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SPANISH TRAIL MEET AT TALLAHASSEE SOON

GOOD ROADS BUILDERS FROM MANY STATES

Will Attend—Planning for High-
way From Florida to the Coast
of California

TALLAHASSEE, April 18.—(Special.)
—The Old Spanish Trail convention will
be held at Tallahassee, May 18 and 19.
Good roads builders and enthusiasts are
expected from many States. Several
prominent men and officials have been in-
vited, in addition to the 2,000 invita-
tions that will be sent out to other
cities along the route of the Trail from
Florida to California. Those specially
invited are President Woodrow Wilson;
David F. Houston, secretary of agricul-
ture; Governor Sidney J. Catts, and W.
A. McRae, commissioner of agriculture of
Florida; Senator John H. Bankhead, of
Alabama; W. S. Keller, State highway
engineer of Alabama; W. F. Cocke, State
highway commissioner of Florida; Logan

Waller Page, United States Department
of Roads and Engineering; Charles Henry
Davis, President of National Highway
Association; Henry Ford, Detroit.

The Old Spanish Trail Highway, be-
ing on the Southern border of the United
States, from ocean to ocean, is likely to
be one of the most important military
highways of our country, and it is the
desire to make the Old Spanish Trail
Association convention the greatest road
convention ever held in the South to
stimulate interest in hastening the com-
pletion of the highway and necessary
bridges along the route. It is expected
that President Wilson will send a per-
sonal representative. The scout car
boosting and advertising the convention
and the Old Spanish Trail will start
westward on the trip to Houston, Tex-
as, April 23, stopping at principal cities
and towns for meetings in the interest
of the project.