the status of surety companies and the workmen's compensation have been complied with.

Finding said contract and bond in proper legal form, I have this day noted my approval thereon and return the same herewith to you, together with all other data submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,
GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

2378.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF GUERNSEY COUNTY, OHIO-\$79,928.69.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 26, 1930.

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

2379.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION—LAW APPLICABLE TO ALL EMPLOY-ERS AND EMPLOYES ENGAGED IN INTERSTATE COMMERCE IN OHIO—WHERE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES HAS EN-ACTED LEGISLATION ESTABLISHING A RULE OF LIABILITY.

## SYLLABUS:

- 1. The Workmens Compensation Law of Ohio is applicable to employers and employes engaged in interstate commerce, unless the congress of the United States has enacted laws establishing a rule of liability or method of compensation applicable to the business in which said employer and employes are engaged.
- 2. All of the employes in the service of an employer subject to the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Law of Ohio are entitled to the benefits of that act while so engaged in the employer's regular business in this state.

Columbus, Ohio, September 27, 1930.

The Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

GENTLEMEN:—This will acknowledge your request for my opinion on the following facts:

- "1. ————— Company is a corporation under the laws of the State of Illinois. It manufactures and sells instruments,
  - (a) For measuring, indicating and recording the flow of fluids in pipes;
- (b) For measuring, indicating, recording and controlling temperatures in industrial processes;
- (c) For analyzing, indicating and recording the carbon dioxide (CO<sup>2</sup>) content of flue gases and other products of combustion.
  - (d) For measuring, indicating and recording the height of liquids in