

and federal authorities that before proceeding to the remedy provided by the section mentioned, your department attempt to adjust the matter through the local postmasters at points where such defective mail boxes may be located, who it is thought equally have authority to correct such defects under the provisions of section 830 of the United States postal laws and regulations.

Respectfully,

JOHN G. PRICE,  
*Attorney-General.*

2481.

APPROVAL, DEFICIENCY BONDS OF LEWISBURG VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT IN AMOUNT OF \$5,000.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 17, 1921.

*Department of Industrial Relations, Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.*

2482.

APPROVAL, FINAL RESOLUTIONS FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS, HARDIN AND VINTON COUNTIES, OHIO.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 17, 1921.

*Department of Highways and Public Works, Division of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.*

2483.

BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATIONS—MAY NOT INVEST IDLE FUNDS IN FRENCH GOVERNMENT BONDS.

*An Ohio building and loan association may not invest its idle funds in French government bonds.*

COLUMBUS, OHIO, October 18, 1921.

*Department of Commerce, Division of Building and Loan Associations, Columbus, Ohio.*

GENTLEMEN:—You request the opinion of this department upon a question which may be put as follows:

May a building and loan association organized under the laws of Ohio invest its idle funds in bonds of the French Republic?

Authority to make such investments is claimed under that provision of section 9660, General Code, governing such investments, to the effect that