

- Same : must be sold at par. said bonds, with interest, shall have been fully paid and discharged. Said bonds shall not be negotiated or sold for less than their par value, and may be respectively for amounts ranging from one hundred dollars to one thousand dollars, as said council may by ordinance provide. The proceeds arising from said bonds shall be applied exclusively to, and appropriated and used for, no other purpose than the liquidation of the costs of constructing the sewer or sewers upon the particular street, highway, avenue or alley, to defray the cost of which said bonds are issued.
- Use of proceeds. SEC. 12. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force on and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Iowa State Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.
- Publication. Approved, March 20, 1884.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register* March 28, and in the *Iowa State Leader* March 25, 1884.
J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State*.

CHAPTER 26.

RELIEF OF WILLIAM LOWRY.

- H. F. 457. AN ACT for the Relief of William Lowry, late Treasurer of Polk County, Iowa.

Preamble. WHEREAS, William Lowry, late treasurer of Polk county, as such treasurer had on deposit with West & Sons, bankers in the city of Des Moines, on the 17th day of July 1877, the sum of seven thousand one hundred and seventy-two and 93-100 dollars (\$7,172 93-100), belonging to the county city, school, bridge and other funds coming into his hands for the year 1877, as treasurer aforesaid; and

County had no proper safe. WHEREAS, The county of Polk did not at that time provide for said treasurer a proper safe, vault, or other place within which to safely keep the funds so collected by him; and

Custom of Co. officers. WHEREAS, The county treasurer and other officers of said county had for years made deposits of the public moneys with said West & Sons, and their predecessors; and

Lowry's good faith. WHEREAS, In making said deposits the said Lowry acted in good faith, doing as he believed, and as he had good reason to believe, what was the safest and best for the security and protection of the funds as collected; and

Loss by West & Sons failure. WHEREAS, On said 17th day of July 1877 said West & Sons failed and the amount so deposited has proved an entire loss to said Lowry, except dividend received from the assignee of the

estate of six hundred and forty and 91-100 dollars (\$640 91-100) leaving a loss to said Lowry of six thousand five hundred thirty-two and 02-100 dollars (\$6,532 02-100). The amount of loss, said Lowry has made good to the county by the payment thereof in full; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the board of supervisors of Polk county, Iowa be, and are hereby authorized and empowered to submit at the next general election to the qualified voters of Polk county, Iowa, a proposition for and against refunding to Wm. Lowry, ex-treasurer of Polk county, his loss of six thousand five hundred and thirty-two and 02-100 dollars (\$6,532 02-100). Proposition to refund.

SEC. 2. And if the proposition so submitted shall receive a majority of the votes cast for it, in the affirmative, then the board of supervisors of Polk county, Iowa, are hereby authorized and empowered to refund to ex-treasurer Lowry the amount of said loss. Loss refunded if proposition carries.

SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Iowa State Leader, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, without expense to the State. Publication.

Approved, March 20, 1884.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register* April 22, and in the *Iowa State Leader* March 25, 1884.
J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 27.

COURSE OF STUDY AT AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

AN ACT to Repeal Section 1621 of the Code of 1873, (Chapter 4, Title 5, F. XII,) and to enact a Substitute therefor, relating to a Course of Study for the State Agricultural College.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That section 1621 of the Code is hereby repealed and the following is enacted in lieu thereof: Code, sec. 1621 repealed

SEC. 1621. That there shall be adopted and taught at the state agricultural college a broad, liberal and practical course of study in which the leading branches of learning shall relate to agriculture and the mechanic arts, and which shall also embrace such other branches of learning as will most practically and liberally edu- Course.