notwithstanding the provisions of section 3695 of the Vermont Statutes, Revision of 1947 (VSA Title section), be issued from time to time by said town with such maturities that each issue will be paid in not more than thirty years from its date. The other requirements of said section 3695 shall apply to said bond issue.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from its passage. Approved: March 6, 1959.

NO. 300—AN ACT CONCERNING THE HIGHWAY TAXES OF THE VILLAGE OF OLD BENNINGTON.

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It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

Section 1. Assessment of taxes. The town highway taxes assessed upon the polls and ratable estate within the village of Old Bennington in the town of Bennington shall be paid in money and expended upon the highways, streets and lanes of said village. The selectmen of the town shall make tax bills therefor and deliver the same seasonably as required by law with warrants for their collection to the tax collector of said village, or to the treasurer thereof if the village has voted to collect its taxes through its treasurer. Said taxes shall be collected the same as are other taxes of the village and paid into the treasury thereof, from whence they may be drawn by the trustees of said village and expended for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and repairing the highways, streets and lanes of the village.

Sec. 2. Collection and use. If the highway taxes collected by the village of Old Bennington as provided in the preceding section are insufficient for the aforesaid purposes, the voters of the village may appropriate such further sums as they shall deem advisable at any meeting duly warned for the purpose. Any portion of the village highway taxes remaining unused at the end of the village fiscal year may be used for such other village purposes as the trustees decide unless the voters shall, at a meeting duly warned for the purpose, specifically direct the use of said unused taxes.

Sec. 3. Road commissioner, no authority or duty. The voters of the village of Old Bennington shall not vote for road commissioners at a meeting of the town of Bennington nor shall a town road commissioner have any duty or authority with respect to any highway, street, lane or sidewalk within the village limits.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect from its passage. Approved: February 24, 1959.