Receiving No. 51952

THE WESTERN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY Fort Scott, Kansas A Stock Insurance Company

No. 183783

Know All Men by these Presents, That we J. I. Rice of Lawrence in the State of Kansas as Principal, and THE WESTERN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY, of Fort Scott, Kansas, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Kansas, as surety, are held and firmly bound unto State of Kansas, as obligee, in the full and just sum of - TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED AND NO/100 - -(\$2,500.00) Dollars, lawful money of the United States, for the payment of which well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents:

SIGNED AND SEALED this 10th day of December A. D. 1952.

WHEREAS, the said Principal has been duly elected or appointed County Engineer of Douglas County for the term beginning January 12, 1953 and ending January 10, 1955.

NOW THEREFORE, the condition of the above obligation is such, that if the above Principal shall well and faithfully perform all the duties of his said office as required by law, then this obligation to be null and void; otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue.

This bond is given and received under the following express conditions:

The term of this bond shall be from the 12th day of January, 1953, to the 10th day of January, 1955.

That if the Surety shall so elect, it may give notice in writing to obligee terminating its liability under this bond for any default of the Principal occurring after the expiration of thirty (30) days from the date of such notice, and this bond shall be deemed cancelled at the expiration of thirty (30) days after such notice has been given.

That the Surety hereunder shall not be liable for any loss which may be sustained through the failure of any bank or banks or other depository to pay or deliver over any moneys and securities deposited with it by the said Principal which may come into his hands by virtue of his said office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the said principal has hereunto set his hand and seal, and the said THE WESTERN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its duly authorized officers and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, the day and year first above written.

J. I. Rice Principal

(Corporation Seal)

THE WESTERN CASUALTY AND SURETY COMPANY, By Earl K. Speers
Earl K. Speers - Attorney-in-fact

Countersigned: By: Andy C. Hess Kansas Agent

APPROVED
JAN 14 1953
By County Commissioners
of Douglas County, Kans.

Recorded April 14, 1954 at 9:35 A. M.

Took Beck Register of Deeds

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