

canal land lease in triplicate, by which you as superintendent of public works and as director of said department have leased and demised to the division of conservation of the department of agriculture of the state of Ohio a certain parcel of abandoned Ohio Canal property in Walnut Township, Fairfield County, Ohio, for the purpose of being used by the division of conservation as a fish hatchery, and for the erection thereon of such buildings as may be necessary in connection with such fish hatchery.

The lease here in question, which is one for a stated term of fifteen years and for an annual rental of thirty dollars, has been properly executed and its provisions are in accordance with Sections 13965, et seq., and with the terms of the act providing for the abandonment of said Ohio Canal in said township and county.

Said lease is accordingly hereby approved by me as to legality and form, and my approval is endorsed upon said lease and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith returned.

Respectfully,

GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, LEASE FOR RIGHT TO USE FOR AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES, MIAMI AND ERIE CANAL LAND IN WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, SHELBY COUNTY, OHIO—MARGARET WEIMERT.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 18, 1931.

HON. A. T. CONNAR, *Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my examination and approval a certain canal land lease in triplicate executed by you as superintendent of public works and as director of said department, to one Margaret Weimert of Houston, Ohio. By this lease there is leased and granted to said Margaret Weimert for a term of fifteen years the right to use and occupy for agricultural purposes a portion of the abandoned Miami and Erie Canal property located in Washington Township, Shelby County, Ohio, and being in the east half of the southwest quarter of section 2, township 9 east, range 5 east, and in the west half of the southeast quarter of said section 2. Said property is more particularly described by metes and bounds in said lease.

Upon examination of said lease, which is one calling for an annual rental of nine dollars, I find that the same has been properly executed and that the provisions of said lease are in conformity with the pertinent provisions of House Bill No. 162, passed by the 86th General Assembly, 111 O. L. 208, under the authority of which said lease is executed.

Said lease is accordingly approved by me as to legality and form, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed upon said lease and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith returned.

Respectfully,

GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.