

in the county of Boulder, Colorado, is hereby authorized, for a period of five years from and after the passage of this Act, to purchase, and the Secretary of the Interior is hereby directed to convey to said city for use in connection with the lands heretofore purchased by said city under the provisions of the Act of Congress entitled, "An Act to grant certain lands to the city of Boulder, Colorado," approved March 2, 1907 (Thirty-fourth Statutes, page 1223), for purposes of water storage and supply of its waterworks, the following described lands, to wit: The west half of section twenty-seven and the north half of the northwest quarter of section thirty-four, township one north, range seventy-three west, sixth principal meridian, containing four hundred acres within the Colorado National Forest, or any part of said lands.

SEC. 2. That the said conveyance shall be made upon the payment by said city for the lands purchased at the rate of \$1.25 per acre: *Provided*, That the conveyance hereby authorized shall not include any lands which at the date of the issuance of patent shall be covered by a valid existing bona fide right or claim initiated under the laws of the United States: *Provided further*, That there shall be reserved to the United States all oil, coal, and other mineral deposits that may be found in the lands so granted and all necessary use of the lands for extracting the same: *And provided further*, That said city shall not have the right to sell or convey the land herein granted, or any part thereof, or to devote the same to any other purpose than as hereinbefore described; and if the said land shall not be used for such municipal purpose, the same, or such parts thereof not so used, shall revert to the United States; the conditions and reservations herein provided for shall be expressed in the patent.

Approved, September 29, 1919.

CHAP. 68.—An Act To authorize the incorporated town of Petersburg, Alaska, to issue bonds in any sum, not exceeding \$75,000, for the purpose of constructing and installing a municipal electric light and power plant, and for the construction of a public-school building.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the incorporated town of Petersburg, Alaska, is hereby authorized and empowered to issue bonds in any sum, not exceeding \$75,000, for the purpose of constructing and installing a municipal electric light and power plant, and for the construction of a public-school building.

SEC. 2. That before said bonds shall be issued a special election shall be ordered by the common council of the town of Petersburg, at which election the question of whether such bonds shall be issued shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said town of Petersburg whose names appear on the last assessment roll of said town for municipal taxation. Thirty days' notice of such election shall be given by publication thereof in a newspaper printed and published and of general circulation in said town before the day fixed for such election.

SEC. 3. That the registration for such election, the manner of conducting the same, and the canvass of the returns of said election shall be, as near as practicable, in accordance with the requirements of law in general or special elections in said municipality, and said bonds shall be issued only upon condition that a majority of the votes cast at such election in said town shall be in favor of issuing said bonds.

SEC. 4. That the bonds above specified, when authorized to be issued as hereinbefore provided, shall bear interest at a rate to be

Boulder, Colo., granted additional lands for water supply.

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Description.

Price.

Proviso.
Prior rights not affected.

Mineral deposits reserved.

Reversion for non-user.

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Petersburg, Alaska.
May issue bonds for public improvements.
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Special election to authorize.

Conduct of election.

Interest rate, sale, etc.

fixed by the common council of Petersburg, not to exceed 7 per centum per annum, payable semiannually, and shall not be sold for less than their par value with accrued interest, and shall be in denominations not exceeding \$1,000 each, the principal to be due in twenty years from date thereof: *Provided, however,* That the common council of said town of Petersburg may reserve the right to pay off such bonds in their numerical order at the rate of \$5,000 thereof per annum from and after the expiration of five years from their date. Principal and interest shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the town treasurer, or at such bank in the city of New York, in the State of New York, or such place as may be designated by the common council of the town of Petersburg, the place of payment to be mentioned in the bonds: *And provided further,* That each and every such bond shall have the written signature of the mayor and clerk of said town of Petersburg, and also bear the seal of said town.

Provisos.
Redemption.

Payment of principal and interest.

Signatures and seal required.

Use of funds restricted.

Sale of bonds.

Proviso.
Division of proceeds.

SEC. 5. That no part of the funds arising from the sale of said bonds shall be used for any purpose other than specified in this Act. Said bonds shall be sold only in such amounts as the common council shall direct, and the proceeds thereof shall be disbursed for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned and under the order and direction of said common council from time to time as the same may be required for said purposes: *Provided,* That not to exceed \$50,000 of the proceeds of the sale of said bonds shall be expended for the construction and installation of the electric light and power plant and not to exceed \$25,000 thereof shall be expended for the construction of the public-school building.

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[Pub. Res., No. 13.]

CHAP. 69.—Joint Resolution Authorizing the Secretary of War to loan to the city of Atlanta, Georgia, tents, cots, blankets, and other camp equipment for the use of United Confederate Veterans in their convention from October 7 to 10, 1919.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized to loan, in his discretion, under such rules and regulations, including a cash deposit, should the Secretary deem such necessary, as the Secretary may prescribe, to the reunion executive committee of Atlanta, for the use of the United Confederate Veterans, in their encampment to be held in Atlanta from October 7 to October 10, 1919, such tents, cots, blankets, and other camp equipment as the Secretary of War, in his discretion, deems sufficient for the purpose of the encampment: *Provided,* That no expense shall be caused the United States Government by delivery and return of said property, the same to be delivered to said committee at such time prior to the holding of said encampment as may be agreed upon by the Secretary of War and the chairman and treasurer of said committee: *Provided further,* That the Secretary of War, before delivering said cots, tents, blankets, and other camp equipment to the committee, shall take from the chairman and treasurer of said reunion executive committee of Atlanta, a bond with good and sufficient security for the safe return of said property, in good order and condition, the same to be without expense to the United States Government.

Confederate Veterans' Reunion, Atlanta, Ga.
Loan of tents, etc., to.

Provisos.
No expense.

Bond required.

Approved, September 29, 1919.