

It is accordingly my opinion that these bonds constitute valid and legal obligations of said city.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General.

1196.

CONTRACT—STATE WITH CITY OF WOOSTER, HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT, DESIGNATED PORTION, WOOSTER-AVON LAKE ROAD, STATE HIGHWAY 853.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 15, 1939.

HON. ROBERT S. BEIGHTLER, *Director of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: You have submitted a co-operative contract between the Director of Highways and the city of Wooster covering the following improvement on State Highway No. 853.

Being all of that portion of the Wooster-Avon Lake Road, State Highway No. 853, extended over and along Quinby Avenue in the City of Wooster, Ohio from Bowman Street northeast to Wayne Avenue, in all a distance of approximately 3,362 lineal feet.

Finding said contract correct as to form and legality, I have accordingly endorsed my approval thereon and am returning the same herewith.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General.

1197.

CONTRACT—STATE WITH WABASH RAILWAY COMPANY AND NORMAN B. PITCAIRN AND FRANK C. NICODEMUS, JR., RECEIVERS, PROTECTION GRADE CROSSING OVER TRACKS OF WABASH RAILWAY COMPANY, STATE HIGHWAY NO. 594, PROXIMITY ELMIRA, FULTON COUNTY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 15, 1939.

HON. ROBERT S. BEIGHTLER, *Director of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: You have submitted proposed agreement by and between the Director of Highways, and the Wabash Railway Company and Nor-

man B. Pitcairn and Frank C. Nicodemus, Jr., Receivers thereof, covering the matter of the protection of the grade crossing over the tracks of the Wabash Railway Company on State Highway No. 594, about one mile east of Elmira in Fulton County, Ohio.

Finding said proposed agreement proper as to form and legality, the same is hereby accordingly approved and returned herewith.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General.

1198.

BONDS—CITY OF AKRON, SUMMIT COUNTY, \$15,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 15, 1939.

Retirement Board, Public Employes Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:

RE: Bonds of the City of Akron, Summit County,
Ohio, \$15,000.

The above purchase of bonds appears to be part of a \$1,200,000 issue of a \$3,000,000 authorization of main trunk sewer bonds of the above city dated February 1, 1923. The transcript relative to this issue was approved by this office in an opinion rendered to the State Teachers Retirement Board under date of September 12, 1938, being Opinion No. 2950.

It is accordingly my opinion that these bonds constitute valid and legal obligations of said city.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General.