OPINIONS

Bridge and Iron Works of Cleveland, Ohio, and Chicago, Illinois. This contract covers the construction and completion of one Water Tower complete with Concrete Piers for Massillon State Hospital, Massillon, Ohio, in accordance with the form of proposal, and calls for an expenditure of eight thousand three hundred and forty dollars (\$8,340.00).

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. You have also submitted a certificate from the Emergency Board showing that said board's consent has been obtained to the expenditure in accordance with section 8 of House Bill 624 of the 89th General Assembly. In addition, you have submitted a contract bond upon which the United States Guarantee 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, 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. A certificate of the Secretary of State shows that he has been designated as the agent of the contracting foreign co-partnership, for the purpose of accepting service of summons in any action brought under the provisions of the workmen's compensation law, as required by section 2319, General Code.

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.

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APPROVAL, BONDS OF CITY OF MARION, MARION COUNTY, OHIO-\$23,700.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, December 2, 1931.

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

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EXTRADITION—PERSON ON PROBATION IN THIS STATE CANNOT BE EXTRADITED TILL EXPIRATION OF PROBATIONARY PERIOD.

SYLLABUS:

A person on probation, as provided by section 13452-1, General Code, can not be extradited until after the expiration of the probationary period.

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