

SEC. 2. That the said town of Christiana shall be entitled to, and enjoy all the rights and privileges which are by law granted to any town or towns of this territory.

WILLIAM SHEW,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

MASON C. DARLING,

President of the Council.

APPROVED January 23, 1847.

HENRY DODGE.

AN ACT

To amend an act entitled "an act to incorporate the town of Potosi."

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin :

Trustees may
borrow money

SECTION 1. That the trustees of the town of Potosi be, and they are hereby authorized to borrow, upon the credit of said town, the sum of five thousand dollars, or less, for a time not exceeding five years, in such sums as they may deem proper, on interest not exceeding twelve per cent. payable annually, to be applied to the completion of the work of cutting a canal from the main channel of the Mississippi river to the Grant river at Potosi in Grant county, upon the line of said canal, as surveyed and marked out by Joshua Barney, the engineer employed for that purpose, and already commenced and partly completed under the superintendence of James F. Chapman, the commissioner appointed to superintend said work.

May levy a
tax.

SEC. 2. That the said trustees be, and they are hereby authorized to levy a special tax of any sum not exceeding

three thousand dollars annually for the purpose of paying any loan which may be made in pursuance of the provisions of the first section of this act, and of paying any interest which shall have accrued or may accrue on such loan; or in case no such loan shall be made, for the purpose of cutting said canal in conformity with the provisions of the first section of this act.

SEC. 3. That for the purpose of raising said tax, all property shall be subject to taxation which is subject to taxation by the act to which this is amendatory.

SEC. 4. That any and all moneys which the said trustees may raise in pursuance of the provisions of this act either by loan or tax, shall be deposited with the treasurer of the town of Potosi and expended on the work of cutting the said canal by the said commissioner appointed by the act to which this is amendatory, in the manner directed by said act, and for that purpose the said commissioner shall have the same power of drawing drafts on the treasurer of the town of Potosi as by the act to which this is amendatory he has of drawing drafts on the receiver of the proceeds of the sales of the section of land appropriated by congress for the said work; and the said treasurer is hereby required to pay said drafts and take receipts in the same manner as the said receiver is by the said act required to do.

For what purpose the money to be expended.

WILLIAM SHEW,

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