It is accordingly my opinion that these bonds constitute valid and legal obligations of said city.

Respectfully,
THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General

914.

LEASE—OFFICE SPACE (BUILDING) STATE WITH E. G. BUCHSIEB, FOUR STORY BUILDING, 536 PARK STREET SOUTH, COLUMBUS, USE, STATE BINDERY, EQUIPMENT STORAGE.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 21, 1939.

HON. CARL G. WAHL, Director, Department of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

Dear Sir: You have submitted for my examinationan approval a certain lease executed by E. G. Buchsieb, of Columbus, Ohio, in and by which there are leased and demised to the State of Ohio, acting through you as Director of the Department of Public Works, certain premises for the use of the State Bindery and for storage of bindery equipment.

By the lease, which is one for a term of five years, commencing on the first day of July, 1939, and ending on the 30th day of June, 1944, and which provides for the rental during said term of \$26,250.00 payable in monthly installments of \$437.50, there are leased and demised for the use of the State of Ohio in connection with the State Bindery the following described premises, situated in the City of Columbus, County of Franklin and State of Ohio:

"Being the four story building known as No. 536 Park Street South, formerly used by the State of Ohio for purposes of the State Bindery."

and which said Park Street is now known as Front Street.

This lease has been properly executed by the hand of the lessor, E. G. Buchsieb. I likewise find that this lease and the provisions thereof are in proper form.

The lease is accompanied by contract encumbrance records Nos. 2 and 7, which have been duly executed and which shows that there are unencumbered balances in the appropriation account sufficient in amount to pay the monthly rental under the lease for July, August and September,

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1939. This is a sufficient compliance with the provisions of Section 2288-2, General Code. This lease is accordingly approved by me and the same is herewith returned to you.

Respectfully,
THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General.

915.

CONTRACT—STATE WITH THE BALTIMORE AND OHIO RAILROAD COMPANY, SEPARATION OF GRADES OVER TRACKS, STATE HIGHWAY No. 220, ABOUT ONE MILE EAST OF NORTH BALTIMORE, WOOD COUNTY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 21, 1939.

HON. ROBERT S. BEIGHTLER, Director of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my consideration a form of agreement by and between yourself, as Director of Highways, and The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, covering the separation of grades over the tracks of the said railroad company on State Highway No. 220, about one mile east of North Baltimore, Wood County, Ohio.

After an examination, it is my opinion that the said proposed agreement is in proper legal form and when properly executed by the Director of Highways, will constitute a binding contract.

Said instrument is being returned herewith.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,

Attorney General.

916.

BONDS—CITY OF SHAKER HEIGHTS, CUYAHOGA COUNTY, \$15,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 21, 1939.

The Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:

RE: Bonds of the City of Shaker Heights, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, \$15,000.

The above purchase of bonds appears to be part of one or two issues of refunding bonds in the amounts of \$300,000, series J, and \$578,852.50,