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from time to time during nineteen hundred thirty-one, serial coupon bonds in the name and behalf of the state to the amount of three million dollars payable serially at the state treasury within twenty-five years from the date of issue at a rate of interest not exceeding five per cent per year, interest payable semi-annually, to be signed by the treasurer of state, counter-signed by the governor and attested by the state auditor, with the seal of the state affixed. The coupons attached to said bonds shall bear the facsimile of the signature of the treasurer of state instead of his original signature; such bonds and coupons shall be of such denominations and form, and upon such terms and conditions not inconsistent herewith as the governor and council shall direct. The proceeds of said bonds to be used for the construction or reconstruction of state highways.

Sec. 2. Emergency clause. In view of the emergency set forth in the above preamble, this act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 4, 1931.

Chapter 25.

AN ACT to Increase the Powers of the Fort Kent Village Corporation.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

- P. & S. L., 1919, c. 87, sec. 2; relating to Fort Kent Village Corporation; amended. Section two of chapter eighty-seven of the private and special laws of nineteen hundred nineteen is hereby amended by striking out in the twenty-second line of said section the words "and sell" and inserting in place thereof the words 'sell and purchase', so that said section as amended shall read as follows:
- 'Sec. 2. Powers of corporation increased. Said corporation is hereby authorized and vested with power at any legal meeting called for the purpose to raise money by taxation or loan, including the power to issue bonds or notes therefor, to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, for the following purposes: to purchase, repair and maintain one or more fire engines, fire hose, and all other necessary and suitable apparatus for the extinguishment of fires; to build, repair and maintain engine and hose houses; to construct and maintain reservoirs; to contract with individuals or corporations for a supply of pure water for the domestic uses of the inhabitants residing within said corporation limits, for water under pressure for the extinguishment of fires and for proper and necessary commercial and municipal uses; to acquire by purchase and to operate any existing system of water works, or supply, and to enlarge

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and extend the same as circumstances require, for the purpose of supplying pure water for the domestic uses of the inhabitants residing within said corporation limits, for water under pressure for the extinguishment of fires, and for proper and necessary commercial and municipal uses; to maintain within said limits an efficient fire department; to defray the expenses of a night watch, a police force, and all other necessary and suitable measures for the better security of life and property and the promotion of good order and quiet within its limits; also to generate, distribute, sell and purchase electricity for heat, power and lighting purposes within said limits.'

Approved March 6, 1931.

Chapter 26.

AN ACT Authorizing the County Commissioners of Lincoln County to Transfer Certain Real Estate.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

- Sec. 1. Power to sell "jail property." The county commissioners of Lincoln County are hereby authorized and empowered to sell, assign, transfer and convey all the interest of the county of Lincoln in and to the jail property, so-called, situated on Federal street in Wiscasset, for such consideration as they may determine.
- Sec. 2. Power to sell "church property." The said county commissioners are hereby further authorized and empowered to sell, assign, transfer and convey any real estate owned by the county of Lincoln, and situated in the rear of and adjoining the lot on which stands the First Parish Congregational Church in Wiscasset.
- Sec. 3. Power to sell certain right of way. The said county commissioners are hereby further authorized and empowered to sell, assign, transfer and convey to the owners of the said First Parish Church, a right of way extending over the court house lot and line contiguous to said church property in Wiscasset.

Approved March 6, 1931.