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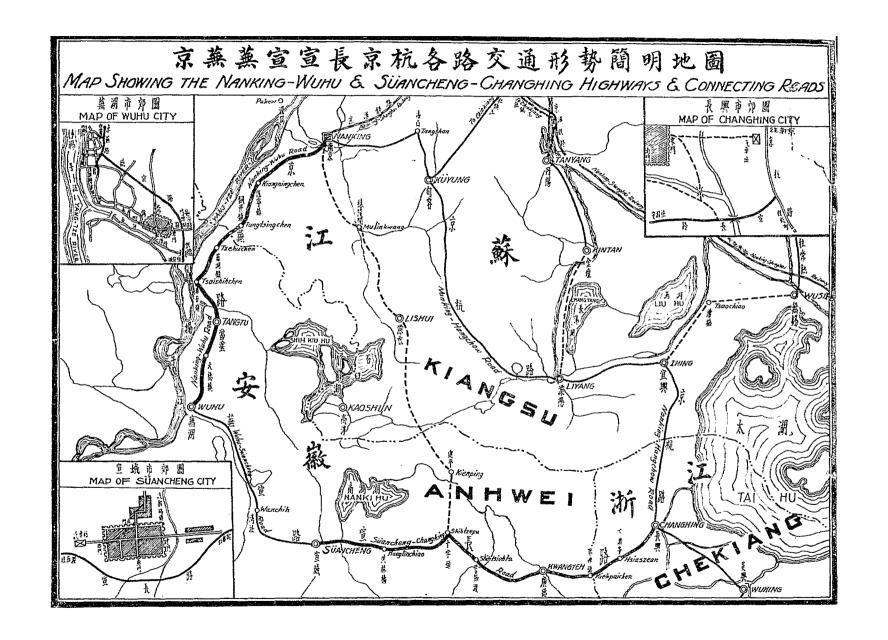
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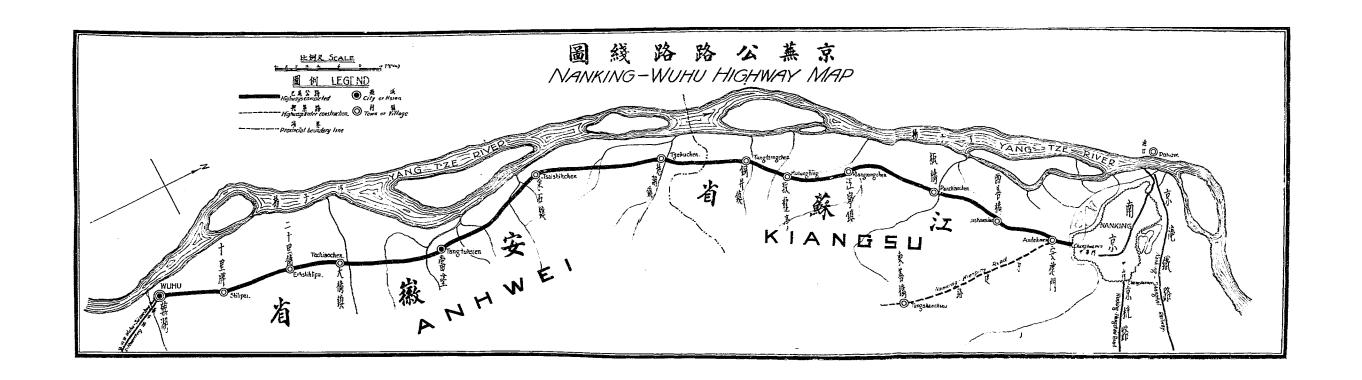
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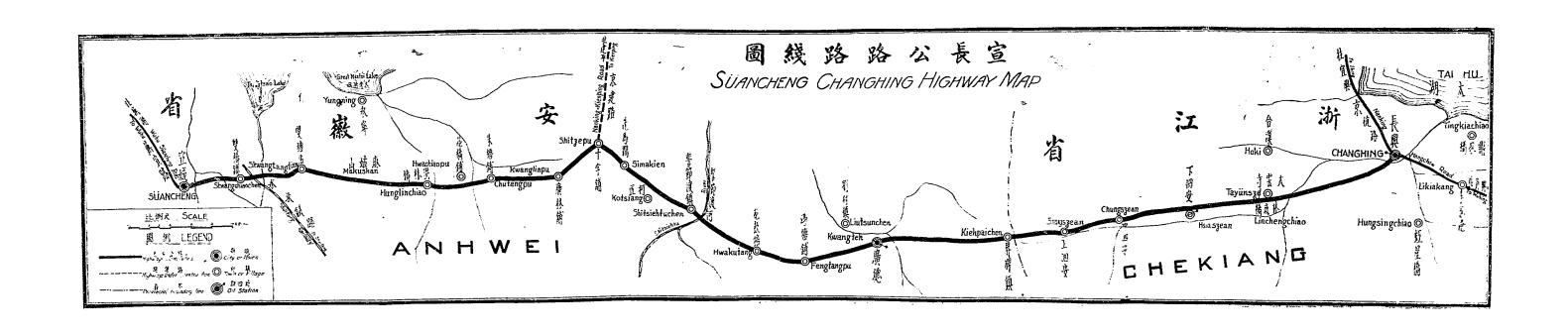
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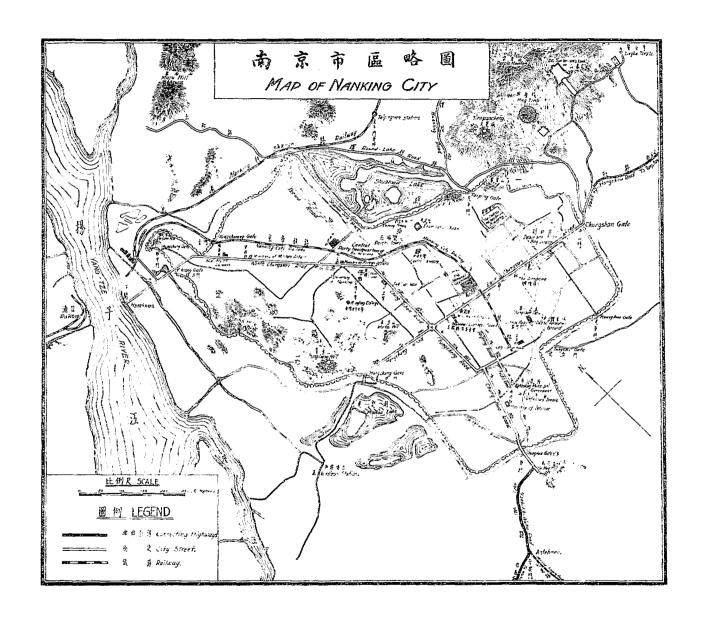
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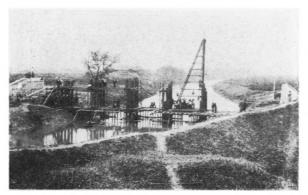
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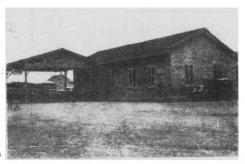


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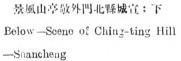


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一、引言

之關係其必一改舊觀矣 歲均告完成與京杭蕪宣等公路更相啣接形成一循環之交通脈絡以後皖南與蘇浙二省 農作物米茶尤為輸出大宗而終不能充量開發其富源者則運輸之不便實一主因也自本 會及蘇浙院三省政府會同規畫築造三省聯絡公路京蕪宣長二路同爲其中重要之綫基 蘇浙皖三省壤地毗連而皖南與蘇浙以交通之阻滯聲氣向頗隔膜其地富於礦產及

