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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND THE W. H. SPOHN PLUMBING COMPANY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR CONSTRUCTION OF PLUMBING FOR FARM HOUSE, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$765.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE ROYAL INDEMNITY COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 18, 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 and on behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, and The W. H. Spohn Plumbing Company, of Columbus, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of plumbing contract, Farm House, accepting Alternate No. 7 providing for closet and lavatory on 1st floor, at an additional cost of \$85.00, and calls for an expenditure of seven hundred and sixty-five dollars (\$765.00).

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.

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APPROVAL, LEASES TO MIAMI & ERIE CANAL, OHIO CANAL, HOCKING CANAL, INDIAN LAKE AND PORTAGE LAKE LANDS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 18, 1928.

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

DEAR SIR:—I have your letter of October 15, 1928, in which you enclose the following leases, in triplicate, for my approval:

MIAMI AND ERIE CANAL.

	<i>Valuation.</i>
S. Melvin Augenstein.....Land lease.....	\$100 00
J. M. Gardner.....Land Lease.....	100 00
Henry H. Meyer.....Land Lease.....	100 00
Wm. Osenga.....Land Lease.....	100 00