

1912.

APPROVAL, REFUNDING BONDS, EDISON VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, IN AMOUNT OF \$15,000.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 11, 1921.

Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

1913.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF MEDINA COUNTY, OHIO, IN AMOUNT OF \$35,898.77 FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 11, 1921.

Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

1914.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF CITY OF XENIA, OHIO, IN AMOUNT OF \$35,000 FOR WATERWORKS EXTENSION.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 11, 1921.

Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

1915.

DISAPPROVAL, BONDS OF HARDIN COUNTY, OHIO, IN AMOUNT OF \$8,720 FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 11, 1921.

Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

Re Bonds of Hardin county in the amount of \$8,720 for the improvement of Boedecker pike, being three bonds of \$2,000 each and one bond of \$2,720—6 per cent.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith disapprove the transcript of proceedings submitted to me in connection with the above bond issue for the following reasons:

(1) The transcript does not show that the county commissioners determined that the public convenience and welfare require that the improvement be made, as required by section 6907 G. C.

(2) The transcript fails to show that the county commissioners determined the route and termini of the improvement and the kind and extent thereof, or that they ordered the county surveyor to prepare plans, specifications, estimates, etc., of the proposed improvement as required by section 6911 G. C.

(3) It does not affirmatively appear that the county surveyor prepared and filed plans, estimates, etc., of the proposed amendment.

(4) The transcript fails to show that the county commissioners, after the hearing upon objections to the improvement, determined that they were still satisfied that the public convenience and welfare require that such improvement be made and that the cost and expense thereof will not be excessive in view of the public utility thereof. See section 6917 G. C.

(5) The petition for said improvement requests that the cost and expense thereof be apportioned as provided in paragraph 3 of section 6919 and that 40 per cent of the cost and expense of the improvement should be borne by Liberty township. Under this plan the amount of cost and expense to be borne by the township and county depends upon agreement and no such agreement between the county commissioners and township trustees is shown.

(6) The transcript fails to show the estimated cost and expense of the improvement. As the county commissioners are limited to the issuance of bonds to the amount of the estimated cost and expense of the improvement, a copy of such estimate is essential.

For the reasons stated, I am of the opinion that the bonds under consideration are not valid and binding obligations of Hardin county and advise the industrial commission not to accept the same.

Respectfully,
JOHN G. PRICE,
Attorney-General.

1916.

APPROVAL, FINAL RESOLUTIONS FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS IN
MEDINA AND FRANKLIN COUNTIES, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 12, 1921.

HON. LEON C. HERRICK, *State Highway Commissioner, Columbus, Ohio.*

1917.

COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES—ENTITLED TO RECEIVE ANNUALLY AID FROM COUNTY UNDER SECTION 9880 G. C.—NOT ENTITLED TO ADDITIONAL AID PROVIDED FOR INDEPENDENT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETIES UNDER SECTION 9880-1 G. C.—HOW AMOUNT DUE UNDER SECTIONS 9880 AND 9880-1 G. C. DETERMINED.

1. *County agricultural societies organized under the provisions of Section 9880 G. C. are entitled to receive annually aid from the county, in a sum determined by the provisions of said statute, and are not entitled to the additional aid provided for independent agricultural societies under the provisions of section 9880-1 G. C.*

2. *In determining the amount the agricultural societies under the provisions of*