



Gravel Roads, Vol. 2: July, 1913 (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Excerpt from Gravel Roads, Vol. 2: July, 1913 A well graded and well drained earth road is necessary for the foundation of any kind of an improved road; therefore, money expended on such work is not lost even though it be several years before the road receives a hard surface. In building any good road, the first essentials are a careful survey and suitable plans. As most of the Michigan roads that will be graveled are old roads now in use, and which have been in use for many years, there is but little opportunity to make new locations. However, when new locations are made, as they still are in the newer and sparsely settled counties, the work should be done with the same regard for easy grades, low cost of construction and fitness of roadbed as would characterize a railroad survey. Due prominence should be given to directness, but it should be remembered that the primary object of section lines is not to define the center lines of highways, that the distance around a hill may....

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