12. On Riemannian Spaces Admitting a Family of Totally Umbilical Hypersurfaces. II.

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§ 4. When orthogonal trajectories of the hypersurfaces $\sigma(x^{\lambda}) =$ const. are geodesics, (1.2) reduces to the form

(4.1)
$$\sigma_{\lambda; \mu} = \rho g_{\lambda\mu} + \eta \sigma_{\lambda} \sigma_{\mu},$$

namely σ_{λ} is a torse-forming vector field. In this case, since v_{λ} is proportional to σ_{λ} and consequently $v_i = v_{\lambda} B_i^{\lambda} = 0$, (1.6) becomes

$$R_{jk} = B_j^{\mu} B_k^{\nu} R_{\mu\nu} + \beta g_{jk}.$$

Thus we have

Theorem 4.1. When orthogonal trajectories of the totally umbilical hypersurfaces $\sigma(x^{\lambda}) = \text{const.}$ are geodesics, in order that the hypersurfaces $\sigma(x^{\lambda}) = \text{const.}$ are Einstein spaces, it is necessary and sufficient that the tensor $\Pi_{\lambda\mu}$ takes the form

$$\Pi_{\lambda\mu} = ug_{\lambda\mu} + \zeta_{\lambda}\sigma_{\mu} + \zeta_{\mu}\sigma_{\lambda}.$$

Cor. 1. If σ_{λ} is a torse-forming vector field and $\Pi_{\lambda\mu} = ug_{\lambda\mu} + \kappa \sigma_{\lambda} \sigma_{\mu}$, then the hypersurfaces $\sigma(x^{\lambda}) = \text{const.}$ are Einstein spaces.

Cor. 2. If an Einstein space admits a torse-forming vector field σ_{λ} , then the hypersurfaces $\sigma(x^{\lambda}) = \text{const.}$ are also Einstein spaces.

We consider next a conformally flat space admitting a torseforming vector field.

Differentiating (4.1) and substituting the resulted equations in Ricci identities $\sigma_{\lambda;\mu\nu} - \sigma_{\lambda;\nu\mu} = -\sigma_{\omega} R^{\omega}_{\lambda\mu\nu}$, we have

$$(4.2) \quad -\sigma_{\omega}R^{\omega}_{\ \lambda\mu\nu} = (\rho_{\nu}-\rho_{\eta}\sigma_{\nu})g_{\lambda\mu} - (\rho_{\mu}-\rho_{\eta}\sigma_{\mu})g_{\lambda\nu} + \sigma_{\lambda}(\eta_{\nu}\sigma_{\mu}-\eta_{\mu}\sigma_{\nu}).$$

Multiplying by σ^{λ} and summing for λ , we have

$$(\rho_{\nu}+\sigma^{\lambda}\sigma_{\lambda}\eta_{\nu})\sigma_{\mu}-(\rho_{\mu}+\sigma^{\lambda}\sigma_{\lambda}\eta_{\mu})\sigma_{\nu}=0,$$

from which follows that $\rho_{\nu} + \sigma^{\lambda} \sigma_{\lambda} \eta_{\nu}$ is proportional to σ_{ν} , that is, $\sigma^{\lambda} \sigma_{\lambda} \eta_{\nu} = a \sigma_{\nu} - \rho_{\nu}$, where *a* is a certain scalar. On the other hand, multiplying (4.2) by $g^{\lambda \mu}$ and summing for λ and μ , we have

$$\begin{aligned} -\sigma_{\omega}R^{\omega}_{,\nu} &= (n-1)(\rho_{\nu}-\rho_{\eta}\sigma_{\nu}) + \sigma^{\lambda}\sigma_{\lambda}\eta_{\nu} - \sigma^{\lambda}\eta_{\lambda}\sigma_{\nu} \\ &= (n-2)\rho_{\nu} + \{a - (n-1)\rho_{\eta} - \sigma^{\lambda}\eta_{\lambda}\}\sigma_{\nu} \,. \end{aligned}$$

Thus we obtain the equations of the form