

herewith returning the same with my approval endorsed thereon and upon the duplicate and triplicate copies which are likewise herewith enclosed.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General.

617.

BONDS—NEWTONSVILLE VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
CLERMONT COUNTY, \$2,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 19, 1939.

*Retirement Board, State Public School Employes Retirement System,
Columbus, Ohio.*

GENTLEMEN :

RE: Bonds of Newtonsville Village School District, Clermont County, Ohio, \$2,000.00 (Unlimited).

I have examined the transcript of proceedings relative to the above bonds purchased by you. These bonds comprise part of an issue of school improvement bonds in the aggregate amount of \$23,000, dated December 23, 1938, and bearing interest at the rate of 3% per annum.

From this examination, in the light of the law under authority of which the above bonds have been authorized, I am of the opinion that bonds issued under these proceedings constitute valid and legal obligations of said school district.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General.

618.

BONDS—VALLEY TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT,
GUERNSEY COUNTY, \$12,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 19, 1939.

*Retirement Board, State Public School Employes Retirement System,
Columbus, Ohio.*

GENTLEMEN :

RE: Bonds of Valley Township Rural School District, Guernsey County, Ohio, \$12,000 (Limited).

I have examined the transcript of proceedings relative to the above bonds purchased by you. These bonds comprise all of an issue of school

improvement bonds in the aggregate amount of \$12,000, dated March 31, 1939, and bearing interest at the rate of $3\frac{3}{4}\%$ per annum.

From this examination, in the light of the law under authority of which the above bonds have been authorized, I am of the opinion that bonds issued under these proceedings constitute valid and legal obligations of said school district.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General.

619.

CONTRACT AND BOND—STATE WITH TRAPP-CARROLL COMPANY, GENERAL CONTRACT, FOR FACULTY ASSEMBLY UNIT, OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, COLUMBUS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 19, 1939.

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

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my approval, the contract by and between Trapp-Carroll Company, of Columbus, Ohio, and The State of Ohio acting through you as Director of the Department of Public Works for the Board of Trustees of the Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, for the construction and completion of General Contract (Division 1, Items I to XIV, inclusive) together with Alternates 3, 4, 6, 7, 8 and 10, for the Faculty Assembly Unit on the campus of the Ohio State University, as set forth in the General Conditions and the specifications for same, including Addendum No. 1, dated April 11, 1939, and Addendum No. 2, dated April 17, 1939, and as covered by form of proposal dated April 20, 1939. This contract calls for an expenditure of \$120,875.00.

You have submitted the following papers and documents in this connection: Form of Proposal dated April 20, 1939, containing the contract bond form signed by United States Guarantee Company of New York, its power of attorney for the signer, and its certificate of compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to surety companies; Division of Contract; Estimate of cost; Notice to bidders; Proof of publication; Tabulation of bids; Workmen's Compensation Certificate, showing a compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to Workmen's Compensation; Certificate of availability of funds for this project; Certified copy of the Record of Proceedings of the Board of Trustees of the Ohio State University, and which proceedings contain therein (a) copy of the Federal Emergency Administration of Public Works in regard to this project, and (b) recommendation of the University Architect.