

CONCRETE ROADS FAVORED BY WEEKS

Auto Club Head Opposes Plan to Discontinue Such Construction

NEEDED FOR HEAVY TRAFFIC

The suggestion that the construction of concrete top roads exclusively in new highway operations be discontinued and the road type built according to the nature of the traffic, does not meet the approval of J. Horton Weeks, president of the Keystone Automobile Club.

The suggestion had been made to Governor-elect Pinchot by William H. Connell, former Highway Chief of Philadelphia, in a report dealing with road conditions in this State.

"I don't think much of such a plan," said Mr. Weeks. "As soon as a road is improved it attracts traffic. Just put a good driving top on a road and the people flock to it. An example of this was seen in the Wilmington-West Chester pike and its extension toward Pottsville. That road was hardly ever used. Now the traffic is so heavy that a special semaphore must be kept at its intersection with the Lincoln highway."

"Where any road is a main artery of travel—and by that I don't mean major artery such as the Lincoln highway—it should be constructed of concrete. It is the cheapest for maintenance and best for driving. It is tenacious and will attract travel which wears it down and then the road must be rebuilt. I am a great believer in concrete roads and most certainly do not approve of any change in the present State policy of building them."

Mr. Connell explained that he did not intend his report to convey the idea that he was opposed to concrete roads, but that, in order to save large investment charges, he thought it best to have the road built according to the demand.

"Roads throughout the State," said Mr. Connell, "should be built on the

bulit. The same kind of pavement is not put on a little side street in the manner the same road is not needed through the Pocono Mountains, where the travel is light and confined to the summer, as it is along the Lancaster pike.

"To construct roads in this manner is only to make use of sound business principles. They should be built to meet the particular section only after a comprehensive survey has been made concerning the future use of the road. It is not economy to spend money for the expensive, even though best, type of road when that road will not really be needed for twenty years. The interest on the investments is as much to be considered as the cost of maintenance of the softer top roads."

STAR WITNESS IN SHURTZ TRIAL MUST FACE CHARGE

Jury Completed to Hear Evidence in Middletown, Ia., Killing

Burlington, Ia., Nov. 23.—(By A. P.)—Katherine Shurtz, forty, went on trial in District Court here yesterday, charged with the murder of her husband, J. V. Shurtz, at their home near Middletown, Ia., on the morning of September 25.

The Court completed the drawing of the jury which will hear the evidence. Mrs. Shurtz was jointly indicted with George Leroy Spees, twenty, of Indianapolis, who is alleged to have confessed that for two children of the woman he blew off the top of her husband's head with a shotgun.

Spees, who will be the star witness for the State in the trial of Mrs. Shurtz, will himself be tried later on during the term on a similar charge.

FIND PARENTS SLAIN

Children See Tragic Sight Upon Return From Dance

Belfast, Me., Nov. 23.—(By A. P.)—Returning home from a dance last night, the two children of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis found their father dead and their mother dying from bullet wounds.

The body of Davis was lying on the floor with the right hand still clutching a revolver. Mrs. Davis, lying nearby, was still breathing, and the children hastily summoned police and a physician. But she died a few minutes later.

Davis was a cobbler. Jealousy was said to have been the cause of the shooting.

PREDICTS HIS OWN DEATH, THEN DIES

Andre Tridon, Noted Psychoanalyst, Dictates His Last Statement

"ALL HOPE IS GIVEN UP"

New York, Nov. 23.—Andre Tridon, who had been called the foremost psychoanalyst in America, died yesterday at his home here. Though it had been known that Mr. Tridon was operated on for appendicitis October 27, it was not until a few hours before his death that it was learned that an inoperable cancer had been discovered on the operating table, and that death had been inevitable for nearly a month. It was Tridon himself who made public his condition, summoning the last of his ebbing strength to dictate a statement in response to newspaper inquiries. Death ensued three hours later.

These were Tridon's last words as his wife wrote them from his slow and painful dictation at the bedside:

"It has developed that Andre Tridon, the psychoanalyst, who is in a most critical condition, is really suffering from inoperable cancer of the intestines. An operation was performed on him by Dr. Joseph E. King a month ago at the Lexington Hospital for appendicitis. The additional malady was then discovered.

"Dr. King and Dr. Norman (N. Philip Norman), who assisted him in the original operation, have been in constant attendance upon him ever since. At the present moment all hope of his recovery has been given up."

Tridon's brave insistence on sending out his own death notice marked the close of a gallant struggle for life that he seemed to relinquish the moment he had committed to paper his realization of the hopelessness of his condition. He was in a coma before his last words were out of the house, and even while Mrs. Tridon was telling the inquirers of the remarkable energy and will power that had carried him through the task.

Tridon was a Frenchman. He was

in America for nineteen years. He studied at the University of the Sorbonne and at Heidelberg, intending to fit himself for the diplomatic service. His ambitions in that direction never were realized. Instead, he emigrated to America in 1906 to do newspaper work.

It was on his way back from Mexico that he first turned seriously to psycho-analysis as his major work. He translated the works of Dr. Sigmund Freud, father of that branch of mental medicine, as well as the writings of Dr. Alfred Adler, of Vienna.

Notes: Workman was working Ashland, Wis., Nov. 23.—(By A. P.)—Dr. Leo Braun dropped dead in the woods near here while deer hunting yesterday. He was an expert rifleman and a prize winner in national trapshooting contests for several years.

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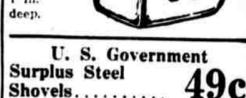
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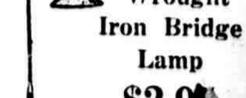
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