1497.

APPROVAL, PROCEEDINGS FOR SALE OF CERTAIN ABANDONED OHIO CANAL LANDS IN CITY OF NEWARK, OHIO, TO THE WEHRLE COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 13, 1920.

HON. JOHN I. MILLER, Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

Dear Sir:—Referring again to your letter of July 8, 1920, with which you transmitted for my approval duplicate copies of the proceedings relating to the sale at public vendue of certain abandoned Ohio canal lands in the city of Newark, Ohio, to the Wehrle Company, on the 6th day of July, 1920.

For reasons set out in detail in my letter to you of July 16, 1920, I am somewhat in doubt as to whether your proceedings constitute a strict technical compliance with the provisions of section 14203-23 as amended 108 O. L., part I, p. 608. However, I note from your letter to me of August 11, 1920, that you have transmitted to the Wehrle Company a copy of my letter of July 16th, and that in reply thereto the Wehrle Company under date July 21, 1920, has written you as follows:

"We thank you for calling our attention to the remarks made by the attorney general concerning the legal end of the matter. However, we do not think that this will be any defect in so far as the title is concerned and wish to advise that it will be satisfactory to proceed with the execution of the deed."

In view of this position of the Wehrle Company, and feeling as I do that your proceedings are at least in substantial compliance with the statutes, I am, therefore, giving my approval to the sale, and am returning the duplicate copies of proceedings sent me, with my approval as to the same endorsed thereon.

Respectfully,

JOHN G. PRICE,

Attorney-General

1498.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF HOLGATE VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, HENRY COUNTY, OHIO, IN AMOUNT OF \$100,000.

Columbus, Ohio, August 13, 1920.

Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

1499.

APPROVAL, FINAL RESOLUTION FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENT IN STARK COUNTY, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 17, 1920.

HON. A. R. TAYLOR, State Highway Commissioner, Columbus, Ohio.