

published in Washington County for ten days, and where to be paid, and interest shall cease on such bonds called for redemption from and after the date fixed for redemption. The entire issue of said bonds shall be exempt from all county and municipal taxation, and each bond shall refer to this Act of Assembly.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That the Treasurer shall receive and account to the Burgess and Commissioners for the proceeds arising from the sale of all bonds made by him, and shall only disburse or pay out any of such proceeds upon the order or warrant of the said Burgess and Commissioners, duly signed by the Burgess and attested by the clerk.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted,* That the said Burgess and Commissioners are hereby directed to apply the revenues and receipts arising from water rents and sewerage charges, if any, first to the necessary care, repairs, betterment and maintenance, enlargement or extension of the water works system and sewers; and after such expenditures, then to the payment of the interest on said bonds; and any remainder of such revenue and receipts to be safely built into a sinking fund to be applied to the payment of the principal of such bonds as soon as they become redeemable. And in case the aforesaid revenues and receipts are insufficient to pay the interest on said bonds when due, or to redeem said bonds when redemption is called for or determined upon, the said Burgess and Commissioners are hereby authorized to apply thereto any receipts from fines and licenses, or balance of general fund; and are also hereby authorized and empowered to levy on the taxable property of said town a special tax not exceeding fifty cents on the hundred dollars to make up the deficit from previously named sources, and any balance unused from this special tax to go to said sinking fund, and in no instance shall such moneys be diverted from the purposes of this Act.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted,* That the said Burgess and Commissioners are authorized and empowered to contract for, purchase in fee simple or lease for a term of years, any land, real estate, spring, brook, water and water courses, to dig, bore, and sink wells, to erect any and all reservoirs, storage dams, and standpipes, for the storage of water, as may be necessary and expedient; to lay all pipes and conduits, erect fire plugs, to purchase all necessary machinery, supplies and ma-