

binding, the same as though the law had in all respects, been strictly complied with.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force, from and after its publication without expense to the State, in the Iowa State *Register*, published at Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, and in the Conrad *Journal*, published in Conrad, Grundy County, Iowa. Publication clause.

Approved March 23rd, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State *Register* March 28, and the Conrad *Journal* March 28, 1894.

W. M. MCFARLAND, *Secretary of State*.

CHAPTER 178.

AN ACT to legalize the election held in the town of Riverside, county s. F. 374. of Washington and state of Iowa.

WHEREAS, At the election held March 5th, 1894, in the town of Riverside, county of Washington and state of Iowa, the Australian ballot law was not fully complied with; therefore, Election law not fully complied with.

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

SECTION 1. That the election held March 5th, 1894, in the town of Riverside, county of Washington and state of Iowa, is hereby legalized and the same is hereby declared valid and binding, the same as though the election law had been fully complied with. Election legalized.

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 Riverside *Leader* a newspaper published at Riverside, Washington county, Iowa, without expense to the state. Publication clause.

Approved April 2, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State *Register* April 10, and the Riverside *Leader* April 7, 1894.

W. M. MCFARLAND, *Secretary of State*.

CHAPTER 179.

AN ACT to legalize the acts of the city council and board of public works of the city of Des Moines in entering into certain contracts for paving with the Des Moines Brick Manufacturing Company. S. F. 416.

WHEREAS, During the year 1893, the city council and board of public works of the city of Des Moines entered into certain contracts with the Des Moines Brick Manufacturing Company for paving certain streets and alleys and parts of streets and alleys in said city, hereinafter more particularly described, and Contract. City with brick manufacturing company.

WHEREAS, A portion of the work provided for in said contracts has been done, but doubts have arisen as to the legality of said contracts and of the acts of the city council and board Doubts as to legality of contract.

of public works of said city in entering into them, and the validity of said contracts and of the said acts of the city council and board of public works have been questioned, therefore

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

Contract
legalized.

SECTION 1. That the acts of the city council and board of public works of the city of Des Moines, in entering into contracts with the Des Moines Brick Manufacturing Company for paving certain streets and parts of streets and alleys in said city, viz: A contract dated September 9 A. D. 1893, for paving West Grand avenue from the west side of 28th street to a point four hundred feet west of the west side of Park lane; and a contract dated April 14th, A. D. 1893, for paving West 6th street from the correction line north to a point three hundred and seventy-five feet north of Forest avenue; and West Locust street from the east line of Tenth street to the Des Moines river; and East Locust street from the east line of East Ninth street; and a contract for paving West Seventh street from Elm street to the south line of Grand avenue; and a contract dated July 12th, A. D. 1893, for paving Forest avenue from the center of section 33, in township 79, north of range 24, west of the 5th P. M., to 27th street, and contracts for paving the alleys in block two (2), Holcomb's addition; blocks G and I, Gremmel's addition, and block six (6), in West Fort Des Moines, be and the said acts of the said city council and board of public works and the said contracts thereby made and entered into, are each of them hereby legalized, and the said acts of the said city council and board of public works, and the said contracts are each of them hereby declared to be valid and binding the same as though the law had been in all respects complied with.

Specifications
of the contract.

Publication
clause

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* and Des Moines *Leader*, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the State.

Approved April 6th, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State *Register* and Des Moines *Leader* April 10, 1894.

W. M. MCFARLAND, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 180.

H. F. 617.

AN ACT to legalize the incorporation of the town of Thompson, Winnebago county, Iowa; the election of its officers and all official acts done and ordinances passed by the council of said town.

Action of
citizens.

WHEREAS; The citizens of the said town of Thompson in the month of March 1894 held an election and attempted to incorporate said town and to elect the first officers and pass certain ordinances, and,

Doubts as to
legality.

WHEREAS; Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the incorporation of the town of Thompson, Winnebago county,