

the farm by the minor son he will not be employed by, or in the employment of, the parents.

Respectfully,
 HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.

1738.

APPROVAL—BONDS CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO, \$63,000.00,
 PART OF ISSUE DATED JANUARY 1, 1938.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 10, 1938.

Retirement Board, State Teachers Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.
 GENTLEMEN:

RE: Bonds of Cuyahoga County, Ohio, \$63,000.00.

The above purchase of bonds appears to be part of an issue of bonds of the above county dated January 1, 1938. The transcript relative to this issue was approved by this office in an opinion rendered to your board under date of January 6, 1938, being Opinion No. 1719.

It is accordingly my opinion that these bonds constitute valid and legal obligations of said county.

Respectfully,
 HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.

1739.

APPROVAL—CONTRACT AND BOND, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS FOR DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE WITH THE GINN ELECTRIC COMPANY, CINCINNATI, OHIO, PROJECT, DINING ROOM, KITCHEN, COLD STORAGE PLANT AND EQUIPMENT, OHIO STATE REFORMATORY, MANSFIELD, OHIO, ELECTRIC CONTRACT, TOTAL EXPENDITURE \$3,695.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 11, 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 The Ginn Electric Company, Cincinnati, Ohio, and the State of Ohio, acting by Carl G. Wahl, Director of Public Works for the Department of Public Welfare, for Electric Work for a project known as Dining Room, Kitchen, Cold Storage Plant and Equipment, Ohio State Reformatory, Mansfield, Ohio, as set forth in Item 8, Electric Contract of the Form of Proposal dated November 30, 1937, which contract calls for the total expenditure of three thousand six hundred and ninety-five dollars (\$3,695.00).

You have also submitted the following papers and documents in this connection: Encumbrance estimate No. 23, dated December 13, 1937, the estimate of cost, the division of contract, the notice to bidders, the 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 New Amsterdam 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 and Engineer, Director of Public Welfare and Director of Public Works, 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.