and all of the official acts and proceedings of said incorporation, and the ordinances passed by the town council of said town, not in contravention with the laws of the state and the passage and publication of its said ordinances, are hereby legalized and declared to be valid and binding, the same as though the law had in all respects been strictly complied with in the incorporation of said town, the election of its officers, and the passage of its ordinances. But nothing in this act shall in any manner affect any pending litigation.

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the McIntire Gazette, a newspaper published at McIntire, Iowa, and the Iowa State Register, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the

state.

Approved April 3, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register April 5, 1900, and in the McIntire Gazette April 12, 1900.

G. L. DOBSON, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER 206.

ACTS OF DIRECTORS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT OF GOODELL LEGALIZED.

AN ACT to legalize the acts of the board of directors of the independent school district of Goodell, Hancock county, Iowa, in the levy of taxes for schoolhouse purposes.

WHEREAS, the board of directors of the independent school district of Goodell, Hancock county, Iowa, on or about the 22nd day of July, 1898, levied a tax of twenty-four hundred dollars (\$2400.00) upon the property within said independent district for the erection and equipment of a school building.

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the legality of said levy and preceedings, for the reason that the amount so raised was not sufficient to fully complete the school building, and which amount was to the full extent of taxes which could be lawfully levied; that there are orders issued by the school-board still outstanding and unpaid to the amount of nine hundred and fifty-two dollars and thirty cents (\$952.80) and accrued interest; [therefore]

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

SECTION 1. Tax levy and issue of orders legalized. That the tax-levy and issuing of the school orders by the board of directors of the independent school district of Goodell, Hancock county, Iowa, on or about the 22nd day of July, 1898, so far as erecting and equipment of schoolhouse and construction of sidewalks, and all the official acts of the board of directors in connection therewith, be and the same are hereby legalized and made valid and binding for all intents and purposes, the same as though the orders issued in excess of levy were issued in strict conformity with all the requirements of law.

SEC. 2. 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, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Goodell Globe, a newspaper published in Goodell, Iowa, without expense to the

state.

Approved April 3, 1900.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register April 4, 1900, and in the Goodell Globe April 5, 1906.

G. L. Dobson, Secretary of State.