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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND FAIRFIELD ENGINEERING COMPANY OF MARION, OHIO, COVERING CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF CONCRETE FOUNDATION FOR COAL AND ASH HANDLING EQUIPMENT FOR OHIO HOSPITAL FOR EPILEPTICS, GALLIPOLIS, OHIO, AT EXPENDITURE OF \$3,480.00. CONTRACT BOND COVERED BY H. B. WALKER, C. O. BROWN AND E. L. BUSH.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 12, 1926.

HON. JOHN E. HARPER, *Director, Department of Public Welfare, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Public Welfare, and the Fairfield Engineering Company, of Marion, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of concrete foundation for coal and ash handling equipment for the Ohio Hospital for Epileptics, Gallipolis, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of \$3,480.00.

You have submitted the certificate of the Director of Finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated in a sum sufficient to cover the obligations of the contract. There has further been submitted a contract bond upon which H. B. Walker, C. O. Brown and E. L. Bush appear as sureties, sufficient to cover the amount of the contract.

You have further submitted evidence indicating that plans were properly prepared and approved, informal bids were taken and contract entered into as authorized by the board of control, bids tabulated as required by law and the contract duly awarded. Also it appears that the laws relating to the workmen's compensation have been complied with.

Finding said contract and bond in proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same herewith to you, together with all other data submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,
C. C. CRABBE,
Attorney General.

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DISAPPROVAL, BONDS OF ALLEN TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, DARKE COUNTY, \$2,650.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 12, 1926,

Department of Industrial Relations, Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

Re: Bonds of Allen township rural school district, Darke county, \$2,650.00.

GENTLEMEN:—An examination of the transcript submitted for the above issue of bonds discloses that the bonds are issued by authority of a resolution which provides for an issue of bonds to fund an existing indebtedness.

The resolution also provides that the issue is made in compliance with the provisions of House Bill No. 599 passed April 6, 1923, effective July 26, 1923, and then finds that the floating indebtedness on July 1, 1925, is \$2,650.00, and that the bonds