

which there is leased and demised to one Alta E. Weddle of Troy, Ohio, the right to use and occupy for lawn and garage purposes a certain parcel of abandoned Miami and Erie canal lands located in the city of Troy, Miami County, Ohio, which parcel contains 1584 square feet of land and which is more particularly described in said lease. The lease here in question is for a term of fifteen years and calls for an annual rental of six per cent upon the sum of \$250.00, the appraised value of said parcel. This lease is executed under the authority of House Bill No. 162, passed by the 86th General Assembly, 111 O. L. 208, and I find that said lease in its provisions is in conformity with the provisions of said act and with other statutory provisions relating to canal land leases. Said lease is, accordingly, approved by me as to legality and form, and my approval is endorsed upon said lease and the duplicate and triplicate copies thereof, all of which are herewith returned.

Respectfully,  
 GILBERT BETTMAN,  
*Attorney General.*

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1241.

APPROVAL, FINAL RESOLUTION ON ROAD IMPROVEMENT IN KNOX COUNTY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, November 30, 1929.

HON. ROBERT N. WAID, *Director of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.*

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1242.

TRUSTEES OF OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY—POWER TO DISPOSE OF OBSOLETE BOOKS PURCHASED WITH PUBLIC FUNDS—AUTHORITY WITH RESPECT TO DONATED PERSONALTY.

*SYLLABUS:*

1. *It is within the broad powers of the Board of Trustees of Ohio State University to dispose of personal property owned by the university which was bought and paid for with public funds, when in the exercise of a sound discretion it is determined that the property is no longer needed for university purposes.*
2. *It is the duty of the board or trustees of Ohio State University, when personal property of the university is to be disposed of because no longer of any use to the university, to use every reasonable effort to dispose of the property to the best advantage of the university. If the property is no longer of any use to the university and has no sale value, it lawfully may be disposed of as scrap.*
3. *The board of trustees of Ohio State University may not lawfully dispose of personal property which has been donated to the university even though it is no longer of any*