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Money Wasted On Bad Roads.

A luminous object lesson as to the manner in which many countries are throwing away money on dirt roads is supplied by the Wickliffe Yeoman. That paper has been looking up the figures as to the amount expended on the roads in Ballard county in the last eleven years. It finds that in that length of time approximately \$198,000 has been paid out. Of that sum \$12,000 has been expended for bridges, leaving a net expenditure on the dirt roads \$186,000. Commenting on this remarkable state of affairs the Yeoman says:

"Many years ago we suggested gravelling a few miles each year, and while the idea met with the approval of some of our people, not a single official endorsed it, not an ounce of gravel has ever been put on a piece of road in the county that we know of except the little piece in front of Charlie Wickliffe's farm, at his own expense. There is not a man in the county who is so ignorant as to dispute that every dollar of this \$186,000 has been literally thrown away. Surely no man will claim that the roads are better today than they were eleven years ago, for they are not, and everybody knows it.

"But what could have been done with this \$186,000? Well, let us see. With an abundance of gravel in almost every ditch, in every branch and creek in Ballard county, we are going to make the assertion that the money wasted, thrown away, burned up, would have built 100 miles of the best roads to be found in the United States. But the money is gone, the officials all have clear records, and will doubtless keep on asking that glorious privilege of spending, annually, on blue mud, the \$18,000 so easily collected from the unsophisticated public. In the season when the farmer needs roads, he has mud holes, and in the season when he doesn't need them he has good roads, just the kind we would always have if there was never a dollar spent on them."

Some of our officials in Kentucky counties who get cold feet every time a proposition is made for permanent highway improvement would do well to follow the example of the Ballard county editor and find out what they are paying for bad roads. There are many counties in Kentucky where the same penny wise and pound foolish policy is being pursued. Isn't it high time we were dealing with the road question in a sensible and business way?—*Courier-Journal.*

"During the day we say that the sun shines; during the night we should say that the suns shine," writes a Boston correspondent of the New York Times. "During the day one sun reigns over us; during the night many suns sparkle and scintillate upon us. The only difference is that our sun of day is so much nearer than our suns of night; but there is one sun of night that during our winter far outshines the other sparkling sky gems. That sun is Sirius, whose distance has been estimated at 50,000,000,000,000 miles, whose size has been conjectured to be as vast as that of 7,000 suns like our own."

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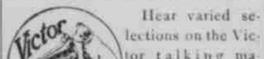


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