of Greenville, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of the remodeling of the state owned armory at Eaton, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of \$14,670.00.

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 United States Fidelity and Guaranty 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, the board of control authorized advertisement for ten days, informal bids were taken and 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.

## 2518.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND THE LONG-ENECKER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, OF GREENVILLE, OHIO, FOR CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF AN ADDITION TO THE STATE OWNED ARMORY AT EATON, OHIO, AT COST OF \$2,-995.00. SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE UNITED STATES FI-DELITY AND GUARANTY COMPANY.

## COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 26, 1925.

HON. FRANK D. HENDERSON, Adjutant General, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the state of Ohio, acting by the adjutant general, and the Longenecker Construction Company, of Greenville, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of an addition to the state owned armory at Eaton, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of \$2,995.00.

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 United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company appears as surety, sufficient to cover the amount of the contract.

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Respectfully, C. C. CRABBE, Attorney General.