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APPROVAL—CONTRACT, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS, OHIO, AND JAMES WILLIAM THOMAS, ARCHITECT, CLEVELAND, OHIO, PREPARATION OF PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR REHABILITATION AND FIREPROOFING OF CARNEGIE HALL, ATTACHED ENCUMBRANCE RECORD No. 1, \$2,853.77.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 14, 1938.

HON. CARL G. WAHL, *Director, Department of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my approval a contract by and between the State of Ohio, acting by Carl G. Wahl, Director of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Board of Trustees of Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, and James William Thomas, Architect, Cleveland, Ohio, for the preparation of plans and specifications for the Rehabilitation and Fireproofing of Carnegie Hall. His duty is also to include the superintending of the construction of said improvement and the inspection of said materials going into said improvement previous to their incorporation into the same.

Incorporated into the contract is the approval by the Board of Trustees of Ohio University by its Building Committee. Also attached is Encumbrance Record No. 1 in the amount of \$2,853.77, and the release of the necessary funds by the Controlling Board.

Finding said contract in the proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same herewith to you, together with the above mentioned papers.

Respectfully,

HERLETT S. DUFFY,

Attorney General.