

ation in the Daily Iowa State Leader, and Daily Iowa State Register, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved, March 15, 1878.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register*, and *Iowa State Leader*, March 16, 1878.

JOSIAH T. YOUNG, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 49.

RELATING TO A CERTAIN TAX VOTED IN WHITEBREAST TOWNSHIP,
WARREN COUNTY, JUNE 10, 1876.

H. F. 417. AN ACT to Confer the Tax Voted in Whitebreast township, Warren county, Iowa, June 10, 1876, upon the Chariton, Des Moines & Southern Railroad Company.

Preamble. WHEREAS, The voters of Whitebreast township, Warren county, state of Iowa, did, on the 10th day of June, A. D., 1876, vote a five per cent. tax in aid of a railroad, by a vote of 126 in favor of the proposition, to 37 against the same, the vote being had pursuant to the following notice:

“Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Whitebreast township, Warren county, Iowa, that there will be an election held at Lacona, in said township, on the 10th day of June, A. D., 1876, for the purpose of voting for or against a five per cent. tax on the taxable property in said township to aid in constructing a railroad from Chariton, Lucas county, to or within one-eighth of a mile of Lacona, Warren county, Iowa, one half of said tax to be paid when said railroad is completed and the cars are running to or within one-eighth of a mile of Lacona, and the balance of said tax to be paid the following year. By order of the board of trustees of said township.

May 13, 1876.

Signed:

ISAAC MYERS, *Township Clerk.*

And

WHEREAS, The line of railroad is not specified by stating the name of the company proposed to be aided, as provided in section two (2) chapter 123 laws of the sixteenth general assembly: and

WHEREAS, Said tax was intended in aid of the Chariton, Des Moines & Southern Railroad Company, a company organized to build a railroad from Chariton, in a northerly direction to a connection with the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad, or a branch thereof, &c., &c.; therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the tax voted in Whitebreast township, Warren county, State of Iowa, on the 10th day of June, A. D., 1876,

in aid of a railroad from Chariton, Iowa, to within one-eighth of a mile of Lacona, Iowa, is hereby declared collectible and payable to the Chariton, Des Moines & Southern Railroad Company the same as if the name of the company had been mentioned in the notices and call for said election and according to the terms and conditions recited in said notices of election; *Provided*, said company shall locate a depot within one-half mile of Lacona. Conferred upon the C., D. M. and S. R. R. Co. Proviso.

SEC. 2. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, to take effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Indianola Herald; *Provided*, said publication shall be free of expense to the state. Publication.

Approved, March 15, 1878.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Indianola Herald*, March 21, 1878.

JOSIAH T. YOUNG, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 50.

EXEMPTIONS FROM TAXATION.

AN ACT to Amend Section 798, and to Repeal Section 799, of Title 6, Chapter 1, of the Code, relating to Exemptions for planting and cultivating Forest Trees. Sub. H. F. 184.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That section 798, of title 6, chapter 1, of the Code, be amended, by adding, after the word "planted," in the fifth line, the words: "*Provided*, That such exemption be applied only to the realty owned by the party claiming the exemption, not to exceed each one hundred and sixty acres of land, upon which the trees are grown and in a growing condition." Code, § 798 amended. Planting of forest trees.

SEC. 2. That section 799 of the Code be and the same is hereby repealed. Code, § 799 repealed.

SEC. 3. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and effect on and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, Iowa State Leader, and Staats Anzeiger, newspapers published in Des Moines. Publication.

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JOSIAH T. YOUNG, *Secretary of State.*