your department with E. L. Brueggeman of Akron, Ohio, for additional work in connection with a contract entered into with Mr. Brueggeman under date January 16, 1922, for the construction of a waste-way at East Reservoir near Akron, Ohio.

I note that the additional work has become necessary by reason of a public highway over a portion of the embankment and on account of a very soft bottom which has been found to exist underneath the embankment. The additional work is a small amount of additional excavation, concreting and piling.

I note also that the cost of the extra work will be three hundred thirty-eight and 80-100 dollars (\$338.80) and that the prices stipulated are the same as those obtained by competitive bidding in the original contract. I also note that there is furnished with the papers, the certificate of the director of finance, dated May 23, 1922, showing funds available for the contract in the sum of \$338.80.

Finding as I do that your proceedings have been in all respects in conformity to law, I advise you that upon the signing of the contract by Mr. Herrick as director of highways and public works it will become binding upon the state and Mr. Brueggeman. I am returning the triplicate form of contract with my approval endorsed thereon.

Respectfully,

JOHN G. PRICE,

Attorney-General.

3143.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF ALLEN COUNTY IN AMOUNT OF \$49,400 FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS.

Columbus, Ohio, May 26, 1922.

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

3144.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF ALLEN COUNTY, \$67,500, FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 26, 1922.

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

3145.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF ALLEN COUNTY, \$9,750, FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS.

Columbus, Ohio, May 26, 1922.

Department of Industrial Relations, Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio. 15-Vol. I-A. G.