

**A PAINT FOR WOOD OR STONE
THAT RESISTS ALL MOISTURE**

Melt twelve ounces of resin; mix with it thoroughly six gallons of fish oil and one pound of melted sulphur; mix some ochre or any other coloring substance with a little linseed oil, enough to give it the right color and thickness; apply several coats of the hot composition with a brush. The first coat should be very thin. Exchange.

**PAINTS FOR OUTSIDE OF DWELLING
HOUSES**

A writer in one of our exchanges, discussing the best paint for the exterior of dwelling houses, suggests that if the house has not been painted before a first coat or priming of pure white lead be used, either plain or tinted, to suit the taste, and with pure raw linseed oil for a thinner, and not over 5 per cent. turpentine dryer added. This is to be rubbed well into the wood and allowed to stand at least three days before the second coat is

applied. For new work it is best to have three coats, and for the third and last coat a mixture of four parts white lead, by weight, to one part of zinc white, colored to suit the fancy, and thinned again with pure raw linseed oil and not over 5 per cent. Japan drier. Should it be decided to use prepared paint, let the first or priming paint be pure lead and have the prepared paint used as second and third coats, following directions on label.

If the house has been painted before see that the surface is thoroughly dusted and every loose particle of old paint removed; touch up where needed and have the surface repainted with either two coats of pure lead tinted with color, or have two coats of prepared paint applied.

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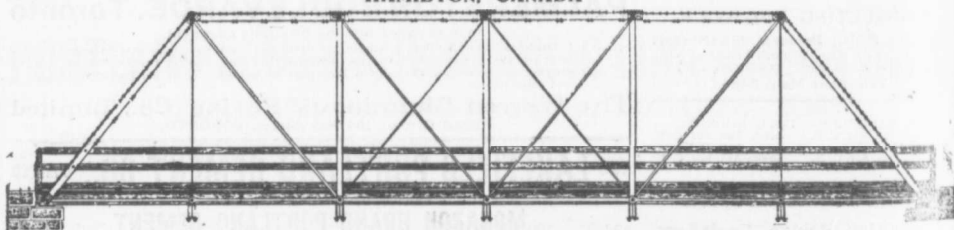
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