

and the mode of the execution thereof, be and the same are hereby legalized and made valid.

SEC. 2. The supervisors of said town of Wakefield are hereby authorized, if in their judgment they shall deem it advisable, to cancel and destroy the bonds already issued and in their stead to issue other bonds in a like amount, to be signed by the chairman of the board of supervisors of said town and attested by the clerk thereof, said bonds to be issued in sums of five hundred (500) dollars each and to bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent interest and payable on or before four (4) years from the date of the issuance thereof; *Provided, however,* That the provisions of this section shall become operative only upon the consent of the holders thereof and to that extent.

SEC. 3. This act shall be in force from and after its approval.

Approved March 5, 1885.

CHAPTER 227.

AN ACT TO LEGALIZE AND CONFIRM A PLAT OF THE VILLAGE OF EXCELSIOR.

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

SECTION 1. That a certain plat in the village of Excelsior, in Hennepin county, made and executed by George W. Cooley from a survey of said village made by him in the year A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three (1883), and which plat was on the thirtieth (30th) day of January, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five (1885), duly accepted and adopted by the village council of said village of Excelsior, be, and the same is hereby, legalized and confirmed as the true and legal plat of said village of Excelsior, so far as the same relates to the boundaries of the streets and alleys in said village, and said plat is hereby declared to be lawful and competent evidence of the contents thereof in any court or place in this state. In case any plat heretofore made shall in any respect, as to the streets and alleys of said village, differ from the said plat herein legalized, then the said plat herein legalized shall be deemed paramount to, and shall to that extent supersede, any other such plat or plats.

SEC. 2. All deeds, contracts, mortgages, conveyances and instruments of any kind, which have been made and executed, or shall

hereafter be made and executed, referring to said plat herein legalized, shall be held to be good and lawful instruments so far as the same shall refer to the said streets and alleys.

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

Approved February 24, 1885.

CHAPTER 228.

AN ACT TO LEGALIZE CERTAIN PUBLIC PRINTING OF THE COUNTY OF MORRISON, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE PAYMENT OF THE SAME.

WHEREAS, A statement of the receipts and expenditures of the county of Morrison for the year ending February twenty-nine (29), one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (1884), having been published in the Little Falls Transcript, a newspaper then published weekly in the English language in said county, for three (3) successive weeks, the last of which publications being on the fourth (4th) day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (1884), the said publication having been made by virtue of a statement in writing furnished the publisher of said newspaper by the auditor of said county, purporting to be the financial statement of the county of Morrison for the year ending February twenty-nine (29), one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (1884), made by the commissioners of said county as by law required, and no other statement purporting to be the financial statement of said county for said year having been published in any paper in said county at any time; Therefore,

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

SECTION 1. That the said publication of the said statement is hereby legalized and declared to be the lawful publication of the financial statement of the county of Morrison for the year ending February twenty ninth (29th), one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (1884), and the board of commissioners for the county of Morrison are hereby authorized and required to appropriate sufficient funds from the treasury of the said county, not otherwise appropriated, to pay for said publication at rates not exceeding the maximum rates now allowed by law in publications of like character.

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

Approved March 3, 1885.