之工程人員殫思竭慮得以解决又省庫法裕工欵時處不濟作輟頻仍而董其役者卒不因 此二路之建築因原有運輸機關之缺乏轉運橋梁路面等材料在在均感困難賴主事

是而餒沮尤可感佩者厥惟國聯顧問敖蒲二氏之協助不辭風塵之勞瘁行族之苦辛巡視

路綫指導工程其裨益實雖縷數也

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國內所需于公路者不在有精美之路面而在有可通車之途徑此二路之工程即秉此

旨爲之其中京蕪路所過之當塗河宣長路所過之誓節渡暫不建築橋梁以船簰作渡凡此 京礁宣長雨公路通車紀念刊

皆意在實事求是而已

一、建築經過

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甲)京蕪公路

段起自南京沿大江右岸經來石當塗面抵燕湖共長九十二公里所經區域有南京市 皖两省故興築時分三段進行茲分段記其崖略如次 京蕪公路爲本會規畫蘇浙皖三省聯絡公路之一復爲七省聯絡公路京黔幹綫之首 及蘇

外已成之彈石路因路綫及工程均未合式且路面多已損壞遂于民國二十一年六月間 本會函請南京市工務局籌劃改築路基並翻修彈石路面全部工程於同年九月底 江蘇段 京市區段 起自安德門訖于銅井鎮南蘇皖邊界計長三十五公里此段于民國 起自南京中華門外雨花路訖於安德門計長三公里弱此段原爲京市郊 十七年 告竣 曲

完成而 壞益以 間 關係工程停頓而路基土方及涵洞等工程仍由徵工進行二十年夏大水爲災路基大受損 即由江蘇建設廳奉令籌建十九年五月蘇段工程處正式成立六七月間因時局及經費 所築路基仍有不合法度者且橋梁路面等工程因欵絀尚未與工至六月間由本會 九月間東北事變進行更緩嗣經蘇省籌款繼續于二十一年三月間 將土方涵 洞

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撥借: 基金始由江蘇建設廳賡續進行各項工程經營四閱月于同年九月底全部工程均告

路基土方七月間大致完成本會復于六月間 塗二十八公里已于民國十九年五月間完成路基及臨時橋滿工程並曾一 夏大水已成路基橋涵均被冲毁當塗至邊界二十六公里先于二十一年五月由徵工 安徽段 起自蕪湖市吉和街北口訖于蘇院邊界計長五十四公里此段自蕪湖至當 函請皖省建設廳修築安徽段全段各項工 度通車二十年 一修築

渡輪造成時並擬將該處原有渡輪移往當塗應用 當塗大河原擬建築橋梁亦因經費及時間 均告完成二十二年春間籌築碎石路面後以經費及運料困難於六月初始行告竣又該段 八 (月間該廳特設工程處管理一切工程迄至二十一年底所有路基補修及橋涵 關係先設船渡以資通車 今年秋滬杭路閔行新 工程大致

(乙)宣長公路

宣長公路亦為 、本會規劃蘇浙皖三省聯絡公路之一起自安徽宣城經廣德泗安而

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長興共長一百二十四公里所經係屬安徽浙江兩省轄境故興築時亦分皖浙两段進行茲

分段述其崖略如次

警節渡大橋暫用簰渡外均已于本年六月初告竣 割補做 路基寬度坡度及彎道等不盡合法及同年七月初院省建設廳派工程人員重行測量并計 公里此段路基于民國二十一年四月間由皖省令行沿路各縣徵工築成惟以倉卒從事致 始克就廣德界牌一 土方及修建正式橋涵工程適該廳程廳長病故又以省庫支絀延至同年十一月初 起自安徽宣城縣西蕪宣汽車路車站訖于皖浙邊界之界牌鎮計長 段先行開工嗣宣城廣德間亦相繼與築所有補做土方及橋涵 八十六

橋涵 十二年一月開始鋪築路面分三段進行於六月初全部告竣 月間設 基亦係于民國二十一年春間由浙省令行經過各縣徵工築成并由浙省公路局築成臨 浙江段 所有路基之坡度彎道及臨時橋涵工程均以時促欵絀 工程處從事修改路線補做土方并添建正 起自長興京杭公路車 站訖於皖浙邊界之界牌鎮計長三十八公里此 式橋涵同年十二月底土路大致完成二 **小盡合法嗣浙省** 一建設廳於 段路 七 時

三、工程概况

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甲)京燕公政

京蕪路各段工程係依照所經各省市之標準故各段未能一律然主要部份固與本會

重約爲十噸茲分段述其工程及建築費如次 之公路工程標準尚無牴觸也全路最大坡度百分之五彎道最小牛徑為六十公尺橋梁載

新 建橋涵工程建築費約共一萬五千元由本會借助築路基金約五千元 京市區段 路基寬七·五公尺中鋪彈石路面寬五。五公尺所經係近郊平原並無

係本橋涵洞九十七道全段工程費於二十一年六月繼續施工時經本會核定者爲 面寬三公尺除安德門附近六公里爲礫石路面外其餘均係彈石路面新建橋梁共四座均 江蘇段 路基寬九公尺全部土方據估約二十八萬餘公方石方約二千公方中鋪路 十萬零

三千二百十四元由本會借助築路基金三萬三千零二十九元

涵洞約 路面 安徽段 九十道水管約五十道當塗大河現暫用渡船運渡汽車法于两岸修築彈石坡道坡 |新建橋梁共十二座除大橋鎭橋係混凝土橋台木面橋外餘均洋松木椿橋又有大 路基寬八公尺全部土方據估約一百五十餘萬公方路面寬三公尺均係碎 京蕪宣長兩公路通車紀念刊

費於二十一年七月繼續施工時經本會核定者爲四十三萬二千七百二十三元由本會借 道下端用跳板接達臺船復由躉船接達渡船渡船計有二艘各可載重五噸以上該段工程

移撥二萬五千元作滬杭路閔行新渡輪補助金外本會實撥該段基金為十萬零八千零三 助築路基金十三萬八千四百七十一元除當塗大橋尚未建造其應撥基金由本會保留並

之築路基金共爲十四萬六千零六十八元 總計京蕪路全路工程預算經本會核定者爲五十五萬零九百三十七元由本會借助

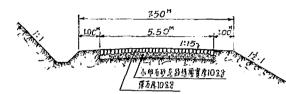
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京舞路路面截面圖

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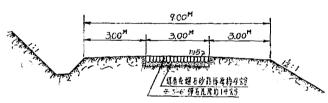
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TYPICAL ROAD SECTIONS OF THE SÜANCHENG-CHANGHING HIGHWAY



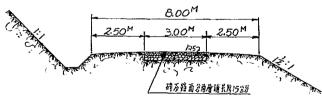
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Tanshih Pavement from Yühwa Road to Antehmen



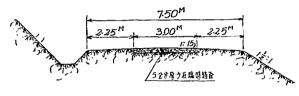
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Tanshih Pavement from Antehmen to Border



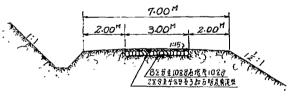
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Broken-stone Pavement from Wuhu to Border



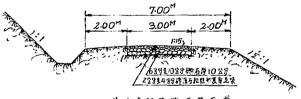
安巖廣學裝驗時歷歷 (加德经济维)52里)

