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NORTH CAROLINA ROAD CONTRACTS AWARDED—TOTAL OVER \$7,000,000

Contracts for the construction of roads in North Carolina, totaling \$7,474,289.29, have been awarded by the state highway commission since the first of the year. It is expected that the contracts awarded by the commission during the year will be in excess of \$10,000,000.

This large expenditure covers the contract costs for the construction of 468.18 miles of highway. Of this large sum, \$354,808.83 is for bridge construction and \$130,000 for resurfacing, while the remainder is entirely for road projects.

That North Carolina was able to go ahead at this pace with her road construction has been made possible through the authorization by the last general assembly of the issuance of \$50,000,000 in state highway bonds, with the proviso that \$10,000,000 in bonds annually will be issued and sold to supplement other road funds in covering the contracts let during that year. H. O. Joslin, assistant to the chairman of the state highway commission of North Carolina, states that it is the plan of the commission to expend the total issue of \$50,000,000 within a period of about five years, and that contracts a little in excess of \$10,000,000 will be let the first year.

By reason of the large contracts which the state has been able to let since the authorization of her state bond issue, the road letting in that state is bringing contractors from all over the country to bid on the work, so that is getting the very lowest possible price per mile. At a recent letting 150 bids were received. As many as 40 different contractors submitted bids on one job. Contracting firms of national prominence which have been engaged in the construction of large office buildings have announced their intention of bidding on some of the large projects to be awarded in North Carolina in the near future. Of the contracts let this year, 263.85 miles, costing \$2,974,412.92, is on federal aid projects, and 204.33 miles, costing \$4,015,067.54 is on state projects. A difference in the cost per mile between the federal and state aid projects will be noted.

With reference to the maintenance of state highways in North Carolina, the state highway commission has taken over for maintenance in excess of 4,000 miles of the total of 6,000 miles in the state system, and expect in a comparatively few months to be able to take over the remainder.

The automobile license fees are available for this purpose. It will be the purpose of the highway commission to keep the mileage of the state highway system, in so far as possible, traveling throughout the year.

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INSANITY IS NOT GROUND FOR DIVORCE

Confinement in the State hospital for the insane for a period of ten years is not the separation the statutes contemplate as a cause for divorce, according to an opinion written by Chief Justice Walter Clark in the case of A. R. Lee vs Saphrony Ann Lee, from Johnston county.

The chief justice writes at some length in the Lee case, as he usually does in questions of great moral moment. He takes the position, in sustaining the ruling of the court below, that the fact that the wife is in an asylum is not only not ground for divorce, but does not deprive her of the dower right and her claim to support from her husband. He cites the martial vow and inferentially rebukes the plaintiff for seeking separation.

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ARBUCKLE HELD TO ANSWER CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 28.—The murder complaint against Roscoe C. "Fatty" Arbuckle was reduced to manslaughter today by Police Judge Sylvian J. Lazarus, who held him to answer to the Superior court for trial on the lesser charge growing out of the death of Miss Virginia Rappe following a drinking party in Arbuckle's hotel suite here. Judge Lazarus added that the evidence introduced by the district attorney during the six day hearing did not warrant the comedian being held for murder. Miss Rappe, of Los Angeles, motion picture actress, died September 9, four days after the affair in Arbuckle's rooms.

"I have decided to make a holding for manslaughter, finding there is enough in the defendant's conduct to warrant his trial on that charge," said Judge Lazarus.

"I feel no rape or attempted rape was committed by the defendant on Miss Rappe," he said.

"I feel also bound by the grand jury whose indictment for manslaughter was voted after having more evidence than I was permitted to hear."

Arbuckle heard the decision without movement or comment.

Arbuckle Gives Bond.

The district attorney moved that Arbuckle be released on his own recognizance in view of the bail of \$5,000 cash or \$10,000 bonds fixed in the Superior Court charge of manslaughter growing out of a grand jury indictment.

As court adjourned a dozen women rushed forward to shake Arbuckle's hand.

TUBERCULOSIS MEETING IN GREENSBORO OCT. 6th and 7th

The North Carolina Tuberculosis Association will meet in Greensboro Oct. 6th and 7th with many able speakers on the program. The aims of the North Carolina Tuberculosis Association can be summed up in the following slogan: Every person that has tuberculosis has a right to know it, to be properly treated for it, to be so supervised that he will not communicate it to others and every other person has the right to know how to prevent himself becoming infected.

The Modern Health Crusade which is playing such a large part in making the school children 100 per cent. efficient in health will be stressed and plans or inculcating the Health Crusade in all the schools will be made.

Dr. W. S. Rankin, State Health Officer, will preside over the General Session on the afternoon of the 7th. This Session will deal with matters of great interest to physicians, nurses, social workers and anyone interested in the fight against tuberculosis.

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Rev. C. M. Graham, a colored minister of Charlotte, was fined \$200 in a magistrate's court for failure to file a marriage license with the register of deeds within the prescribed time. He delayed the matter for nearly a year and the groom in the case "pulled" him for \$200.