powered to enter into contract or agreement with the officers of said railroad company in relation to the construction and operation of said spur track and in relation to the terms, time and condition of payment of said sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars, or whatsoever portion thereof may be necessary, and to pledge the credit of the city therefor; and the said city council may by ordinance provide for the terms, time and condition of payment of the same, which ordinance shall be published as other ordinances of said city.

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

its passage.

Approved April 20, 1889.

CHAPTER 299.

[H. F. No. 817.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE VILLAGE OF PERHAM, IN THE COUNT OF OTTER TAIL, TO ISSUE ORDERS ON THE VILLAGE TREASURER NOT TO EXCEED THE SURPLUS FUNDS ON HAND AT THE END OF EACH YEAR, TO REFUND THE TAXES PAID ON VILLAGE PROPERTY IN THE VILLAGE OF PERHAM FOR BUILDING THE BRICK SCHOOL HOUSE IN SAID VILLAGE.

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

Section 1. That the common council of the village of Perham, in Otter Tail county be and is hereby authorized and empowered to issue orders on the village treasury at the end of each year not to exceed the surplus funds on hand, for the purpose of refunding the taxes paid on village property by the tax payers of said village for building the brick school house in said village in the year eighteen hundred

and eighty-eight (1888.)

SEC. 2. Before any orders shall be issued under the provisions of this act, the proposition to issue the said orders shall first be submitted to a vote of the legal voters of said village of Perham for their approval or rejection, which submission may be made at any annual or special village election to be held at the village hall in said village aforesaid, and the notices of said election shall state that such proposition is to be voted upon at such election. The ballots used at such election shall have printed or written or partly printed and partly written thereon the words, "For the issue of village orders on the village treasury for the surplus funds for refunding the taxes paid by legal voters of said village on village property on the bonds issued for building the brick school house in said village, yes or no."

Said election shall be held and conducted by the village council or a majority thereof and shall be conducted and the ballots shall be canvassed and returned in the same manner as the ballots cast at a general election and if it be found upon such canvass that a majority of voters present and voting on the proposition have voted in favor of such proposition, then the issue of such orders by said council shall be lawful and said orders so issued shall be lawful to all intents and purposes.

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

Approved March 7, 1889.

CHAPTER 300.

TH. F. NO. 624.1

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DRAINING OF A CERTAIN LAKE IN MEEKER COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. That Peter J. Lund, N. L. Nilson, A. Waylander, Ola J. Winquist and such other persons as may associate with them, are hereby authorized to drain a certain marshy lake in the town of Acton, Meeker county, known as Lund Lake.

SEC. 2. That in order to carry out the provisions of this act, the consent of the persons owning land around said lake shall be obtained in writing, and filed in the office of the register of deeds of Meeker county.

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

Approved April 17, 1889.

CHAPTER 301.

[H. F. No. 623.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE TOWN OF HUTCHINSON, McLEOD COUNTY, MINNESOTA, TO ISSUE TOWN ORDERS TO THE AMOUNT OF FOUR THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (4,500) DOLLARS, AND TO LEVY A TAX TO PAY THE SAME.

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

SECTION 1. The board of supervisors of the township of Hutchinson, in the county of McLeod and state of Minnesota, is hereby