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APPROVAL, LEASE TO TRACT OF LAND KNOWN AS WELLSTON LAKE ALMA, IN JACKSON AND VINTON COUNTIES, FOR USE AS A PUBLIC STATE PARK.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, December 30, 1931.

HON. WILLIAM H. REINHART, *Commissioner of Conservation, Department of Agriculture, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my examination and approval an instrument, executed in triplicate, whereby the city of Wellston, Ohio, for a period of ninety-nine years, renewable forever, leases to the state of Ohio a two hundred and thirty-one acre tract of land in Jackson and Vinton Counties, state of Ohio, known as Wellston Lake Alma, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining thereon a public state park.

After examination of the lease and the documents which show the manner in which it was executed, I am of the opinion that the city of Wellston had the power and took the proper steps to make this lease under sections 3698 and 3699, General Code; that the conservation council, under section 472, General Code, had the power and took the proper steps to lease this land for a public state park; and that the instrument is executed in proper legal form. In accordance with section 472, General Code, I have therefore attached my signature to this lease as signification of my approval of its legality.

Respectfully,

GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

3903.

TAX LEVY—ALL PUBLIC LIBRARIES UNDER AMENDED SENATE BILL NO. 323 RECEIVE AN AMOUNT EQUIVALENT TO THE TAX LEVIED FOR SUCH PURPOSES IN YEAR 1930.

SYLLABUS:

By virtue of the provisions appearing in Section 6 of Am. S. B. 323: "To each board of public library trustees the amount of taxes levied for library purposes in the year 1930", each public library whether a municipal public library, a county public library, a township public library, a county library, a district public library or a school district public library is to receive from the distribution of taxes levied by Am. S. B. 323 an amount equivalent to the tax levied for such purpose for the tax year 1930.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, December 30, 1931.

Bureau of Inspection and Supervision of Public Offices, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—Your recent request reads as follows:

"You are respectfully requested to furnish this department your written opinion upon the following:

Paragraph 4 of Section 6 of Senate Bill No. 323, passed at the