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to the United States government situated in Ottawa County. Consideration for said grant according to the form submitted is the granting by the United States government to the State of Ohio certain lands owned adjacent to said premises by the United States government.

It is understood that the lands described are in the custody and control of the Adjutant General. However, it would seem that there are no powers authorizing the Adjutant General to grant a lease upon premises of this particular character as the premises are not armories.

Subsection 9 of section 154-40 of the General Code authorizes the Director of Highways:

"To lease unproductive and unused lands or other property under the control of the state government, or any department, office or institution thereof, excepting school and ministerial lands."

Inasmuch as there seems to be no power in the Adjutant General to grant this particular kind of a lease I am of the opinion that the section above quoted authorizes the Director of Highways to execute such a lease on behalf of the state. Such a lease, however, should be approved by the Adjutant General under whose custody and control such lands are. It is proper also to have the Governor approve such a lease. It is my opinion that when the said lease is properly executed and delivered there are no legal objections to the same.

Respectfully,
C. C. Crabbe,
Attorney General.

1304.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF CANAAN TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, WAYNE COUNTY, \$6,000.00, TO MAKE CERTAIN SCHOOL IMPROVEMENTS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 27, 1924.

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

1305.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF WABASH SPECIAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, NO. 7, DARKE COUNTY, \$897.49, TO FUND CERTAIN INDEBTEDNESS.

Columbus, Ohio, March 27, 1924.

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