

ACTS
OF
THE LEGISLATURE
OF THE
STATE OF MICHIGAN,

16400

PASSED AT
THE REGULAR SESSION OF 1855,
WITH AN
APPENDIX,

Containing the State Treasurer's Annual Reports for the Years 1853 and 1854; also Certified Statements of Boards of Supervisors relative to the Erection of New Townships.



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1855.

[No. 22.]

AN ACT to authorize the Water Commissioners of the city of Detroit to loan money for the purpose of extending and improving the water works of said city.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact, That* the board of water commissioners of the city of Detroit shall have Commissioners may loan money. power to loan, upon the best terms they can make, and for such time as they shall deem expedient, a sum of money not exceeding two hundred and fifty thousand dollars upon the credit of said city of Detroit, and shall have authority to issue bonds pledging the faith and credit of said Bonds. city for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds; which bonds shall issue under the seal of said board of commissioners and shall be signed by them, or a majority of them, and bearing interest not exceeding Interest. eight per cent. per annum. And it shall be the duty of said commissioners to cause to be kept an accurate register of all bonds issued by Register of Bonds to be kept. them, showing the number, date, and amount of each bond, and to whom the same was issued; and it shall also be their duty to cause to be furnished to the Auditor of said city a copy of such register as soon as the same is made, which shall be preserved by said Auditor and copied into the records of said city. And the said sum of Copy to be furnished City Auditor. money shall be expended by said commissioners solely for the purpose Money, how expended. of extending and improving the water works of the city of Detroit.

This act shall take effect immediately.

Approved February 6, 1855.

[No. 23.]

AN ACT to amend section fifty-eight of an act entitled "an act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids," approved April 2, 1850.

SECTION 1. *The People of the State of Michigan enact, That* Sec. 58 of act No. 247 of 1850 amended. section fifty-eight of an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Grand Rapids, approved April second, eighteen hundred and fifty, shall be amended as follows, to wit: by striking out all of said section from the commencement thereof to the word "and," where it occurs the second time therein, in the second line thereof, and inserting therefor the following, to wit: "There shall be chosen on the first Monday