May issue bonds therefor.

of any kind; and it is fully authorized and empowered to make, execute and deliver, in or out of the state, all writings, notes, bonds, mortgages, or other papers and securities, in amount and kind as may be determined by the board of directors thereof; not, however, exceeding in amount its capital, and to make, execute, sell and deliver, at private or public sale, in or out of this state, any such bonds, and to secure the payment of the same with interest as may be agreed, not to exceed ten per cent. per annum, by mortgage, bonds, deed or other conveyance, of all and singular, their property, real, personal or mixed, with all appurtenances, rights and franchises, relating or pertaining thereto, or any part or portion thereof; or to pledge, mortgage or otherwise convey any or all of the revenues of said telegraph company, for the purpose of securing the payment of any such bonds or notes, or other obligations, and interest thereon, and may provide a sinking fund for the redemption of said bonds out of the earnings of their property and franchises.

May pledge revenues for payment thereof.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force

from and after its passage.

Approved March 4, 1874.

CHAPTER 111.

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AN ACT to amend chapter 86 of the revised statutes, entitled "of alienation by deed," etc.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Commanding officers of military posts may take acknowledgments of deeds.

SECTION 1. Section nine of chapter eighty-six of the revised statutes, is hereby amended by adding to said section the following: "And if such deed shall be executed within the precincts or jurisdiction of any military post of the United States, the same may be acknowledged before the commanding officer thereof, and when so acknowledged and certified may be admitted to record in this state and all deeds heretofore executed and acknowledged as provided in this amendment, shall be admitted to record in this state."

SECTION 2. All acts and parts of acts contravening the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed.

Approved March 4, 1874.