

ship trustees are not authorized to expend money from the general fund to pay a contractor who has built a partition fence pursuant to Section 5913, General Code, even though the taxpayer upon whose land the fence was built has failed to pay his taxes to the county treasurer for over a year, and the amount can not be otherwise collected by the contractor.

Respectfully,
GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

2515.

APPROVAL, LEASE TO LANDS OF GEORGE C. AND MARTHA DITTIKOFER IN FULTON COUNTY FOR GAME REFUGE PURPOSES.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, November 7, 1930.

HON. J. W. THOMPSON, *Conservation Commissioner, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted Lease No. 2082 wherein George C. and Martha F. Dittikofer grant $40\frac{3}{4}$ acres of land situated in Pike Township, Fulton County, to the State for state game refuge purposes for the term of five years. Said lease in my opinion is in proper legal form and I have accordingly endorsed my approval thereon. Said lease has been properly executed by the lessor but should be executed by you on behalf of the Conservation Council. I am returning said lease herewith.

Respectfully,
GILBERT BETTMAN,
Attorney General.

2516.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF UPPER ARLINGTON VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO—\$75,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, November 7, 1930.

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

2517.

APPROVAL, CONTRACT BETWEEN STATE OF OHIO AND RONAN AND INGLESON, COLUMBUS, OHIO, FOR ARCHITECTURAL SERVICES IN CONNECTION WITH REMODELING MERRILL HALL AT KENT STATE COLLEGE, KENT, OHIO, AT AN EXPENDITURE OF \$4,800.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, November 7, 1930.

HON. ALBERT T. CONNAR, *Superintendent of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.*

DEAR SIR:—You have submitted for my examination and opinion a contract between the State of Ohio, acting by and through the Department of Public Works,