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FOREWORD

The papers and discussions in this publication on Triaxial Testing of Soils and Bituminous Mixtures were presented at two national meetings of the American Society for Testing Materials. Three of the papers dealing with bituminous mixtures were presented at a session of the First Pacific Area National Meeting held in San Francisco, Calif., October 10-14, 1949, presided over by H. E. Davis of the University of California. This session on bituminous paving mixtures was developed for the Technical Program Committee of the General Committee on Arrangements.

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One additional paper with discussion has been made a part of the publication as rounding out the discussion on triaxial testing, namely, a paper by W. S. Housel which was originally presented before the Technical Session of the Association of Asphalt Paving Technologists, February 5–6, 1950 at St. Louis, Mo.
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