

utes of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight (1878) and the several acts amendatory thereof any lands needed for the construction or maintenance of said bridge or of the approaches thereto.

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

Approved Feb. 12th, 1887.

CHAPTER 156.

[S. F. No. 180.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF WINONA TO ISSUE BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF BUILDING A COURT HOUSE IN SAID COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. That the board of county commissioners of the county of Winona, are hereby authorized to issue the bonds of said county for the purpose of erecting and furnishing a court house at the city of Winona, the county seat of said county, in a sum not exceeding sixty thousand (60,000) dollars, in such denominations as such board of county commissioners may determine.

SEC. 2. The principal of said bonds shall be paid at such time and in such manner as the said board of county commissioners may elect.

SEC. 3. Said bonds shall be signed by the chairman of the said board of county commissioners and countersigned and sealed by the auditor of said county, and shall have interest coupons attached thereto, which coupons shall be signed by said chairman and countersigned by the auditor of said county, and the said auditor shall keep a record of all the bonds issued under the provisions of this act giving numbers, dates and amounts, to whom issued and when payable.

SEC. 4. The said board of county commissioners shall negotiate said bonds in such manner as, in their judgment, shall be for the best interests of said county. *Provided*, That the net amount paid into the treasury of said county from the sale thereof, shall not be less than the par value of said bonds, together with any interest that shall have accrued thereon before such sale and payment.

SEC. 5. Said board and the proper authorities of said county shall and they are hereby authorized and required to levy an annual tax on the taxable property of said county, over and above and in addition to all other taxes required by law to be levied, sufficient to pay the interest accruing upon said bonds as they mature, and also to levy an additional tax when any installment of the principal of said bonds is about to become due, sufficient in amount to pay such principal sum or sums at maturity, which taxes shall be levied and col-

lected in the same manner as other taxes for county purposes are levied and collected.

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

Approved February 5th, 1887.

CHAPTER 157.

[H. F. No. 638.]

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE ACROSS THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER AT THE CITY OF WINONA.

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

SECTION 1. Any corporation now or hereafter organized under the laws of this state for the purpose of bridging the Mississippi river at the city of Winona, and authorized by the congress of the United States, to construct a bridge across said river at said city, is hereby empowered to construct and maintain such bridge with all necessary approaches thereto, from any feasible point in said city to a point on the opposite bank of said river in the state of Wisconsin. Any bridge to be built under the authority of this act shall conform to the requirements of the act of congress authorizing the same, and may be either a wagon, or railway, or combined wagon and railway bridge.

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

Approved February 12, 1887.

CHAPTER 158.

[H. F. No. 921.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF BRAINERD TO ISSUE BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF BUILDING SEWERS.

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

SECTION 1. The council of the city of Brainerd, in Crow Wing county, Minnesota, is hereby authorized to issue bonds of said city to the amount of fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars, in addition to any amount heretofore authorized for the purpose of constructing a system of sewerage in said city.