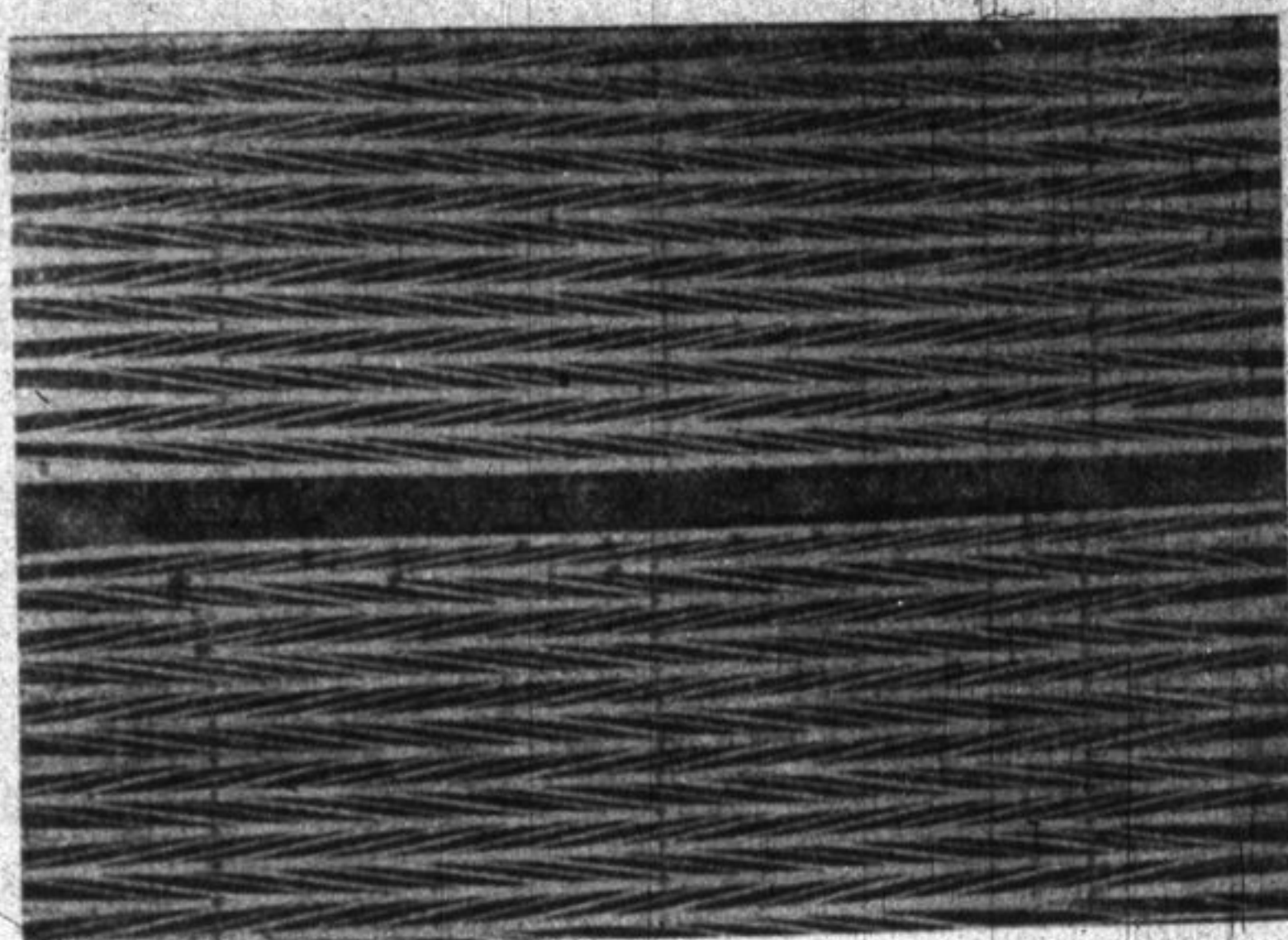


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Results of Test

Actual Movement of Upper Sill

Load Applied in Pounds	A—Lath and Sheathing Inches	B—Expanded Wood Lath Inches
200	0.06	0.06
400	0.15	0.13
600	0.26	0.20
800	0.59	0.29
1000	1.07	0.37
1200	1.93	0.51
1400	3.65	0.97
1500	5.13	0.92

