CHAPTER LXI.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF HENDERSON TO ISSUE BONDS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE AT THE BOROUGH OF HENDERSON!

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

SECTION 1. The town of Henderson is hereby authorized to issue the bonds of said town, including the borough of Henderson, for the building of a bridge across the Minnesota river, at the foot of Main street in the borough of Henderson; the bonds issued for that purpose shall not exceed in amount the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, in sums not less than one hundred dollars, and shall be made payable after ten and before twenty years from the date of their issue, and shall draw interest not to exceed ten per cent. per annum, interest payable annually; said bonds shall not be sold for less than their par value.

SEC. 2. Said bonds and the coupons for the interest thereof, shall be signed by the chairman of supervisors of the town of Henderson, and attested by the clerk thereof, and shall be made payable at the city of St. Paul; the clerk shall keep a record of all bonds so issued, showing the amount of each, the rate of interest and to whom payable.

- SEC. 3. The supervisors of the town of Henderson are hereby authorized and required to levy an annual tax on the taxable property of said town, including the borough of Henderson, sufficient to meet the interest as it becomes due, and the principal of said bonds as they shall mature, said tax shall be levied and collected in the same manner as other taxes are, and shall be paid over to the treasurer of said town by the county treasurer, and no part of such tax shall be appropriated for any other purpose than the payment of said bonds and the interest thereon:
- SEC. 4. The proposition to issue said bonds shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of the town, including the borough of Henderson, at a special election; at least ten days' notice shall be given of the time and place of such election, by notices being posted in three of the most public places in said town by the town clerk, and by publishing the same in the "Henderson Independent;" the ballots used at such election shall have written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, the following words, viz: "For issue of bonds for building bridge," or "Against issue of bonds for building bridge;" said ballots shall be cast at said election in the same manner as votes are cast for town officers, and if upon a canvass of said votes it appears that a majority of all the votes cast for or against said proposition shall be in favor of issuing bonds for building bridge, then the issue of said bonds shall be lawful, and the bonds shall be issued as herein specified.

SEC. 5. That Matthew Donohue, Thomas Welch, Herman Matti, Fred Poehler and Jonas Frankenfield are hereby constituted a committee, to make a contract for and superintend the building of said

bridge, and may employ a competent engineer to assist them; they shall negotiate said bonds and pay out the money, and the town supervisors when requested by a majority of such committee, shall issue said bonds or so much thereof as be necessary for the building of such bridge.

SEC. 9. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its

passage.

Approved February 15th, 1876.

CHAPTER LXII.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF MONTICELLO, WRIGHT COUNTY, TO ISSUE BONDS TO AID IN BUILDING AND OPERATING A STEAMBOAT ON THE UPPER MISSISSIPPI RIVER BETWEEN MINNEAPOLIS AND ST. CLOUD,

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

SECTION 1. The town of Monticello, in the county of Wright, is hereby authorized to issue the bonds of said town to aid in building and operating a steamboat upon the upper Mississippi river between Minneapolis and St. Cloud. *Provided*, The bonds issued for such purpose shall not exceed in amount the sum of twelve hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,250.00).

SEC. 2. Said bonds shall be signed by the chairman of the board of supervisors of said town, and attested by the town clerk thereof. The town clerk shall keep a record of all bonds thus issued showing the

number, date and amount of each, and to whom payable.

SEC. 3. The supervisors of said town of Monticello are hereby authorized and required to levy an annual tax on the taxable property of said town sufficient to meet such bonds as they shall mature, said tax shall be levied and collected in the same manner as other taxes, and shall be paid over to the treasurer of said town by the county treasurer. And no part of such tax shall be appropriated for any other purpose than the payment of said bonds.

Sec. 4. The proposition to issue said bonds shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of the town of Monticello at the first annual meeting of said electors after the passage of this act, or at any special meeting thereof. And if a majority of the votes cast that have been voted on said proposition shall be in favor of issuing bonds for the purposes stated in article one of this act, then the issue of said bonds shall be

lawful.

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

Approved February 18, 1876.