

**SEC. 6.** This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall be in force and take effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Des Moines Bulletin, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved, March 21, 1870.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the *Iowa State Register* and *Des Moines Bulletin*, March 22, 1870.

ED WRIGHT, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 30.

### TOWN OF LEON.

**MARCH 21.** AN ACT to Legalize the Incorporation of the Town of Leon, Decatur county, Iowa.

**Rev.: ch. 51.** **Preamble.** WHEREAS, The Mayor of the incorporated town of Leon, incorporated under the general incorporation laws of the State of Iowa, failed to call an election on the first Monday in March, A. D. 1869, for the election of a mayor, five councilmen, and one recorder, as required by law; and

**Annual election omitted.**

WHEREAS, The mayor, councilmen and recorder then in office held over and continued to discharge the duties of their respective offices in every respect as though they had been regularly elected; therefore,

**Organization and acts of officers holding over legalized.** **SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That the organization of the said incorporated town of Leon, in the county of Decatur and State of Iowa, and all acts done by said mayor and recorder, and all ordinances passed and published by said council, while holding over as aforesaid, be, and the same are hereby declared to be legal and valid, to all intents and purposes, as fully and completely as though the said mayor, council, and recorder had been elected as required by law.

**Taking effect.** **SEC. 2.** This act being deemed of immediate public importance, shall take effect from and after its publication in the Decatur County Journal, and Leon Pioneer, newspapers published at Leon, Iowa, without expense to the State.

Approved, March 21, 1870.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Decatur County Journal*, March 31, 1870, and in the *Leon Pioneer*, April 8, 1870.

ED WRIGHT, *Secretary of State.*