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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND THE HUFFMAN-WOLFE COMPANY OF COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR COMPLETION OF HEATING AND PLUMBING FOR ADDITION TO MEDICAL SCIENCE BUILDING, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, AT COST OF \$39,463.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE FIDELITY AND DEPOSIT COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 21, 1924.

HON. L. A. BOULAY, *Director, Department of Highways and Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Highways and Public Works and The Huffman-Wolfe Company of Columbus, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of heating and plumbing for the addition to the Medical Science Building, Ohio State University and calls for an expenditure of \$39,463.00.

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 the obligations of the contract. There has further been submitted a contract bond upon which the Fidelity and Deposit Company appears as surety, sufficient to cover the amount of the contract.

You have further submitted evidence indicating that plans 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 status of surety companies and 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,

C. C. CRABBE,
Attorney General.

1221.

ELECTIONS—FILING OF EXPENSE STATEMENT—HOW VACANCIES IN OFFICE OF COUNCILMAN ARE FILLED—SECTIONS 5175 AND 5092 CONSTRUED.

SYLLABUS:

A candidate for village council whose name was printed on the ballot, and who served as a judge of election at the same election at which he was such candidate, is ineligible to enter upon the duties of the office of councilman to which he was elected.

A commission or certificate of election shall not issue to any person elected to office until his expense statement is duly filed under the provisions of section 5175-8, G. C. In offices where commissions or certificates of election do not issue, if a person so elected enters upon the discharge of the duties of the office without having filed the expense statement required, he shall not receive any salary or emolument prior to the filing of the same.