

Still and Warren Hamilton. Unless therefore it can be said that said Forest E. Roberts and his predecessors in the possession of these lands under apparent color of title have so held and possessed the same as to create a title in and to said lands in said Forest E. Roberts, it must be held that said Forest E. Roberts does not now have the legal title to said lands, whatever his equities in the same may be. The corrected abstract submitted to me does not contain any statement of facts with respect to the manner in which said Forest E. Roberts and his predecessors have held and possessed said lands, and in the absence of such statement of facts I have no means of knowing whether said Forest E. Roberts has good legal title to said lands by adverse possession or not.

For the reasons herein stated, I am unable to approve the title of said Forest E. Roberts in and to these lands, or the corrected abstract of title thereof submitted to me.

I am herewith returning said corrected abstract and the corrected deed of said Forest E. Roberts covering the above described lands.

Respectfully,

EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

2151.

APPROVAL, NOTES OF ADELPHI RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, ROSS COUNTY, OHIO—\$15,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 23, 1928.

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

2152.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF THE VILLAGE OF DEER PARK, HAMILTON COUNTY—\$19,219.04.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 23, 1928.

Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

2153.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN THE STATE OF OHIO AND WILLARD HATTON, COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR PAINTING BUILDINGS AT OHIO STATE FAIR GROUNDS, COLUMBUS, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$6,900.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 23, 1928.

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

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my examination and opinion a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Public Works, for the Depart-