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Robert J. Markarius of Dayton, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of Plumbing Contract, not including General, 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. 2 of the Form of Proposal dated November 24, 1931. Said contract calls for an expenditure of six thousand and sixty dollars (\$6,060.00).

There has also 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. There has also been furnished evidence to the effect that the Controlling Board and Emergency Board have released funds for this contract in accordance with Section 8 of House Bill No. 624 of the 89th General Assembly. In addition you have submitted a contract bond upon which the Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland 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.

3928.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN THE STATE OF OHIO AND THE E. M. CARMELL COMPANY OF COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR HEATING FOR KITCHEN, DINING ROOM AND STOREROOM BUILDING AT OHIO SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' ORPHANS' HOME, XENIA, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$6,152.00. SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE SEABOARD SURETY COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

Columbus, Ohio, January 8, 1932.

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

Dear Sir:—There has been submitted by your immediate predecessor, Albert F. Connar, 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, and the E. M. Carmell Company of Columbus, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of Heating Contract, not including General, Plumbing, 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. 3 of the Form of Proposal dated November 25, 1931. Said contract calls for an expenditure of six thousand one hundred and fifty-two dollars (\$6,152.00).

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 presented to show that the Controlling and Emergency Boards have released funds for this project, 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 Seaboard Surety Company of New York 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.

3929.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN THE STATE OF OHIO AND O. G. ROBERTS AND O. E. DAVIES, RECEIVERS FOR THE OHIO ELE-VATOR AND MACHINE COMPANY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR ELE-VATOR FOR KITCHEN, DINING ROOM AND STOREROOM BUILDING AT OHIO SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' ORPHANS' HOME, XENA, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$1,895.00. SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY THE GREAT AMERICAN INDEMNITY COMPANY OF NEW YORK.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, January 8, 1932.

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

Dear Sir:—There has been submitted by your immediate predecessor, Albert T. Connar, 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 O. G. Roberts and O. E. Davies, Receivers for the Ohio Elevator and Machine Company, Columbus, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of Elevator Contract, not including General, Plumbing, Heating and Electric Work on a Kitchen, Dining Room and Storeroom Building at the Ohio Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home, Xenia, Ohio, in accordance with Item No. 5 of the Form of Proposal dated November 25, 1931. Said contract calls for an expenditure of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five dollars (\$1,895.00).

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 presented to show that the Controlling Board and Emergency Board have released funds for this project, in accordance with section 8 of House Bill No. 624 of the 89th General Assembly. In addition you have submitted a contract bond upon which the Great American