

said town at any annual or special town meeting heretofore held in said town, be and the same are hereby legalized and made valid and binding upon said town.

SEC. 3. The town treasurer of said town of Vasa is hereby authorized, and it is hereby made his duty to pay out of the residue of the moneys that heretofore have been, or that hereafter may be raised by tax upon the taxable property in said town of Vasa, after the payment of the current contingent expenses of said town, or, after reserving a sufficient sum to pay such current expenses, any and all other bonds and orders drawn by the proper authorities of said town upon such treasurer, or so much thereof as the money in the town treasury applicable thereto will pay.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1868.

CHAPTER LXXVII.

An Act to authorize the town authorities of the town of Leon, in the county of Goodhue, State of Minnesota, to audit and allow certain accounts against said town, and to levy a tax for certain purposes.

- SECTION 1. Board of Supervisors authorized to audit the accounts of all persons who have advanced money to said town for purposes herein specified—said accounts declared legal.
2. Authorized to levy a tax for the purpose of paying accounts so audited.
 3. Town Clerk to certify to County Auditor the amount of tax so to be raised—duty of County Auditor.
 4. Duty of Town Treasurer.
 5. When act to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. The board of supervisors of the town of

Duties of Treasurer.

When act to take effect.

March 6, 1868.

Leon in the county of Goodhue, state of Minnesota, are hereby authorized and fully empowered to audit the account of any and all persons who have advanced money to, or for the use or benefit of said town, or who, to raise money to procure volunteers to fill the quota assigned to said town, under any call or calls for soldiers to serve in the army or service of the United States during the late rebellion, have either advanced the same, or borrowed the same upon his or their individual note or notes, and applied the sum so advanced, and the amount so borrowed to the purpose aforesaid, and have since paid such note or notes, and allow such accounts of the moneys so advanced, and of the amounts so paid upon said notes, with interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum, from the time the same was so advanced or paid. And the amounts so advanced, and the moneys so paid upon such notes, and the account thereof so audited, are hereby declared to be legal and proper charges against said town. And the said supervisors are authorized and empowered to draw orders upon the town treasurer of said town in favor of the person or persons in whose favor they shall have allowed any such account or accounts for the full amount of the account or accounts so allowed.

Accounts legalized.

SEC. 2. The board of supervisors of said town of Leon, are hereby authorized and fully empowered to levy a tax upon the taxable property of said town of Leon, for the year A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, sufficient in addition to all incidental current expenses of said town for said year, to pay the aggregate amount that shall be audited and allowed under the provisions of section one of this act. *Provided*, That if said supervisors shall deem it for the best interest of said town, they may levy a tax in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight for only such part of said sum so audited as to them shall seem proper, and in that case they may levy a tax for the year A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine upon such taxable property in said town for the residue of said sum with interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from the time the same is so audited.

To levy a tax—
for what purpose.

SEC. 3. The town clerk of said town of Leon shall at the time he is required by law to certify to the county auditor of said Goodhue county, the amount voted to be raised for town purposes for the years A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight and A. D. one thousand eight

Clerk to certify to Auditor the amount of tax to be raised—duty of Auditor.

hundred and sixty-nine; also certify to said county auditor the amount, by said board of supervisors levied, as provided in section two of this act, for the payment of the said amounts by them audited and allowed, as provided in section one. And the said county auditor shall extend upon the tax duplicate of said town in an appropriate column the aggregate amount so certified to him.

Duties of Town
Treasurer.

SEC. 4. The town treasurer of said town of Leon is hereby authorized, and it shall be his duty to pay, out of any money in said town treasury not otherwise appropriated, any and all orders issued in pursuance of section one of this act.

When act to take
effect.

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

Approved March 6, 1868.

CHAPTER LXXVIII.

March 5, 1868.

An Act to legalize certain orders issued by the council of the Town of St. Cloud, as a bonus to the St. Cloud Bridge Company, and to provide for the payment of the same.

- SECTION 1. Legalization of bonds issued as a bonus to the St. Cloud Bridge Company.
2. Special tax to be levied for the purpose of paying said bonds—how collected.
 3. Orders and interest, how paid.
 4. When act to take effect.

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

Bonds legalized.

SECTION 1. That the town orders to the amount of eight thousand dollars issued by the council of the town of St. Cloud as a bonus to the St. Cloud bridge company, payable to said company, pursuant to a resolution of said council passed on the nineteenth (19), day of August, A. D.