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APPROVAL, NOTES OF TWIN TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, DARKE COUNTY, OHIO—\$700.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 13, 1932.

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

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APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND GEORGE R. LEE, OF MILAN, OHIO, FOR CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF 500 PENS AT OHIO STATE RACCOON FARM, MILAN TOWNSHIP, ERIE COUNTY, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$4,494.50—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY CHLOE M. TUCKER AND MAY B. HOFFMAN.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 13, 1932:

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

Dear Sir:—You have submitted for my examination and approval, a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by and through the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Division of Conservation, Department of Agriculture, and George R. Lee, of Milan, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of contract for five hundred (500) Raccoon Pens, at the Ohio State Raccoon Farm, Milan Township, Eric County, Ohio, in accordance with the form of proposal of May 2, 1932. Said contract calls for an expenditure of Seven thousand, four hundred and ninety-four dollars and fifty cents (\$7,494.50).

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 shown that the Controlling Board has approved the expenditure in accordance with the provisions of Section 1, of House Bill 624, of the 89th General Assembly. In addition, you have submitted a contract bond upon which Chloe M. Tucker and May B. Hoffman appear as sureties, sufficient in amount to cover the contract price.

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 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.