211.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF BLUFFTON-RICHLAND VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, ALLEN COUNTY, OHIO—\$45,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 15, 1933.

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

212.

APPROVAL, LEASE TO OFFICE ROOMS IN CINCINNATI, OHIO, FOR USE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS.

Columbus, Ohio, March 15, 1933.

HON. T. S. BRINDLE, Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—This is to acknowledge receipt of your communication, enclosing for my approval a certain lease, whereby the Commercial Arts Building, as lessor, leases and demises unto you, as Superintendent of Public Works, and as director of said department, for the use of the Department of Industrial Relations of the state of Ohio, the entire third floor of the Commercial Arts Building, located at 704 Race Street, Cincinnati, Ohio. Said lease is for the period from January 1, 1933, to December 31, 1934, at a monthly rental of two hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$225.00).

Upon examination, I find the lease to be in proper form.

The encumbrance estimate shows that the director of finance has certified that funds are available to pay one month's rental, which is believed to be a sufficient compliance with the provisions of section 2288-2, General Code.

Finding said lease in proper legal form, I hereby approve it, as to form, and am returning it to you herewith, with all other data submitted.

Respectfully,

JOHN W. BRICKER,
Attorney General.

213.

APPROVAL, BOND FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF HIS DUTIES AS ASSISTANT SECRETARY, DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS—FRANK M. WEST.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 16, 1933.

HON. O. W. MERRELL, Director of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted a bond in the penal sum of \$2,000, with surety as indicated, to cover the faithful performance of the duties of the official as hereinafter listed:

Frank M. West, Assistant Secretary, Department of Highways,—New York Casualty Company

The above mentioned bond is undoubtedly executed pursuant to the provisions of sections 1182-2 and 1182-3, General Code. Such sections provide in part:

1182-2.

"The director may appoint additional clerks and stenographers, and such other engineers, inspectors and other employes within the limits of the appropriation as he may deem necessary to fully carry out the provisions of this act; * * *."

1182-3.

"Each employe or appointee under the provisions of this act in cases other than where the amount of the bond is herein fixed, may be required to give bond in such sum as the director may determine. All bonds hereinbefore provided for shall be conditioned upon the faithful discharge of the duties of their respective positions, and such bonds * * * shall be approved as to the sufficiency of the sureties by the director, and as to legality and form by the attorney general, and be deposited with the secretary of state. * * *."

Finding said bond to be in proper legal form, in accordance with the above quoted statutory provisions, I hereby approve same, and am returning it to you herewith.

Respectfully,

JOHN W. BRICKER,

Attorney General.

214.

CORONER—ENTITLED TO STATUTORY FEES FOR PERFORMING DUTIES UNDER SECTION 213, GENERAL CODE.

SYLLABUS:

A coroner is entitled to the fees specified in section 2866 of the General Code for the performance of duties required of him under section 213, Gneral Code.

Columbus, Ohio, March 16, 1933.

HON. RAY B. WATTERS, Prosecuting Attorney, Akron, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—I have your letter of recent date which reads as follows:

"We have been requested to secure an opinion from your office as to whether or not under the duties required of the Coroner, under Section 213 of the General Code, he is entitled to fees for making the reports therein set forth."

Section 204 of the General Code requires that a burial or removal permit shall be issued by the local registrar of vital statistics before any body can be interred, disposed of or removed, and further provides that no such permission shall be issued until a certificate of death has been filed.