Temporary Pavement from Kwangteh to Chichparcheng



尚近長週段時五路面式

Brchen-stone Pavement from Changhing to Szean



ノゴ重長公生

徑為三十公尺正式橋梁載重約為十噸臨時橋梁載重約為五噸茲分段述其工程及建築 未盡合法之處後經改綫加修大體始較完善全路最大坡度爲百分之六·五曲 宣長路皖浙两段工程係由兩省分任修築故標準亦未能一律又最初因用徵工頗有 緩最 小牛

費如次

管約一百九十道全部建築費經本會核定者為四十八萬一千四百十九元由本會借 利用舊石拱橋四座涵洞水管計有石板涵洞九十餘道牛圓縐紋鐵管三十八道混凝土水 渡鍋筋混凝土橋工程最鉅現尚未修築暫用竹簰濟渡其餘多係石台木面橋及木椿橋又 方路面現僅鋪廣界段臨時路,面寬三公尺宣廣段尚未鋪築橋梁共三十六座其中以誓節 安徽段 路基寬七·五公尺續做整理土方約十八萬公方開山石方約三萬四千公 助 基

十五萬四千零五十四元

Ħ. 公里鋪礫石者計有十三公里橋梁計有石台木面橋六座改造老橋二座臨時木橋三十 浙江 喪 路基寬七公尺續做土方約十七萬公方路面寬三公尺鋪碎石者計有二十

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四座涵管計有木料涵洞七道混凝土水管約一百三十道全部建築費經本會核定者爲十

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九萬四千零八十三元由本會借助基金六萬二二十一百零七元 總計宣長路皖浙两段全路工程預算經本會核定者爲六十七萬五千五百零二元由

本會借助之築路基金共爲二十一萬六千一百六十一元

附宣長公路路面截面圖

、沿路設備

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(一)交通標誌 甲)京蕪公路 京燕路自通車後沿綫設交通標誌分警告指示禁令三種警告標誌

行限制速率載重等各標誌之式樣及顏色均按照本會規定之標準 用以警告前方道路情形指示標誌用以指示地名到達距離等禁令標誌用以禁止車輛通

(一)里程碑 自安德門起至蘇皖邊界止由江蘇建設廳設有混凝土里程碑自

邊界至燕湖車站之里程碑則由皖省建設廳設置里程一律以公里計算 (三)長途公共汽車 自南京至慈湖鎮一段由江蘇建設廳設長途汽車管理處辦理

長途汽車公司承包營業通常每日亦有汽車四班對向開駛 客運通常每日有汽車四班各由兩端開行其自慈湖鎭至燕湖 段則由皖省京燕路西段

門西善橋板橋山筲鎮牧龍亭銅井鎮八站在院段者有蕪湖二十里鋪 四)汽車站及汽油站 此路現設之汽車站在蘇段者有南京下關南京中華門安德 大橋鎮新橋鎮當塗

釆石鎭慈湖 京雜宣長兩公路通車紀念刊 鎮七站並在南京礁湖各大站設有汽油站以供自備汽車之需

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五)路警及長途電話 爲求旅客安全及便利起見沿途各站均擬安設長途電話以

通消息幷設路警專資沿綫警衛之責

(乙)宣長公路

(一)交通標誌 宣長路自通車後沿綫亦設有交通標誌式樣顏色亦按照本會規定

之標準

(二)里程碑 自宣城至界牌鎭由皖省建設廳設置自界牌鎭至長興則由浙省建設

廳設置里程均以公里計算 (三)長途汽車 自宣城至廣德由皖省建設廳招商承辦由廣德至長興一 段則由浙

省公路局直接辦理 四)汽車站及汽油站 此路現設之汽車站在院段者有宣城雙橋鎮洪林橋十字鋪

誓節渡花鼓塘廣德等站在浙段者有長興環橋大雲寺澄心寺泗安上泗安界牌鎮等站并

在長興泗安廣德宣城等大站設有汽油站以供自備汽車之需

(五)路警及長途電話 爲求行旅安全及便利起見沿途各站大多設有長途電話以

便互通消息并分段設有路警專負沿路警衛之責

五、工商物產

豐工業品如南京之綢緞陶磁器及蕪湖之砂糖紙類皆爲特產 之農產品以米麥雜糧棉花爲大宗蕪湖之米市尤爲著名皖段之茶及京市之家禽產量亦 品在昔專恃水運及驢騾小車馱載自此路告成則運輸便捷有裨于工商業甚大沿線各地 京蕪公路起南京訖蕪湖二處皆爲長江流域之大埠工商業夙稱發達惟沿線出産物

筆竹木器長興一帶之織綢皆銷行國內各地礦產品有宣城附近水東煤礦及長興附近之 宣城之敬亭綠雪茶尤膾炙人口其他如竹木桑果生絲之屬亦稱豐富工業品有宣城之紙 他多屬閉塞之區商業均未發達自公路通車後必可一改舊觀沿路農產品以米茶爲大宗 宣長公路所經係皖南及浙西之境自昔除宣城長興及泗安可通水道稍有貿易外其

六、名勝古蹟

煤礦開採均著成效

回南京市

京熊宣長兩公路通車紀念刊

南京為六朝舊京明初建國於此今又為首都所在其古蹟名勝指不勝屈茲僅舉其著

京熊宣長兩公路通車紀念刊

陵 中山公園在城內復成橋東(六)五洲公園 亡將士墓(四)全國運動場 名而 交通 在中山門外為明太祖之陵寢(三) 靈谷寺 便利者於后(一)中山墓 在靈谷寺南為國內最新式之體育場(五)第一 在中山門外建築莊嚴附近陵園風景尤佳(二)明孝 在玄武門外玄武湖上(七)北極閣 在中山墓東寺後有譚院長墓寺旁有陣 公園 在城內 舊名

址(九)清涼山 在漢西門內向北三里上有清涼寺九華寺掃葉樓諸勝蹟(十)莫愁湖

鼓樓之東雞鳴山上有中央觀象台及無綫電台(八)雞鳴寺

在北極閣東寺背有台城舊

近商場向為 在水西門外夏季荷花特盛(十一)夫子廟 全城最繁盛之處(十二)雨花台 在秦淮河北岸文德橋旁現已改設小學校附 在中華門外雨花路南端上有方亭可眺全

〇宋石鎮

頭有燃犀亭又有三官屙山洞幽邃山麓有太白樓供唐代詩人李太白像又有三公祠祀淸 采石磯 在翠螺山突出江邊之一端山在鎭之西北一公里為歷來兵家必爭 之班

代彭楊李三名臣

◎蕪

湖在蕪湖車站之東南湖濱多楊柳堤上設茶酒肆爲蕪湖風景最佳處(四)煙湖墩 湖汽車站東北為蕪湖最高之山山上有廣濟寺又有中學校佈置頗雅(三)陶塘 (二)弋磯山 在蕪湖江邊西臨大江上有蕪湖醫院登山可望江景(二)赭山 原名鐘 在燕 在陶

①宣城

塘中央四面環水通以小橋風景幽絕

南樓 李白詩「相看两不厭只有敬亭山」之句其名遂著巒壑秀美望遠尤宜由城外文星樓有馬 塘一方近經邑人關爲鰲峯公園風景增色不少(三)敬亭山 **園古木參天綠蔭葱鬱登樓一望全城在目近復重加修葺煥然一新爲官邑消夏勝** (一)北樓 在城內東南隅舊府儒學東以與北樓對峙故名樓左有龍首塔聳然矗立樓前有荷 在宣城城內凌湯山巓爲晉代太守謝眺所建近邑人就其地闢爲 在城北 十里舊名昭亭因 (地(二) 凌湯公 唐