IDENTICAL panels with frames four feet high and eight feet long, constructed with sills and studs 7"x3" in. and studs placed 16 in. on centers, were prepared. FRAME A had one side covered with 1/2"x6 in. dressed sheathing nailed at each stud with 8D nails, and the other side covered with common lath spaced 2 in. on centers and staggered in the usual way. FRAME B was covered on both sides with Expanded Wood Lath sheets 8 ft. long and 16 in. wide, fastened at the juncture of each rib and stud with 6D nails. In testing these panels the bottom sill was clamped to the base of testing machine and the pull applied to the top sill in the direction of its length. Expanded Wood Lath, by this test, has been proven much stiffer than the old standard construction. But added to this advantage are its high insulating qualities and the much lower construction cost when used for either exterior stucco or interior plaster.

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BRIEF NEWS ITEMS FROM LAKE COUNTY

NEIGHBORHOOD JOTTINGS

Interesting Happenings Here & There In This Section of The North Shore: At County Seat

Both indictments and all the counts therein were dismissed last week on a technicality against Mayor Henry M. Deacon, of North Chicago, who had been charged with malfeasance in office extortion and bribery. The case will be reinvestigated by a special grand jury.

The right eye of Joseph Krause, 39 years old, of 1821 Lincoln street, North Chicago, was removed last week at Victory Memorial hospital. Krause was blinded when an acetylene torch exploded while he was working at his shop.

Frank T. Holt, of Kenosha, for eight years president of the Milk Producers Association was defeated for re-election at the annual meeting of the association in Chicago. Mayor Frank J. Green of Woodstock succeeded him by a margin of eight votes.

The marriage of Lena Ruth DeVay Nance, daughter of Mrs. W. P. DeVay, Lake Bluff, to Roy Kenneth Nance, a soldier at Fort Sheridan, was annulled by Judge Claire C. Edwards, on the ground that she was not of legal age at the time the ceremony was performed.

Lake Bluff Orphanage will receive \$25,000 of the \$300,000 drive which will be held by the Methodists of Northern Illinois, according to plans announced last week by the church headquarters at the Chicago Temple. The \$300,000 will be raised during the year 1924 and will be distributed to various organizations, charities and institutions.

Henry Johnson, 38, of Gurnee, caretaker of the Viking home, had both of his feet amputated at the Lake County General hospital to stop the march of gangrene that had followed freezing during the sub-zero weather of early January.

CHARACTER TESTS SUBJECT OF BOOK

Urges Necessity of Having High Opinion of Oneself; Many Good Chapters

The readers of one of the American magazines of widest circulation having shown by thousands of letters their appreciation of Harry Emerson Fosdick's essays on character-building, Dr. Fosdick has put the papers together in a book which has just been published under the title Twelve Tests of Character. More readable chapters on the subject would be pretty hard to find. The author constantly resorts to quotation and anecdote to illustrate his point.

Here is a typical paragraph from the chapter on "A High Opinion of Oneself":

"Every admirable character in history can be interpreted in terms of such lofty self-respect. If the three hundred at Thermopylae withstand with rememberable courage the assault of the Persians, it is because they think their loyalty is sacred. If martyrs have gone to the stake rather than lie, it is because they have believed that their truth is sacred. Spinoza, the philosopher, lived long ago in Holland, and ground and polished lenses for a living while he thought great thoughts of God. Louis XIV offered him pension and patronage if he would dedicate even one book to His Majesty. But Spinoza did not approve of Louis XIV, and so he continued to polish lenses and to live with his thoughts. He had a high opinion of himself. A prelate in New Zealand was warned by the authorities in England that if he persisted in his course they would cut down his salary. 'You can get very good fish here in the bay,' he wrote back, 'and I know a place in the wood where you can dig up roots that you can eat.' Plainly he had a high opinion of himself."

The newspapers report burglars at work. All right provided the work is being done inside the county jail.

The orators tell us we must go forward. Many people would just as soon go forward as backward, but they prefer to sit down.

Some men observed Thrift Week by deciding that their wives would not need any spring hat this year.

ADJUDICATION NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Subscriber executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Ira J. Geer, deceased will attend the Probate Court of Lake County, at a term thereof to be holden at the Court House in Waukegan, in said County, on the first Monday of April next, 1924, when and where all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to present the same to said Court for adjudication. Clara G. Geer, Executrix. Waukegan, Ill., January 23, 1924.

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