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amount of money that may be borrowed is limited to those expenses which the local board of health deems necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

I am unable to read into the clear and express provisions of this section any authority for the borrowing of money to cover the ordinary expenses of a board of health and therefore advise that in my opinion such authority is not contained therein.

> Respectfully, GILBERT BETTMAN, Attorney General.

3084.

APPROVAL, CONTRACTS FOR ROAD IMPROVEMENTS IN SUMMIT AND STARK COUNTIES.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 23, 1931.

HON. O. W. MERRELL, Director of Highways, Columbus, Ohio.

3085.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF MINSTER VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, AUGLAIZE COUNTY, OHIO—\$88,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, March 24, 1931.

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

3086.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF ROME TOWNSHIP, ATHENS COUNTY, OHIO, \$15,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OH10, March 24, 1931.

Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

3087.

SCHOOL SITES—SELECTION—POWERS OF BOARD OF EDUCATION UNDER STATUTE DISCUSSED—RESIDENTS OF DISTRICT STILL RETAIN RIGHT TO HAVE ANY CLOSED SCHOOL REOPENED UPON PETITION.

SYLLABUS:

1. A board of education possesses the power to select school sites by force of Section 7620, General Code, and in the absence of abuse of discretion, fraud or collusion, the exercise of such power will not be interfered with by the courts.

2. The board of education of a rural or village school district may, by authority of section 7730, General Code, suspend any one or all the schools of the school district and provide for the assignment of the pupils attending such schools to one or more other schools of the district, subject to the rights of the patrons of: