

Iowa, and the *Bode Bugle*, a newspaper published in Bode, Iowa, without expense to the State.

Approved April 10th, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register April 17, and the *Bode Bugle* April 20, 1894.

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

CHAPTER 224.

H. F. 610. AN ACT to legalize the ordinances passed by the incorporated town of Bagley, Guthrie county, Iowa.

Judges of election failed to qualify. WHEREAS; At certain city elections held in the incorporated town of Bagley, Guthrie county, Iowa, the judges of election failed to qualify, and

Records defective. WHEREAS; Certain irregularities have obtained in the recording of the ordinances and other acts passed by the council of the said town of Bagley, and

Doubts as to legality. WHEREAS; Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the ordinances and other acts passed by the council of said town because of such failures and irregularities, therefore;

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

Acts and ordinances legalized. SECTION 1. That all acts and ordinances passed by the council of the incorporated town of Bagley, Guthrie county, Iowa, which are not in contravention of the laws of the state are hereby legalized and declared valid, notwithstanding the irregularities in recording them, and the failure of the judges of election to qualify as such in certain cases.

Publication clause. SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in full force and effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the *Guthrian*, newspapers published respectively at Des Moines, and Guthrie Center, Iowa, such publications to be without expense to the state.

Approved March 29, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register, April 10, and the Guthrie Center *Guthrian*, April 5, 1894.

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

CHAPTER 225.

H. F. 32. AN ACT to legalize the organization of independent school district of Avoca, Pottawattamie county, Iowa.

Independent school district formed. WHEREAS, In the year 1874, the qualified voters residing upon the east half of section five (5), and the east half of section eight (8), and the northeast quarter of section seventeen (17), and the northwest quarter of section sixteen (16), and the west half of the northeast quarter of section sixteen (16), and all of section nine (9), and the west half of the southwest quarter of section ten (10), and the west half of section three (3), and all of section four (4) in Knox township, Pottawattamie county, Iowa, held an election to organize the independ-

ent school district of Avoca, Iowa, and did hold said election within said territory on the 20th day of October, 1874, and,

WHEREAS, By virtue of said election the aforesaid territory was organized as the independent school district of Avoca, Iowa, in the fall of 1874, and has been acting continuously as an independent school district since said time and has acquired large property, contracted debts, levied taxes, maintained schools and done all other acts that a legally organized independent school district has the power to do, and, District was organized, contracted debts and levied taxes.

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the acts and things done in the organization of the aforesaid territory into an independent school district, it is therefore enacted: Doubts as to legality.

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

SECTION 1. That all the steps taken and things done toward organizing the territory above described into the independent school district of Avoca, Iowa, are declared to be sufficient to make and to constitute an independent school district, and said territory is hereby declared to be such independent school district. Acts legalized as to organization.

SEC. 2. That all acts heretofore done by the school board of said independent school district are hereby legalized and declared to be binding upon all persons or parties interested therein, the same as if said acts had been done and performed in the manner and form required by law, and said district had been legally organized as required by law. Acts done by board legalized

SEC. 3. This act, being deemed to be of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the *Avoca Herald*, a newspaper published at Avoca, Iowa, and the *State Register*, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the State. Publication clause.

Approved March 19, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register March 28, and the Avoca Herald March 22, 1894.

W. M. McFARLAND, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 226.

AN ACT to legalize a resolution of the city council of the city of H. F. 51. Oskaloosa, Mahaska county, and all acts done in pursuance of said resolution.

WHEREAS, The city council of the city of Oskaloosa, on the fifth day of June, 1893, adopted a resolution directing certain portions of First and Rock Island streets in said city to be graded, paved and curbed, and, Action by city council.

WHEREAS, It is uncertain how many members at such date legally composed said city council and how many of said city council were required to legally adopt said resolution, and by reason thereof doubts have arisen as to the validity of said resolution, therefore, Doubts as to legality.

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

SECTION 1. That the resolution of the city council of the