京縣宣長兩公路通車紀念刊路 直達 山麓 其地有雙塔寺掌雲庵太白亭諮勝

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六

)廣德

潭禪房明淨爲夏日避暑勝地北角有園雜種花卉尤秀雅宜人 洞 山殿 在城西二里山間殿宇宏敞佛像莊嚴四境樹木鬱然環抱山中泉水滙爲深

尖山

① 泗安

在中泗安鎮南山形尖立故名登臨一望極目數十里山上有古寺頗巍峨四周

林木葱蘢風景頗稱幽蒨

七、行旅須知

(一)起訖站交通概況

上下由新街口沿中山東路至西華門可達京杭路之首站 京燕路南京總站設於中華門外雨花路另於下關及城內新街口設站停車以便旅客

宣長路宣城車站設於西關外與蕪宣路原有汽車站同在一處 京蕪路蕪湖站設於吉和街北口向東沿鐵路基通宣蕪路汽車站向西可達輪船碼頭

均在本站購票乘 貮 長路長興車站附設於京杭路長興站內站在長興東門外由此北達南京南通杭縣 車

(二)互通汽車公路概況

杭州長一一七公里現由浙省公路局通車營業 京杭路 由南京至長興長二〇九公里現由江南長途汽車公司通車營業由長興至

合法又未鋪路面現由燕宣長途汽車公司通車營業每日早晨七點半及下午一點共開 車

由蕪湖至宣城長約八十九公里舊係蕪宣輕便鐵路路基路線及寬度未

燕宣路

鐵道燕宣間之聯絡當另定辦法也 由皖省建設廳將該段修成全路已可直達無阻惟不久此路將由江南鐵路公司接收修綵 一次蠱時自小河口至灣沚約四公里工程未竣須用汽輪接運旅客展轉費時行族苦之今

京滬幹綫之首段現由蘇省建設廳通 車營業

由京杭路之句容站至鎭江長四十一公里爲南京通鎭江之要道復爲將來

省句路

其他 京礁宣長兩公路通車紀念刊 現在建築 中之聯絡公路尚有京建路由南京通宣長路之十字鋪長約 五四公

里宣 市路由宣城之大旺村至屯溪長約一五六公里不久均可望完成通車 京無宣長兩公路通車紀念刊

(三)外來汽車應知事項

定万通汽車章程二十二條已由各省市公佈自二十二年一月一日起實行茲特將該章 本會與蘇浙皖京滬五省市政府前為劃一管理公路交通並便利万通汽車起見特訂

四)京燕路當塗河輪渡收費辦法

附載書末以備外來汽車之參考

京燕路當塗大河現由皖省公路局設立輪渡管理處備置渡船二隻渡送往來汽車

通每日自上午六時至下午七時以內凡備有蘇浙皖京滬五省市執照之汽車照章繳納

幣五 外要求渡送者每輛每次加倍收費所有車上之乘客貨物概不另行收費 角(侯閔行渡輪撥到該路時每輛每次收費一元)即得由渡船運送過河在規定

一時間

蘇浙皖京滬五省市互通汽車暫行章程 二十一年十二月十五日公布

全國經濟委員會暨蘇浙皖京滬五省市為劃一管理公路交通及便利互通汽車起見特訂定本暫行章程

二、凡五省市之各種自用汽車(包括乘入汽車運賃汽車及機器脚踏車)除第五條第六條之規定外均得通行其他

- 省市之一切公私道路無須另緞任何通行費用
- 三、凡五省市之各種營業汽車(包括乘人汽車運貨汽車及機器脚踏車不包括公共汽車及長途汽車)除通過私人
- 四、 自中華民國二十二年一月一日起五省市政府對於第二條第三條所規定之汽車應照原車捐額普遍附加互通 或商辦汽車路應暫照各該路之定章缴納通行費外均得通行其他省市之公路無須另級任何通行費用
- 五、凡公共汽車長途汽車與省市政府訂有專約行駛一定路線者不在互通汽車規定之內

汽車捐稅百分之十

六、凡運貨汽車如係實心車胎不論敬重大小均不得互相通行又運貨汽車之總載重量如在三噸半以上者暫時不

得互相通行上項汽車五省市政府暫不附加互通汽車捐稅

- 七、各省市於二十二年一月一日起所附加之車捐得由本省市保留百分之二十五其餘百分之七十五應解交圣國
- 經濟委員會及五省市共同組織之五省市交通委員會為五省市公共之用
- 八、本章程第二條規定之各種自用汽車車主應向居住所在地之省市傾照繳捐其在其他某一省市之逗留日期不 得逾九十天

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九、本章程第三條規定之各種營業汽車車主應回車行開設地點之省市領照繳捐其在其他某一省市逗留日期不 凡逗留其他某一省市之車輛 得逾十五大 如已超過規定之逗留期限時應向所逗留省市之征收車捐機關繳付逾期費并不

另領號牌上項逾期日數在一月以內者應照所逗留省市季捐捐率三分之一繳納逾期費至原省市之車捐仍應

十一、某省市車輛到達其他省市後其車捐有效限期已屆不能返原省市繳捐時則下屆車捐得由逗留省市征 收事捐

士!、在某省市內查獲屬於其他省市之漏捐車輛其補捐部份應照第十一條辦理並得依照當地漏捐罰則 機關代收代解 處罰之

||一、代收其他省市車捐及補捐由征收機關發給五省市通用之三聯收據並給予臨時捐牌為憑一面將收據通知聯 函送原省市收捐機關備食上項臨時捐牌應於該車輛回達原省市時憑向收捐機關換領正式捐牌

法 代收其他省市車捐及補捐每季結算一次將代收捐款交解清楚

六、各省市所發給之試車牌照非得原發照機關之特別書面許可不得互相通行 一本章程第二條第三條所准許互通車輛以外之各種車輛如須通行其他省市之公路時應另行領照繳捐

七、各種汽車通行其他省市時應遵守其通行省市之一切交通規章如有違章情事應照違章地點之省市規章處罰 如遠章汽車已離開遠章地點之省市經通知後得由車主所在地省市之管理車務機關代為執行

大、凡五省市內之某一省市所發給之汽車司機執照在通行其他省市時亦得適用之

· 二、本章程施行細則另訂之

14、各省市管理公路交通各種章則另行劃一訂定之

一、本章程如有未盡事宜得由全國經濟委員會及五省市代表會議修正之

世一、本章程經全國經濟委員會召集之五省市代表互通汽車會議通過後由五省市代表呈請各該省市政府核准定 期同時公布施行並由全國經濟委員會呈報行政院備案

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京燕公路各站里程表

NANKING - WUHU HIGHWAY DISTANCE SCHEDULE

南京下間 Nanking Hajakwan														
	南京中華門 Nanking Chunghwanen									里程	版以公	里計	算	
15.5	3.5	安裝月 Antehmen						A			are in		n meters	-
20.5	8.5	5.0	百基協 Sistianchiao											
27.5	15.5	12.0	7.0	長裔獎 Amchiaochen										
36.5	24.5	21.0	16.0	9.0	正字填 Kiangnungsber									
43.5	31.5	28.0	23.0	16.0	7.0	我且号 Mediangting								
47.0	35.0	31.5	26.5	19.5	10.5	3.5	開青模 Tungtsungche							
55.5	43.5	40.0	35.0	28.0	19.0	12.0	8.5	慈禧镇 Tzehuchen						
65.8	53.8	50.3	45.3	38.3	29.3	22.3	188	10.3	养 長 膜 Tsaishihchon					
77.8	65.8	62.3	57.3	50.3	41.3	34.3	30.8	22.3	12.0	着 皇 Tangtu				
82.8	70.8	67.3	62.3	55.3	46.3	39.3	35.8	27.3	17.0	5.0	計高性 Singchiaochen			
89.4	77.4	73.9	68.9	61.9	52.9	45.9	42.4	33.9	23.6	11.6	6.6	支持算 Tachiaochen		
960	84.0	80.5	75.5	68.5	59.5	52,5	49.0	40.5	30.2	18.2	13.1	6.6	二十里销 Erhshihlipu	ı
105.8	93.8	90.3	85.3	78.3	69.3	62.3	58.8	50.3	40.0	28.0	22.9	16.4	9.8	蠡 湖 IYuhu

