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APPROVAL, NOTES OF MEDINA COUNTY, OHIO—\$49,340.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 8, 1928.

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

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APPROVAL, BONDS OF WOODSFIELD VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
MONROE COUNTY, OHIO—\$16,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 9, 1928

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

2692.

DISAPPROVAL, BONDS OF SALINE TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DIS-
TRICT, JEFFERSON COUNTY—\$25,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 9, 1928.

Re: Bonds of Saline Township Rural School District, Jefferson County, \$25,000.00.

The Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—You have submitted for my examination and opinion a transcript of the proceedings of the board of education and other officers of Saline Township Rural School District, Jefferson County, relative to the above issue of bonds, which the board of education proposes to issue pursuant to a vote of the electors at the regular election held on November 8, 1927.

The transcript contains a proof of publication of a notice of election published for four consecutive weeks, beginning September 30, 1927, and which notice reads as follows:

"NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Education of Saline Township Rural School District, Jefferson County, Ohio, passed on the 11th day of August, 1927, and in accordance with the requirements of the General Code, particularly Section 2293-19 and follow-

ing of the General Code, there will be submitted to a vote of the people of said school district, at the regular election to be held on November 8, 1927, in said school district, at the regular voting places therein, the question of issuing bonds of said school district in the amount of Twenty-five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars, for the purpose of erecting a school building and furnishing same as provided by law."

Section 2292-21, General Code, provides, in part, as follows:

"Notice of the election shall be published in one or more newspapers of general circulation in the subdivision once a week for four consecutive weeks prior thereto, stating the amount of the proposed bond issue, the purpose for which such bonds are to be issued, the maximum number of years during which such bonds shall run and the estimated average of additional tax rate, outside of the fifteen mill limitation, as certified by the county auditor."

An examination of the above notice of election reveals that the same is defective, in that the same does not state the maximum number of years during which the bonds are to run or the estimated average additional tax rate, outside of the fifteen mill limitation, as certified by the county auditor. The plain provisions of the statute have not been followed and, in my opinion, there is considerable doubt as to the legality of the election.

The transcript is deficient in a number of other respects, but in view of the foregoing I am compelled to advise you not to purchase the above issue of bonds.

Respectfully,
 EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

2693.

APPROVAL, FOUR GAME REFUGE LEASES.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 11, 1928.

Department of Agriculture, Division of Fish and Game, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—I have your letter of October 9, 1928, in which you enclose the following Game Refuge Leases, in duplicate, for my approval:

No.	Name.	County.	Township.	Acres.
1157	Molly Tracy.....	Logan.....	Madison.....	35.5
1158	R. D. Harman.....	Logan.....	Madison.....	300
1159	R. D. Harman.....	Logan.....	Madison.....	140.19
1160	Patrick & James Healy.....	Logan.....	Madison.....	80

I have examined said Leases, find them correct as to form, and I am therefore returning the same with my approval endorsed thereon.

Respectfully,
 EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.