

CHAPTER 208.

IOWA STATE FAIR.

H. F. 213.

AN ACT to provide for the construction of a sewer system and the erection of a sheep barn on the Iowa state fair and exposition grounds, and to make appropriations therefor.

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

1 SECTION 1. Sewer system. The state board of agriculture is
2 hereby authorized, empowered and directed to cause to be constructed
3 a sewer system on the Iowa state fair and exposition grounds and to
4 erect upon said grounds a sheep barn at such location as may be
5 selected by the state board of agriculture.

1 SEC. 2. Appropriation. There is hereby appropriated to the
2 Iowa department of agriculture, out of any money in the state treasury,
3 not otherwise appropriated, the sum of thirty-nine thousand dollars
4 (\$39,000.00) for the following purposes:

5 For the erection of the sheep barn herein provided for.....\$25,000
6 For the construction of the sewer system herein provided for 14,000

1 SEC. 3. Appropriation—how drawn. All moneys appropriated
2 by this act shall be drawn from the state treasury upon warrants
3 issued by the state auditor upon the order of the state board of agri-
4 culture, signed by the president and secretary.

1 SEC. 4. Publication clause. This act being deemed of immediate
2 importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its pub-
3 lication in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, news-
4 papers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 16, A. D. 1915.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital April 19, 1915, and in the Register and Leader April 20, 1915.

W. S. ALLEN, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 209.

CITY OF IOWA CITY.

H. F. 630.

AN ACT to legalize certain warrants of the city of Iowa City, Iowa.

WHEREAS, the city of Iowa City, county of Johnson, state of Iowa, did hitherto make expenditures in the amount of \$44,193.26, all during the years, 1913, 1914 and 1915, as follows: for permanent sidewalks \$7,417.69; for permanent crossings and approaches, \$6,018.16; for isolation hospital

construction and furnishings, \$4,178.64; for grading in Rundell Addition, in Manville Addition and Folsom Hill, \$5,686.40; for purchase of street flusher and road grader, \$874.50; for purchase of cemetery addition, \$5,157.40, and cement cemetery road, \$2,937.88; for purchase of land to widen and improve street, \$1,312.00; for building storm sewers Washington Street, Van Buren Street, Johnson Street and Dodge Street, and purchase of sewer pumps and motor, \$488.92; for payment of damages and costs \$801.85; for building retaining wall and railing to improve street, \$835.70; for engineering expense on work of a permanent nature, approximately \$5,000.00; and for payment for and maintenance of city sewers, \$3,484.12; all of which expenditures comprised the overdraft and indebtedness of said city on April 1, 1915, in the said city's general and city sewer fund; and

WHEREAS, said city of Iowa City issued warrants in the sum of \$44,193.26, as above set out, to evidence the indebtedness incurred in making said expenditures; and

WHEREAS, said warrants did not when issued and do not now exceed the constitutional limitation on indebtedness; and

WHEREAS, said expenditures were all made for purposes authorized by law; and

WHEREAS, the city of Iowa City has been and now is enjoying the use and benefit of said expenditures; and

WHEREAS, the result of said expenditures were and are well worth the price which the city of Iowa City contracted should be paid therefor; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the legality of the aforesaid warrants, or a portion thereof, on the ground that the aforesaid expenditures, or a portion thereof, were contracted in excess of the city's authorized annual revenue; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the legality of the aforesaid warrants, or a portion thereof, on the ground that aforesaid expenditures, or a portion thereof, were not provided for in the city's annual appropriation; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the legality of aforesaid warrants, or a portion thereof, on the ground that the indebtedness, which said warrants evidence, was contracted in excess of the statutory limitations on indebtedness; now therefore

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

1 SECTION 1. Warrants, etc., legalized. That the acts of the city
2 council of the city of Iowa City, in the county of Johnson, state of
3 Iowa, in making expenditures for the city of Iowa City and issuing
4 warrants thereof in the sum of \$44,193.26, be and the same are hereby
5 legalized, as though the law had in all respects been complied with.

1 SEC. 2. Same. The aforesaid warrants of the city of Iowa City,
2 in the sum of \$44,193.26 be and the same are hereby legalized and de-
3 clared to be valid, legal and subsisting obligations, the same as though
4 the law had in all respects been complied with.

1 SEC. 3. Pending litigation. Nothing in this act shall affect any
2 pending litigation.

1 **SEC. 4. Publication clause.** This act being deemed of immediate
 2 importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its pub-
 3 lication in the Register and Leader, a newspaper published at Des
 4 Moines, Iowa, and the Iowa City Republican, a newspaper published
 5 at Iowa City, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 17, A. D. 1915.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader and in the Iowa City Republican April 19, 1915.

W. S. ALLEN, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 210.

GENERAL ELECTIONS.

H. J. R. S.

JOINT RESOLUTION agreeing to a proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, repealing section seven (7) of article two (2) of said constitution and proposing a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for the time of holding general elections.

WHEREAS, by house joint resolution number three (3) of the resolutions of the thirty-fifth general assembly, which resolution was approved April 8, A. D., 1913, an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, was proposed, and

WHEREAS, the said proposed amendment was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the house of representatives of said thirty-fifth general assembly and entered upon its journal at pages 1681 and 1682 thereof, and was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to the senate of said general assembly and entered upon its journal at page 1585 thereof, and

WHEREAS, the said resolution has been published as provided by law and has now been referred to this, the thirty-sixth general assembly, now, therefore,

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

That the proposed amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, as contained in and proposed by said house joint resolution number three (3), of the resolutions of the thirty-fifth general assembly, which resolution including its title, was and is in words and figures as follows, to wit:

“Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa, repealing section seven (7) of article two (2) of said constitution and proposing a substitute therefor, relating to and providing for the time of holding general elections.

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

1 **SECTION 1. Proposed constitutional amendment.** That the fol-
 2 lowing amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa be and the
 3 same is hereby proposed:

4 To repeal section seven (7) of article two (2) of the constitution of
 5 Iowa and to adopt in lieu thereof the following, to wit: