

Your attention is directed to the following language which appears therein:

"However, if the board of county commissioners of this county, in the exercise of its discretion in the matter, does not see fit to make such supplemental appropriations, or if by way of receipts and balances in said fund or monies transferred thereto there is not in said fund sufficient monies to make such supplemental appropriations, there would in such case be no authority for paying deputies, assistants or clerks in any such county offices an aggregate compensation exceeding that now fixed by appropriations heretofore made by the board of county commissioners for such respective offices."

In view of the foregoing and answering your question specifically, it is my opinion that the amount of money that may be expended by a county treasurer for deputies, assistants or clerk hire may not in the aggregate exceed the appropriations made by the board of county commissioners for said purpose. If a board of county commissioners, in the exercise of its discretion in the matter, does not see fit to make supplemental appropriations, or if by way of receipts and balances in the general county fund there is not sufficient money to make such supplemental appropriations, a county treasurer is without authority to pay deputies, assistants or clerks an aggregate compensation exceeding that fixed by appropriations theretofore made by the board of county commissioners for such office.

I am enclosing herewith a copy of Opinion No. 1339 referred to.

Respectfully,
EDWARD C. TURNER.
Attorney General.

1729.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF OAKWOOD VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT,
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, OHIO—\$206,500.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 18, 1928.

Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio. --

1730.

CEMETERIES—PURCHASE AND RESALE OF INDIVIDUAL GRAVE
VAULTS—AUTHORITY OF TOWNSHIP TRUSTEES.

SYLLABUS:

The trustees of a township are not authorized, by virtue of the authority vested in them with respect to the management and control of cemeteries, or otherwise,