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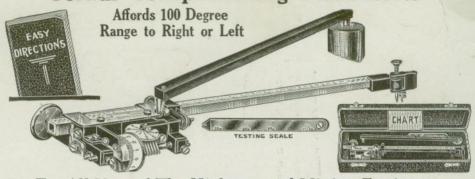
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## OF THE ENGINEER, ARCHITECT

## Coradi Compensating Planimeter



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This planimeter—the compensating type which by measuring a diagram with the pole first on the left and then again on the right side of the tracer arm and taking the mean of both readings, making possible the correction of any error due to mechanical variations— is now standard equipment with practically every state highway department.

### Affords Reading Mean Height of Indicator Diagrams

Its range, adaptability and usefulness are wide. The completeness of its mechanical construction, as it is emphasized permits of finding the mean height of indicator diagrams, easily accomplished by merely adjusting the tracer arm to the length of the base with pole arm removed. All readings are computed in square inches, centimeters, acres, etc., according to the unit of the plan used.

Its construction is simple. In this compensating planimeter the pole arm is held in the wheel carriage of the tracer arm containing the vernier and dials, by a pivot which ends in a steel ball, forming a secure ball joint with the carriage. This construction gives the tracer arm an angular motion of 180 degrees in either direction, thus affording a much greater range than in ordinary planimeters.

### Chart Simplifies All Preliminary Adjustments

Table of Settings. Tells (1) scale of plane to be measured; (2) customary tracer arm lengths; (3) values of the vernier units for various lengths of tracer arm; (4) constants corresponding tracer arm to the lengths.

Scales	Position of the vernior on the tracer bar	Value of the w	nit of the vernier	Constant
1" = 50"	344.8	€ □,	0.016 D.4	23574
1" = 25"	- 19	30		
1" = 20"	323.4	6 .	●.016 n	23784
$1^{17} = 100^{6}$		150		
1" = 40"	269.9	20 .	0,0125	24854
1" = 20"		5 -		
1" = 30"	. 240.1	10 -	0,411 -	-
1" = 60°		40 _		-
1" = 100	216.5	100 .	0,01 +	
1" = 200'	109.6	200 .	0,000	_
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tained and you are able to place the instrument and begin work at once. Remarkable Accuracy

With this chart be-

fore you all prelim-

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necessary to all set-

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and quickly ascer-

#### With Testing Scale

The Testing Scale, which is included, affords the desirable advantage of testing the exactness and the adjustments of the planimeter, simply by describing a circle with testing scale and repeating the operation with the planimeter and comparing both circles. Thus errors in adjustment are easily rectified.

### Easy to Use

No profound knowledge is required to secure accurate results with this instrument. Included is a book of instructions, explaining minutely all adjustment and applications of the instrument. This book together with Test Chart enables you to begin work at once.

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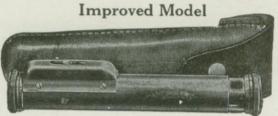
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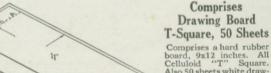


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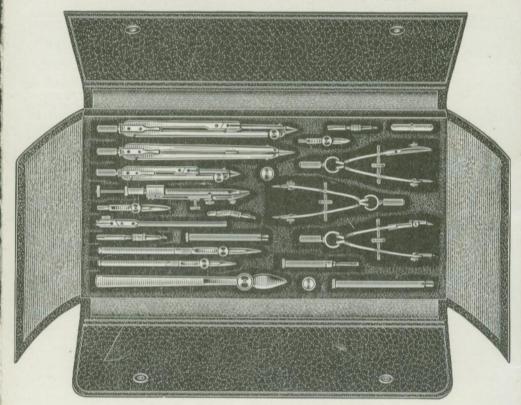
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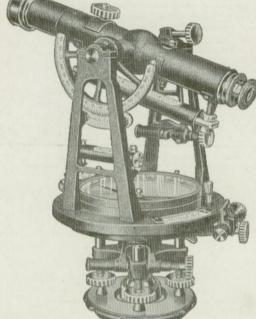
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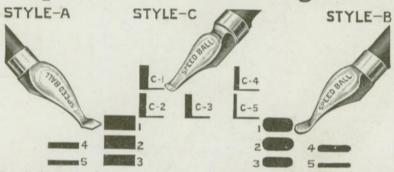
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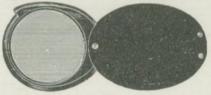
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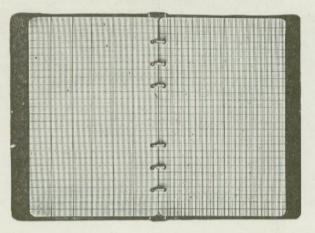
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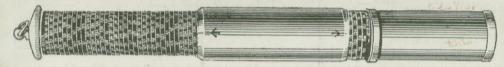
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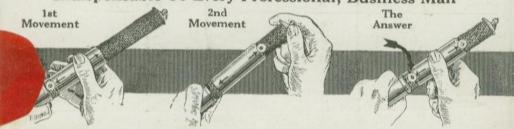


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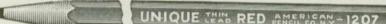
A handy, popular Vest Pocket Scale, in leather case, for engineers, surveyors and architects. Boxwood, six inches long, less than one inch wide with white celluloid edges. Double beveled as shown. Accurately divided, clear and distinct with rounded corners.

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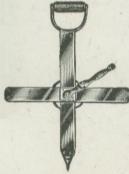
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