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and health officer. The town manager can only be removed upon written charges preferred by the selectmen, and by a majority vote of the legally qualified voters of the town present and voting at a regular or special town meeting called for that purpose after a public hearing. The health officer can only be removed upon written charges and public hearing before the selectmen.'

Approved April 6, 1935.

Chapter 78.

AN ACT Relating to Assessors of Ellsworth.

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

Appointment of assessors of Ellsworth, validated. The appointment, confirmation and continuance in office of the city assessors of the city of Ellsworth who held office during the calendar years 1933 and 1934 are hereby declared to be legal, valid and effective, and all acts done by said assessors that would have been legal and valid if their appointment, confirmation and continuance in office had been legal and valid are hereby declared to be as legal, valid and binding as though their appointment, confirmation and continuance in office had been legal and valid.

Approved April 6, 1935.

Chapter 79.

AN ACT Relating to the Presque Isle Sewer District.

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

Sec. 1. Collection of Presque Isle Sewer District charges provided for. Section 10 of chapter 80 of the private and special laws of 1925 is hereby amended to read as follows:

'Sec. 10. Rates payable; how collected; application of revenue; sinking fund. All individuals, firms and corporations, whether public, private or municipal, shall pay to the treasurer of said district the rates established by the board of trustees for the service used by them, and said rates shall be uniform within the district. The clerk of said sewer district shall have all the authority and powers to collect said sewer rates as is vested in the collector of taxes for the town of Presque Isle, for the collection of state, county, and municipal taxes. Said rates shall be so established as to provide revenue for the following purposes:

1. To pay the current running expenses of the district including maintenance and provision for depreciation.

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2. To provide for payment of interest on the indebtedness of the district.

3. To provide each year a sum equal to not less than one nor more than five per cent of the entire indebtedness of the district, which sum shall be turned into a sinking fund to provide for the final extinguishment of the debt. The money so set aside shall be devoted to the retirement of the obligations of the district, or invested in securities lawful for savings banks. Provided, however, that the trustees may, in their discretion and in lieu of the establishment of a sinking fund, issue bonds of the district so that not less than one per cent of the amount of the bonds so issued shall mature and be retired annually.'

Sec. 2. Effective date of act. This act shall take effect when accepted and approved by a majority ballot at a meeting of said sewer district specially called for the purpose.

Approved April 6, 1935.

Chapter 80.

AN ACT to Provide for the Issuance of State of Maine Improvement Bonds and the Allocation of the Proceeds From Sale.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, the resolve set forth in chapter 223 of the resolves of the 86th legislature, proposing an amendment to the constitution of this state to provide for a bond issue the proceeds of which to be disbursed for the construction, improvement and equipment of state buildings, was favorably voted upon by the people and proclaimed by the governor, and the amendment therein set forth became a part of the constitution, and

Whereas, the authorization for the issuance of said bonds was provided by chapter 113 of the private and special laws of 1933, and the expenditures were allocated under the provisions of chapter 107 of the private and special laws of 1933, and

Whereas, conditions have changed materially so that certain allocations provided in the law of 1933 are no longer required and certain institutions require additional allocations because of extreme overcrowding of patients, and

Whereas, this overcrowding is a serious menace in the control, treatment and health of the inmates of these institutions, and

Whereas, in the opinion of the legislature these facts render an immediate passage of this act necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety and constitute an emergency within the meaning of section 16 of Article XXXI of the constitution of the state of Maine; now, therefore