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the coumselors for a farm solution.

| Wide Variation in <br> Nation's Paved Roads <br> State and local roads, heterogeneous links in the nation's chatn of highWays, are but 18.3 per cent surfaced That figure is reached by the federal bureau of public ronds in summarizing data complled on road tmprovement th each of the 48 states. Taken Indlvidually, the states reveal a wide variasee of percentages. Indiana, tas the - ther stath tand locel mones pertiont |  |
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| North Dakota is lowest, with 1.7 per cent. Indiana is first again in surfaced local roads, showing 65.3 per cent. <br> Some of the inequalitiee in percentages may be lessened by the 1928 road-building campalga. In its plans for the present year, the federal bureau of local roads expects more than 20,000 miles to be sarfaced amd about 8.000 miles erades and drainet. <br> Sartacing of htedhways reotived one of the greateck encourapemeate to 1800 , |
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boxing" as it is practiced today,
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