

endorsed upon the lease and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith enclosed.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.

1184.

APPROVAL—CANAL LAND LEASE EXECUTED BY THE
STATE OF OHIO TO ONE GEORGE HESTER OF CIRCLE-
VILLE, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 17, 1937.

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

DEAR SIR: You recently submitted for my examination and approval a canal land lease in triplicate executed by you as Superintendent of Public Works and as Director of said department to one George Hester of Circleville, Ohio.

By this lease, which is one for a stated term of fifteen years and which provides for an annual rental of \$7.50, there is leased and demised to the lessee above named the right to occupy and use for residence and agricultural purposes that portion of the abandoned Ohio Canal property, including the full width of the bed and banks thereof, located in Circleville Township, Pickaway County, Ohio, and more definitely described as follows:

Beginning at the northern line of the lands of The Circleville Ice Company, at or near station 19+21.5 of the W. O. Sanzenbacher's Survey of said canal property, and running thence northerly with the lines of said canal property, five hundred (500') feet, except that portion of said property, as sold to the Norfolk & Western Railroad, and containing eighty-two hundredths (0.82) acres, more or less.

Upon examination of this lease, which is executed by you under your general authority as successor to the power, authority and duties of the Board of Public Works and under the more special authority conferred by an Act of the 79th General Assembly enacted June 7, 1911, 102 O. L., 293, I find that the lease has been properly

executed by you in your official capacity above stated and by George Hester, the lessee therein named. I further find upon examination of this lease that the terms and provisions thereof and the conditions and restrictions therein contained are in conformity with said Act and with other statutory provisions relating to leases of this kind. I am accordingly approving this lease, as is evidenced by my approval endorsed upon the lease and upon duplicate and triplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith enclosed.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.

1185.

APPROVAL—CANAL LAND LEASE EXECUTED BY THE
STATE OF OHIO TO ONE ALBERT ROWE, CIRCLE-
VILLE, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 17, 1937.

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

DEAR SIR: You recently submitted for my examination and approval a canal land lease in triplicate executed by you as Superintendent of Public Works and as Director of said department to one Albert Rowe of Circleville, Ohio.

By this lease, which is one for a stated term of fifteen years and which provides for an annual rental of \$6.00, there is leased and demised to the lessee above named the right to occupy and use for residential and agricultural purposes that portion of the abandoned Ohio Canal property in the city of Circleville, Pickaway County, Ohio, said described as follows:

Beginning at the top of the outer slope of the towing-path embankment of said canal, same being at or near station 3293+00; thence easterly along the top of the outer slope of said towing-path embankment, four hundred twenty-three (423') feet, more or less, to a point opposite the northeast corner of a tract of land deeded to the State of Ohio by Valentine Keffer; thence across the canal with the east line of said lot, produced, seventy-five (75') feet, more or less, to