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APPROVAL, BONDS OF THE VILLAGE OF PLAIN CITY, MADISON COUNTY, OHIO—\$5,300.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, December 13, 1928.

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

3018.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF McDONALD VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, TRUMBULL COUNTY, OHIO—\$60,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, December 13, 1928.

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

3019.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND THE HOLAK STUDIOS, NEW YORK CITY, FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF CURTAINS FOR ORGAN OPENING FOR AUDITORIUM, OHIO UNIVERSITY, ATHENS, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$3,466.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE ROYAL INDEMNITY COMPANY.

Columbus, Ohio, December 14, 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, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, and The Holak Studios, of New York, N. Y. This contract covers the construction and completion of main curtain and valance and curtains for organ opening, and electric coal grate, equipment—auditorium, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of three thousand four hundred and sixty-six dollars (\$3,466.00).

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. You have also furnished evidence to the effect that the consent and approval of the Controlling Board to the expenditure have been obtained as required by Section 12 of House Bill No. 502 of the 87th General Assembly. In addition you have submitted a contract bond, upon which the Royal Indemnity 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,
EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.