宣長公路各站里程表

SUANCHENG - CHANGHING HIGHWAY DISTANCE SCHEDULE

皇 夏 Süancheng]													
6.0	夏榜族 Shwang- Chiaochen								备	出 里 程	. 概以	小田	計算	
24.0		洪 基稿 Hunglinchiao									. 191. 14 5 <i>ar</i> e		計算 <i>lometer</i> s	יד
42.0	3 6.0	18.0	十字簿 Shitzepu		_									•
50.0	44.0	26.0	8.0	整節潰 Shitsiehtu		_								
5 9.0	53.0	35.0	17.0	9.0	花黄癌 Hwakufang									
64.0	58.0	40.0	22.0	14.0	5.0	導着額 Fengtangpu		_						
72.5	66.5	48.5	3 0.5	22.5	13.5	8.5	廣 穆 Kwanteh		_					
86.0	80.0	62.0	44.0	36.0	27.0	22.0	13.5	身 譯 與 Kiehpaichen	·					
93.5	87.5	69.5	5 1.5	43.5	34.5	29.5	21.0	7.5	上 酒 灸 Shangszean					
95.2	89.2	71.2	53.2	45.2	3 6.2	3 1.2	22.7	9.2	1.7	下酒子 Hsiaszean		_		
103.6	97.6	79.6	61.6	53.6	44.6	39.6	3.1.1	17.6	10.1	8.4	清心寺 Chengsingsze		_	
109.4	 	85.4	67.4		5 0.4	45.4	3 b.q	23.4	15.9	14.2	5.8	大宝寺 Tayünsze		_
	108.0	90.0	72.0	64.0	55.0	50.0	41.5	28.0	20.5	18.8	10.4	4.6	環 情 Huanchiao	
124.0	118.0	100.0	82.0	74.0	65.0	60.0	5 1.5	38.0	30.5	28.8	20.4	14.6	10,0	長 異 Changhing

- 20. Standardized regulations for controlling highway traffic of these Provinces and Municipalities will be issued separately.
- 21. These Regulations may be amended at subsequent conferences held jointly by representatives of the National Economic Council, of the three Provinces, and of the two Municipalities.
- 22. These Regulations, after being passed by the Traffic Conferences held by representatives of the three Provinces and the two Municipalities, under the auspices of the National Economic Council, shall be presented to the Executive Yuan for reference, and to the Provincial and Municipal Governments concerned for ratification. These Regulations shall be simultaneously promulgated by the said Governments, and shall come into force on January the first 1933.

4. Regulations regarding tolls for ferry service.

The Bureau of Highways of Anhwei Province has organized the Managing Office of the Tangtu Ferry which is in charge of the ferry service at Tangtu on the Nanking-Wuhu Highway. There are now two ferries for transporting motor vehicles, operated daily from 6 A. M. to 7 P. M. All motor vehicles with licences issued by either of Chekiang, Kiangsu, and Anhwei Provinces or of the Nanking and Shanghai districts, shall pay a toll of 50 cents, Chinese currency, when transported by the ferries. The toll will be increased to one dollar when the Minghong ferry is placed for service in this section. For the transportation of motor vehicles not in the specified hours, the charge will be doubled. Beside the payment of the toll, no additional charges will be made on either passengers or cargoes.

and are entitled to a stay of not more than fifteen days, free of charge, at any other place within the territories of these Provinces and Municipalities.

10 Should a motor vehicle stay in another Province or Municipality over the specified time, the owner shall pay a charge for overtime to a traffic office of the district where the vehicle is detained, but shall not be required to secure another licence plate. If the overstayed period is less than a month the owner shall pay an overtime fee equivalent to one-third of the seasonal licence fee according to the scale of the Province or Municipality in which the vehicle is detained. Seasonal licence fees due at the original towns shall be paid as usual.

- 11. Licence fees due at the original towns may be collected and transferred on their behalf by any other traffic office, should the motor vehicles fail to return to the original towns
- 12. Vehicles found to have evaded licence fees due at their original towns shall be fined according to the regulations of the towns where they are staying in addition to that prescribed under Article 11.
- 13. Traffic offices shall give out special receipts and temporary licences to vehicles treated under Article II and I2, and due notifications shall be sent to the different traffic offices whence these vehicles come. Ordinary licences shall be given to such vehicles by traffic offices in their original towns on production of the temporary licence prescribed above.
- 14. For each season the traffic offices having collected licence fees or dues on behalf of the other traffic offices shall prepare accounts and transfer to them respectively the balances of such proceeds.
- 15. Any vehicle not included under Article 2 and 3 shall be entitled to use the highways of these Provinces and Municipalities after paying the fees for a thoroughfare licence.
- 16. A motor vehicle with provisional licence shall not be allowed to use the highways, out of the district where the said licence is issued unless a special written permit from the traffic offices can be produced.
- 17. Motor vehicles passing through any place shall be required to observe the traffic regulations of that place, and penalties for violation of such regulations shall be inflicted by the traffic office of that place in accordance with the local regulations. Should the vehicle leave the place before any action can be taken, it shall be fined accordingly by the traffic office of the district where the owner of the vehicle resides.
- 18. A driver's permit issued from any traffic office shall be valid for the three Provinces and in the two Municipalities named above.
- 19. Detailed rules for carrying out these Regulations will be provided for separately.

Provisional Regulations Governing the Inter-Provincial Motor Vehicle Traffic of the Three Provinces of Kiangsu, Chekiang, and Anhwei, and the Two Municipalities of Nanking and Greater Shanghai.

- 1. To facilitate Inter-Provincial motor traffic and to unify the management of highway traffic, the National Economic Council and the Governments of the Provinces of Kiangau, Chekiang, and Anhwei, and of the Municipalities of Nanking and Greater Shanghai draw up these provisional regulations.
- 2. All private motor vehicles (including private passenger cars and trucks, and motor cycles) registered by any of the three Provinces or of the two Municipalities may use free of any tolls or local charges all private and public roads within these territories.
- 3. Commercial motor vehicles (including passenger cars, trucks and motor cycles, but not including "Bus" services) of these Provinces and Municipalities may use free of any charge all public highways within these territories, but are required for the time being to pay a toll charge according to local regulations when using privately owned or privately operated highways.
- 4. Commencing from January 1st, 1933, all motor vehicles as prescribed in Article 2 and 3 above must pay an Inter-Provincial Motor Traffic Surtax equivalent to ten percent of the regular licence fee imposed by their respective government or municipality.
- 5. "Bus" services having previous contracts with governments of these Provinces and Municipalities to use certain definite sections of their highways are not included under Articles 3 and 4.
- 6. Motor trucks, irrespective of weight and size, fitted with solid tyres; or whose gross weight is over three and a half tons shall not be allowed to use the highways for the time being, and accordingly no surtax shall be imposed upon them.
- 7. Each government of the three Provinces and the two Municipalities may retain twenty-five percent of surtax collected and shall transfer the remaining seventy-five percent to the Inter-Provincial Traffic Committee (organized by the National Economic Council and these Provinces and Municipalities) to be used for general traffic imporvements.
- 8. The owners of private motor vehicles mentioned in Article 2 shall register and pay their licence fees at the town where they reside, and are entitled to a stay of not more than ninety days, free of charge, at any other place situated within the territories of the Provinces and Municipalities.
- 9. The owners of commercial motor vehicles mentioned in Article 2 shall register and pay their licence fees at the towns where they carry on their business.

