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the cost of such repairs, improvements, and betterments thereto as shall be necessary to keep the same at all times in good repair and working order.

Use of funds restricted.

SEC. 5. No part of the funds arising from the sale of said bonds shall be used for any purpose or purposes other than those specified in this Act. Said bonds shall be sold only when and in such amounts as the common council of the city of Skagway shall direct, and the proceeds thereof shall be disbursed for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned and under the orders and directions of said common council from time to time as the same may be required for said purposes.

Sale limitations.

Contracts authorized with United States for bond sale.
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SEC. 6. The city of Skagway is hereby authorized to enter into contracts with the United States of America or any agency or instrumentality thereof, under the provisions of the National Industrial Recovery Act and acts amendatory thereof and acts supplemental thereto, and revisions thereof, and the regulations made in pursuance thereof, and under any further acts of the Congress of the United States to encourage public works, for the sale of bonds issued in accordance with provisions of this Act or for the acceptance of a grant of money to aid said city in financing any public works herein authorized; or to enter into contracts with any person or corporation, public or private, for the sale of such bonds; and such contracts may contain such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by and between the common council of said city of Skagway and the United States of America or any agency or instrumentality thereof or any such purchaser.

Approved, April 25, 1934.

[CHAPTER 164.]

AN ACT

April 25, 1934.
[S. 2813.]
[Public, No. 175.]

To authorize the incorporated town of Wrangell, Alaska, to undertake certain municipal public works, including construction, reconstruction, enlargement, extension, and improvements of its water-supply system; construction of a retaining wall and to back-fill behind same to make a permanent street; and construction, reconstruction, enlargement, extension, and improvements to sewers, and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $51,000.

Wrangell, Alaska.
May issue bonds for specified public works.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the incorporated town of Wrangell, Alaska, is hereby authorized and empowered to undertake the municipal public works herein specified and for such purposes to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $51,000. Said town is hereby authorized and empowered to construct, reconstruct, enlarge, extend, or improve its water-supply system and for such purpose to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $32,000; to construct a retaining wall and to backfill behind same to make a permanent street, and for such purpose to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $13,000; to construct, reconstruct, enlarge, extend, or improve sewers and for such purpose to issue bonds in any sum not exceeding $6,000.

Special election to authorize.

SEC. 2. Before said bonds shall be issued a special election shall be ordered by the common council of the said town of Wrangell, at which election the question of whether such bonds shall be issued in the amounts above specified for any or all of the purposes hereinbefore set forth shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said town of Wrangell whose names appear on the last assessment roll of said town for municipal taxation. The form of the ballot shall be such that the electors may vote for or against the issuance of bonds for each of the purposes herein specified in the amounts herein

authorized. Not less than twenty days' notice of such election shall be given by posting notices of the same in three conspicuous places within the corporate limits of the town of Wrangell, Alaska, one of which shall be at the front door of the United States post office. The registration for such election, the manner of conducting the same, and the canvass of the returns of said election shall be, as nearly as practicable, in accordance with the requirements of law in general or special elections in said municipality, and said bonds shall be issued for any or all of the purposes herein authorized only upon condition that not less than a majority of the votes cast at such election in said town shall be in favor of the issuance of said bonds for such purpose.

Notice to be posted.

Conduct of election.

SEC. 3. Such bonds shall be coupon in form, may bear such date or dates, may be in such denomination or denominations, may mature in such amounts and at such time or times, not exceeding thirty years from the date thereof, may be payable in such medium of payment and at such place or places, may be sold at either public or private sale, may be redeemable, with or without premium, or nonredeemable, may carry such registration privileges as to either principal and interest, principal only, or both, as shall be prescribed by the common council of said town of Wrangell at the time such bonds are authorized to be issued. The bonds shall bear the signatures of the mayor and clerk of the town of Wrangell, and shall have impressed thereon the official seal of said town. In case any of the officers whose signatures or countersignatures appear on the bonds shall cease to be such officers before delivery of such bonds, such signatures or countersignatures shall nevertheless be valid and sufficient for all purposes the same as if they had remained in office until such delivery. Said bonds shall bear interest at a rate to be fixed by the common council of the said town of Wrangell, not to exceed 6 per centum per annum, payable semiannually, and the bonds shall be sold at not less than the principal amount thereof plus accrued interest.

