of county commissioners, and countersigned by the auditor of said county, and said auditor shall keep a record of all bonds so issued, showing the numbers, dates, amounts, to whom issued and when payable.

Duty of county commissioners

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of said board of county commissioners to see that said bonds are faithfully applied for the purposes herein specified and none other; and they shall have authority to negotiate said bonds as they shall deem best for the interests of the county; Provided, that they shall not negotiate the same at less than their par value; and provided further, that not more than eight thousand dollars thereof, shall be used for building and furnishing a county jail.

Sec. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force

from and after its passage. Approved, March 7, 1867.

CHAPTER LXXIV.

February 12, 67 An Act to authorize the commissioners of the county of Hennepin to issue bonds.

SECTION 1.—Commissioners may issue bonds.

2.—Rate of interest—when bonds payable.

8.—Proper authorities may levy tax.

4.--How bonds signed.

5.—How bonds negotiated.

6.-When act to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. That the county commissioners of the May issue bonds county of Hennepin are hereby authorized to issue the bonds of said county for the purpose of erecting a county jail and the necessary buildings thereto properly belonging, in a sum not exceeding thirty thousand dollars, in such denominations as the commissioners of said county may determine.

SEC. 2. Such bonds may bear interest at a rate not Rate of interest exceeding twelve per cent. per annum, payable annually; the principal shall be payable at such times as said board shall deem proper; Provided, That said bonds shall all be payable within eight years from the date of their issue.

SEC. 3. The proper authorities of said county shall May levy tax annually levy and include in the general tax, and levy in addition thereto an amount sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds so issued, and, also, a special tax of one mill annually on each dollar's valuation to pay the principal of said bonds.

SEC. 4. The bonds issued under the provisions of Bonds-how this act shall be signed by the chairman of the board signed of county commissioners of said county and countersigned by the county auditor, who shall keep a record of all bonds issued under the provisions of this act.

SEC. 5. The said board shall have power to nego- How negotiated tiate said bonds as they shall deem best for the interest of said county, provided that they shall not negotiate the same at less than their par value.

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

Approved, February 12, 1867.