

sponsibility for the care and support of the four children above referred to.

Respectfully,  
HERBERT S. DUFFY,  
*Attorney General.*

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APPROVAL—CONTRACT BY AND BETWEEN THE STATE OF OHIO, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, AND JAMES WILLIAM THOMAS, ARCHITECT, TO PREPARE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR ADDITION TO HOWARD HALL, OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 22, 1937.

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

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my approval six copies of a contract by and between the State of Ohio, Department of Public Works, by Carl G. Wahl, Director, and James William Thomas, Architect, whereby the said James William Thomas is to be the architect to prepare plans and specifications for the proposed addition to Howard Hall, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio.

You have also submitted a certificate of the Bank of Athens, N. B. S., that the Treasurer of Ohio University has deposited \$60,000 in said bank in a special account designated "Ohio University Howard Hall Dormitory."

It is to be noted that on said contract appears the approval by the board having charge of Ohio University.

I am returning herewith the various papers you have submitted with my approval on each copy of the contract, finding said contract in proper legal form.

Respectfully,  
HERBERT S. DUFFY,  
*Attorney General.*