

CHAPTER 267.

SPECIAL CHARTER CITIES.

H. F. 372.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in sections nine hundred seventy-two (972) and nine hundred seventy-four (974) of the code, relating to street improvements and sewers, applicable to cities acting under special charters.

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

1 SECTION 1. Special assessments—payment, etc. That the law as
2 it appears in section nine hundred seventy-two (972) of the code, be
3 and the same is hereby amended, by inserting after the word “in-
4 terest” in the thirteenth line of said section, the following: “from
5 the date of acceptance of the work by the city council”; and by
6 inserting after the word “interest” in the seventeenth line of said
7 section, the following: “from the date of acceptance of the work by
8 the city council” and by inserting after the word “interest” in the
9 twenty-first line, the following: “from the date of acceptance of the
10 work by the city council” and by striking out of the last line of said
11 section, the words “the date of such levy” and by inserting in lieu
12 thereof, after the word “interest” in said last line, the words “from
13 the date of acceptance of the work by the city council.”

1 SEC. 2. Interest. That the law as it appears in section nine hun-
2 dred and seventy-four (974) of the code, be and the same is hereby
3 amended by striking out from the first and second lines of said sec-
4 tion, the following words, to wit: “from the date of such levy” and
5 by inserting in lieu thereof, after the word “interest” in the first line
6 of said section, the following: “from the date of acceptance of the
7 work by the city council”.

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CHAPTER 268.

CARL PERSING.

H. F. 173.

AN ACT for the relief of Carl Persing, a student and employe of the Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa.

WHEREAS, on the sixth day of December, 1914, Carl Persing, a student in the Iowa State College, at Ames, Iowa, and an employe thereof, was severely and permanently injured by coming in contact with one of the guy wires attached to one of the poles carrying the wires of the electric

light plant of the said college, which guy wire, for want of proper insulation, had become heavily charged with electricity: THEREFORE,

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

1 SECTION 1. **Appropriation.** That there is hereby appropriated
2 out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the
3 sum of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) for the relief of the said
4 Carl Persing, in full compensation and settlement for the injuries sus-
5 tained by him.

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CHAPTER 269.

INSURANCE OTHER THAN LIFE.

H. F. 516.

AN ACT relative to the issuance of policies of fire insurance, prohibiting false or misleading representations by advertisements, and providing a penalty for its violation.

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

1 SECTION 1. **Policy in name of issuing company only.** That every
2 fire insurance company and association authorized to transact busi-
3 ness in this state shall conduct its business in the name under which
4 it is incorporated, and the policies issued by it shall be headed or en-
5 titled only by such name. There shall not appear on the face of the
6 policy or on its filing back, anything that would indicate that it is
7 the obligation of any other than the company responsible for the
8 payment of losses under the policy, though it will be permissible to
9 stamp or print on the bottom of the filing back, the name or names
10 of the department or general agency issuing the same.

1 SEC. 2. **Misleading statements.** No insurance company or de-
2 partment of general agency of an insurance company, doing business
3 in this state, or its officers or agents, shall issue any false or mis-
4 leading advertisement through newspapers or other periodicals, or any
5 false or misleading representations by signs, cards, letter-heads, etc.,
6 tending to conceal or misrepresent the true identity of the insurer or
7 insurance company, which is carrying the liability under any policy
8 issued in this state.

9 Nor shall any insurance company or department or general agency
10 of an insurance company, doing business in this state issue any ad-
11 vertisement or representation of any character, giving the appear-
12 ance of a separate or independent insuring organization on the part
13 of any department or general agency, and the type or lettering used
14 in any advertisement or representation shall set forth the name of the
15 company or organization assuming the risk more conspicuously than
16 that of any department or general agency.