

missioners and at the same time file written recommendations as to what machinery, tools, etc., should be purchased for the use of the county during the ensuing year, and that the county commissioners may also at their discretion, purchase, hire or lease automobiles, motorcycles or other conveyances, and maintain the same for the use of the county surveyor and his assistants.

Without citing additional sections of the General Code with reference to the duties of the county commissioners and county surveyors, it is sufficient to say that there are many more statutory provisions setting forth the duties of the incumbents of these offices, which in my opinion are inconsistent and conflicting, and thus render the offices incompatible to such an extent that they cannot be simultaneously held by the same person.

Respectfully,
EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

71.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF VILLAGE OF BURTON, GEAUGA COUNTY,
\$35,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 11, 1927.

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

72.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO, THROUGH DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS AND PUBLIC WORKS, WITH BOARD OF TRUSTEES, KENT STATE NORMAL SCHOOL AND THE WOODS CONSTRUCTION AND SUPPLY COMPANY, OXFORD, OHIO, FOR LIBRARY BUILDING, EXCLUSIVE OF VENTILATING, PLUMBING AND ELECTRICAL WORK, AT A COST OF TWO HUNDRED EIGHT THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED AND NINETY-SIX DOLLARS—UNITED STATES FIDELITY AND GUARANTY COMPANY, SURETY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 11, 1927.

HON. G. F. SCHLESINGER, *Director of Highways and Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Highways and Public Works, for and on behalf of the Board of Trustees of Kent State Normal School, and The Woods Construction and Supply Company, of Oxford, Ohio. This contract covers the general contract for library building, exclusive of ventilating, plumbing and electrical work, Kent State Normal School, Kent, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of two hundred eight thousand two hundred and ninety-six dollars (\$208,296.00).

You have submitted the certificate of the director of finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated in a sum sufficient to cover the obligations of the contract. There has further been submitted a contract bond upon which the United States Fidelity and Guaranty 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,
EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

73.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO, THROUGH DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS AND PUBLIC WORKS, WITH BOARD OF TRUSTEES, KENT STATE NORMAL SCHOOL, AND THE CARLE ELECTRIC CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, AKRON, OHIO, FOR CONSTRUCTION AND COMPLETION OF ELECTRICAL CONTRACT FOR LIBRARY BUILDING AT A COST OF TWO THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIVE DOLLARS—THE HARTFORD ACCIDENT AND INDEMNITY COMPANY, SURETY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 11, 1927.

HON. G. F. SCHLESINGER, *Director of Highways and Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Highways and Public Works, for and on behalf of the board of trustees, Kent State Normal School, and The Carle Electric Construction Company, of Akron, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of the electrical contract for library building, Kent State Normal School, Kent, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of two thousand four hundred and forty-five dollars (\$2,445.00).

You have submitted the certificate of the director of finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated in a sum sufficient to cover the obligations of the contract. There has further been submitted a contract bond upon which the Hartford Accident & Indemnity 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,
EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.