bus service is now operated by the Wuhu-Süancheng Motor Bus Company, running twice a day at 7:30 A.M. and 1:00 P.M. From Hsiao-ho-kou to Wanchih about 4 kilometres in length, a steam launch was used for transporting passengers, who suffered very much from this inconvenience. In the spring of 1933, the Department of Reconstruction of Anhwei Province has completed the construction of this section, making possible its connection with the entire road. The Kiangnan Railway Company will, in the near future, purchase the road and build a railway track. Should this materialize, some other methods would have to be devised for the connection of Wuhu and Süancheng.

The Chinkiang-Chuyung Highway: The road from Chuyung along the Nanking-Hangchow Highway to Chinkiang, the provincial capital of Kiangsu, 41 kilometres in length, is an essential line for the communication of Nauking and Chinkiang, and will later be the first section of the trunk line connecting Nanking and Shanghai. The bus service is now under the management of the Department of Reconstruction of Kiangsu Province.

Other connecting highways under construction are the Nanking-Kienping Highway, 154 kilo netres in length, connecting Nanking with Shitzepu, and the Stancheng-Tunchi Highway, 156 kilometers in length, connecting Stancheng with Tunchi.

3. Regulations concerning the Inter-provincial Motor Traffic.

With a view to unifying the management of highway traffic and providing facilities for passengers, the National Economic-Council has in cooperation with the Three Provinces of Kiangsu, Chekiang, and Auhwei and the Two Municipalities of Nanking and Greater Shanghai, issued a series of provisional regulations governing the inter-provincial motor vehicle traffic. These regulations have already been promulgated by the foregoing provincial governments and municipal authorities and became effective on January 1st, 1933. The whole text of the regulations is hereunder printed for reference.

VII. INFORMATION TO TOURISTS

1. Description of communication around the bus stations

Nanking: The main bus terminal of the Nanking-Wuhu Highway at Nanking is at Yu-Hwa Road outside Chunghuamen. The bus also makes stops at Hsiakwan and Sinkaikou, inside the city, for the convenience of passengers. At Hsihuamen is the first bus station of the Nanking-Hangchow Highway which may be reached from Sinkaikou along the East Chungshan Road.

Wuhu: The bus station of the Nanking-Wuhu Highway at -Wuhu is located toward the north end of Kiho Street. To the east is the bus station of the Süancheng-Wuhu Highway and to the west is the wharf of steamship company.

Süancheng: The bus station of the Süancheng-Changhing Highway at Süancheng is located outside the West Gate at the same place with the old bus station.

Changhing: The bus station for both Süancheng-Changhing Highway and Nanking-Hangchow Highway at Changhing is located outside the East Gate. It is connected to the north with Nanking and to the south with Hangchow. Tickets for both Nanking and Hangchow may be obtained at the bus station.

2. Description of Bus Service on the Connecting Highways.

The Nanking-Hangchow Highway is divided into two sections so far as the motor bus is concerned, one from Nanking to Changhing with a length of 209 kilometers and the other from Changhing to Hangchow with a length of 117 kilometers. In the former section the bus is operated by the Kiangnan Motor Bus Company, whereas in the latter section, by the Bureau of Highways of Chekiang Province.

The Wuhu-Süancheng Highway, 89 kilometers in length, was originally the roadbed of the light railway from Wuhu to Süancheng. But both alignment and width of the road do not conform to the standards of highways, neither is the surface paved. The

Süangcheng: Pei-Lou, built by a magistrate of Ching Dynasty, is beautifully wooded, and is a very charming place for summer resort. Opposite to Pei-Lou and on the southeastern corner of the city stands Nan-Lou which has in its vicinity a pagoda and a lotus pond. About six kilometres to the north of the city emerges Ching-Ting-Shan, which is a place of historical interest, once referred to by the noted poet, Li Pai in his poems. Motor vehieles may reach the foot of the hill directly.

Kwangteh: About two kilometres to the west of the city stands the Tze-Shan Temple noted for its many imaged statues and encircled by a beautiful forest with streams of waters flowing from fountains here and there. In the spacious garden of the temple are planted shrubs and flowers of fresh colours and sweet fragrance.

Szean: To the south of the city is Chien-Shan with a pointed peak which presents a view of many miles away. At the top of the hill is an old imposing temple surrounded by a dense forest.

VI. PLACES OF INTEREST

Nanking: Nanking has had a very long and eventful history and has been the capital of nine separate dynasties, covering a total of some four hundred years. It is also the capital of the National Government of China. Of the many places of historical interest, it will be mentioned only those which can be easily reached by motor vehicles. The Sun Yat-sen Tomb outside Chung-Shan-Men, is an imposing architecture and commands a panoramic view of the entire city. In its neighborhood is the Ming Tomb wherein lies the remains of the founder and first emperor of Ming Dynasty. To the east of the Sun Yat-sen Tomb stands the Ling-Ku Temple, at the back of which may be found the Tan Yen-K'ai Tomb and the National Gemetery. The National Stadium, being the largest and the most up-to-date construction of its kind in the country, is located on the south of the Ling-Ku Temple. Outside Shüan-Wu-Men lies the most picturesque Shüan-Wu Lake. To the east of the Drum Tower rises the peak Pei-Chi-Ko, upon which now stands the Central Meterological Observatory and Wireless Station. Adjoining Pei-Chi-Ko is the Chi-Ming Temple which is only a little distance away from the ancient citadel of T'ai Ch'eng. The Confucius Temple, on the northern bank of the Ching-Hwai River, has been for sometime the most populous center of the city.

Tsaishihchen: Tsaishihchi, which is one kilometer to the northwest of Tsaishihchen, is a cliff projected way out into the river and commands a beautiful landscape. It used to be a place of great strategical importance.

Wuhu: Yi-Chi-Shan on the bank of the Yangtze River is noted for its scenery and also for its hospital. To the northwest of the Wuhu Bus Station is Chê Shan which is a hill of high altitude. Tao-Tang, originally named the "Mirror Lake" is on the southeast of the Bus Station and along the lakeside are planted willow trees which add more to the attraction of the place.

V. COMMERCIAL SURVEY

Nanking and Wuhu, being terminals of the Nanking-Wuhu Highway, are important ports of the Yangtze Valley and are noted for industry and commerce. But products along this line have been carried to other regions largely by antiquated means of transportation, such as small vessels, donkeys and wheelbarrows. Upon the completion of this road and with provision of transportation facilities, it gives great prospects to the revival of trade and industry in this section. Agricultural products along the highway largely consist of rice, wheat, tea and cotton, of which the rice market in Wuhu, tea in Anhwei and fowls at Nanking are particularly well known in the country. Silk and satin in Nanking and sugar and paper in Wuhu are the principal industrial products.