Form, etc., of bonds.

Validity of signatures.

Interest rate.

SEC. 4. The bonds, herein authorized to be issued shall be general obligations of said town of Wrangell, payable as to both interest and principal from ad valorem taxes which shall be levied upon all the taxable property within the corporate limits of said town of Wrangell in an amount sufficient to pay the interest on and principal of such bonds as and when the same become due and payable. Such of the bonds as may be issued to construct, reconstruct, enlarge, extend, or improve the water-supply system of said town of Wrangell may, if so provided by the common council of said town of Wrangell, be additionally secured by a direct pledge of all or any part of the revenues of said water-supply system and any subsequent additions or extensions thereto, remaining after provision for the payment of the reasonable costs of operation and maintenance of said system and the cost of such repairs, improvements, and betterments thereto as shall be necessary to keep the same at all times in good repair and working order.

Bonds deemed municipal obligations.

SEC. 5. No part of the funds arising from the sale of said bonds shall be used for any purpose or purposes other than those specified in this Act. Said bonds shall be sold only when and in such amounts as the common council of the town of Wrangell shall direct, and the proceeds thereof shall be disbursed for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned and under the orders and directions of said common council from time to time as the same may be required for said purposes.

Use of funds restricted.

Sale limitations.

SEC. 6. The town of Wrangell is hereby authorized to enter into contracts with the United States of America or any agency or instrumentality thereof, under the provisions of the National

Contracts authorized with United States, for bond sale.

Ante, p. 200.

Industrial Recovery Act and Acts amendatory thereof and Acts supplemental thereto, and revisions thereof, and the regulations made in pursuance thereof, and under any further Acts of the Congress of the United States to encourage public works, for the sale of bonds issued in accordance with provisions of this Act or for the acceptance of a grant of money to aid said town in financing any public works herein authorized; or to enter into contracts with any person or corporation, public or private, for the sale of such bonds; and such contracts may contain such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by and between the common council of said town of Wrangell and the United States of America or any agency or instrumentality thereof or any such purchaser.

Approved, April 25, 1934.

[CHAPTER 165.]

AN ACT

April 26, 1934.
[H.R. 8471.]
[Public, No. 176.]

Making appropriations for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes.

War Department appropriations, fiscal year 1935.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes, namely:

Military, etc., activities.

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Department salaries.

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Personal services.

For compensation for personal services in the District of Columbia, as follows:

Secretary, Assistants, and other personal services.
Use of field service funds restricted.
Designated offices.

Office of Secretary of War: Secretary of War, two Assistant Secretaries of War, and other personal services, $256,611: *Provided*, That no field-service appropriation shall be available for personal services in the War Department except as may be expressly authorized herein.

Office of Chief of Staff, $196,609.

Adjutant General's office, $1,221,777.

For personal services in and without the District of Columbia, to be employed exclusively in assembling, classifying, and indexing the military personnel records of the World War, and for the purchase of necessary supplies and materials used in such work, $86,340.

Office of the Inspector General, $24,005.

Office of the Judge Advocate General, $95,095.

Office of the Chief of Finance, $325,877.

Office of the Quartermaster General, $697,739.

Office of the Chief Signal Officer, $91,523.

Office of the Chief of Air Corps, $195,340.

Office of the Surgeon General, $240,763.

Office of Chief of Bureau of Insular Affairs, $72,035.

Proviso.
Draftsmen, etc., payable from other appropriations.

Office of Chief of Engineers, $108,296: *Provided*, That the services of skilled draftsmen, civil engineers, and such other services as the Secretary of War may deem necessary may be employed only in the Office of the Chief of Engineers, to carry into effect the various appropriations for rivers and harbors, surveys, and preparation for and the consideration of river and harbor estimates and bills, to be