ATTORNEY GENERAL.

163.

APPROVAL, NOTES OF BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT. WOOD COUNTY, OHIO—\$12,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 23, 1933.

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

164.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF CITY OF FOSTORIA, SENECA AND HANCOCK COUNTIES, OHIO—\$5,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 23, 1933.

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

165.

APPROVAL, BONDS FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES—S. D. DOWNING, AS RESIDENT DIVISION DEPUTY DI-RECTOR OF HIGHWAYS—WALTER J. NEIDHARDT, AS RESIDENT DISTRICT DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF HIGHWAYS.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 23, 1933.

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

DEAR SIR:-You have submitted for my approval two bonds, each in the penal sum of \$5,000, with sureties as indicated, to cover the faithful performance of the duties of the officials as hereinafter listed:

S. D. Downing, Resident Division Deputy Director No. 1-New York Casualty Company.

Walter J. Neidhardt, Resident District Deputy Director, Allen and Van Wert Counties-New York Casualty Company.

The first listed bond is undoubtedly executed pursuant to the provisions of sections 1182 and 1182-3, General Code, which provide so far as pertinent:

"Sec. 1182. * * * Each division deputy director shall give bond in the sum of five thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duties with surcties to the approval of the state highway director. * * *"

"Sec. 1182-3. * * * All bonds hereinbefore provided for shall be conditioned upon the faithful discharge of the duties of their respective positions, and such bonds * * * shall be approved as to the sufficiency of the

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sureties by the director (of highways), and as to legality and form by the attorney general, and be deposited with the secretary of state. * * * (Words in parenthesis the writer's.)

The second listed bond is undoubtedly executed pursuant to the provisions of sections 1183 and 1182-3, General Code. Section 1183, General Code, provides in part:

"* * * Such resident district deputy directors shall * * * give bond in the sum of five thousand dollars. * * *"

Section 1182-3, General Code, has been quoted above.

Finding said bonds to have been properly executed in accordance with the above statutory provisions, I am hereby approving them as to form, and returning them to you herewith.

> Respectfully, John W. Bricker, Attorney General.

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APPROVAL, BONDS OF JACKSON TOWNSHIP RURAL SCHOOL DIS-TRICT, SANDUSKY COUNTY, OHIO—\$5,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 24, 1933.

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

167.

RECORDING—USE OF PHOTÔSTATIC OR PHOTOGRAPHIC PROCESS AUTHORIZED—COUNTY RECORDER MAY CHARGE STATUTORY FEE FOR SUCH RECORDING.

SYLLABUS:

The photostatic or photographic process, authorized by section 32-1 of the General Code, is included within the term "printing" as used in section 2778, and therefore a county recorder using such process for recording instruments, may collect the fees specified in that section.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, February 24, 1933.

Bureau of Inspection and Supervision of Public Offices, Columbus, Ohio. GENTLEMEN:-I have your letter of recent date which reads as follows:

"You are respectfully requested to furnish this department with your written opinion upon the following: