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in effect. The contemplated two meetings a year and the payment of a \$2.00 fee for each meeting are within the boundaries of this regulation. Therefore, it is my opinion that these payments may be legally paid from funds in the hands of the society.

Thus, all three questions presented by you are answerable in the affirmative on the basis of the following conclusions:

First, the provisions of Section 9887, General Code, empower a board of county commissioners to appropriate funds for the payment of the preexisting indebtedness of a county agricultural society when the suspension of activities of such society is conditioned on the payment of the indebtedness of the society.

Secondly, according to the provisions of Section 9906, General Code, moneys realized from the leasing of fair grounds are payable directly to the county agricultural society if the property was at the time of the execution of the lease under the control of the society.

Finally, within the limits set forth in Rule 5 of Rules for the Organization and Management of County and Independent Agricultural Societies, officers and directors of county agricultural societies are entitled to the payment of fees for attending meetings out of funds which may be expended according to the provisions of Section 9906, General Code

Respectfully,
HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.

2888.

APPROVAL—BONDS OF MAYFIELD VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO, \$6,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 30, 1938.

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

RE: Bonds of Mayfield Village School Dist., Cuyahoga County, Ohio, \$6,000.00.

The above purchase of bonds appears to be part of an issue of bonds of the above school district dated December 31, 1926. The transcript relative to this issue was approved by this office in an opinion

rendered to the Industrial Commission under date of March 20, 1928, being Opinion No. 1923.

It is accordingly my opinion that these bonds constitute valid and legal obligations of said school district.

Respectfully,

HERBERT S. DUFFY,

Attorney General.

2889.

APPROVAL—BONDS OF SHAKER HEIGHTS CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, CUYAHOGA COUNTY, OHIO, \$5,000.00—PART OF ISSUE DATED NOVEMBER 1, 1930.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, August 30, 1938.

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

RE: Bonds of Shaker Heights City School Dist., Cuyahoga County, Ohio, \$5,000.00.

The above purchase of bonds appears to be part of an issue of bonds of the above school district dated November 1, 1930. The transcript relative to this issue was approved by this office in an opinion rendered to your board under date of May 25, 1933, being Opinion No. 873.

It is accordingly my opinion that these bonds constitute valid and legal obligations of said school district.

Respectfully,
HERBERT S. DUFFY,
Attorney General.