

or town shall be only expended to aid in the construction of such road within such township or the one contiguous thereto, as near as practicable. *Provided*, That any tax payer, producing to the county treasurer prior to the collection of the tax, a voucher of the proper officer of the railroad company, showing his tax has been paid to the satisfaction of the company, shall, on filing the same with the county treasurer, be discharged from the tax.

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

Approved February 23, 1869.

CHAPTER XLIV.

An Act to amend Chapter twenty-four, of the Special Laws of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, entitled an act to authorize the towns of Fillmore, Mower, Freeborn, Faribault, Martin and Jackson counties to issue bonds to aid in the construction of any railroads running into or through said counties. Feb'y 27, 1869.

SECTION 1. Amendment to Section two (2) of Chapter twenty-four (24), Special Laws of 1868. To be issued in sums of not less than one hundred dollars each
—at what rate of interest—extension of time for redemption.

2. When act to take effect.

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

SECTION 1. That section two, of chapter twenty-four, of the special laws of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, be amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 2. The said bonds shall be issued in sums of not less than one hundred dollars each; may bear interest at a rate not exceeding ten per cent. per annum, payable

Denomination—
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annually, and shall run for a period not exceeding thirty years from their respective dates. They shall be signed by the chairman of the board of supervisors, and countersigned by the town clerk of such town, and the principal and interest as they become due, shall be payable to the person or corporation to whom they shall be issued, or bearer, on presentation to the town treasurer. *Provided*, That wherever any towns in either of said counties named, have already voted to issue bonds in aid of any railroad company to run for the period of ten years, this act shall not in any manner invalidate such action, but the supervisors of any such town may, with the consent of the company, fix the time at which such bonds be made payable at any time not exceeding thirty years, in accordance with the provisions of this act. *Provided*, That none of the provisions of this act shall apply to the counties of Faribault, Martin and Jackson, or to the bonds to be issued by any of the towns of said counties by virtue of the power conferred in the act of March sixth, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight.

When act to
take effect.

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

Approved February 27, 1869.