1879.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND H. J. WRIGHT, KENT, OHIO, FOR CONSTRUCTION OF CEMENT WALK, KENT STATE COLLEGE, KENT, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$1,639.00 —SURETY BOND EXECUTED BY H. J. WRIGHT AND METTA O. WRIGHT.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 19, 1930.

HON. ALBERT T. CONNAR, Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my approval a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by the Department of Public Works, for the Board of Trustees of Kent State College, and H. J. Wright of Kent, Ohio. This contract covers the construction and completion of contract for cement walk (exclusive of contract for grading), Kent State College, Kent, Ohio, as set forth in Item 2 of the proposal dated November 16, 1929, as modified by the "Substitution Sheet" thereto attached, to substitute concrete walks, curb and abutments as per specifications, laid on present gravel base, omitting limestone base and the repair on walks around Library Building. Said contract calls for an expenditure of one thousand six hundred and thirty-nine dollars (\$1,639.00).

You have submitted the certificate of the Director of Finance to the effect that there are unencumbered balances legally appropriated in a sum sufficient to cover the obligations of the contract. You have also submitted evidence that the consent of the Controlling Board to the release of funds has been obtained in accordance with Section 11 of House Bill No. 510 of the 88th General Assembly. In addition, you have submitted a contract bond upon which H. J. Wright and Metta O. Wright appear as sureties, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars, sufficient to comply with Section 2365-2, General Code.

Inasmuch as the amount of the contract is less than three thousand dollars, the exact provisions of Sections 2314 et seq. of the General Code, concerning filing of plans advertising and tabulating bids, did not have to be followed. It appears that the laws relating to the Workmen's Compensation Act have been complied with.

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 data submitted in this connection.

> Respectfully, Gilbert Bettman, Attorney General.

1880.

VACANCY—COUNTY TREASURER UNABLE TO QUALIFY AT BEGIN-NING OF SECOND TERM ON ACCOUNT OF HIS DEATH—TENURE OF OFFICE OF APPOINTEE—WHEN SUCCESSOR ELECTED—SHORT AND LONG TERM BALLOTS.

SYLLABUS:

1. Where a vacancy occurs in the office of the county treasurer on September 2, 1929, and a person has been appointed by the county commissioners to fill said vacancy, a successor should be elected at the general election on November 4, 1930, to fill out the unexpired term, and said successor's tenure of office will begin on qualification after such election, and end on the seventh day of September, 1931.