Regions in the southern part of Anhwei and the western part of Chekiang traversed by the Süancheng-Changhing Highway with the exception of Süancheng, Changhing, and Szean which carried a little trade by water route, were inaccessible to modern means of communication. The opening of this road to traffic will, however, make possible the bringing of these interior cities into closer contact with more advanced regions. Agriculturally, this region is very rich in the production of rice and tea, mulberries and raw silk. Of the industrial products, paper, pens and bamboo articles of Süancheng and silk of Changhing constitute the bulk. As regards mineral resources, coal mines in the neighborhood of both Süancheng and Changhing hour stready been worked with success.

telephones are installed in every bus station along the highway. Special police patrols are also organized to insure safety to tourists.

2. The Süancheng-Changhing Highway

Road Signs: Road signs bave been erected along the Süancheng-Changhing Highway, their forms and colours being designed in accordance with the standards set by the National Economic Council.

Milestones: Milestones from Süancheng to Kiehpaichen have been erected by the Department of Reconstruction of Anhwei Province and those from Kiehpaichen to Changhing, by the Department of Reconstruction of Chekiang Province. The mileage as shown on milestones is in unit of kilometres.

Motor Bus: From Suancheng to Kwangteh the Department of Reconstruction of Anhwei Province has entrusted to private concerns the management and operation of motor busses. From Kwangteh to Changhing the Bureau of Highways of Chekiang Province has charge of the management and operation of the bus service.

Bus Stations and Gasoline Stations: In the Anhwei section bus stations may be found at Süancheng, Shwangchiaochen, Hunglinchiao, Shitzepu, Shitsiehtu, Hwakutang, Fengtangpu and Kwangteh. In the Chekiang Section bus stations are established at Changhing, Hwanchiao, Tayunsze, Chengsinsze, Hsiaszean, Shangszean and Kiehpaichen. Attached to such big bus stations as Changhing, Szean, Kwanteh and Süancheng are gasoline stations for the service and convenience of motorists.

Police Patrols and Long-Distance Telephone: Long-distance telephones have been installed in all bus stations along the highway to provide security and convenience for passengers. Special police patrols have also been organized to render service and insure safety to tourists.

IV HIGHWAY EQUIPMENT

1. The Nanking - Wuhu Highway

Road Signs: Three kinds of road signs have been erected along the Nanking-Wuhu Highway, one for the warning of approching curves, crossings, bridges and other dangers; one for indications of names of towns, mileage, and other general information; and the third for prohibiting passage of traffic, heavy trucks or motor vehicles driven at high speed. All the forms and colors of the road signs were designed according to the standards set by the National Economic Council.

Milestones: From Antehmen to the border of Kiangsu and Anhwei Provinces Concrete milestones are erected by the Department of Reconstruction of Kiangsu Province and from the Kiangsu-Anhwei border to the bus terminal at Wuhu, by the Department of Reconstruction of Anhwei Province. The mileage as shown on milestones is in unit of kilometers.

Motor Bus: From Nanking to Tzehuchen the Department of Reconstruction of Kiangsu has organized a motor bus managing office to take charge of the bus service. The bus runs four times a day, starting simultaneously from two terminals. From Tzehuchen to Wuhu the Anhwei Provincial authorities have entrusted the management and operation of the bus service to a motor bus company. The bus in this section also runs four times a day from each terminal.

Bus Stations and Gasoline Stations: In the Kiangsu section bus stations are established at Hsiakwan and Chunghwamen of Nanking, Antehmen, Sishanchiao, Panchiaochen, Kiangningchen, Mulungting and Tungtsingchen. In the Anhwei Section bus stations are established at Wuhu, Erhshihlipu, Tachiaochen, Sinchiaochen, Tangtuhsien, Tsaishihchen, and Tzehuchen. Along with the bus terminals in Nanking and Wuhu there are gasoline stations for the convenience of motorists.

Police Patrols and Long-Distance Telephone: In order to provide security and convenience for passengers, long-distance

culverts, 38 corrugated iron pipes, and 190 concrete pipes. The section was completed at an estimated cost of \$481,419, of which the National Economic Council has granted a loan of \$154,054 out of its Central Road Fund.

The Chekiang Section: This section has a width of seven metres of roadbed, with 170,000 cubic metres of improved earthwork. It has a surfacing of 3 metres wide composed of 25 kilometres of broken stone pavement and 13 kilometres of gravel pavement. There are 6 wooden bridges with stone abutments, 2 remodelled old bridges, 34 temporary wooden bridges, 7 wooden culverts and 130 pipes. This section was completed at an estimated cost of \$194,083, of which \$62,107 was financed by the National Economic Council by way of a loan from its Central Road Fund.

The total estimated cost for the construction of the two sections is \$675,502, and the total sum appropriated by way of loans by the Council is \$216,161.

of the river, and a pontoon is placed at the end of each embankment. Each of the ferry boats has a loading capacity of more than 5 tons. The total estimated cost for this section is \$432,723, of which the Council has extended a loan of \$138,471. As the bridge at Tangtu is not yet under construction, the sum originally appropriated for this purpose is kept by the Council, and from this sum \$25,000 will be used as a subsidy for the building of the new steel ferry boat at Minghong. The actual loan made by the Council for the construction of this section is \$108,039.

The total estimated cost for the construction of the three sections is \$550,937, of which \$146,068 has been financed by the National Economic Council in the form of loans.

2. The Süancheng-Changhing Highway

In the initial stage of the construction, it was found difficult to standardize the construction because it was undertaken by voluntary labor and by Anhwei and Chekiang Provinces separately. The work was, nevertheless, finally completed with satisfaction after alterations of alignment and improvement. The maximum grade of the road is 6.5% and the minimum radius of curvature, 30 metres. The loading capacity of permanent bridges is ten tons and of temporary bridges, five tons. As to the construction and the cost for the two sections they may be accounted for as follows:

The Anhwei Section: The new road has a width of 7.5 metres of roadbed, with 180,000 cubic metres of improved earthwork and 34,000 cubic metres of rock excavation. The temporary road pavement of the Kwangteh-Kiehpaichen section is three metres wide. The section extending from Süancheng to Kwangteh is not yet paved. There are altogether 36 bridges, all built either of timber floor with stone abutments or of timber, except the reinforced concrete bridge at Shitsiehtu which is not yet constructed because of the need of extensive engineering work. It is for the time being replaced by a bamboo raft. The four old stone bridges have also been utilized. In addition to bridges there are 90 box

III. DESCRIPTION OF THE CONSTRUCTION

1. The Nanking-Wuhu Highway

The road and structures of the different sections in the Nanking-Wuhu Highway were based upon standards set by the two provinces and the Nanking Municipality, and therefore lacked uniformity. But the main parts were not in conflict with the standards specified by the National Economic Council. The maximum grade of the road is 5%, and the minimum radius of curvature, 60 metres. The loading capacity of bridges is ten tons. The following is an account of the construction and the cost for the three sections.

The Nanking Section: This section has a width of 7.5 metres of roadbed with a tanshih pavement of 5.5 metres wide, passing through city outskirts and flat regions, where there was no necessity of constructing new bridges and culverts. The road was completed at a cost of \$15,000, of which a loan of \$5,000 was granted by the National Economic Council.

The Kiangsu Section: This section has a width of 9 metres of roadbed, with approximately 280,000 cubic metres of earthwork and 2,000 cubic metres of rock excavation. The width of pavement is 3 metres. Except six kilometres adjoining Antehman which is paved with gravel, the whole section is of tanshih pavement. There are four wooden bridges and 97 culverts. The estimated cost for the work completed in 1932 is \$103,214, of which a loan of \$33,029 was made by the Council.

