

NOTES.

The Toronto Plastering and Supply Company, Toronto, have assigned to Osler Wade.

In a recent issue of the **CONTRACT RECORD**, as the result of a typogra-

phical error, an incorrect statement appeared in reference to roadways and sidewalks in Winnipeg. The correct information is as follows: About 11 miles of asphalt pavements were laid in Winnipeg

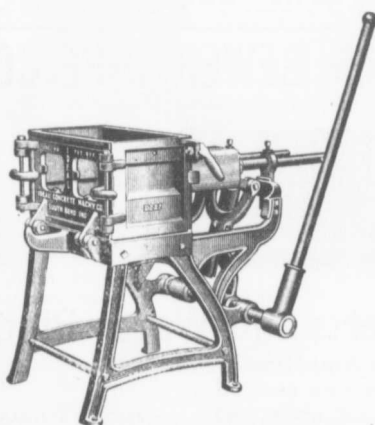
during 1906 as compared with five and a fifth miles the previous year and at present there are $13\frac{1}{4}$ miles on the order sheet. There are 315 miles of sidewalks, 49 miles being of artificial stone.

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Year.	No Samples Tested.	Soundness Fajji Test.	Specific Gravity	Residue in No. 100 Sieve	Setting Time in Minutes		Tensile Strength in pounds per square inch.									
					Initial	Final	Neat.					3 (Sand) to 1 (Cement)				
							1 dy.	7 d.	1 mo.	3 mos.	1 yr.	1 dy.	7 d.	1 mo.	3 mos.	1 yr.
1903	20	O.K.	3.135	2.1	162	345	307	701	783	827	*	74	214	299	367	*
1904	44	O.K.	3.150	2.0	132	342	300	744	848	914	938	86	262	354	401	427

* Tests for 1 year were not completed when records closed. 1905 report not yet issued.

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