State Register and Des Moines Bulletin, newspapers published at the city of Des Moines, and also in some newspaper published at each of the places where the several branches are located, which notices shall be published in such newspapers for three months; and any notes or demands against such bank or the said branches, which shall Notes or demands not be presented for payment within two years from the not presented in two years barred last publication of the notices, as aforesaid, shall be forever barred, and shall cease to be valid claims against said bank or the branches thereof, and the said bank, and the branches thereof, shall be forever discharged from all liabilities on the same, and at the end of said two years the said officers

tribute surplus.

shall respectively settle up the affairs of the said bank and State bank to dis- its branches, and the said State Bink shall distribute to the several branches the deposits made with such bank to secure the notes of such branches in proportion to which they shall be entitled to the same, and said officers of said branches shall distribute any surplus remaining, after paving the liabilities of such branches, to the stockholders thereof.

Taking effect.

SEC. 4. This act to take effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Des Moines Bul-

Approved, April 7, 1870.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Daily Iowa State Register and in the Des Moines Daily Bulletin, April 9, 1870.

ED WRIGHT, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 71.

## INDEPENDENT DISTRICT OF STRAWBERRY POINT.

AN ACT to Legalize the Issue of Warrants in the Independent APRIL 7. School-District of Strawberry Point, Clayton County, Iowa.

Preamble.

Whereas, At the annual meeting of the electors of the independent school-district of Strawberry Point, Clayton county, held on the 12th day of March, 1866, the board of directors was authorized to issue warrants on district treasurer, payable in five years, to draw interest at ten per cent. per annum; [and]

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the

issue of said warrants: therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Action of board the State of Iowa, That the action of the board of directors, in terms of independent school-district of Strawberry Point, cent. warrants, payable in five Clayton county, in reference to the issue of warrants in years, legalized. the months of May and June, in the year 1866, are hereby declared legal and valid, the same as if issued in strict conformity to the statutes relating thereto.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate import-Taking effect. ance, shall be in force from and after its publication in Clayton County Press and Clayton County Journal,

without expense to the State. Approved, April 7, 1870.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Clayton County Press on the \*\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_, and in The Clayton County Journal on the 20th day of April, 1870.

ED WRIGHT, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 72.

DISTRICT-TOWNSHIP OF ST. CHARLES, FLOYD COUNTY.

AN ACT to Legalize the Issue of certain School-Warrants by the APRIL 7.

Board of Directors of the District-Township of St. Charles, in
Floyd County, Iowa, and the Levy of Taxes to pay the same.

WHEREAS, The board of directors of the district town-Preamble. ship of St. Charles, in Floyd county, Iowa, in the years A. D. 1865, 1866, and 1867, issued warrants upon the school-house fund of said district-township, to the amount of ten thousand dollars, drawing interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum, for the purpose of raising funds with which to build a school-house in sub-district number three, in said district-township; and

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the

issue of said warrants; therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Issue of warrants the State of Iowa, That the issue of said warrants, and ct. int. legalized, the lovy of all taxes to pay the same, be and the same are hereby legalized, and said warrants are hereby made valid and binding to all intents and purposes.

<sup>\*</sup> See Addenda.