CHAPTER 247.

THE TOWN OF GRAVITY.

S. F. 271.

AN ACT to legalize the publication of notice and vote, for the incorporation of the town of Gravity, Iowa,

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the publication of the notice, and vote for the incorporation of the town of Gravity, Iowa, therefore;

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

SECTION I. Valid and binding. That the publication of notice and proof thereof and the vote incorporating the town of Gravity, Iowa, are hereby legalized and the same declared to be valid, binding and in full force, the same as though the law had been complied with in all respects for the incorporation of said town of Gravity, Iowa.

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 Capital and the Des Moines Register newspapers published in the city of Des Moines,

Polk county, Iowa, without expense to the state of Iowa.

Approved April 10, 1902.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Iowa State Register, April 11, 1902, and in the Des Moines Daily Capital, April 12, 1902.

W. B. MARTIN, Secretary of State.

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CHAPTER 248.

OFFICIAL ACTS OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF DENVER AND THE ACTS OF F. C. RICH-MANN, TOWN CLERK.

H. F. 449.

AN ACT to legalize the official acts of the town council of the incorporated town of Denver, in Bremer county, Iowa, and the acts of F. C. Richmann acting as clerk of said town.

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the official acts and ordinances passed and adopted by the town council of the incorporated town of Denver, in Bremer county, Iowa, by reason of the failure of the recorder of said town to properly and correctly keep the records of the proceedings of said council; said records in many instances failing to show that said ordinances were passed and adopted as required by law, and

WHEREAS, Some of the said ordinances have been passed and adopted by said council without clearly expressing in the title thereof the subjects contained therein, and whereas, by reason of other irregularities and failures to comply with the law in regard to the passage, adoption, recording and authen-

tication of ordinances, and

WHERHAS, F. C. Richmann was elected town clerk of the incorporated town of Denver, Bremer county, Iowa, in the month of March 1900 for the term of two years, and that on the 1st day of August 1901 said F. C. Richmann moved outside of the incorporate limits of said town of Denver and became a non-resident of said town, but continued to act as town clerk of said incorporated town of Denver, Bremer county, Iowa, doubts have arisen as to the legality of the acts and doings of the said clerk during the period of his being a non-resident of said town. Now therefore,

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

SECTION 1. Ordinances and official acts legalized. That all ordinances of the incorporated town of Denver, in Bremer county, Iowa, and all official