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the name of John C. Wohler, Trustee in Bankruptcy of The United Fisheries Company, Bankrupt.

Respectfully,
Herbert S. Duffy,
Attorney General.

3298.

APPROVAL—CONTRACT AND BOND, STATE OF OHIO, THROUGH DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS, FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES, MIAMI UNIVERSITY, OXFORD, OHIO, WITH NOLTE-TILLAR BROS. CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC., CINCINNATI, OHIO, GENERAL WORK, WEST WING TO CHEMISTRY BUILDING, TOTAL EXPENDITURE, \$42,844.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, November 30, 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 Nolte-Tillar Bros. Construction Company, Inc., of Cincinnati, Ohio, as set forth in Item 1 of them Form of Proposal dated November 2, for the Board of Trustees of Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, for the construction and completion of Contract for General Work for a project known as West Wing to Chemistry Building, Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, as set forth in Item 1 of the Form of Proposal dated November 2, 1938, which contract calls for the total expenditure of forty-two thousand eight hundred and forty-four dollars (\$42,844.00).

You have also submitted the following papers and documents in this connection: Encumbrance record No. 1699, dated November 8, 1938, estimate of cost, division of contract, notice to bidders, proof of publication, workmen's compensation certificate showing the contractor having complied with the laws of Ohio relating to compensation, the form of proposal containing the contract bond signed by the American Bonding Company of Baltimore, its power of attorney for the signer, its financial statement and its certificate of compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to surety companies, the recommendations of the State Architect and Engineer, Board of Trustees and Director of Public Works, Controlling Board release, approval of award by PWA, letter of certification from the Auditor of State showing that the necessary papers and

documents are on file in said office, and the tabulation of bids received on this project.

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 documents submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,
HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.

3299.

APPROVAL—CONTRACT AND BOND, STATE OF OHIO, THROUGH DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS, FOR BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF MIAMI UNIVERSITY, OXFORD, OHIO, WITH DETROIT STOKER COMPANY, DETROIT, MICHIGAN, TWO STOKERS, POWER PLANT IMPROVEMENTS, TOTAL EXPENDITURE, \$18,668.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, November 30, 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 Detroit Stoker Company, Detroit, Michigan, and the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Public Works, for the Board of Trustees of Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, for the construction and completion of Contract for Two Stokers for a project known as Power Plant Improvements, Miami University, Oxford, as set forth in Item 3 of the Form of Proposal dated September 10, 1938, which contract calls for the total expenditure of eighteen thousand six hundred and sixty-eight dollars (\$18,668.00).

You have also submitted the following papers and documents in this connection: Encumbrance record No. 1681, dated October 11, 1938, estimate of cost, division of contract, notice to bidders, proof of publication, workmen's compensation certificate showing the contractor having complied with the laws of Ohio relating to compensation, the form of proposal containing the contract bond signed by the Maryland Casualty Company, its power of attorney for the signer, its financial statement and its certificate of compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to surety companies, the recommendations of the State Architect, Board of Trustees and Director of Public Works, Controlling Board releases, letter of approval by PWA, letter of certification from the Auditor of State showing that the necessary papers and documents are on file in said office, certifi-