

1507.

APPROVAL, NOTES OF LEESBURG RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, UNION COUNTY, OHIO—\$1,535.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 5, 1933.

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

1508.

APPROVAL, NOTES OF NEGLEY RURAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, COLUMBIANA COUNTY, OHIO—\$1,214.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 5, 1933.

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

1509.

COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT—CAN BE DISSOLVED ONLY BY ACT OF LEGISLATURE—NO REFERENDUM VOTE THEREON UNLESS PROCEDURE AUTHORIZED BY LAW.

SYLLABUS:

1. *There is no provision of law whereby a county library district established by virtue of sections 7642-1 to 7642-12, inclusive, of the General Code, can be dissolved and until the legislature provides a procedure for dissolving such district theretofore established, such district cannot be dissolved.*

2. *County library districts established by popular vote of the electors as provided in section 7643-1, General Code, cannot be dissolved by a referendum vote of the electors of the district. A referendum vote on the question of dissolving county library districts can be had only when such a procedure is authorized by law.*

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 5, 1933.

HON. MARCUS MCCALLISTER, *Prosecuting Attorney, Xenia, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—Your request for my opinion reads as follows:

“Your opinion is respectfully requested on the following statement of facts:

We have in Greene County a library known as the county district library, which was created by popular vote, under the provisions of sections 7643-1 to 7643-9 of the General Code, 110 Ohio Laws, page 328, and recently amended in 114 Ohio Laws, page 54.

Although the law provides for the creation of a county library district, it does not provide for the dissolution of such a district. The