

to be called and held in the same manner as hereinbefore provided, and with like effect.

SEC. 18. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 5, 1889.

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## CHAPTER 242.

[H. F. No. 948.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAINT CLOUD, MINNESOTA, TO ISSUE THE BONDS OF SAID CITY FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING A BRIDGE AND ACQUIRING APPROACHES THEREFOR ACROSS THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER.

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

SECTION 1. That the common council of the city of Saint Cloud, in the state of Minnesota, be and hereby is authorized and empowered to issue the bonds of said city to the amount of eighty thousand dollars (\$80,000), in such denominations, payable at such time or times, and at such rate of interest, not exceeding six (6) per cent. per annum with interest coupons attached, as such council shall by resolution determine, for the purpose of building and constructing a bridge across the Mississippi river in said city, at Tenth (10th) street south, and to acquire the necessary approaches therefor; *provided*, that if said point of location shall be found impracticable, the location of such bridge across said river at a point below said Tenth (10th) street shall in no way affect the validity of said bonds.

SEC. 2. Said bonds and coupons shall be signed by the mayor and clerk of said city, and sealed with the corporate seal thereof, and shall be sold for not less than their par value.

SEC. 3. The common council of said city shall have the power, and it is hereby made its duty to levy all necessary taxes upon the taxable property of said city, for the purpose of paying the interest and principal of such bonds, as the same shall mature.

SEC. 4. The proposition to issue said bonds shall be submitted to the legal voters of said city at the next general city election to be held therein on Monday the first (1st) day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine (1889), without further notice. The ballots used at said election in favor of said proposition, shall have written or printed, or partly written and partly printed thereon the words, "For the Issue of Bridge Bonds—Yes"; and those opposed to said proposition shall have written or printed, or partly written and partly printed thereon, "For the Issue of Bridge Bonds—No", but no ballot shall be thrown out or held invalid for failure to conform to the above requirements, if it substantially complies therewith, and if the intention of the voter is clearly ascertainable therefrom; such votes shall be received and

canvassed at the same time and in the same manner and by the same officers that other votes at such city election are received and canvassed, and if upon a canvass of votes it shall be found that a majority of the voters of said city voting upon such proposition, have voted in favor of the same, the issue of said bonds shall thereupon be lawful.

SEC. 5. In case the proposition to issue said bonds shall not be submitted at such city election, or in case the same shall be defeated, then the proposition to issue the same may be resubmitted to the voters of said city by said common council, at a special election, to be held at such time as said council may determine; *provided*, that at least thirty (30) days' notice of such special election shall be given by publication in the official paper of said city, and by posting a copy of said notice in a conspicuous place in each of the several voting precincts of said city. Said special election shall be conducted and said votes cast and canvassed in all respects as herein provided at said general election, and the result determined in like manner and with like effect.

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

Approved March 29, 1889.

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## CHAPTER 243.

[H. F. No. 981.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE VILLAGE OF DASSEL, IN MEEKER COUNTY, TO CONSTRUCT AND MAINTAIN A SYSTEM OF WATER WORKS AND SEWERAGE IN SAID VILLAGE AND TO ISSUE ITS BONDS TO THE AMOUNT OF FIVE THOUSAND (5,000) DOLLARS TO PAY FOR THE SAME.

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

SECTION 1. That the village of Dassel, in the county of Meeker, Minnesota, is hereby authorized and empowered to construct and maintain a system of water works and sewerage, for said village and to acquire such property as may be necessary therefor, and for that purpose to issue and negotiate the bonds of said village, with interest coupons attached, to an amount not exceeding the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars, payable in such times and places and drawing such annual rate of interest not to exceed seven (7) per cent. per annum, as the village council of said village shall by resolution determine.

SEC. 2. No such bonds shall be issued until such issue shall be authorized by a majority of the legal voters of said village, present and voting at any general or special election, called, noticed and held as election for village officers are, or may be, held in said village.