

CHAPTER 378.

THE TOWN OF JEWELL JUNCTION.

S. F. 35.

AN ACT to legalize a certain election held in the town of Jewell Junction, Iowa.

WHEREAS, the town council of the town of Jewell Junction, Hamilton county, Iowa, pursuant to the provisions of sections 1306-b et seq., of the supplement of 1907 to the code of Iowa, as amended, and pursuant to a petition signed by a majority of the qualified electors of said town, did heretofore call a special election, fixing the time and place thereof, for the purpose of submitting to the voters of said town, to be by them voted upon, the proposition of extending the municipal water works system, and the proposition of issuing bonds in sum not to exceed \$5,000 to procure the funds to pay the cost thereof, and ordered that notice of said election be published in an appointed form, stating the time and place of the election, and the propositions to be submitted; and

WHEREAS, said election was duly held on the fourteenth day of October, 1912, pursuant to said order of the town council, and more than two-thirds of the voters voting at said election voted in favor of each of aforesaid propositions; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the results of said election the town council of said town provided by an ordinance duly passed, approved, and published, for the issuance of water works bonds in the sum of \$5,000, and contracted for the sale thereof; and

WHEREAS, doubts have been raised as to the validity of the proceedings under which aforesaid bonds were ordered issued and contracted to be sold on the ground that the published notices of aforesaid special election failed to conform with law and with the order of the town council calling the election, in that said notices failed to be in the form provided for by the council, failed to designate the place of the election, and failed to notify the voters of the submission of the proposition of extending the municipal water works system, although they notified the voters of the other proposition above referred to: now therefore,

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

SECTION 1. Special election legalized. That the special election held at Jewell Junction, Iowa, on the fourteenth day of October, 1912, be and the same is hereby legalized and declared legal and valid, the same as though the notices of said election had conformed with law and with the order of the town council calling the election, and had notified the voters of the place of the election and of the submission of the proposition of extending the municipal water works system, and as though the law had in all respects been complied with.

SEC. 2. Pending litigation. Nothing in this act should effect [affect] any pending litigation.

SEC. 3. 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", a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the "Jewell

Record", a newspaper published at Jewell Junction, Hamilton county, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved February 25th A. D. 1913.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader March 1, 1913 and in the Jewell Record March 6, 1913.

W. S. ALLEN,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 379.

THE TOWN OF KENSETT.

H. F. 658.

AN ACT to legalize the platting of an addition to the town of Kensett, Iowa, executed by Mrs. Marget Lukason, deceased, dated March 21, 1898, and filed for record in the office of the recorder of Worth county, Iowa, April 9, 1898.

WHEREAS Mrs. Marget Lukason, deceased, executed a plat of an addition to the town of Kensett, Iowa, dated March 21, 1898, and filed for record in the office of the recorder of Worth county, Iowa on April 9, 1898, and

WHEREAS at the time said plat was acknowledged and recorded, the statute of Iowa required that the acknowledgment recite that it was "with the free consent and in accordance with the desire of the proprietor", and

WHEREAS said acknowledgment only recited "I do hereby certify that the survey of the same into lots, blocks, streets and alleys was done by my directions", and

WHEREAS doubts have arisen as to the regularity and sufficiency of said recital in said acknowledgment, therefore,

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

SECTION 1. Plat filed by Marget Lukason legalized. That the plat of an addition to the town of Kensett, Worth county, Iowa, by Mrs. Marget Lukason, dated March 21, 1898, and filed for record April 9, 1898, in the office of the recorder of deeds of Worth county, Iowa, be and the same is hereby validated and legalized the same as though the form of acknowledgment thereof had in all respects fully and correctly conformed to the requirements of the statutes of Iowa then in force.

SEC. 2. Pending litigation. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to affect pending litigation.

SEC. 3. 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 Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the state of Iowa.

Approved April 11 A. D. 1913.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader April 16, 1913 and in the Des Moines Capital April 15, 1913.

W. S. ALLEN,
Secretary of State.