

You have further submitted evidence indicating that plans and specifications were properly prepared and approved, notice to bidders was properly given, 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,
EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

2457.

APPROVAL, GAME REFUGE LEASE.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 17, 1928.

Department of Agriculture, Division of Fish and Game, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—This will acknowledge your letter of recent date in which you enclose the following Game Refuge Lease, in duplicate, for my approval:

| No. | Lessor. | County. | Township. | Acres. |
|------|----------------------------|------------|------------|--------|
| 1148 | Edward & Lellie Herillat.. | Fulton.... | Pike | 80 |

I have examined said lease, find it correct as to form, and I am therefore returning the same with my approval endorsed thereon.

Respectfully,
EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

2458.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN THE STATE OF OHIO AND PETER CLARK, INC., OF NEW YORK, FOR CONSTRUCTION OF STAGE RIGGING FOR AUDITORIUM, OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$3,775.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE UNITED STATES FIDELITY AND GUARANTY COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO August, 17, 1928.

HON. RICHARD T. WISDA, *Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Public Works, for the Board of Trustees of Ohio University, and Peter Clark, Inc., of New York. This contract covers the construction and completion of Stage Rigging contract for Auditorium, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of three thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$3,775.00).

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