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submitted, subject to the exceptions and reservations hereinbefore mentioned, from the data submitted it is impossible to advise as to the present status of the title. However, the foregoing will indicate some of the matters which it will be necessary to have cleared up before any proper title could be accepted by the State.

In the event you should decide to purchase this property, it is suggested that the proper abstract showing the status of the title be submitted, in view of the complicated questions that may arise in connection with the title to this particular piece of property.

There are being returned herewith the instruments and data which you submitted.

Respectfully,

JOHN W. BRICKER,
Attorney General.

4308.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF BRIDGEPORT EXEMPTED VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, BELMONT COUNTY, OHIO, \$7,415.94.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 31, 1935.

Retirement Board, State Teachers Retirement System, Columbus, Ohio.

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NILES—MUNICIPAL COURT—DISPOSITION OF FINES WHERE PERSONS ARRESTED BY STATE HIGHWAY PATROLMEN.

SYLLABUS:

All fines collected from, or moneys arising from bonds forfeited by persons apprehended or arrested by state highway patrolmen and tried before the Municipal Court of Niles should be paid one-half into the state treasury and one-half into the city treasury of Niles.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 1, 1935.

Bureau of Inspection and Supervision of Public Offices, Columbus, Ohio.

Gentlemen:—This will acknowledge receipt of your request for my opinion which reads as follows:

"We find it necessary to ask your advice as to the proper disposition of fines and forfeited bonds collected in the Municipal Court at Niles, in cases where the defendants were arrested by state highway patrolmen.

Section 1181-5 G. C., reads in part as follows:

"All fines collected from, or moneys arising from bonds forfeited by persons apprehended or arrested by state highway patrolmen shall be