board of supervisors and countersigned by the town clerk of said township, and shall be payable at the office of the county treasurer of said Blue Earth county.

SEC. 3. The board of supervisors of the said township shall have power and authority to negotiate said bonds, but not at less than

their par value.

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

Approved March 22, 1889.

CHAPTER 240.

[H. F. No. 810.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWNSHIP OF GARDEN CITY, BLUE EARTH COUNTY, TO ISSUE RE-FUNDING BONDS FOR RAILROAD INDEBTEDNESS.

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

Section 1. That the township of Garden City, in the county of Blue Earth, in this state, is authorized and empowered by the vote of the supervisors of said township, to issue its bonds with interest coupons attached, to the amount of twelve thousand five hundred dollars

(\$12,500), to refund and pay its railroad bonded debt.

SEC. 2. That the bonds issued under this act shall be designated refunding bonds of the township of Garden City, and shall be of the denomination of five hundred dollars (\$500); each bond shall have interest coupons attached, and shall be payable at the option of the said township after ten (10) years, and on or before twenty (20) years, and shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding six (6) per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, viz: on the first (1st) days of January and July in each year.

The said bonds and coupons shall be signed by the chairman of the board of supervisors and countersigned by the town clerk of said township, and shall be payable at the office of the county treasurer of

said county of Blue Earth.

SEC. 3. The board of supervisors of the said township shall have power and authority to negotiate said bonds, but not at less than their par value.

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

Approved March 20, 1889.