8. This ordinance shall be in ing in separate items the cost of grading. materials, construction and supervision proval and publication in the manner and file it in the office of the village clerk of said village, together with a list of the lots or parcels of land tonching upon the line of said sidewalk and the name of the owners thereof, and the frontage of their lots or parcels of land on said sidewalk so constructed.

> Sec. 5. The village collector is hereby designated as the officer to collect the special tax herein provided for and to whom the bills or warrants for the same shall be given for collection, in accordance with the statute in such case made and pro-

Sec. 6. The village clerk shall comply with the provisions of "An act to provide additional means for the construction of sidewalks in cities, towns or villages, approved April 15, 1875, and in force July 1, 4, 1875," in accordance with which said sta-Straube's addition to said village tute this ordinance is passed; and if any land is delinquent after the return of the a special tax to be levied upon such lots warrant of collection of said special tax or parcels of land, in proportion to their by the said village collector to the said frontage upon such said sidewalk, in ac- clerk, then said clerk shall make repor cordance with the statute in such case of all such special tax in writing to the county treasurer and ex-officio county col-Sec. 2. Said sidewalk shall be 4 feet lector of DuPage county, state of Illinois prior to April 1, 1904, as required by said act; said county treasurer and ex-officio county collector shall then have full authority to collect the same, as provided by

> Sec. 7. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with or contrary to any of the provisions of this ordinance are each and all of them hereby repealed.

Sec. 8. This ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after its passage, approval and publication in the manner as required by law.

Passed this 10th day of August, 1903. Approved thus 10th day of August, 1903. Published this 13th day of August, 1903. CHAS. MOCHEL,

President of the village of Downers Grove. Attest: BERT C. WHITE, Village Clerk.

WHAT HE WAS THINKING OF.

Amateur Scientist Puzzled by Two Simple Facts.

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Has Fine Voice at Eighty. Thomas Ball, the octogenarian sculptor and painter, was one of the singers at a concert at Montclair, N. J., Saturday night. Fifty-five years ago Mr. Ball appeared in Boston in a performance of Mendelssohn's "Elijah" with the Handel and Haydn society. He was the first singer to undertake the role of Elijah in America and scored a great triumph. Saturday night he sang the baritone solo "Lord God of Abraham." His voice had apparently lost none of its power and every note was pure and clear.-New York World.

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