

You have also submitted the following papers in this connection: Encumbrance record No. 80, dated April 22, 1938, proof of publication, Controlling Board release, certificate of the Auditor of State that the necessary papers are on file in that office, tabulation of bids, form of proposal properly executed with the United States Fidelity & Guaranty Company as surety, the power of attorney for its signer, its financial statement and certificate to do business in the State of Ohio.

Finding said contract and bond in proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same herewith to you, together with all other papers submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,

Attorney General.

2437.

APPROVAL—CONTRACT AND BOND, STATE OF OHIO, THROUGH ADJUTANT GENERAL AND DIRECTOR OF STATE ARMORIES, WITH HERMAN J. SUHRBIER, TOLEDO, OHIO, CERTAIN SPECIFIED ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS, OHIO STATE ARMORY, TOLEDO, OHIO, TOTAL EXPENDITURE, \$9,580.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 10, 1938.

HON. EMIL F. MARX, *Adjutant General of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my approval a contract by and between Herman J. Suhrbier, an Individual, Toledo, Ohio, and the State of Ohio, acting by Emil F. Marx, Adjutant General and Director of State Armories, for the construction and completion of an Ohio State Armory (Central), Additions and Alterations, Toledo, Ohio, which contract calls for the total expenditure of nine thousand five hundred and eighty dollars (\$9,580.00).

You have also submitted the following papers in this connection: Encumbrance record No. 81, dated April 22, 1938, proof of publication, Controlling Board release, certificate of the Auditor of State that the necessary papers are on file in that office, tabulation of bids, form of proposal properly executed with the Ohio Casualty Insurance Company as surety, the power of attorney for its signer, its financial statement and certificate to do business in the State of Ohio.

Finding said contract and bond in proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same herewith to you, together with all other papers submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.

2437A.

APPROVAL--CANAL LAND LEASE, STATE OF OHIO, THROUGH SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, FOR DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, DIVISION OF CONSERVATION, TERM FIFTEEN YEARS, ANNUAL RENTAL, \$12.00, DESIGNATED SECTION, ABANDONED OHIO AND ERIE CANAL LANDS, STARK COUNTY, OHIO, FOR FISH PROPAGATION AND PUBLIC RECREATION PURPOSES.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 10, 1938.

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

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my examination and approval a canal land lease in triplicate executed by you as Superintendent of Public Works and as Director of said department to the Department of Agriculture, Division of Conservation.

By this lease, which is one for a stated term of fifteen years and which provides for an annual rental of \$12.00, there is leased and demised to the above named lessee for fish propagation and public recreation purposes a section of the abandoned Ohio and Erie Canal lands located in Stark County, Ohio, and more particularly described as follows:

That portion of the Ohio and Erie Canal including the full width of the bed and embankments and all wide waters thereof, that lies between stations 896+00, near the northerly corporation line of Canal Fulton and station 1345+65.15, said station being at or near the northerly corporation line of the city of Massillon, excepting therefrom any portion of the above described property that may be occupied by a public highway. Also, that portion of the Nimisila Feeder from the diversion dam across the Nimisila Creek to the intersection of the feeder to the canal being at station 896+42 of the survey of said Ohio and Erie Canal.