

**CONTRACTORS
HERE MONDAY**

Industry's Leaders Plan
\$8,000,000,000 Program
In Record Time.

Hundreds of America's general contractors will arrive in Indianapolis Monday to thrash out the problems connected with this year's construction program.

The Associated General Contractors of America was formed during the last war at the suggestion of President Wilson.

Hosts to the three-day gathering at the Claypool Hotel will be William E. Mohler, Indiana chapter president, and Robert H. King, president of the Indiana Highway Contractors Inc.

TACKLE OWN PROBLEMS

Several high-ranking Army, Navy and government officials will be speakers at Monday's meeting.

They are: Maj. Gen. Eugene Reybold, Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army; W. V. Kehler, chief of the Construction Branch of the Production Division, War Production Board; Commander Vernon R. Dunlap, U. S. Navy, representing Rear Admiral Ben Morell, chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks.

Baird Snyder III, Acting Administrator of the Federal Works Agency; Thomas H. MacDonald, commissioner of the Public Roads Administration, and John P. Coyne, president of the Building and Construction Trades Department of the A. F. of L., all of whom are from Washington, D. C.

According to H. E. Foreman, managing director of the association in Washington, the problems of construction are those which members of the industry alone can solve.

SEEK FULL USE OF FACILITIES

"The industry has the capacity to execute the approximately \$8,000,000,000 of war construction in record time," Mr. Foreman said. "Provided all facilities of the industry can be used."

"The task of developing ways to make full use of the industry is one which we alone can do, when the government makes known what construction is needed, and when and where."

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