The Anhwei Section: This section has a width of 8 metres of roadbed, with approximately 1,500,000 cubic metres of earthwork and a width of three metres of broken stone pavement. There are 12 timber bridges, 90 box culverts and 50 pipe culverts. The bridge at Tachiaochen is built of timber floor with concrete abutments. Two ferry boats are used in the river at Tangtu for transporting automobiles. To reach these ferry boats, a sloping embankment with tanshih pavement was constructed on each bank

The Anhwei Section: Length: 86 kilometres. Route: from Süancheng to Kiehpaichen on the border of Anhwei and Chekiang Provinces. The roadbed in this section was built by voluntary labor in pursuance of an order issued in April, 1932, by the Anhwei provincial authorities. The work was done in such a haste that the width, grades, and curves were not conformed to the standards. In order to correct this unconformity, the Department of Reconstruction of Anhwei Province in July of the same year despatched an engineering staff to make surveys and prepare designs for the improvement of roadbed and building of permanent bridges and culverts. The work was, however, suspended by the death of Mr. Cheng Chen-Chuen, the then Commissioner of the Department of Reconstruction of Anhwei Province, and the shortage of provincial funds available for this purpose. The November following, construction was resumed first in the Kwangteh-Kiehpaichen section and subsequently extended to the Süancheng-Kwangteh section. All works have been completed in the early part of June, 1933, including the improvement of roadbed and construction of bridges and culverts, except the bridge at Shitsiehtu for which a raft is temporarily used. The pavement of the earth road in the Suancheng-Kwangteh section will, however, be postponed to some future time.

The Chekiang Section: Length: 38 kilometres. Route: from Changhing to Kiehpaichen on the border of Anhwei and Chekiang Provinces. The roadbed of this section was built in the spring of 1932 by voluntary labor called for in pursuance of an order of the Chekiang provincial authorities. The temporary bridges and culverts, constructed by the Bureau of Highways of Chekiang Province, and grades and curves were far from being satisfactory because of limited time and insufficient funds at their disposal. In July, an engineering office was established with a view to revising the alignment, improving the roadbed and constructing additional permanent bridges and culverts. This made possible the completion of the earth road in December, 1932, and the road payement in the following June.

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construction of bridges and road surface. With a loan from the National Economic Council in June, the Department of Reconstruction of Kiangsu Province was able to complete the construction of the road in September, 1932.

The Anhwei Section: Length: 54 kilometres. Route: from Wuhu to the border of Kiangsu and Anhwei Provinces. The earth road from Wuhu to Tangtu, 28 kilometres in length, was completed in May, 1930, and was for one time already opened to traffic, but the earth road as well as the bridges and culverts were all wrecked by the unprecedented flood in the summer of 1931. The section from Tangtu to the Kiangsu-Anhwei border, 26 kilometres in length, was built by voluntary labor in May, 1932. The National Economic Council in June of the same year called upon the Department of Reconstruction of Anhwei Province to build the entire Anhwei Section. To comply with this request. the Department organized in August an engineering office to take charge of supervising the construction. By the end of 1932 all repair works on roadbed, bridges and culverts were generally completed. But the broken stone pavement was not finished until May, 1933, because of financial and transportation difficulties. The original intention was to build a bridge over the river at Tangtu in that section, but for reasons of economy and time, two timber ferry boats have been used in its stead and in the fall of this year the present Minghong steel ferry boat of the Shanghai-Hangchow Highway, which is to be replaced by a new one, will be shipped to Tangtu for service.

2. The Süancheng-Changhing Highway

The Süancheng-Changhing Highway is also one of the interprovincial roads of Kiangsu, Chekiang and Anhwei Provinces, planned by the National Economic Council. It is 124 kilometres in length, extending from Süancheng to Changhing by way of Kwangteh and Szean and passing through territories of Anhwei and Kiangsu Provinces. In view of the separate administrations of these two provinces, it was necessary to undertake the construction of the road in two sections.

II. A BRIEF ACCOUNT OF THE PROJECT

1. The Nanking-Wuhu Highway

The Nanking-Wuhu Highway is one of the inter-provincial roads of Kiangsu, Chekiang, and Anhwei Provinces, planned by the National Economic Council. It also constitutes the first section of the Nanking-Kweichow Trunk Line of the Seven-Province Highway System. The road is 92 kilometres in length from Nanking to Wuhu by way of Tsaishih and Tangtu. As the route passes through the Nanking Municipal Area and Kiangsu and Anhwei Provinces, it was necessary to divide the construction of the road into three sections.

The Nanking Section: Length: 2.8 kilometres. Route: from Yuhwa Road outside Chunghwa Gate to Antehmen. This section was originally a tanshih road on the outskirts of the city. As the alignment and road surface were not up to the standard, the rebuilding of the road was considered necessary. A request was therefore filed by the National Economic Council in June, 1932, with the Bureau of Public Works of Nanking which readily responded in the repair of roadbed and the resurfacing of the tanshih pavement, completed by the end of September, 1932.

The Kiangsu Section: Length: 35 kilometres. Route: from Antehmen to Tungtsingchen on the border of Kiangsu and Anhwei Provinces. This section was built in 1928 by the Department of Reconstruction of Kiangsu Province, In order to expedite the work with greater speed, an engineering office for this section was established in May, 1930, but its work was suspended on account of financial difficulties. In addition, the flood catastrophe in the summer of 1931 further wrecked whatever earthwork and culverts already completed by voluntary labor. The Manchurian crisis in the following September made the progress of the work extremely difficult. Funds were, therefore, raised by Kiangsu Province to make possible in March, 1932, the completion of earthwork and culverts, but they were not sufficient for the

Like the other road projects, the National Economic Council has helped in laying out the scheme of these two highways and supervised their construction. Needless to say, the Council has followed its policy of building more roads for general traffic rather than luxurious roads for pleasure-seeking purposes. The two highways now opened to traffic set another example of serviceable and economical roads.

I. INTRODUCTION

The efforts of the road authorities and engineers of the provinces of Kiangsu, Chekiang, and Anhwei are to be appreciated upon the completion of the Nanking-Wuhu and Süancheng-Changhing Highways. It took almost a year to build these two lines (totaling 216 kilometers) and encountered serious difficulties in the course of their construction. The transportation of bridge and road materials has always been the chief problem to be tackled by the engineers. On several occasions, the supply of provincial funds was so intermittent as to cause frequent suspensions of construction. Nevertheless, the engineers kept on working with enthusiasm. Now with the exception of two unusually large bridges being temporarily substituted by ferries, these two highways are opened to traffic.

The collaboration of the road experts of the League of Nations deserves warm commendation. During the course of construction, both Mr. M. S. Okecki and Mr. F. J. M. Bourdrez had taken several tedious and weary trips over these routes, and had contented themselves with whatever means of communication, lodging and boarding that were available en route. During their inspection trips, they gave a lot of valuable advices and encouragement to the engineers.

The completion of these two highways coupled with the existing Nanking-Hangchow and Wuhu-Süancheng Highways makes possible a highway loop of 462 kilometers encircling an area of 10,400 sq. kilometers. The southeastern corner of Anhwei is noted for its richness in mineral and agricultural products, rice and tea being the chief exports of that province. With this loop linked to Hangchow and Nanking, tourists now can go to Anhwei with ease and comfort. In this way, the interior districts are made accessible to tourists of other cities.

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