

FARM-MARKET ROAD RELATION WILL BE TOPIC

Asphalt Conference to Open
Monday at West
Baden Springs.

By Times Special
WEST BADEN SPRINGS, Ind., Oct. 26.—Farm organization officials and others nationally prominent in advancing farm relief, as well as officials speaking for the motoring public, will be in session here five days beginning Monday, with road-building officials, engineers and contractors, to devise plans for speeding up improvement of the nation's highway system as a measure of farm relief and the alleviation of traffic congestion on trunk line highways near great centers of population. Paving of the farm-to-market roads with low cost surfaces will be the keynote of the conference.

The meeting, known as the eighth annual asphalt paving conference, will be held under the auspices of the Asphalt Association, New York, and the American Association of Asphalt Paving Technologists. The latter is composed of engineers, chemists and other asphalt technical men largely in the employ of states, cities and counties in the United States and Canada.

Governor on Program

Among the speakers at the conference will be Governor Harry G. Leslie or his representative; Samuel H. Thompson, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation; R. W. Crum, Washington, D. C., director Highway Advisory Board, National Research Council; John J. Brown, director, Indiana highway commission, and A. H. Hinkle, maintenance engineer for the commission. Numerous government, state and county highway officials of the United States and Canada will discuss the latest methods evolved for construction of low-cost, dustless, mudless pavements on the secondary, tributary and farm-to-market highways. Leaders in the automobile industry and officials of national automobile associations will discuss plans for paving back-country roads so as to relieve traffic congestion on the main highways, especially on holidays and weekends.

Farm organization officials declare bad condition of farm service roads, which the majority of farmers must use in getting to and from their farms to paved highways, has become a serious matter. Without discounting the value of the highways connecting the cities, farm organizations feel it is high time an effective movement were started for paving these roads.

While the farmers of the United States are paying 7 per cent of the taxes for state and local highways, less than 3 per cent of the farms are reached by paved roads. Today, approximately 5,000,000 farmers are still living on poor roads and there are still, in the United States, 2,484,822 miles of unpaved highways, it is declared.

Much Highway Unimproved

Of the 3,050,000 miles of highways in the country, only 187,000 miles have high-type surfaces such as asphalt, brick and concrete. Economists declare that if all the 24,000,000 automobiles in service today were placed on the paved roads at one time each car would have only 137 yards in which to operate. The 40,000 miles of new roads annually constructed are not much more than sufficient to provide parking space for the annual increase in new cars and trucks.

Paving and landing-field treatment with asphalt at airports will be discussed by airport engineers and aviation officials, led by Chief Engineer R. H. Simpson, who directed the paving at Port Columbus, O., said to possess the highest type of the runways and landing fields.

An entertainment program will include a special "country fair" evening, banquet, dance, bridge-tea for women and a golf tournament on the final day. Automobile tours and airplane flights are planned. Governors and state highway engineers, farm and motor association officials are expected to attend to the number of two thousand or more.

Several delegates will fly to the meeting from Chicago and New York, and points in Texas, by airplane, the planes used being the property of the individuals themselves or of companies with which they are connected.

AGED TO HAVE HOME

Indiana Lutheran Synod Approves
Institution at Mulberry.

By Times Special
ANDERSON, Ind., Oct. 26.—The Indiana Lutheran synod in the closing session of its annual meeting here voted for purchase and support of a Lutheran home for the aged at Mulberry. The home will be for persons residing in the Indiana, Ohio and Michigan synods.

Purchase of the Weidner Institute college property will be the first step toward establishing the home. The property will cost \$75,000 and \$5,000 will be spent for improvements. There will be accommodations for seventy-five inmates.

Churches to Organize

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ANDERSON, Ind., Oct. 26.—L. M. Busche, Madison county agricultural agent, has appointed official to have charge of the county corn husking contest, Tuesday, on the J. F. P. Thurston farm near Sunniville. The winner will represent the county at the state contest in Shelby county.

Evansville Healer Dies

By Times Special
EVANSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 26.—Mrs. Yetta Goelz, 77, widely known as a magnetic healer, is dead here. She was born in Germany and came to the United States when 19. Her husband, Adam Goelz, a carpenter, died four years ago. Mrs. Goelz was known here for more than thirty years as a spiritualist healer.

Road Experts Will Speak



Upper right, S. H. Thompson, president, American Farm Bureau Federation, speaker at asphalt conference; center, West Baden Springs hotel, where conference will be held; lower left, typical farm service road in winter. Lower right, new low cost farm-to-market road in North Carolina.

LAW AND ALLEGED BANDIT NEAR TILT

Boston Papers Please Copy

By Times Special
ANDERSON, Ind., Oct. 26.—"Are there any Indians living here?" inquired a lonely redskin who appeared at a window of the Anderson post office.

Charles M. Heritage, clerk, made inquiry, and was informed that there are no Indians in this community where Chief Anderson and his Delaware braves once held forth.

The sad faced questioner went his solitary way without stating his business.

CONVICT MOVE FAILS

Prisoner, En Route to Farm,
Tries to Wreck Auto.

By United Press
CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Oct. 26.—A prisoner being transported to the state farm in the automobile of Deputy Sheriff O. J. Wise of Lake County, attempted to wreck the car court house, which is scheduled to open Monday, Nov. 4.

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Rensselaer Bank Robber Defendant to Face Trial on Nov. 4.

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KENTLAND, Ind., Oct. 26.—Henry T. Davidson, charged with complicity in the robbery of the State bank of Rensselaer, Sept. 7, 1928, is preparing for another bout with the law—his trial in Newton circuit court here, which is scheduled to open Monday, Nov. 4.

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CITY'S OLDEST WOMAN DIES

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NEWCASTLE, Ind., Oct. 26.—Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon for Mrs. Lydia J. Thornburgh, 97, Newcastle's oldest woman, who died here Wednesday after a short illness.

A native of Union county, the pioneer became the bride of Hiram Thornburgh, first white child born in Newcastle, when she was 17 years old. She lived here eighty years, having come to the city the day after she was married. At that time Newcastle had a population of 400.

She has voted ever since woman suffrage went into effect, the last ballot she cast having been for Herbert Hoover for President in 1928.

Mrs. Thornburgh leaves four children, Mrs. C. H. Hernley, Miss Ethel Thornburgh and S. P. Thornburgh of Newcastle, and Dr. F. L. Thornburgh of Middletown.

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GREENCASTLE, Ind., Oct. 26.—Miss Gladys Rohrig of Brazil and Chestnut Osgood of Springfield, Mass., have been given the leading roles for the first Duzer Du dramatic production at De Pauw university. The play chosen is "Sun Up," which will be presented in the Little Theatre here Nov. 7 and 8.

Jesse Schlarbaum, Chicago, alleged to have had some of the stolen bonds in his possession, has escaped from the law at least temporarily. Arrested in Chicago, he provided \$5,000 bond and fled. The bond was forfeited. No trace of Schlarbaum has been found since.

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