

refer the same to the county board of health, and if approved by the county board of health, the county auditor shall issue his warrant upon the county treasurer, payable out of the general fund of the county, the amount allowed by such township or city; such warrant shall be made payable to the treasurer of such township or city, as the case may be.

§ 2. EMERGENCY.] Whereas, there now exists no adequate law for the payment of expenses incurred in preventing the spread of contagious and infectious diseases, an emergency exists; therefore this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 5, 1903.

BOARD OF PARDONS.

CHAPTER 42.

[S. B. No. 73—LaMoure.]

RELATING TO BOARD OF PARDONS.

AN ACT Amending Section 2, Chapter 34, Session Laws of 1901, Relating to the Board of Pardons and Prescribing the Powers and Duties Thereof.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] That section 2, chapter 34, session laws of 1901, be amended to read as follows:

§ 2. Every pardon or commutation of sentence shall be in writing and shall have no force or effect unless the same be granted by unanimous vote of those present of said board convened as such, four of whom shall constitute a quorum. A reprieve in a case where capital punishment has been imposed may be granted by the governor, but for such time only as may be reasonably necessary to secure a meeting of said board of pardons for the consideration of an application for a reprieve, pardon or commutation of the sentence of the person so reprieved. Said board may grant an absolute or conditional pardon, and any conditional pardon shall state the terms and conditions on which it was granted. Such board of pardons may issue its warrant under the seal of said board to any proper officers to carry into effect such pardon, which warrant shall be obeyed and executed instead of the sentence which was first originally pronounced.

§ 3. EMERGENCY.] An emergency exists in this, that the present law does not define what shall constitute a quorum of the board of

pardons; and it is necessary in order to facilitate the business of the board that this be determined before the 1st of July, therefore this act shall be in force and in effect from and after its passage and approval.

Approved February 3, 1903.

BONDS.

CHAPTER 43.

[S. B. No. 102—Lewis.]

ADDITIONAL BUILDINGS FOR AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

AN ACT Authorizing the Board of Trustees of the Agricultural College to Issue Bonds, to Provide a Fund to Provide for the Erection and Equipment of Necessary Additional Buildings, for Conservatories, for Installation of Electric Light Plant, for Equipment of Science Hall and for Other Necessary Buildings and Improvements for the North Dakota Agricultural College at Fargo.

Be it Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. NORTH DAKOTA AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE. ADDITIONAL BUILDINGS AND IMPROVEMENTS.] To provide for the erection and equipment of necessary additional buildings, for conservatories, for a heating plant, for installing an electric light plant, equipment of science hall and for other necessary improvements for the North Dakota agricultural college at Fargo, the board of trustees of said agricultural college may issue bonds for such sum or sums of money as can actually be used in the construction and equipment of such necessary additional buildings, conservatories, electric light plant, equipment of science hall and for other necessary improvements, not exceeding the sum of one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars; said bonds shall be in denominations of one thousand dollars each; shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent per annum and shall be payable in twenty years from the date of issue, from the interest and income fund accumulating from the sale, rental or lease of lands granted to the said North Dakota agricultural college. The interest of such bonds shall be payable annually on the first day of January each year, and shall be payable from the interest and income accumulating from the sale, rental or lease of said lands; provided, that if at any time there shall not be sufficient money to pay such interest, there is hereby appropriated out of the state treasury, out of funds not otherwise appropriated, a sum sufficient to meet such interest; provided, further, that a sufficient amount of funds accumu-