It will be noted, however, that the Attorney General in said opinion reached a different conclusion as to a sanitary policeman. However, without discussing the exception that was made it is my opinion that by analogy the holding in reference to the health officer would be applicable to a superintendent of parks. It will be obvious that the duty of controlling, managing and supervising parks rests upon the park commissioners. A superintendent evidently would assist the board in performance of its duties.

Therefore, in specific answer to your inquiry you are advised that the position of superintendent of parks may be exempted from the classified service on the grounds that such an employe is an assistant within the meaning of sub-section 8 of section 486-8 of the General Code.

Respectfully,
C. C. CRABBE,
Attorney General.

1302.

APPROVAL, LEASE, MIAMI AND ERIE CANAL LANDS, PIQUA, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 24, 1924.

Department of Highways and Public Works, Dwision of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—I have your letter of March 7, 1924, in which you enclosed, among others, the following lease, in triplicate, for my approval:

MIAMI AND ERIE CANAL LANDS

Valuation

To J. O. and Mary B. Bobb, site for Gasoline Filling Station, Piqua, Ohio \$8,333 33

I have carefully examined said lease, find it correct in form and legal, and am therefore returning the same with my approval endorsed thereon.

Respectfully,

C. C. CRABBE,
Attorney General.

1303.

APPROVAL, FORM OF LEASE, WHICH IS TO GRANT ON BEHALF OF THE STATE THE USE OF CERTAIN LANDS THEREIN DESCRIBED TO THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SITUATED IN OTTAWA COUNTY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 26, 1924.

HON. FRANK D. HENDERSON, Adjutant General of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a form of lease, the purpose of which is to grant on behalf of the state the use of certain lands therein described