

ber one hundred and seven (107) north of range number twenty-eight (28) west of the fifth principal meridian, Minnesota.

Provided, that such change shall not exempt the territory above described from the payment of its just proportion of the present bonded indebtedness of said district number sixteen (16).

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

Approved March 7, 1881.

CHAPTER 136.

AN ACT to authorize independent school district No. one (1) in Redwood county to issue bonds.

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

SEC. 1. That the board of education of the independent school district number one (1) in the county of Redwood in the State of Minnesota, are hereby authorized to issue the bonds of said district to an amount not exceeding ten thousand (10,000) dollars for the purpose of erecting school buildings and improving the grounds thereof.

SEC. 2. The bonds issued under this act shall be in such denominations as the board of education shall determine, but not less than one hundred (100) dollars, each with coupons attached, and shall be signed by the president of the board and countersigned by the clerk and shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding seven (7) per cent. per annum, interest payable annually at the village of Redwood in the State of Minnesota.

SEC. 3. The board of education of said district shall have power and authority to negotiate said bonds but at not less than their par value, and may provide for the payment of the principal and interest after the lapse of ten (10) years of one half of each and every bond in the same manner as is provided hereafter for the payment of the interest thereon, and at the expiration of twenty (20) years for the whole extinguishment of the same principal and interest.

SEC. 4. The proposition to issue said bonds shall be submitted to a vote of the electors of said school district at a general or special election called by said board of education or a majority of them for that purpose. The clerk of said district shall give notice of such election by posting notice at least ten (10) days previous to such election in three public places in said district and also in any newspaper printed and published in said district (if any) for the same time previous of the time and place for and object of such election.

The ballots at such election shall have on them plainly written or printed or partly written and partly printed the words: "For the issue of bonds" or "against the issue of bonds," and if it shall appear after the canvassing of the votes by the said board of education of said district which is hereby created a board for that purpose, that a majority of electors so voting on said question shall have voted for said "issue of bonds," then the issue of said bonds shall be lawful.

SEC. 5. The board of education of said district shall on or before the first (1st) day of September in each year after the issue of said bonds until said bonds are fully paid, levied and in due form certify to the auditor of said county of Redwood a tax upon the taxable property of said district which shall be necessary to pay the interest annually due on said coupons of said bonds unpaid, and shall be collected as other taxes are collected and paid to the treasurer of said district and used for no other purpose except the interest and principal of said bonds.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 18, 1881.

CHAPTER 137.

AN ACT to legalize the organization of certain school districts in Yellow Medicine county and to legalize the official acts of the trustees of said school districts.

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

SECTION 1. That school districts numbered from one (1) to forty-four (44) inclusive, in the county of Yellow Medicine, as the same are now constituted, are hereby declared to be organized school districts within said county, having all the rights, privileges and immunities of organized school districts, and all proceedings had in organizing said school districts and all the official acts of the trustees of said school districts are hereby legalized and declared to be valid.

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

Approved February 17, 1881.