

for the incorporated town of Weldon, Decatur county, Iowa, elected March 28th, 1904, is hereby legalized and the election of said officers is declared to be as legal as if all the provisions of the code had been complied with in nominating and placing the names of the candidates upon the ballots, and as if the provisions of the code had been complied with in calling and holding said election. Nothing herein shall affect any litigation now pending.

Approved April 13, A. D. 1904.

CHAPTER 218.

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CENTER POINT.

S. F. 835.

AN ACT to legalize the acts of the board of directors, and authorize the issuing of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) in school building bonds in the independent school district of Center Point in Washington township, Linn county, Iowa.

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the authority granted by the electors of the independent school district of Center Point in Washington township, Linn county, Iowa, authorizing the directors of said school district to issue bonds in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) for the purpose of erecting school buildings in said district, the giving of notice of election and the authority conferred upon said board, therefore,

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

SECTION 1. Election and acts legalized—pending litigation. That the notice of election held in March, 1903, authorizing the issue of ten thousand dollar bonds, be and the same is hereby legalized; that the action of the electors of said independent school district of Center Point in Washington township, Linn county, Iowa, authorizing the board of directors of said independent district to issue bonds in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) for the purpose of erecting a building or buildings, be and the same is hereby legalized; that the election, the ballots used, the notices given, and all acts of the board of directors of said district and of the qualified electors thereof, are hereby legalized, and said board of directors are authorized to issue bonds in pursuance of said election and authorization in amount not to exceed ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00.) But nothing in this act shall in any manner affect 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 Des Moines Capital, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and The Journal, a newspaper published at Center Point, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 13, A. D. 1904.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital, April 15, 1904, and The Journal, April 21, 1904.

W. B. MARTIN,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 219.

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WEST DES MOINES.

S. F. 105.

AN ACT to legalize the action of the independent school district of West Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, in voting bonds at an election held on the 10th day of March, 1902, and legalizing the bonds issued by said school district thereunder.

WHEREAS, at the annual meeting of the electors of the independent school district of West Des Moines, held on the 10th day of March, 1902, a proposi-

tion was submitted to and voted upon by the electors of said school district, to issue school house bonds of said school district to the amount of one hundred and forty thousand dollars (\$140,000.00) for the purpose of building new school houses;

AND, WHEREAS, the notice of said election was published in the Sunday issue of one of the daily papers of the city of Des Moines;

AND, WHEREAS, at said election there were 1730 votes cast in favor of said proposition, and 405 votes were cast against said proposition;

AND, WHEREAS, at a meeting of the board of directors of said school district, held on the 3rd day of June, 1902, resolutions of said board were duly adopted by said board of directors, based upon the authority of said election, authorizing the issue of said bonds to the amount of \$140,000.00 seventy thousand dollars thereof to be issued on the 1st day of July, 1902, and seventy thousand dollars to be issued on the 1st day of November, 1902;

AND, WHEREAS, said bonds were thereafter issued in accordance with said resolutions, and the said bonds have been by the said treasurer of said school district sold, in accordance with law, and the proceeds thereof received by said treasurer and used by said school district in the construction of said school houses;

AND, WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the legality of said election and the issue of said bonds; therefore,

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

SECTION 1. Election and bonds legalized—pending litigation. That the election and vote for the issue of bonds to the amount of \$140,000.00, had and held by the independent school district of West Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, on the 10th day of March, 1902, for the purpose of building new school houses, and the act of the board of directors and officers of said school district in issuing said bonds, be and the same is hereby legalized and made valid, and the bonds issued by said school district under and by virtue of the authority aforesaid be and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be a valid indebtedness against said school district. Provided nothing in this act shall affect 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 Des Moines Daily Capital and the Register & Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, which publication shall be without expense to the state.

Approved February 18, A. D. 1904.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Daily Capital February 19, 1904.

W. B. MARTIN,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 220.

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SOLDIER.

H. F. 115.

AN ACT to legalize the organization of the Independent School District of Soldier, Monona county, Iowa, and the acts of its board of directors.

WHEREAS, certain territory in the townships of Soldier and Jordan, Monona county, Iowa, was on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1902, organized into an independent school district, to be known as the independent school district of Soldier, composed of sections seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19) and twenty (20), and the north one-half of sec-