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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN THE STATE OF OHIO AND GALBREATH & LEONARD, INCORPORATED OF COLUMBUS, OHIO FOR COMPLETION OF GENERAL CONTRACT ON KITCHEN, DINING ROOM AND STOREROOM BUILDING AT OHIO SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' ORPHANS' HOME, XENIA, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$85,400.00. SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE CONSOLIDATED INDEMNITY AND INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 8, 1932.

HON. T. S. BRINDLE, *Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—Your immediate predecessor, Albert T. Connar, submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Public Works, for the Board of Trustees of the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home, Xenia, Ohio, and Galbreath & Leonard, Incorporated, of Columbus, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of General Contract, not including Plumbing, Heating, Electric and Elevator Work on a Kitchen, Dining Room and Storeroom Building at the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home, Xenia, Ohio, according to Item No. 1; Item No. 25 Alternate No. 4; Item No. 26 Alternate No. 5; Item No. 27 Alternate No. 6; Item No. 28 Alternate No. 7; and Item No. 31 Alternate No. 10 of the Form of Proposal dated November 25, 1931. Said contract calls for an expenditure of eighty-five thousand four hundred dollars (\$85,400.00).

There has been 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. Evidence is submitted showing that the Controlling Board and Emergency Board have approved the expenditure, as required by section 8 of House Bill No. 624 of the 89th General Assembly. In addition, there has been submitted a contract bond, upon which the Consolidated Indemnity and Insurance Company of New York, N. Y., appears as surety, sufficient to cover the amount of the contract.

There has further been 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,

GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, NOTES OF SHAKER HEIGHTS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO—\$100,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 8, 1932.

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