

CHAPTER 334.

[H. F. No. 1041.]

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE SALARY OF THE JUDGE OF PROBATE OF THE COUNTY OF AITKIN, IN THIS STATE, AND TO FIX THE AMOUNT THEREOF.

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

SECTION 1. That the salary of the judge of probate for the county of Aitkin, in this state, be and the same is hereby fixed at the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) per annum, payable monthly, in equal monthly payments, from the revenue fund in the treasury of said county. The auditor of said Aitkin county is hereby authorized and required to draw his warrant on the treasurer of said county in favor of said judge of probate for the amount of such monthly payment on the first (1st) Monday of each month, payable out of the revenue fund.

SEC. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 15, 1891.

CHAPTER 335.

[H. F. No. 349.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF AITKIN, IN THIS STATE, TO EMPLOY COUNSEL FOR THE PROSECUTION OR DEFENSE OF CERTAIN TAX CASES AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE SAME.

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

SECTION 1. The board of county commissioners of the county of Aitkin, in this state, are hereby authorized to employ counsel or other legal services for the prosecution and defense of any and all tax cases which are now or may hereafter be instituted for and in behalf or against said county. Such services to be in addition to the services of the county attorney in said county, and they may, in their discretion, authorize said counsel so employed to take and have full control of such cases.

SEC. 2. Said county commissioners are hereby authorized to pay to said counsel so employed such sums as shall be just and reasonable compensation for the services rendered, which shall be paid out of the county revenue fund of said county; *Provided, that the authority*

hereby granted shall not continue for more than two (2) years from and after the first (1st) day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one (1891).

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved February 27, 1891.

CHAPTER 336.

[S. F. No. 651.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ANOKA COUNTY TO ISSUE BONDS TO AID IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE ACROSS RUM RIVER ON THE LINE BETWEEN TOWNSHIP THIRTY-TWO (32), RANGE TWENTY-FOUR (24), AND TOWNSHIP THIRTY-TWO (32), RANGE TWENTY-FIVE (25), IN SAID COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. The board of county commissioners of the county of Anoka, in the state of Minnesota, are hereby authorized and empowered to issue the bonds of the said county of Anoka, to an amount not to exceed three thousand dollars (\$3,000), with interest coupons attached, for the purpose of constructing a bridge across Rum river on the line between section six (6), township thirty-two (32), range twenty-four (24), and section one (1), township thirty-two (32), range twenty-five (25), in said Anoka county.

SEC. 2. The said bonds shall be of a denomination of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100), and not more than five hundred dollars (\$500), with interest coupons attached, and shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding six (6) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, at such place as the said board of county commissioners may by resolution designate. Said bonds shall become due and payable ten (10) years from the date of the issue of said bonds.

SEC. 3. The bonds and interest coupons attached, issued under the provisions of this act, shall be signed by the chairman of the board of county commissioners of said Anoka county, and attested by the auditor of said county and sealed with his official seal. The auditor of said county of Anoka shall keep a record of all the bonds issued under the provisions of this act, which record shall show the date, number and amount of each bond, the rate of interest, the time when due, the place where payable and the name of the party or parties to whom issued.

SEC. 4. The board of county commissioners of said Anoka county shall, annually, levy a tax upon the taxable property of said county, in addition to all other taxes levied, sufficient to pay the interest accruing yearly upon the bonds issued in pursuance to this act, and when the principal is about to become due they shall in like manner levy a sufficient amount of taxes to pay such principal sum when due.

SEC. 5. The board of county commissioners of said Anoka county shall have authority to negotiate said bonds, but they shall not negotiate them for less than their par value.

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

Approved April 18, 1891.