2388.

APPROVAL, FINAL RESOLUTIONS FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS, HAMILTON, HURON AND PUTNAM COUNTIES, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 1, 1921.

Department of Highways and Public Works, Division of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.

2389.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT WITH THE BABCOCK & WILCOX COMPANY FOR INSTALLATION OF BOILER, SUPERHEATER AND DIAMOND SOOT BLOWER IN UNIVERSITY POWER HOUSE.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 2, 1921.

Hon. Carl E. Steeb, Secretary, Board of Trustees, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.

Dear Sir:—Acknowledgment is made of your letter of August 23, transmitting to this department for approval a contract between your board of trustees and the Babcock & Wilcox Company—a corporation organized under the laws of the state of New Jersey. Said contract calls for the installation in the University power house of a 600 H. P. boiler, including one 600 H. P. superheater and one Diamond soot blower, at an expenditure of \$22,268.00.

Accompanying this contract is a surety bond executed by Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Company.

You also transmit data to show that the several provisions of the socalled state building commission law have been complied with, including a certificate of the director of finance showing the availability of funds to meet expenditures under said contract.

Finding said contract and bond in proper form, I have this day noted my approval thereon. Am herewith sending said contract and bond, together with all other papers submitted to me in this connection, to the auditor of state for filing.

Respectfully,

John G. Price,

Attorney-General.

2390.

BOARD OF EDUCATION (COUNTY)—MAY NOT EMPLOY ASSISTANT COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT AS ATTENDANCE OFFICER FOR COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT.

A county board of education may not employ an assistant county superintendent as the attendance officer (7769-1 G. C.) for the county school district, as the whole time of the assistant county superintendent is taken up in his work in that position as set forth in section 7706 G. C.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 3, 1921.

Hon. Mary K. Davey, Prosecuting Attorney, Logan, Ohio.

Dear Madam:—Acknowledgment is made of the receipt of your request for an opinion upon the following question: