

effect, but if a majority of the votes cast upon said question shall be "Against the Amendment of charter," then this Act shall be void and of no effect.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health or safety, and being passed upon yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two houses of the Joint Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 27th, 1922.

CHAPTER 89.

AN ACT to provide for the issuing of bonds by the Mayor and Common Council of Mt. Rainier for the purpose of enlarging and extending the present sewer and water system and for obtaining an increased water supply for the citizens of Mt. Rainier, Maryland, and providing for a special tax for payment of interest and creating a sinking fund to retire said bonds.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That for the purpose of furnishing the inhabitants of the town of Mt. Rainier, in Prince George's County, with an increased and enlarged water supply and an extension of its sewer system, the Mayor and Common Council of Mt. Rainier is hereby authorized and empowered to issue on the faith and credit of said town, serial bonds of said town, to an amount not exceeding forty thousand dollars, which said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and the Town Clerk and Treasurer of said town, and attested by the corporate seal thereof, and be denominated "Mt. Rainier Water and Sewer Extension Bonds," and bear interest at the rate of not exceeding five and one-half per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, to be issued in denominations of one thousand dollars, and to be payable at a time not exceeding forty years after their date. The bonds issued hereunder shall be the direct obligation of the Mayor and Common Council of Mt. Rainier, and the said corporation shall be responsible therefor.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the Mayor and Common Council of Mt. Rainier is hereby authorized and em-