

ballots cast at the annual city elections in said city; and if it shall be found upon such canvass that a majority of the voters present and voting at such election have voted in favor of such proposition then the issue of such bonds shall be lawful.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 16, 1891.

CHAPTER 182.

[S. F. No. 771.]

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COUNTY OF POLK AND THE VILLAGE OF THIEF RIVER FALLS TO CONSTRUCT A BRIDGE ACROSS THE RED LAKE RIVER ON SECTION THIRTY-THREE (33), TOWNSHIP ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOUR (154), RANGE FORTY-THREE (43), POLK COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

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

SECTION 1. The board of county commissioners of Polk county, Minnesota, are hereby authorized and directed to issue and sell the bonds of said county to the amount of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), for the object and upon the condition hereinafter stated; and the bonds so to be issued shall be in such sums or denominations, payable at such times and bearing such interest, as said board of commissioners shall in their discretion determine.

SEC. 2. The village council of the village of Thief River Falls, Polk county, are hereby authorized to issue bonds of the said village, for the purpose of aiding in building a bridge as hereinafter provided, the said bonds to be one thousand dollars (\$1,000) in amount, issued in such denominations, payable at such times and bearing such interest, as the said village council of the village of Thief River Falls shall in their discretion determine.

SEC. 3. The proper authorities of said village shall annually levy and collect, in the same manner as other village taxes are levied and collected, in addition to all other taxes, an amount sufficient to pay the interest accruing upon said bonds, and the said bonds as they shall mature.

SEC. 4. The proceeds of the sale of the said three thousand dollars (\$3,000) of bonds to be issued by said Polk county, and the said one thousand dollars (\$1,000) of bonds to be issued by the said village of Thief River Falls, shall be used exclusively in the construction of a bridge over the Red Lake River (and approaches thereto) on section thirty-three, township one hundred and fifty-four (154), range forty-three (43), Polk county, Minnesota. The said bridge shall be located and constructed under the control and supervision of the county commissioners of Polk county, Minnesota.

SEC. 5. The bonds of the said village of Thief River Falls shall not be issued until the said village shall have voted upon the proposition

to issue said bonds at any general election, or special election called for that purpose by said village council, at any time after the passage of this act, upon petition presented to them by twelve (12) freeholders of said village requesting that said special election be called or the proposition of issuing the said one thousand dollars (\$1,000) in bonds be submitted to the electors of said village at the general election therein designated. The village recorder shall give notice of the same as prescribed by law for annual or special town meetings. Those voting in favor of said issue of bonds shall have written or printed, or partly written and partly printed, on the ballots used, "For the issue of bonds for bridge purposes," and those voting against the same the words, "Against the issue of bonds for bridge purposes;" and the voting shall be conducted in the same manner as prescribed by law for the election of village officers. The vote shall be counted, canvassed and returned in the same manner as votes cast for the village officers; and if upon such canvass it appears that a majority of all the votes cast shall be in favor of issuing said bonds, the village council shall issue said bonds, but not otherwise; *Provided, however,* that the county of Poik shall not issue the bonds provided in this act until after the village of Thief River Falls shall have voted to issue and issued the one thousand dollars (\$1,000) in bonds as hereinbefore provided.

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

Approved April 21, 1891.

CHAPTER 183.

[H. F. No. 668.]

AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF ALBERT LEA, MINNESOTA, TO ISSUE BONDS FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING AND MAINTAINING WATER WORKS IN SAID CITY.

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

SECTION 1. That the city of Albert Lea, Minnesota, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining water works for said city, and for supplying to said city and the citizens thereof a supply of water, is hereby authorized to issue the bonds of said city, in denominations of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars each, to an amount not exceeding twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars, and at a rate of interest not exceeding five (5) per cent per annum, to run not less than ten (10) years, or exceeding thirty (30) years, and to be designated in said bonds and to be know as water bonds of the city of Albert Lea.

SEC. 2. Before said bonds shall be issued, however, said proposition shall be submitted to the legal voters of said city of Albert Lea, at the next annual city election held in said city, or at a special election called by the city council of said city, for the purpose of voting upon said proposition. Those voting in favor of issuing said bonds shall have written or printed, or partly written and partly