

and shall state that they are issued under and by authority of this act, referring to the same by the title and date of approval hereof.

SEC. 4. The town clerk of said town shall keep a record showing the action of said board of supervisors relative to the issuance of said bond or bonds, and also a record showing the amount, date of issue, to whom issued, rate of interest and date of maturity of said bond or bonds.

SEC. 5. The proper authorities of said town shall annually include or cause to be included in the general tax levy of said town an amount sufficient to pay the interest of said bond or bonds, and may at any time they see fit before the maturity of said bond or bonds, also annually include or cause to be included in such tax levy an amount sufficient to create a sinking fund that shall be sufficient to pay said bond or bonds, in whole or in part at maturity.

SEC. 6. The money obtained from the sale of the bond or bonds so issued shall be used under the direction of the supervisors of said town to pay bond number one (1) of said town, referred to in section one (1), of this act, and for no other purpose.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 27, 1889.

CHAPTER 245.

[H. F. No. 959.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE VILLAGE OF BELGRADE TO ISSUE BONDS TO AID IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF A VILLAGE HALL, ENGINE HOUSE AND LOCK-UP.

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

SECTION 1. That the village council of the village of Belgrade be and the same hereby is authorized to issue the bonds of said village in the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for the purpose of aiding the construction of a village hall, engine house and lock-up for said village; said bonds to be issued for such time and in such denominations and at such rate of interest not exceeding eight (8) per cent per annum, as said council shall by resolution determine, and shall be signed by the president and recorder of said village. The same may be negotiated at not less than par, and the proceeds thereof expended by and under the supervision of said council, and in such manner as said council shall direct.

SEC. 2. Before said bonds shall be issued the proposition to issue the same shall be submitted to the legal voters of said village at a special election to be held on Tuesday, the thirtieth (30th) day of April, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (1889). The

ballots used in favor of such proposition shall have written or printed or partly written and partly printed thereon the words, "For the issue of bonds for village hall and other purposes, Yes," and those against the proposition shall have written or printed, or partly written and partly printed thereon the following words, "For the issue of bonds for village hall and other purposes, No." But no ballot shall be thrown out or held invalid for failure to conform to the above requirements, if it substantially complies therewith, and if the intention of the voter is clearly ascertainable therefrom. Said election shall be conducted and said votes shall be received and canvassed in the same manner and by the same officers as at general elections in said village, and if upon a canvass of the votes it shall be found that a majority of the electors of said village voting upon said proposition have voted in favor of the same, the issue of said bonds shall thereupon be lawful. The recorder of such village shall duly record the result of said election in the records of said village, and the same be preserved therein.

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

Approved March 28, 1889.

CHAPTER 246.

[H. F. No. 947.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE VILLAGE OF LITCHFIELD, IN MEEKER COUNTY, TO CONSTRUCT AND MAINTAIN A SYSTEM OF ELECTRIC LIGHTS IN SAID VILLAGE AND TO ISSUE ITS BONDS TO THE AMOUNT OF FIVE THOUSAND (5,000) DOLLARS TO PAY FOR THE SAME.

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

SECTION 1. That the village of Litchfield, in the county of Meeker, Minnesota, is hereby authorized and empowered to construct and maintain a system of electric lights for said village and to acquire such property as may be necessary therefor, and for that purpose to issue and negotiate the bonds of said village with interest coupons attached, to an amount not exceeding the sum of five thousand (5,000.00) dollars, payable in such time and place and drawing such annual rate of interest not to exceed seven (7) per cent. per annum as the village council of said village shall by resolution determine.

SEC. 2. No such bonds shall be issued until such issue shall be authorized by a majority of the legal voters of said village present and voting at any general or special election called, noticed and held as elections for village officers are, or may be held in said village.

SEC. 3. If at such election the majority of votes shall be in favor