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DISAPPROVAL, BONDS OF VILLAGE OF LODI, \$9,000, FOR WATER-
WORKS PURPOSES.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 23, 1922.

Department of Industrial Relations, Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

Re: Bonds of the village of Lodi, in the amount of \$9,000, for water-works purposes.

GENTLEMEN:—I have examined the transcript for the above bond issue and decline to approve the validity of said bonds for the following reasons:

(1) The transcript fails to show that the fiscal officer of the village filed his certificate with council showing the estimated life of the improvement and the maximum maturity of the bonds.

(2) The first bond of the series matures April 1, 1925. This is in violation of section 14 of the Griswold act, which provides that the first bond shall mature not earlier than the final tax settlement with the county treasurer next following the inclusion of a tax for the bonds and not later than eleven months thereafter.

(3) The bond resolution provides that the bonds mature each six months, or in semi-annual periods. It is the opinion of this department that under the provisions of section 14 of the Griswold act bonds must be payable in annual installments.

(4) The transcript fails to show that a copy of the bond resolution has been certified to the county auditor as required by section 15 of the Griswold act.

For the reasons stated I advise the Industrial Commission not to purchase said bond issue.

Respectfully,
JOHN G. PRICE,
Attorney-General.

3263.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF VILLAGE OF MAPLE HEIGHTS, CUYAHOGA
COUNTY, \$2,185.65, FOR CONSTRUCTION OF WATER MAINS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 23, 1922.

Department of Industrial Relations, Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

3264.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF GOSHEN TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DIS-
TRICT, BELMONT COUNTY, \$10,000, TO PURCHASE SITE AND ERECT
SCHOOL BUILDING.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 23, 1922.

Department of Industrial Relations, Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

Re: Bonds of Goshen township rural school district, Belmont county, \$10,000, to purchase a site and erect and furnish a school building, one bond payable in five installments of \$2,000 each—6%.

GENTLEMEN:—I have examined the transcript of the proceedings of the board of education and other officers of Goshen township rural school district, relative to the above bond issue, and find the same regular and in conformity with the provisions of the General Code.

I am of the opinion that a bond for said issue with combined principal and interest coupons attached, drawn in accordance with the bond resolution authorizing the same and in compliance with the resolution of the Industrial Commission adopted under authority of section 1465-58a G. C. will, upon delivery, constitute a valid and binding obligation of said school district.

Since the adoption of the resolution of purchase of said bonds by the Industrial Commission, the resolution authorizing the issuance of said bonds has been amended so that said bonds are now of the date, denomination and maturity as follows:

Dated June 1, 1922, denomination \$2,000 each, due one bond on September 15th of each of the years 1923 to 1927, both inclusive. I suggest that the resolution of purchase be amended to comply with the bonds as now authorized.

Respectfully,

JOHN G. PRICE,
Attorney-General.

3265.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT OF STATE OF OHIO WITH WESPISER LUMBER COMPANY OF OXFORD, OHIO, FOR CUTTING WINDOWS, FINISHING SILLS, ETC., IN WILLIAM MCGUFFEY SCHOOL AT MIAMI UNIVERSITY, OXFORD, OHIO, AT A COST OF \$360—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY FRANK HALTER OF OXFORD, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 24, 1922.

HON. LEON C. HERRICK, *Director, Department of Highways and Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted to me for approval a contract (four copies) between The State of Ohio, acting by The Department of Highways and Public Works, and Wespiser Lumber Company, of Oxford, Ohio. This contract is for the cutting of six openings in stone wall of the basement of the south pavilion of William McGuffey school same as those cut in before on same wall; do all cutting; finish six window frames and sash, and six cement sills, at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of three hundred sixty dollars (\$360.00).

Accompanying said contract is a bond to insure faithful performance, executed by Frank Halter, of Oxford, Ohio.

I have before me the certificate of the Director of Finance that there is an unencumbered balance legally appropriated sufficient to cover the obligations of this contract.