4. The transcript contains no financial statement with respect to the fiscal affairs of said school district as required by section 2295-3 G. C.

For the above reasons, said bond issue is disapproved, and you are advised not to purchase the same.

Respectfully,

JOHN G. PRICE,

Attorney-General.

3506.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF PORTAGE COUNTY, \$16,200, FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 17, 1922.

Department of Industrial Relations, Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

"Re: Bonds of Portage county, \$16,200, for the improvement of part of I. C. H. 327, consisting of 1 bond payable in 1 installment of \$900, 7 installments of \$1,800 and 1 installment of \$2,700—6%.

Gentlemen:—I have examined the transcript of the proceedings of the county commissioners and other officers of Portage county, relative to the above bond issue, and find the same regular and in conformity with the provisions of the General Code.

I am of the opinion that a bond for said issue with combined principal and interest coupons attached, drawn in accordance with the bond ordinance authorizing the same and in compliance with the resolution of the Industrial Commission adopted under authority of section 1465-58a G. C. will, upon delivery, constitute a valid and binding obligation of said county.

Since the purchase of the above indicated bonds, the county commissioners of Portage county, in order to meet the requirements of the Griswold act, have amended their bond resolution so that the bonds now mature in installments as follows:

" \$900 October 1, 1923,

1,800 October 1 in each of the years 1924 to 1930, inclusive,

2,700 October 1, 1931."

I suggest that your resolution of purchase be amended accordingly.

Respectfully,

JOHN G. PRICE,

Attorney-General.

3507.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT OF STATE OF OHIO WITH THE HIBBARD COMPANY, CLEVELAND, OHIO, FOR ONE ICE MACHINE, OHIO STATE SANATORIUM, AT A COST OF \$2,770.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY ROYAL INDEMNITY COMPANY.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 17, 1922.

HON. H. S. MACAYEAL, Director, Department of Public Welfare, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted to me for approval a contract (five copies) between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Public Welfare, and the

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Hibbard Company, of Cleveland, Ohio. This contract is for one ice machine for the Ohio State Sanatorium, of the Department of Public Welfare, as covered by the proposal of the party of the first part, which proposal is made a part of this contract, and calls for an expenditure of twenty-seven hundred and seventy dollars (\$2,770.00).

Accompanying said contract is a bond to insure faithful performance, executed by Royal Indemnity Company.

I have before me the certificate of the Director of Finance, that there is an unencumbered balance legally appropriated sufficient to cover the obligations of this contract.

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

Respectfully,

JOHN G. PRICE,

Attorney-General.

3508.

APPROVAL CONTRACT OF STATE OF OHIO WITH THE F. G. AND A. HOWALD COMPANY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR REDECORATING ROOMS OF DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, STATE HOUSE ANNEX, AT A COST OF \$675.00—SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY GLOBE INDEMNITY COMPANY.

Columbus, Ohio, August 17, 1922.

Hon. Leon C. Herrick, Director, Department of Highways and Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted to me for approval a contract (four copies) between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Highways and Public Works, and the F. G. and A. Howald Co., of Columbus, Ohio. This contract is for redecorating the rooms of the Department of Agriculture, in the State House Annex, Columbus, Ohio, and calls for an expenditure of six hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$675.00).

Accompanying said contract is a bond to insure faithful performance, executed by Globe Indemnity Company.

I have before me the certificate of the Director of Finance that there is an unencumbered balance legally appropriated sufficient to cover the obligations of this contract.

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

Respectfully,

JOHN G. PRICE,

Attorney General.