

CHAPTER 166.

TOWN OF TAMA.

S. F. 447.

AN ACT to legalize an ordinance of the incorporated town of Tama, Iowa, granting a franchise to the Tama and Toledo Railway Company, its successors or assigns, to construct or acquire, maintain and operate, by electricity or other improved power, a system of street and interurban railway in said town.

WHEREAS, an ordinance, entitled:

"An ordinance authorizing the Tama and Toledo Railway Company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the state of Iowa, its successors or assigns, to construct or acquire, maintain and operate, by electricity or other improved power, a system of street and interurban railways in the city of Tama, Iowa, and defining the rights, powers, duties and liabilities of said Tama and Toledo Railway Company, its successors or assigns, and the duties and liabilities of persons in respect thereto." was passed and adopted by the town council of Tama, Iowa, on October 9th, 1911, and was passed and adopted by the legal electors of Tama, Iowa, at a special election held on October 2d, 1911, and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to whether all of the provision of law relating to the granting of franchises were strictly complied with, now therefore:

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

1 SECTION 1. Ordinance legalized. That an ordinance of the in-
2 corporated town of Tama, Iowa, passed October 9th, 1911, and en-
3 titled:

4 "An ordinance authorizing the Tama and Toledo Railway Com-
5 pany, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the state of
6 Iowa, its successors or assigns, to construct or acquire, maintain and
7 operate, by electricity or other improved power, a system of street
8 and interurban railways in the city of Tama, Iowa, and defining the
9 rights, powers, duties and liabilities of said Tama and Toledo Rail-
10 way Company, its successors or assigns, and the duties and liabilities
11 of persons in respect thereto."

12 be and the same is hereby declared legal and valid, the same as if all
13 of the provisions of law relating to the granting of franchises had in
14 all respects been strictly complied with.

1 SEC. 2. Pending litigation. This act shall in no wise affect pend-
2 ing litigation.

1 SEC. 3. Publication clause. This act being deemed of immediate
2 importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication
3 in the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar
4 Rapids, Iowa, and the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in
5 Des Moines, Iowa, and without expense to the state.

Approved April 7, A. D. 1917.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines News April 13, 1917, and the Cedar Rapids Republican April 14, 1917.

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