

thousand three hundred twenty seven (9327) votes were cast on said proposition of which six thousand one hundred eighty five (6185) voted "yes" and three thousand one hundred forty two (3142) voted "no"; and,

Whereas, following the said canvass of the vote on said proposition, due notice as required by law that said proposition had been duly adopted and was in full force and effect, was published the required length of time in the Davenport Daily Times, of Davenport, Iowa, and,

Whereas, the thirty day notice in a newspaper published in said county, as required by section four hundred twenty three (423) title four (4) chapter two (2) of the supplement to the code, 1907 was not given, but,

Whereas, the voters of Scott county were fully informed on said proposition as it had been thoroughly discussed by all the newspapers in such county, and the necessity of such a home had been publicly urged at numerous times long prior to said election; and,

Whereas, doubts have arisen as to the legality of said election on account of the failure to give the notice as aforesaid: therefore,

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

SECTION 1. Acts, proceedings, election and bonds legalized. That the failure to give the thirty days notice in a newspaper published in said county, as required by section four hundred twenty three (423) title four (4) chapter two (2), of the supplement to the code, 1907 be declared to be immaterial, and all the acts and proceedings of said board of supervisors of Scott county, Iowa, concerning said notice and election, and all acts and proceedings of said board of supervisors prior or subsequent to said election whether herein particularly specified or not had and done with reference to said proposition of the erection and maintenance of said detention home, for dependent, neglected and delinquent children, and the issuance of bonds therefor, are all and each of them legalized and validated as fully and completely as though the law had in all things been technically and fully complied with in every respect, and all resolutions passed and said bonds when issued shall be the valid and binding obligations of said Scott county, Iowa.

SEC. 2. In effect. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Davenport Daily Times, a newspaper published in Davenport, Iowa, and the Register & Leader, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 11, A. D. 1911.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader and the Davenport Daily Times April 13, 1911.

W. C. HAYWARD,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 232.

CERTAIN DEED EXECUTED BY FREMONT COUNTY.

S. F. 250.

AN ACT to legalize a certain deed executed by Fremont county, and its board of supervisors on the 11th day of November, 1895, conveying to Mary E. McDonald, the west half of the north east quarter and the north west quarter of section two, township 70 north range 43, west of the fifth p. m. in Fremont county, Iowa, and

Whereas, a part of Buckingham lake was located on a portion of the west half of the north east quarter and the north west quarter of section two

township 70, north range 43, west of the fifth p. m. in Fremont county, Iowa, and

Whereas, Frank M. Kephart, and his grantors have been in possession of all of said government sub-division for more than thirty (30) years, and have by drains, ditches and embankments reclaimed said lands at great expense and have regularly paid state and county taxes on said lands and have paid large sums for the drainage of the same, and,

Whereas, the county of Fremont on the 11th day of November, 1895, conveyed said premises by deed, to Mary E. McDonald, through its board of supervisors, therefore:

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

SECTION 1. Deed legalized. The certain deed executed by Fremont county, Iowa, and its board of supervisors on the 11th day of November, 1895, and recorded on the 11th day of November 1895, in book 12, at page 275, of the deed records of Fremont county, Iowa, conveying the west half of the north east quarter and the north west quarter of section 2, township 70, north range 43, west of the fifth p. m. in Fremont county, Iowa, to Mary E. McDonald, is hereby declared valid and to pass to the said Mary E. McDonald, her heirs, executors or assigns, all the rights and title and interest of the state of Iowa, in and to said lands as well as the interest of Fremont county, 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 Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa, such publication to be without expense to the state.

Approved March 17, A. D. 1911.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital March 20, 1911, and in the Register and Leader March 21, 1911.

W. C. HAYWARD,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 233.

CERTAIN DEED EXECUTED BY IOWA COUNTY.

S. F. 485.

AN ACT to legalize deed of Iowa county, Iowa, to Ithamar Cheney for lot one as shown by plat recorded at book 21, page 335, land deed records of the office of the recorder of Iowa county, Iowa, the same being the north fifteen acres of the north west quarter of the south west quarter of section twenty-one, township seventy-eight north, range eleven west of the fifth p. m. in Iowa county, Iowa.

Whereas, R. B. Foster gave to Martin Ballard as school fund commissioner for Iowa county, Iowa, a certain mortgage dated February 7th, 1854, to secure payment of the principal sum of three hundred thirty and no-100 dollars, with accruing interest thereon, said mortgage conveying the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-one, township seventy-eight, north, range eleven west of the fifth p. m. situated in Iowa county, Iowa, which said mortgage was foreclosed and bid in by Iowa county, Iowa, and said land was conveyed to Iowa county, Iowa, by sheriff's deed dated November 21st, 1868, instead of the state of Iowa, as required by law, and

Whereas, said county sold a portion of said land to Ithamar Cheney, and conveyed to Ithamar Cheney the land so sold him by warranty deed dated January 4th, 1862, the land so sold and conveyed to said Ithamar Cheney