there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated in a sum sufficient to cover the obligations of the contract. You have also furnished evidence to the effect that the consent of the Controlling Board to the expenditure has been obtained as required by law. In addition, you have submitted a contract bond upon which the Southern Surety Company appears as surety, sufficient to cover the amount of the contract.

You have further submitted evidence indicating that plans were properly prepared and approved, notice to bidders was properly given, bids tabulated as required by law and the contract duly awarded. Also it appears that the laws relating to the status of surety companies and the workmen's compensation have been complied with.

Finding said contract and bond in proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same herewith to you, together with all other data submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,
GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

2383.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF VILLAGE OF NEW BOSTON, SCIOTO COUNTY, OHIO—\$15,000.00.

Columbus, Ohio, September 27, 1930.

Retirement Board, State Teachers Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.

2384.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF VILLAGE OF NEW BOSTON, SCIOTO COUNTY, OHIO—\$30,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 27, 1930.

Retirement Board, State Teachers Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.