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APPROVAL—BONDS OF BEDFORD CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT, CUYA-HOGA COUNTY, OHIO—\$1,000.00.

• COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 27, 1934.

Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

2423.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF COMMISSION — SERVICES RENDERED TO SOLDIERS' WIDOW, IN EMERGENCY CASE, UNON REQUEST OF COMMISSION MAY BE PAID WITHOUT INDORSEMENT OF VOUCHER OR CERTIFICATE BY SICK PERSON—OPINIONS ATTORNEY GENERAL 1932, VOLUME III, PAGE 1398 FOLLOWED.

SYLLABUS:

The provisions of section 2939, General Code, providing that no part of an allowance made by a soldiers' relief commission shall be paid to any one without the indorsement on the voucher of the person for whom the allowance is intended, does not apply to emergency allowances and such commission may, under section 2941, General Code, establish such reasonable rules which it deems advisable to govern the giving of emergency relief, and where its rules so provide, it could, in a proper case, make payment to a person who was ordered by a soldiers' relief commission to furnish care and nursing service to and for a person entitled to such relief under the provisions of section 2934, General Code, when such person is sick and bedfast and dies before such person indorses the voucher or certificate for such payment.

Opinion reported in Opinions of the Attorney General for 1932, Volume III, page 1398, followed.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 28, 1934.

HON. JOSEPH J. LABADIE, *Prosecuting Attorney of Putnam County, Ottawa, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—I am in receipt of your letter of February 20th which reads:

“Under Section 2941 of the General Code of Ohio, your office rendered opinion No. 4821 in 1932 providing that the Soldiers' Relief Commission may pay a grocer for food furnished by the grocer on the order of the commission to a person needing immediate relief without the endorsement of such person. The following case has arisen in our county:

A soldier's widow became ill and bedfast. A member of the Soldiers' Relief Commission requested that a stranger take care of this widow, which she did. After a period of six weeks, the soldier's widow died and the woman who took care of her presented a bill to the Soldiers' Relief Commission for payment for services rendered inasmuch as she