

pipe, and to thereby take from the canal at this point, for a term of fifteen years. water not exceeding in amount eight hundred million gallons annually.

As consideration for said lease and the water to be taken by said lessee under its provisions, it is provided that the lessee shall pay to the state of Ohio the sum of \$2880.00 annually, payable in semi-annual installments of \$1440.00 each, in advance, on the first day of May and November in each and every year during the term of said lease. Assuming that the lessee takes from said canal annually the maximum amount of water provided for in the lease, the rental to be paid will be at the rate of 3.6 mills per thousand gallons for the water taken. Touching this question it is noted that under the provisions of the lease at least 85% of the water to be taken by the lessee from said canal is required to be returned to the canal at such temperature that will not materially affect the temperature of Summit Lake.

Upon examination of said lease, I find that the same has been properly executed by you in your official capacity as superintendent of public works and as director of said department, on behalf of the state of Ohio, and by The Colonial Salt Company, the named lessee, acting by the hand of its president under the authority of a resolution of the board of directors of said company.

I likewise find that the terms and provisions of the lease here in question and the conditions and restrictions therein contained are in conformity with sections 431 and 14009 of the General Code.

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

Respectfully,

GILBERT BETTMAN,

*Attorney General.*

3379.

APPROVAL, LEASE FOR RIGHT TO INSERT PIPE INTO THE OHIO  
CANAL FOR IRRIGATION PURPOSES—C. H. FOOTE.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 30, 1931.

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

DEAR SIR:—You lately submitted to me for my examination and approval a certain pipe lease, so-called, executed by you as superintendent of public works and as director of said department, by which lease there is granted to one C. H. Foote, of Brooklyn Station, Ohio, the right, for a term of five years, to insert into the level of the Ohio Canal next above Lock No. 41, a one inch pipe, and to thereby take from the canal at this point water for purposes of irrigation during the months of May, June, July, September and October of each year during the term of the lease.

The lease above referred to, which is one calling for an annual rental of \$15.00, payable, in advance, in semi-annual installments on the first days of May and November of each year, has been properly executed by you in your official capacity and by the lessee above named.

Said lease, as to its terms and provisions, is in conformity with the provisions of sections 431 and 14009, General Code.

Said lease is accordingly approved by me as to legality and form as is evi-

denced 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.*

3380.

APPROVAL, FIVE CANAL LAND LEASES IN LICKING COUNTY, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 30, 1931.

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

DEAR SIR:—You lately submitted for my examination and approval five certain canal land leases in triplicate, executed by you as superintendent of public works and director of said department, by which there are leased and demised to the respective lessees therein named certain parcels of Ohio canal lands, which parcels of land are more particularly described by metes and bounds in said several leases.

The leases here in question are each for a term of fifteen years and each call for an annual rental of six per cent upon the valuation of the parcel of land covering lease. Said leases designated with respect to the names of the respective lessees therein, the location of the parcel of land leased, and the valuation thereof are as follows:

LESSEE	LOCATION	VALUATION
James Comstock,	Kirkersville,	Licking County \$100.00
E. J. Fisher,	Kirkersville,	Licking County, 100.00
Henry Geiger,	Kirkersville,	Licking County, 100.00
John Wharton,	Harrison Township,	Licking County, 100.00
Milton Wharton,	Kirkersville,	Licking County, 100.00

Upon examination of the leases above referred to, each of which calls for an annual rental of six per centum upon appraised valuation of the particular parcel of land leased, I find that the same have been properly executed by you in your official capacity as superintendent of public works and as director of said department and by the respective lessees therein named; and said leases as to the terms and provisions are in conformity with the provisions of Sections 13965, et seq., General Code, and with other statutory enactments relating to the execution of leases of this kind.

I am accordingly approving said leases as to the legality and form; and my approval is endorsed upon each of said leases and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith enclosed.

Respectfully,

GILBERT BETTMAN,

*Attorney General.*

3381.

APPROVAL, LEASE TO RESERVOIR LAND AT TURKEY FOOT LAKE, FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP, SUMMIT COUNTY, OHIO—CARRIE B. HOGE.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 30, 1931.

HON. I. S. GUTHERY, *Director, Department of Agriculture, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—There has lately been submitted for my examination and approval