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I have examined said leases and find Lease No. 1133 correct as to form. I am, therefore, returning the same with my approval endorsed thereon.

I am returning herewith Lease No. 1134, unapproved, for correction, for the reason that while two grantors are named in the granting clause, but one signature appears on said lease. You will note that the acknowledgment clause is in the singular rather than in the plural, indicating that but one grantor signed and acknowledged said lease.

Respectfully,
EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, FINAL RESOLUTION ON ROAD IMPROVEMENTS IN PICK-AWAY COUNTY.

Columbus, Ohio, June 29, 1928.

HON. HARRY J. KIRK, Director of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.

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SCHOOLS—CONTRACTS FOR PRACTICE TEACHING, APPROVED—OHIO WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY.

## SYLLABUS:

Validity of two certain contracts entered into by the Ohio Wesleyan University and the Board of Education of Brown Township Centralized School District, Delaware County, Ohio, and the Ohio Wesleyan University and the Board of Education of Ashley School District, Delaware County, Ohio, discussed and determined.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 30, 1928.

Hon. Eugene S. Owen, Prosecuting Attorney, Delaware, Ohio.

Dear Sir:—This will acknowledge receipt of your communication which reads as follows:

"Sec. 7706 requires the county superintendent to 'visit the schools in the county school district, direct and assist teachers in the performance of their duties, and classify and control the promotion of pupils.'

Ohio Wesleyan University has purchased the control and use of three schools in this county for practice-teaching and experimental purposes. Copies of the contracts with Ashley and Brown accompany this letter. We have not been able to obtain a copy of her contract with Radnor as yet. Ashley is to receive \$1750, \$250 to each of seven teachers appointed by the University; Radnor, \$2400; Brown \$4000. In practice, Prof. Nutt of the University recommends the superintendents and teachers above the sixth grade in Ashley and Brown and fixes their salaries. The boards carry out his recommendations. Sec. 16 of the Brown contract provides that the school 'shall be known as the Brown Township Demonstration School of the Department of Education of Ohio Wesleyan University.'