The North Carolina Licensing Board for Tile Contractors was formed under "An Act to create a State Board of Examiners of Tile Contractors and to License Persons Engaging in the Tile Contracting Business". (Chapter 86, 1937 Session Laws) The board was to consist of five members appointed by the Governor who were to review all applications and number and register as licensed tile contractors all applicants passing the examination and paying their annual license fee. This Board continued in effect until 1957 when it was declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court. (For details of this proceeding, see Frank Roller vs. David Allen, et. al., filed in Box 2.)

The records of this agency consisting of correspondence, minutes and applications for examinations were received from Mr. F. E. Wallace, Jr., Executive Secretary of the N. C. Licensing Board of Tile, Marble and Terrazo Contractors, December 4, 1958. These records have been weeded and arranged chronologically with the correspondence relating to applications for examinations, 1949-1956, having been destroyed. It may be feasible at a later date to further weed the examinations passed. These files appear to be incomplete. No records were received for the period prior to 1949, and the whereabouts of such records is not known to this Department.

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