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APPROVAL, CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT TO THE ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL CASUALTY COM-PANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 10, 1932.

HON. CLARENCE J. BROWN, Secretary of State, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—I am enclosing Certificate of Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation of The First National Casualty Company with my approval endorsed thereon.

> Respectfully, Gilbert Bettman, Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, ABSTRACT OF TITLE TO LAND OF JOHN L. BUTLER AND AMANDA L. BUTLER, IN HIGHLAND COUNTY, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 12, 1932.

The Ohio State Archaeological and Historical Society, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—You have submitted for my examination and approval an abstract of title, warranty deed, encumbrance estimate No. 4, and approved original voucher relating to the purchase of two tracts of land owned by John L. Butler and Amanda L. Butler, his wife, containing approximately forty-five acres of land, which tracts are more particularly described as follows:

"First tract: Being part of Wallace Surveys Nos. 13217, 1318 and 13238 beginning at a large gum on the south side of the creek; thence S. 70 deg. W. 26 poles to a stone corner to Wm. Countryman; thence down the creek with Countryman N. 56 deg. W. 48 poles to a stone or two sugar trees in Countryman's Mill Road, now gone; thence S. $24\frac{1}{2}$ deg. E. 79 poles to a chestnut oak on the north side of Fort Hill; thence S. $12\frac{1}{2}$ deg. W. $21\frac{1}{2}$ poles to a double sugar tree on the top or trench of Fort Hill; thence meandering the trench S. 42 deg. E. 11 poles to a small black walnut; thence S. 24 deg. W. 15 poles to a chestnut; thence S. $\frac{1}{2}$ deg. W. 12 poles to a hickory; thence S. $17\frac{1}{2}$ deg. E. 23 poles to a small gum in the line of Reynolds; thence with his line N. 45 deg. E. 60 poles to a chestnut, hickory and maple corner to Survey No. 1619; thence N. 19 poles to a hickory in the line of Henry Fields Survey No. 5929; thence N. $58\frac{1}{2}$ deg. W. 18 poles to the beginning, containing 37 acres of land, more or less.

Second Tract: Beginning at a point in an old survey line near a gum (gone); thence with said line S. 72 deg. W. 6 rods to a stone corner to the old W. Countryman farm; thence with said Countryman's line, N. 2 deg. W. 5 rods to a stake at north edge of Brush Creek;

Said above second tract being part of a 42 acre tract of land conveyed to John L. Butler by Richard H. Butler by deed recorded in Vol. 78 page 178, Deed Records, Highland County, Ohio."

Upon examination of the abstract of title to the land I find that John L. Butler and Amanda L. Butler, his wife, have a good and indefeasible fee simple title to such property, free and clear of all encumbrances thereon except taxes and assessments for the year 1932.

An examination of the warranty deed tendered by John L. Butler and Amanda L. Butler, his wife, shows that the same has been properly executed and acknowledged by himself and wife and that such deed is in form sufficient to convey to the Ohio State Archaeological and Historical Society a fee simple title to the above tracts of land, free and clear of all encumbrances whatsoever.

Upon examination of encumbrance estimate No. 4, I find that the same has been properly executed and that there is a sufficient balance in the proper appropriation account to pay the purchase price of this property.

I am herewith returning to you with my approval, such abstract of title, encumbrance estimate No. 4, copy of the approved original voucher for the payment of such property, and all other files relative to the purchase of the above described property.

> Respectfully, Gilbert Bettman, Attorney General.

4605.

APPROVAL, ABSTRACT OF TITLE TO TWO TRACTS OF LAND OF AMANDA L. BUTLER AND JOHN L. BUTLER.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 12, 1932.

The Ohio State Archaeological and Historical Society, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—You have submitted for my examination and approval an abstract of title, warranty deed, encumbrance estimate No. 3 and approved original voucher, relating to the purchase of two tracts of land owned by Amanda L. Butler and John L. Butler, her husband, containing approximately 111 acres of land, which tracts are more particularly described as follows:

"First Tract: Beginning at a stone in the county road corner to I. W. Stultz; thence N. 32 deg. W. 32 poles to a stone; thence S. 46