

3 County Independent, a newspaper published at Waverly, Iowa, and in
4 the Tripoli Leader, a newspaper published at Tripoli, Iowa.

Approved March 10, 1949.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Bremer County Independent, March 23, 1949, and in the Tripoli Leader, March 16, 1949.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 247

PENITENTIARY LAND TO BE SOLD

H. F. 25

AN ACT authorizing the executive council to sell certain lands belonging to the state of Iowa situated in section twenty-eight (28), township sixty-eight (68) north, range four (4) west of the fifth principal meridian, Lee county, Iowa.

WHEREAS, the state of Iowa is the owner of the following described real estate, to-wit:

That part of the east one-half ($E\frac{1}{2}$) of the southeast quarter ($S.E.\frac{1}{4}$) of section twenty-eight (28), township sixty-eight (68) north, range four (4) west of the fifth principal meridian, Lee county, Iowa, lying on the west side of primary road number eighty-eight (88) except any right held by the Washington township school district in one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) acre on which a brick school building now stands and contains forty-six point fifteen (46.15) acres more or less, which land was used in connection with the penitentiary at Fort Madison, Iowa and

WHEREAS, said land is no longer desired for use in that connection:

NOW, THEREFORE

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. That the executive council be and hereby is authorized
2 and empowered to sell at public or private sale all of the following
3 described real estate:

4 That part of the east one-half ($E\frac{1}{2}$) of the southeast quarter
5 ($S.E.\frac{1}{4}$) of section twenty-eight (28), township sixty-eight (68)
6 north, range four (4) west of the fifth principal meridian, Lee county,
7 Iowa, lying on the west side of primary road number eighty-eight
8 (88) except any right held by the Washington township school dis-
9 trict in one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) acre on which a brick school building now
10 stands and contains forty-six point fifteen (46.15) acres more or less,
11 at such price and upon such terms as the said executive council shall
12 deem most advantageous to the state of Iowa.

1 SEC. 2. That funds accruing from such sale shall be deposited
2 with the state treasurer to the credit of the general fund.

1 SEC. 3. The governor and secretary of state are hereby author-
2 ized to execute all necessary deeds of conveyance required to convey
3 said premises to the purchaser.

1 SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take
 2 effect and be in force from and after its publication in Evening
 3 Democrat, a newspaper published in the city of Fort Madison, Iowa,
 4 and in The Donnellson Review, a newspaper published in the city of
 5 Donnellson, Iowa.

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I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Evening Democrat,
 March 22, 1949, and in The Donnellson Review, April 16, 1949.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 248

INDEPENDENCE STATE HOSPITAL LAND EXCHANGE

H. F. 552

AN ACT to authorize the exchange of certain land now used in connection with the Independence State Hospital for certain farm land adjoining, and to provide for an appropriation therefor.

WHEREAS, certain land described as follows:

"The Southwest quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of the Northeast quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$) and the Northwest quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$) of the Southeast quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of section seven (7), township eighty-eight (88) North, range nine (9) West of the 5th P. M., containing eighty (80) acres more or less."

is practically surrounded by lands belonging to the state of Iowa and is now owned by one Herman C. Aaberg and referred to in this act as the Aaberg tract; and

WHEREAS, the owner of the Aaberg tract has made an offer in writing to exchange said land for the following adjoining tract described as follows:

"The South half (S $\frac{1}{2}$) of the Northwest quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$) of section seven (7), township eighty-eight (88) North, range nine (9) West of the 5th P. M., containing eighty (80) acres more or less."

now owned by the state and referred to in this act as the state tract; and

WHEREAS, the board of control of state institutions is of the opinion that it is to the best interests in the management of said hospital to have the farm lands in conjunction therewith more compactly located and that they will have no need for the state tract if the Aaberg tract is made a part of the farm lands of said institution; and

WHEREAS, the institution would have no need for the farm buildings and lot fences now located on the Aaberg tract, now wherefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. The executive council is hereby authorized to negotiate
 2 an exchange with Herman C. Aaberg or his successor in interest of
 3 the tracts of farm land described in the preamble of this act and to
 4 pay from the funds hereinafter appropriated the sum of one thousand