

Works, and Benj. F. Brodt, of Columbus, Ohio. This contract is for two coats of painting on exterior wood and sheet metal work of superintendent's residence, Ohio State Fair Grounds, Columbus, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of one hundred and fifteen dollars (\$115.00).

Accompanying said contract is a bond to insure faithful performance, executed by M. L. Johnson and Sam Berman, of Columbus, Ohio.

I have before me the certificate of the Director of Finance that there is an unencumbered balance legally appropriated sufficient to cover the obligations of this contract.

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

Respectfully,
 JOHN G. PRICE,
Attorney-General.

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APPROVAL, ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION, THE GOLD BOND MUTUAL BENEFIT COMPANY, CINCINNATI, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 8, 1922.

HON. HARVEY C. SMITH, *Secretary of State, Columbus, Ohio.*

The articles of incorporation of The Gold Bond Mutual Benefit Company, Cincinnati, a company which is being organized under section 9445 et seq. of the General Code, are herewith returned to you with my approval endorsed thereon.

Respectfully,
 JOHN G. PRICE,
Attorney-General.

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STATUS OF TITLE, PREMISES SITUATE IN VILLAGE OF WINCHESTER, ADAMS COUNTY, OHIO, INLOTS NUMBERS TWO AND THREE.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 8, 1922.

HON. GEORGE FLORENCE, *Adjutant General, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted two abstracts certified by W. P. Tucker, June 28, 1922, inquiring as to the status of the title of the following described property, which it is understood is being donated to the state for armory purposes:

Situate in the State of Ohio, County of Adams, and village of Winchester, and being inlots numbers two (2) and three (3) in said village, as the same are known and designated on the recorded plat thereof.

It is the opinion of this department that said abstracts disclose a good title to said premises to be in the name of Joseph Hughes, free from encumbrances excepting the taxes for the year 1922, which are undetermined but became a lien on April 10th of the present year.