Some Allamakee County W P A Projects



In an effort to provide employment for the 208 certified relief workers in Allamakee county, local authorities planned and sponsored WPA projects some of which are indicated on the map above. One of the most important works programs in the county and state is the improvement of many miles of Farm-to-Market roads by rock surfacing and graveling. The quarrying and crushing of rock for these roads, repair of school buildings, laying sewer, a surplus commodity survey and recreational activity supervision throughout the county were part of the program. These WPA projects have aided materially in creating much needed work for those otherwise unemployed, and their efforts have contributed to the material advancement of the county.