

may choose, *viva voce*, two judges of the election and one clerk, who shall take an oath or affirmation to faithfully discharge the duties required of them; and said judges and clerk being duly qualified, shall forthwith open the polls by proclamation, and conduct the election in the manner prescribed for the election of town officers in the act to which this act is an amendment.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, February 19, 1863.

CHAPTER XLVIII.

An Act to Enable certain Towns in Fillmore County to Raise a Special Tax to build a Bridge at Rushford, in said County.

- SECTION 1. Shall be lawful to vote for or against assessing a tax for the purpose of building a bridge.
2. Manner of voting.
 3. Duty of County Auditor.
 4. Board of Commissioners, of whom to consist.
 5. When act to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be lawful for the towns of Rushford, Norway, Holt, Amherst, and Canton, of the county of Fillmore, at their next annual town meeting, to determine by a vote for or against the assessing of a tax of six mills on the dollar upon all the taxable property in each of said towns, for the purpose of building a bridge over Root river at Rushford, in said county.

SEC. 2. The ballots shall be printed, or written, or partly printed and partly written as follows: "For the Rushford bridge tax," or "Against the Rushford bridge tax." The judges of elections in the several towns

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shall canvass said votes in the same manner that votes for town officers are canvassed, and the result of said ballot shall be transmitted to the County Auditor by the several town clerks by mail or otherwise within ten days' of said election.

SEC. 3. If upon receipt of the returns from the above mentioned towns, the County Auditor shall find that any four of said towns have voted for said tax, then the Auditor shall proceed to extend a tax of six mills on the dollar upon the assesment rolls of the towns voting said tax.

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SEC. 4. The chairman of the board of supervisors of each of the several towns upon which said tax is assessed shall be a board of commissioners under whose direction the money raised by the provisions of this act shall be expended, and the County Treasurer is hereby required to pay over all moneys collected by the provisions of this act upon the order of a majority of said commissioners.

Board of Commissioners of whom to consist

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

Approved, March 5, 1863.

CHAPTER XLIX.

An Act to Authorize the Town of Plymouth, in Hennepin County, to Levy a Tax to pay a Bounty to Volunteers.

- SECTION 1. Duty of County Auditor.
 2. For what purpose tax assessed.
 3. When act to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. That the County Auditor of Hennepin