in the second line thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty." SEC. 2. Compensation. That section eight hundred and fifty-one (351) of the code be amended by adding after the word "duties" in the twelfth line thereof the following words, "but, in cities having a population not exceeding twenty-five thousand, the compensation of each commissioner shall not exceed one hundred dollars per annum."

SEC. 3. Tax certified—rate in certain cities. That section eight hundred and fifty-two (852) of the code be amended by adding after the word "dollar" in the fourth line thereof the following: "In cities having a population of over twenty-five thousand, and not exceeding one mill in

cities having a population under twenty-five thousand."

SEC. 4. Park commissioners in other cities and towns. That section eight hundred and fifty-nine (859) of the code as amended by section two (2) of chapter twenty five (25) of the acts of the Twenty-seventh General Assembly be and is hereby amended by striking out the words "twenty-five" in the second line thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the word "twenty."

SEC. 5. In effect. 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.

Approved February 14, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, February 15, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 31.

TAX LEVY FOR PARK PURPOSES.

H. F. 60.

AN ACT to amend section eight hundred and fifty-two (852) of the code and authorizing an increase of the tax levy for park purposes.

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

SECTION 1. Tax levy increased—additional tax. That section eight hundred and fifty-two (852) of the code be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "two mills" in the third line of said section and by inserting in their place the words "three mills." That section eight hundred and fifty two (852) be further amended by adding thereto the following words:

"In cities having a population of over twenty-five thousand said board is further authorized in its discretion to certify to the county auditor in the years 1900, 1901, 1902 and 1903, and cause to be collected, an additional tax for park purposes of one mill on the dollar on all taxable property of the city, in the manner provided by this section as hereby amended; but the power to levy such additional tax shall cease at the end of the four years above specified."

Approved March 8, 1900.

CHAPTER 82.

RELATING TO TAXATION IN CITIES AND TOWNS.

8. F. 325

AN ACT to amend section eight hundred and ninety-four (894) of the code, relating to the taxation in cities and towns, and legalizing the acts and precedings of incorporated towns.

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

SECTION 1. Provisions extended to incorporated towns—proceedings legalized. That section eight hundred and ninety-four (894) of the code be amended by adding thereto the following, to be known as sub-

division twelve (12) of said section:

"The provisions of subdivisions five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9), and ten (10) of said section eight hundred and ninety-four (894) are extended to incorporated towns, and all proceedings of incorporated towns had under the assumption that the said provisions were applicable to said incorporated towns are hereby legalized and confirmed, and said proceedings shall be in law held to be valid to the same extent as if the said subdivisions of said section eight hundred and ninety-four (894) of the code included incorporated towns by the specific terms thereof."

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

Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 8, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register and Des Moines Leader April 4, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 33.

REGISTRATION OF VOTERS.

H. F. 343.

AN ACT to amend section ten hundred and seventy-seven (1077) of the code, relative to the registration of voters.

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

SECTION 1. City or special elections. That section ten hundred and seventy-seven (1077), of the code be and the same is hereby amended by inserting after the word "general" in the second line of said section, the words "city or special."

words "city or special."

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 6, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Leader April 10, 1900, and in the Iowa State Register April 12, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 84.

TIME OF CLOSING POLLS AT ELECTION.

H. F. 8.

AN ACT to amend section ten hundred and ninety-six (1096) of the code, in relation to time of closing polls at election.

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

SECTION 1. Time extended. That section ten hundred and ninety-six (1096) of the code be amended by striking out the word "six" in the last line thereof, and substituting therefor the word "seven."