MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENTS IN WINNIPEG

The year 1905 has been a recordbreaker for municipal improvements in Winnipeg. In all departments of the civic work the progress made has been highly satisfactory and the works attempted and accompolished have been on a larger scale than in any former year.

The following is a statement of the quantity of work done in 1905 by the city works department and also of the work accompolished previous to this year, together with the total amount now completed:

1905. Miles.	Previous to 1905. Miles.	Total Miles.
Asphalt 5.716	1714	22.966
Macadam 2.339	33	35-339
Cedar block 2.212	16	18.212
Stonewalks14.503	2234	15.253
Plankwalks30.429	190	220.429
Sewers24.492	84	108.492
Water mains28.305	95	123.305
New grading 11.538	138	149,538

The following is a statement of the work already ordered by council, but not yet done, together with the estimated cost:

Miles	Estimated Cost.
Asphalt pavement 19.03	\$946,898
Macadam pavement1.216	23,393
Cedar block 3.952	51,411
Stonewalks	100,870
Plankwalks4.80	10,994
Sewers	215,900
Water mains5.046	70,000
New grading 3.523	

In the following table the charges to the ratepayers for local improvements are

Plank Walks-Four teet wide, 6c, per foot frontage for seven years. Five and one-third feet wide, 8c. per foot frontage for seven years. Six feet wide, 81/2c. per foot frontage for seven years.

Granolithic Walks-Six feet wide, 7c. per foot frontage per year for thirty years. With stone curb, 16c. per foot frontage per year for thirty years.

Asphalt Pavements-Twenty-four feet wide, 33c. per foot frontage per year for twenty years. Twenty-four feet wide, 26 c. per foot frontage for thirty years.

Boulevards-Average cost per year for

seven years, 4c. per foot frontage.

Macadam Pavements — Twenty-four feet wide, 10c. to 12c. per foot frontage per year for ten years.

Cedar Block Pavements-Twenty-four feet wide, 20c. per foot frontage per year for seven years.

Sewers-Cost \$2 per foot frontage, which is equal to 18c. per foot per year for fifteen years.

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