

CHAPTER 142.

LEGALIZING INCORPORATION TOWN OF HAWARDEN.

AN ACT To Legalize the Incorporation of the Town of Hawarden, H. F. 403.
in Sioux county, Iowa, and the Acts of the Officers thereof.

WHEREAS, Certain questions and doubts have arisen in relation to the legality of the incorporation of the town of Hawarden, in Sioux county, Iowa and the legality of the ordinances enacted and as to the boundary established being full enough to make the same legal beyond doubt, and, Preamble.

WHEREAS, Other doubts have arisen from the facts that two of the five commissioners, J. T. Vanorman and G. F. Hunter, appointed by the district court of Sioux county, Iowa, to hold an election on the 18th day of March, 1887, for the election of officers for said town of Hawarden, did not officiate as commissioners at said election, and the vacancy was filled by substitution by the other acting commissioners, and there are other irregularities in the said organization Doubts as to legality.

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

SECTION 1. That the incorporation of the said town of Hawarden in Sioux county, Iowa, be and the same is hereby declared to be duly and legally established, and that the boundary lines of the territory as described in the original petition for said incorporation and the order of the district court of Sioux county, Iowa, wherein the said land was platted, marked out and described, is hereby declared to be valid and legal the same as though the boundary thereof had been more fully and completely named and the official acts of said council and officers, including the ordinances of said town, are hereby legalized and all of the same shall be held and decreed valid and effectual to the same extent and force as if the same had fully conformed to the law when made. Incorporation legalized.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in the Hawarden Commercial and Iowa State Register, newspapers published in Hawarden and Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the State. Publication.

Approved Mch. 12th, 1888.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register* March 13, and *Hawarden Commercial* March 15, 1888.

FRANK D. JACKSON, *Secretary of State.*