DETOURS UPON STATE ROADS ARE REMOVED

Three Taken Off This Week —Two More Scheduled for Sunday.

Three detours and bridge run-arounds on State roads were removed this week, and two additional run-arounds will be lifted Sunday, according to the State highway commission's traffic bulletin issued today fro mthe office of John D. Williams, director.

Maintenance forces have the gravel and stone surface mileage of the State system in splendid shape for winter traffic demands, it was announced. At several places where weather conditions prevented completion of paving contracts, the commission is using stone and gravel on the roadbeds to permit traffic to go through without detouring until next spring, when paving is resumed. The side detour at a bridge one and one-half miles west of Thorntown on Road 6 was one of the group eliminated. Surface conditions of roads entering Indianapolis.

No. 1 (New Albany, Indianapolis, South Bend, Michigan line)—Detour just north of Pern account of dredge ditch. Detour from two miles north of Edinburg to Franklin account of paving, is rough. Account o frepairing Marshfield bridge, detour to east over Rd. 40 through Scottsburgh, returning to Rd. 1 at Austin.

No. 3 (Richmond, Indianapolis, Terre Haute)—Temporary bridge at six miles west of Richmond run-around at one-eighth mile east of Pershing.

No. 6 (Madison, Greensvurgh, Indianapolis, Lafayette, Oxford)—Closed until about Jan. 1 to pave over bridge at Traders' Point twelve miles west of Indianapolis; detour marked. Detour at two miles north of Lebanon to Thorntown Rd., thence north through Thorntown to Rd. 6. Short detour two and one-half miles northwest of Thorntown.

No. 12 (Vincennes, Spencer, Indianapolis)—Short detour out of Moorresville for one week account reooring bridge. Drive carefully at approaches to temporary bridge two miles north of Gosport.

No. 22 (English, Paoli, Bedford, Bloomington, Martinsville, Indianapolis)—Closed at a point five miles south of Indianapolis for constructing overhead R. R. bridge. Detour is out S. Meridian St. And three Notch Rd., thence over one mile of gravel road to Rd. 22. Closed between Martinsville and Bloomington, and English and Paoli for paving through traffic between Martinsville and Bloomington use Rd. 12 and 32. Use old bridge and old road around bridge and road construction two miles south of Bedford. At Paoli take a county road to Grantsburg via Marengo and English. Avoid south of Grantsburg account construction and no detour roads.

No. 37 (Indianapolis, Anderson, Muncie)—Using new pavement from Indianapolis to Muncie. Detour around bridge construction at Ingalls. Use old Rd. 11 at junction of 11 and 37 from two and one-half miles south of Pendleston to where old Rd. 11 intersects new State road. Drive this route carefully as shoulders are still soft. Use old bridge at north edge of Yorktown.

No. 39 (Indianapolis, Rushville, Brookville, Ohio line)—Run-around at bridge construction three miles south of Cedar Grove.

NOW WHO LEFT THE 'DEAD SOLDIERS'?

''Twasn't Us,' Reply the Boys—'Aren't You Gallant for Blaming Us?' Retort the Girls.

By Times Special

HACKENSACK, N. J., Dec. 18.—A dispute that finds a precedent as far back as the time when Adam and Eve started blaming that apple affair on each other, has arisen between the boy students and the girl students of Hasbrouck Heights High School.

Who left the "dead soldiers" in the local Women's Club?

The girls of the Phi Pi sorority held a dance there Friday night and the boys of Phi Sigma Delta gave a ball in the club the following night. On Sunday the janitor found a quantity of empty bottles, and they weren't coca-cola bottles.

Authorities of Hackensack High School, apprised of the discovery by the worthy janitor, opened an inquiry.

"'Twasn't us," said the boys of Phi Sigma Delta, firmly.

"Oh, by the way," they added. "Now that we think of it, we do remember finding some empty bottles there when we went to the club. Let's see, who was there the night before?"

Shrieks of outraged protest from the young ladies of Phi Pi.

"For shame," they cried, and issued a formal statement demanding an apology.

"The charges of liquor drinking and petting parties have been grossly exaggerated," the girls' statement said, denouncing the boys "who so gallantly signed a statement placing the blame upon us."

Meanwhile, whether boys or girls are to blame, the high school authorities are indignant. They point out that the secret societies are not sanctioned by the school, although students belong. They would like to expel a few studeits, but in this latest case of Greek meeting Greek they cannot decide upon their victims.

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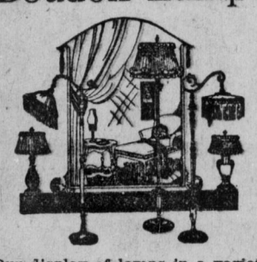

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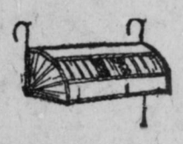

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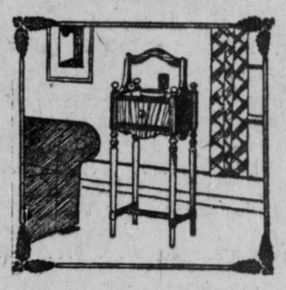

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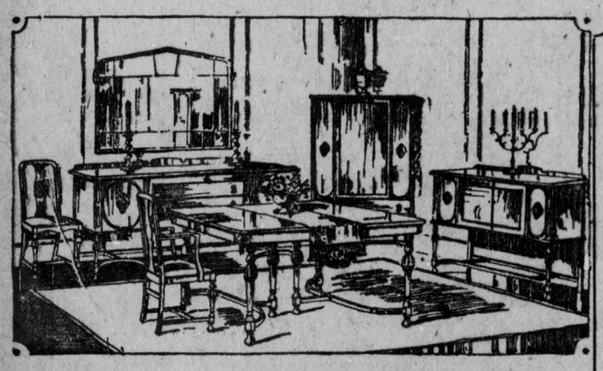

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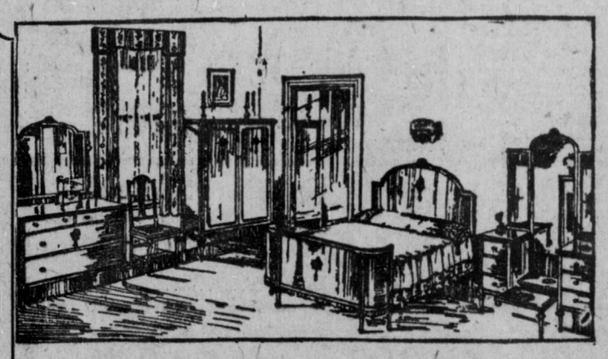

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