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account of being desirous of having the question submitted at the November, 1931, election and had they known that the question could not be submitted until the November, 1932, election, they would not have signed the petition. Under the circumstances, it is my judgment that a new petition should be prepared and circulated in the event it is desired to vote upon this question at the November, 1932, election.

Respectfully,
GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

3572.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF NAPOLEON VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, HENRY COUNTY, OHIO, \$10,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 15, 1931.

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

3573.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF SUGAR CREEK RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, ALLEN COUNTY, OHIO—\$50,000.00

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 15, 1931.

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

3574.

SPECIAL CONSTABLE—UNAUTHORIZED TO PATROL PUBLIC HIGH-WAYS—AUTHORITY LIMITED.

SYLLABUS:

A special constable cannot be appointed for the general purpose of patrolling the public highways to enforce traffic laws. The duties of a special constable when appointed under section 3331 of the General Code are limited to the particular case in which he is appointed.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 15, 1931.

HON. FRED W. EVERETT, JR., Prosecuting Attorney, Jackson, Ohio.

DEAR SIR:—In your recent communication you present the following inquiry:

"Can a justice of the peace appoint a special constable for the sole purpose of watching the State highways for speed law violators? There is sort of an epidemic of drunken and reckless drivers in this county