3363.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF VILLAGE OF WAUSEON, FULTON COUNTY. OHIO—\$11,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 26, 1931.

Retirement Board, State Teachers Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.

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APPROVAL, BONDS OF CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND, CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 26, 1931.

Retirement Board, State Teachers Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.

3365.

APPROVAL, LEASES TO CANAL LANDS IN DEFIANCE AND SHELBY COUNTIES.

Columbus, Ohio, June 27, 1931.

HON. A. T. CONNAR, Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—This is to acknowledge the receipt of your recent communication with which you enclose for my examination and approval, three certain canal land leases in triplicate which have been executed by you as Superintendent of Public Works on behalf of the State of Ohio, and by which there is leased and demised to the respective lessees therein named, certain parcels of abandoned Miami and Eric Canal lands, which leases designated with respect to the names of the several lessees, the location of the several parcels of canal lands so leased and the valuations of said several parcels are as follows:

LESSEE	LOCATION	•	VALUATION
Herman Baden,	Defiance Township,	Defiance County	\$300.00
Mrs. Cloey Cunningham,	Lockington,	Shelby County	100.00
T. J. Eiler,	Defiance Township,	Defiance County	100.00

Each of said leases is for a term of fifteen years, and each of the same calls for an annual rental amounting to six per cent upon the valuation of the particular parcel of canal land covered by the lease.

Upon examination of said leases, I find that each and all of the same have been properly executed by you in your official capacity as Superintendent of Public Works, and by the respective lessees therein named. Likewise, upon examination of said leases, I find that the provisions thereof are in conformity with the act passed March 25, 1925 (111 O. L. 208), providing for the abandonment of the Miami and Eric Canal at the point of the location of said parcels of land, and with the provisions of Sections 13965 et seq., of the General Code, relating to the execution of canal land leases.

I am accordingly approving said leases as to legality and form, and I hereby endorse my approval upon said leases and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof, all of which you will find enclosed herewith.

Respectfully,
GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.