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2. Section 4328, General Code, applies to the board of trustees of public affairs in the purchase of equipment for a combined water works and power plant, and when such purchase exceeds five hundred dollars, the same must be made in pursuance to authority of council and the contract let, after advertisement, to the lowest and best bidder.

In closing, it is desired to add that the above opinion is written on the assumption that the village in question has not, under the Home Rule Sections of the Constitution of Ohio, made provisions contrary to the sections of the code herein involved; and no consideration has been given as to the effect of any such provisions, if adopted.

Respectfully,
EDWARD C. TURNER,
Attorney General.

2648.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF READING VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, HAMILTON COUNTY, OHIO—\$65,000.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 29, 1928.

Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

2649.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF THE CITY OF EAST PALESTINE, COLUMBIANA COUNTY—\$19,485.00.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, September 29, 1928.

Industrial Commission of Ohio, Columbus, Ohio.

2650.

APPROVAL, BONDS OF THE CITY OF EAST PALESTINE, COLUMBIANA COUNTY—\$16,303.10.

Columbus, Ohio, September 29, 1928.

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