20,000,000 Fir and Spruce Sleepers at 2.5 marks = 50,000,000 marks divided by average durability, 6.1 years gives a yearly cost of wear and tear equal to 8,190,000 marks

Total cost of maintenance of 35 million Sleepers not impregnated

12,600,000 marks

Impregnated

15,000,000 Oak Sleepers at 4.50 marks = 67,500,000 marks divided by average durability 19.5 years gives a yearly cost of wear and tear equal to 3,460,000 marks

20,000,000 Fir and Spruce at 3.10 marks =62,000,000 marks. divided by average durability 12 years. gives a yearly cost of wear and tear

5,166,000 marks

Total cost of maintenance of impregnated Sleepers

8,626,000 marks

Summary

Total cost of 35,000,000 Sleepers not impregnated

12,600,000 marks

Total cost of 35,000,000 Sleepers, impregnated

8,626,000 marks

Saving of

3,974,000 marks