

five years with interest coupons attached and were issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments on the streets that are now submitted for the assessments.

The ordinance further provided for the redemption of the so-called notes and interest by the assessments to be collected from abutting property owners along said streets, and provided a levy for the payment thereof.

I know of no authority of law whereby council of a municipality may issue notes or bonds every five years in anticipation of the collection of the same assessments. The assessments should have been collected and the notes paid as provided by the ordinances and as provided by section 11 of Article XII of the Constitution.

For these reasons, I advise the Industrial Commission not to purchase these bonds.

Respectfully,

C. C. CRABBE,

Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, LEASE SWAMP LANDS, LUCAS COUNTY, TO LOUIS PILLIOD, \$100.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, July 16, 1923.

HON. A. V. DONAHEY, *Governor of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—Application has been made by Mr. Louis Pilliod of Maumee for the purchase, in consideration of the sum of \$100.00, of the following swamp lands:

Situated in the Twelve Mile Square Reserve, Lucas County, Ohio, commonly known as "Hunts Island" and lying off the northwesterly shore of "Great Island", often called "Ewing Island"; and lying a short distance off shore of Lot No. 90 of the subdivision of lands on "Ewing Island", and containing 1.24 acres, more or less.

For further description reference is made to Thomas Clarke's survey of "Ewing Island", being survey No. 245, as recorded in Vol 2, page 106, of the Surveyor's Record of Lucas County, Ohio.

A deed has been prepared, which is enclosed herewith, and which deed, in the form as submitted, together with the proceedings leading up to the execution thereof, is hereby approved. If you concur herein the deed should be executed and sent to the Secretary of State for his counter signature to the end that it may be transmitted to the Auditor of State for record and by him delivered to the party entitled thereto.

Yours respectfully,

C. C. CRABBE,

Attorney General.