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APPROVAL, BONDS OF DELAWARE COUNTY IN AMOUNT OF \$104,500
FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 10, 1922.

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

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MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION OF KNOX COUNTY—NOT AUTHORIZED BY
LAW TO BUILD FOUR SEPARATE MEMORIAL BUILDINGS FROM
FUNDS SECURED BY ISSUANCE OF BONDS UNDER SECTION 3059
G. C.

The board of commissioners constituting the Memorial Association of Knox county are not authorized by law to build four separate memorial buildings from funds secured by issuance of bonds under sections 3059 et seq. General Code.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, April 11, 1922.

HON. PAUL M. ASHBAUGH, *Prosecuting Attorney, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—I have your letter of March 28th in which you request my opinion as follows:

“On August 25th, 1919, the Commissioners of Knox county, Ohio, passed the following resolution:

‘BE IT RESOLVED, that in the opinion of the commissioners it is desirable to erect, furnish and maintain in the county of Knox, a memorial building to commemorate the services of the soldiers, sailors, marines and pioneers, of said county, and to expend therefor not to exceed two hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000.00), and be it further resolved, that the commissioners certify to the Governor of the State their action for the purpose of securing the appointment of a board of trustees as provided by section 3059 of the General Code.’

Pursuant to the action of the board of commissioners the Governor of Ohio appointed a board of trustees and at the regular election held in November, 1919, the question of authorizing the issue of bonds in the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars was submitted to the voters of Knox county, Ohio, a majority of whom voted in favor of said proposition, the ballot was in the following form:

- Yes. ‘Shall bonds in the sum of two hundred fifty thousand dollars be issued for the purpose of erecting and furnishing a memorial building to commemorate the services of the soldiers, sailors, marines and pioneers of Knox county, Ohio.’
- No.

The preamble to the bond resolution passed by the board of county commissioners reads as follows: