

- 1 SEC. 2. This Act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall  
 2 take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Jeffer-  
 3 son Bee, a newspaper published in Jefferson, Iowa, and in the Algona  
 4 Upper Des Moines, a newspaper published in Algona, Iowa.

Approved April 19, 1957.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act, House File 420, was published in the Jefferson Bee, Jefferson, Iowa, April 23, 1957, and in the Algona Upper Des Moines, Algona, Iowa, April 25, 1957.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 283

### GRAND JUNCTION CEMETERY ASSOCIATION

H. F. 560

AN ACT to validate transfers of cemetery lots by the Grand Junction Cemetery Association of Greene county.

WHEREAS, the Grand Junction Cemetery Association was organized in the year 1874 and has thereafter been in continuous existence; and

WHEREAS, such association on September 29, 1874, became the record owner of the Southwest quarter of the Southwest quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section five (5) Township eighty-three (83), Range twenty-nine (29) Greene County, Iowa, and constituted a cemetery thereon, laid out in blocks and lots and has continuously maintained such cemetery; and

WHEREAS, since its organization said association by its president and secretary over their respective signatures have issued deeds of transfer of title to cemetery lots or portions thereof; and

WHEREAS, the records of said association have become lost or destroyed and there is in existence no by-law or other record showing authority to execute conveyances of the property of the association and by reason of the foregoing recitals question has arisen as to the validity of the transfers of such cemetery lots and the titles thereto; now therefore,

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

- 1 SECTION 1. That any and all of the deeds and transfers of title  
 2 heretofore made on behalf and in the name of the Grand Junction  
 3 Cemetery Association to lots in the cemetery located on the Southwest  
 4 quarter of the Southwest quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of section five (5)  
 5 Township eighty-three (83), Range twenty-nine (29), Greene County,  
 6 Iowa, are hereby validated and legalized.

Approved April 30, 1957.