

gality of such acts and as to such acknowledgements having been done in due and legal form; therefore,

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

Legalizing
clause.

SECTION No. 1. That all acts of A. M. Duus as county auditor and of Fred Becker as deputy county auditor of the county of Plymouth state of Iowa since January first A. D. 1880 in reference to the acknowledgement of certain deeds, mortgages, bills of sale and contracts heretofore acknowledged by them be and the same are legalized and declared to be as legal valid and binding as though each and all of such acts of said parties had been valid and legal in the first place when done.

Publication.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Daily Sentinel of Le Mars, Iowa and the Le Mars Despatch newspapers published in the state of Iowa without expense to the State.

Approved, March 22, 1884.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in *The Le Mars Daily Sentinel* April 2, and *Le Mars World* April 10, 1884, the *Le Mars Despatch* being changed to *Le Mars World*.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State*.

CHAPTER 53.

LEGALIZING—TOWN COUNCIL OF EARLVILLE.

H. F. 467.

AN ACT to Legalize Certain Acts and Ordinances of the Council of the Town of Earlville in Delaware County Iowa.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen in regard to the legality of certain ordinances in the town of Earlville in Delaware county Iowa adopted in the years 1882 and 1883 because of the fact that said council elected a mayor *pro tem*. who signed such ordinances and also because of the fact that certain ordinances were three times read and passed without a suspension of the rules; therefore,

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

Legalizing
clause.

SECTION 1. That said official acts and ordinances of the town council of the said town of Earlville, be and the same are hereby declared to be legal and valid in all respects, as though the informalities above recited had not occurred.

Publication.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register a newspaper published at Des

Moines Iowa, and the Earlville Graphic a newspaper published at Earlville Iowa without expense to the state.

Approved, March 22, 1884.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register* March 27, and *Earlville Graphic* March 28, 1884.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 54.

LEGALIZING—TOWN OF LAKE CITY.

AN ACT to Legalize the Incorporation of the Town of Lake City in Calhoun County Iowa, and the Acts of the Officers done Under the Same. H. F. 364.

WHEREAS, on the 12th day of May 1881 the town of Lake City in Calhoun county Iowa, was incorporated under the laws of the state; and Preamble.

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen in reference to the sufficiency of the notice required by law to be published, thus invalidating the acts of the town council and their successors, elected under and by authority of said incorporation; therefore,

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

SECTION 1. That all acts done and proceedings made to enable the said town of Lake City to become incorporated under the provisions of chapter 10 of the code of Iowa be and the same are hereby legalized and made as valid and binding in all respects as if the law had been fully complied with in the incorporation of said town of Lake City, in respect to such publication. Incorporation legalized.

SEC. 2. That all elections and all the acts of any and all the officers of said incorporation, all the ordinances enacted by the council or board of trustees of the same, all the taxes levied by them, and all the other official acts of said council or board of trustees are hereby legalized, and declared as valid and binding in all respects as if the law had been fully complied with in the incorporation of said town of Lake City. Corporate acts legalized.

SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the *Iowa State Register* a newspaper published in Des Moines and the *Lake City Blade* a newspaper published at Lake City Calhoun county Iowa without expense to the state. Publication.

Approved, March 22, 1884.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register* April 4, and *Weekly Lake City Blade*, April 2, 1884.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State.*