

tion of issuing such bonds may also be submitted to the legal voters of said village at an annual village election, upon petition and in the same manner as herein provided for a special election.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 16, 1891.

CHAPTER 181.

[S. F. No. 724.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LE SUEUR TO ISSUE BONDS TO AID IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF A RAILROAD

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota :

SECTION 1. That the common council of the city of Le Sueur, Le Sueur county, Minnesota, are hereby authorized to issue bonds to aid in the construction of a railroad from Mankato in said state, to the cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul therein, through the county of Sibley on the west side of the Minnesota river near said city of Le Sueur, not to exceed the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, to be issued in such denominations and payable at such times, not to exceed ten (10) years, and drawing such a rate of interest, not to exceed six (6) per cent per annum, and at such place as the said common council shall determine.

SEC. 2. Said bonds shall be signed by the mayor and countersigned by the clerk of said city, and the said clerk shall keep a record of all bonds issued under the provisions of this act, giving dates, numbers and amounts, to whom issued and when payable.

SEC. 3. Said common council shall, and are hereby authorized and empowered to, levy an annual tax on all the taxable property of said city, in addition to all the other taxes required by law to be levied, sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it matures, and also to levy an additional tax sufficient to pay the principal of said bonds at the time or times when the same shall become due and payable, which taxes shall be levied and collected in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected for city purposes.

SEC. 4. Before it shall be lawful for said common council to issue such bonds, the proposition to issue the same shall be submitted to the legal voters of said city for their approval or rejection, at any annual or special election of said city, due notice as provided by law in other elections and stating the proposition to be voted upon being given. The ballots used at such election shall be written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, thereon the words. "For issue of bonds to aid in the construction of a railroad—Yes," or "For issue of bonds to aid in the construction of a railroad—No." And said ballots shall be cast in the same manner and canvassed the same as

ballots cast at the annual city elections in said city; and if it shall be found upon such canvass that a majority of the voters present and voting at such election have voted in favor of such proposition then the issue of such bonds shall be lawful.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 16, 1891.

CHAPTER 182.

[S. F. No. 771.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF POLK AND THE VILLAGE OF THIEF RIVER FALLS TO CONSTRUCT A BRIDGE ACROSS THE RED LAKE RIVER ON SECTION THIRTY-THREE (33), TOWNSHIP ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOUR (154), RANGE FORTY-THREE (43), POLK COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SECTION 1. The board of county commissioners of Polk county, Minnesota, are hereby authorized and directed to issue and sell the bonds of said county to the amount of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), for the object and upon the condition hereinafter stated; and the bonds so to be issued shall be in such sums or denominations, payable at such times and bearing such interest, as said board of commissioners shall in their discretion determine.

SEC. 2. The village council of the village of Thief River Falls, Polk county, are hereby authorized to issue bonds of the said village, for the purpose of aiding in building a bridge as hereinafter provided, the said bonds to be one thousand dollars (\$1,000) in amount, issued in such denominations, payable at such times and bearing such interest, as the said village council of the village of Thief River Falls shall in their discretion determine.

SEC. 3. The proper authorities of said village shall annually levy and collect, in the same manner as other village taxes are levied and collected, in addition to all other taxes, an amount sufficient to pay the interest accruing upon said bonds, and the said bonds as they shall mature.

SEC. 4. The proceeds of the sale of the said three thousand dollars (\$3,000) of bonds to be issued by said Polk county, and the said one thousand dollars (\$1,000) of bonds to be issued by the said village of Thief River Falls, shall be used exclusively in the construction of a bridge over the Red Lake River (and approaches thereto) on section thirty-three, township one hundred and fifty-four (154), range forty-three (43), Polk county, Minnesota. The said bridge shall be located and constructed under the control and supervision of the county commissioners of Polk county, Minnesota.

SEC. 5. The bonds of the said village of Thief River Falls shall not be issued until the said village shall have voted upon the proposition