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at Post Office, Indianapolis**EIGHT INDIANA
CITIES REPORT
BUILDING GAIN****Thirteen Others Show Loss
in October—State Total
Declines.****AVIATION FIRM THRIVES****Bendix of South Bend Will
Add 2,600 Men to
Working Force.**By CHARLES C. STONE
State Editor, The Times**Aside from seasonal recessions, business and industry in Indiana, with the exception of building, are maintaining a fairly active status, a survey of the state for the week ended today reveals.****During October, building in the state showed a decrease of approximately \$1,740,000 as compared with the same month last year.****Of twenty-one cities reporting, eight showed building gains for the month over October, 1928. Those cities are East Chicago, Elkhart, Evansville, Ft. Wayne, Kokomo, Richmond, Terre Haute and Vincennes.****In the industrial field, the outstanding event of the week was announcement of an expansion program by the Bendix Aviation Corporation including addition of 2,600 men to the working force, 1,600 to be employed in present plant units and the remainder in a new plane wheel and brake factory to be moved from Dayton, O.****Anderson Plants Running****In Anderson industries there are a few instances where October and November business was below expectations, but in more it was better than anticipated. Six thousand persons are on the pay roll of the Delco-Remy Corporation as compared with 10,000 a few months ago. Officials indicate that no more radical reductions of the force are likely.****Among Anderson industries reporting normal business or better is the Lynch Glass Machine Company, Howe Fire Apparatus Company, Dean-Hill Pump Company, American Steel and Wire Company, Nicholson File Company, National Tile Company, Ward-Stilson Company, Fors Manufacturing Company and Certainteed Products Company.****The following summary shows conditions in various Indiana cities:****Elwood—The old plant and ground of the Ames Shovel and Tool Company has been purchased by the Western Indiana Gravel Company of Lafayette, and a remodeling program has been started. It is planned to employ 100 men in manufacturing of gravel equipment.****South Bend—The Huswic Iron Company plant, recently destroyed by fire, is to be rebuilt at a cost of \$30,000.****Fern Annexation Planned****Peru—An ordinance has been introduced in the city council providing for annexation of 200 acres to the city, including Wallace Heights, new city park and reservoir.****Kokomo—With a production of nearly 1,000 lamps daily, necessitating a night shift, the Hammon-Ross Company is taking advantage of Christmas demand. Between 250 and 275 persons are employed.****Newcastle—Officials of the local Chrysler automobile plant declare there is every indication that the low point in employment has passed, but admit that business conditions are such that increasing of the force will be slow.****Connersville—Development of a six-acre addition as a select residential section is being planned by Anthony Locke.****Jasper—The plant of the new Indiana Chair Company, built at a cost of \$200,000, started operations this week. At capacity, the plant will employ 150 men.****Monticello—E. W. Sparkman of Indianapolis announces that development of Ideal beach on Lake Saefer will include a new pavilion for dancing, enlargement of the picnic pavilion and improving of the bathhouse.****Sixty Out of Work****Mr. Vernon—The Naomi Poultry and Egg Company, employing sixty persons, has ceased operations, due to unfavorable market conditions.****Petersburg—A survey is being made by New York Central railroad engineers preliminary to building five miles of track in Pike county, connecting with several strip coal mining centers.****Ft. Wayne—An addition is being built to the plant of the Joslyn Manufacturing and Supply Company, and one is planned by the Ica Manufacturing Company. The Grayson Shops, operating a chain of women's apparel stores, will open a store here next week. A ten-year lease for a total rental of \$75,000 has been taken on quarters which are being remodeled at a cost of \$25,000.****Evansville—Work has started on laying a \$300,000 pipeline, beginning at Francisco, to carry natural gas to Evansville.****Farming Teachers Meet****CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., Nov. 20—Vocational agriculture teachers from Montgomery and five surrounding counties attended a district meeting at the local high school. The principal speaker was Dr. Z. N. Smith of Purdue university, state director of vocational agriculture work in high schools. The teachers were guests of the local Rotary Club at luncheon.****State High School Principals
Meet Today at Bloomington****Speakers at the annual state high school principals conference include:****Above (left to right) Paul Adison, W. F. Loper and Miss Marie Thurston.****Below—Alza A. Brewer, (left) and Cloyd Anthony.****By Times Special**
BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Nov. 22.—The eighth annual high school principals' conference opened at Indiana university today with approximately 200 in attendance. The session will continue through Saturday.**Dean L. A. Pechstein of the college of education of the University of Cincinnati will be the principal speaker.****Members of the I. U. school of education will preside at the various sessions of the conference as follows today: Professor W. W. Wright, banquet this evening, Professor C. G. F. Franzen; meeting tonight, Dean H. L. Smith, and Saturday morning, Professor W. W. Patty.****The program today included address of welcome by President W. L. Bryan and Dean Smith; "Critical Aspects of Adolescent Psychology," Dean Pechstein; "Social Guidance of Girls in the Junior High school," Miss Marie Thurston, principal junior high school, Elwood. Following the speeches, President and Mrs. Bryant will hold a reception at their home for the visiting principals.****This evening the speakers will be Dean Pechstein and D. H. Vass, principal of Woodrow Wilson Junior high school, Terre Haute. Dean Pechstein will talk on "Time Saving in Secondary Education," while "Social Activities as Time Saving for Citizenship Training" will be discussed by Vass.****The first address Saturday morning will be on "European Practices in the Reorganization of Adolescent Education" by Dean Smith.****The remainder of the morning program will be given over to round table discussions on three subjects, namely: "Administrative Organization and Articulation of Junior and Senior High Schools," "The Junior High School Curriculum," and "Extra-Curricular Activities of the Junior High School." The first one will be divided into two parts—senior high school and junior high school. Cloyd Anthony, principal of Bloomington junior high school, will****preside and the leaders will be W. S. Ferney, principal of Wiley high school, Terre Haute, and Hugh E. Vandivier, supervising principal of the Marion junior high school.****C. E. Eash, principal of the Warren township high school, Indianapolis, will preside at the discussion on junior high school curriculum and the leader will be Paul F. Addison, principal of Wilson junior high school, Muncie. W. F. Loper, principal at the Shelbyville high school, will preside over the extracurricular activities discussion and the leader will be Alza A. Brewer, principal of the junior high school, Connersville.****Saturday afternoon, the visiting principals will attend the Purdue-Indiana football game in Memorial Stadium.****Dr. Gage spoke of the life of James W. Good from the time he came to Cedar Rapids from a Lima farm until he died in a Washington (D. C.) hospital last Monday.****Improvements were made in compliance with an order of the Indiana public service commission, providing that steam heating service replace the antiquated hot water plant formerly operated at Morton place, off the route line at Sixteenth street.****More than eleven miles of underground mains, 450 tons of pipe, and 169 carloads of other materials were used. Work was pushed constantly to complete the project on schedule, an average of 500 men working day and night shifts, for four months.****Radiation connected with the company's heating system is approximately 2,500,000 square feet, and it is estimated that more than two billion pounds of steam will be required for operation this winter.****In view of the fact that the Indianapolis business district rapidly is extending north, it is anticipated that further enlargement of the system will be necessary in the next few years.****Company officials point out that the system is reducing the smoke nuisance by eliminating many private furnaces in the district.****Hogs scammed and squealed up and down Fall Creek boulevard.****Motor Policeman Charles Weddle and Ora McClain arrived on the scene and started a hog roundup.****After a couple of hundred "soeys," Weddle and McClain got the hogs corralled in a nearby garage.****While Weddle and McClain nursed sore throats, A. G. Clute, 62, of R. 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