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## DISAPPROVAL, BONDS OF HUNTINGTON TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, ROSS COUNTY—\$2,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 17, 1928.

Re: Bonds of Huntington Township Rural School District, Ross County—\$2,000.00.

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

GENTLEMEN:—I have examined the transcript of the proceedings of the board of education and other officers of Huntington Township Rural School District relative to the above issue of bonds, which are being issued without the authority of a vote of the people, and desire to call your attention to the following:

Included in the transcript is a financial statement which shows that the assessed valuation of all the property in the school district at the time of passage of the bond resolution was \$1,026,840.00.

By the terms of Section 2293-15, General Code (112 O. L. 364,370), the net indebtedness created or incurred by any school district without a vote of the people shall never exceed one-tenth of one per cent of the value of all property in the school district as listed and assessed for taxation. The amount of the above bond issue clearly exceeds one-tenth of one per cent of the value of all property in the school district as listed and assessed for taxation, and I am therefore of the opinion that no authority exists to issue the above bonds without a vote of the people.

There are other defects in the transcript, but in view of what has been said above, I am compelled to advise you not to purchase the above issue of bonds.

I am returning the transcript covering the above issue to you herewith.

Respectfully,  
EDWARD C. TURNER,  
*Attorney General.*

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## APPROVAL, DEED TO LAND OF CAMPUS MARTIUS SQUARE, IN THE CITY OF MARIETTA, WASHINGTON COUNTY, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, May 17, 1928.

HON. H. C. SHETRONE, *Director Ohio State Archacological and Historical Society, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—There has been submitted to this department for inspection and approval the deed herewith enclosed, in and by which there is conveyed to the State of Ohio certain real property situated in the city of Marietta, Washington County, Ohio, the same being the northeasterly part of Campus Martius Square, and more particularly described as follows:

“Beginning at the northeast corner of said Square at the corner of Second and St. Clair Streets; thence extending southerly on the line of Second Street eighty-one (81) feet, more or less, to that part of said Square owned