

dollars. For copy furnished by said reporter, the sum of ten dollars.

SEC. 15. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be [in] force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Des Moines Republican.

Approved Feb. 20, 1873.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Daily Des Moines Republican* February 26, and in the *Daily Iowa State Register* February 28, 1873

JOSIAH T. YOUNG, *Secretary of State.*

#### CHAPTER IV.

AN ACT to Amend Chapter 175 of the Acts of the Fourteenth General Assembly, Approved April 22, 1872.

WHEREAS, There was inadvertently omitted from chapter 175 of the acts of the Fourteenth General Assembly, at the regular session thereof, approved April 22, 1872, and entitled "An act to legalize the gift, grant, sales and conveyances of certain lands located with the scrip issued by Johnson county as indemnity for swamp lands, and the acts and proceedings of the board of supervisors of said county, and of Jephtha Cowgill as agent and trustee of said county, and of the Iowa Northern Central Railroad Company, relative thereto," the additional lands hereinafter designated and embraced in the conveyance in said act referred to, and which was executed by Jephtha Cowgill, as trustee, etc., to said Aaron H. Cole; therefore,

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That all of the provisions of said chapter 175 of the acts of the Fourteenth General Assembly, be, and the same are hereby extended to the additional lands conveyed to said Aaron H. Cole, and omitted from said act and described as follows:

All of fractional section four, in township ninety-eight north of range thirty-one west. All of section thirty-two, in township ninety-nine north of range thirty-one west. All of fractional section two, in township ninety-eight north of range thirty-two west. The northeast quarter of section thirty-four, south half of section thirty-five, and south half of section thirty-six, in township one hundred north of range thirty-three west, all in the county of Emmet, and State of Iowa.

And that all gifts, grants, sales and conveyances, by the said Johnson county, or by the board of supervisors thereof, or by said Iowa Northern Central Railroad Company, or by Jephtha Cowgill, as

trustee and agent of said county and company, to said Aaron H. Cole of the lands above described, and as well the proceedings prior in regard thereto, be and the same are hereby legalized and in all respects made valid, and the title and rights of said Aaron H. Cole, thereunder rendered valid and effectual to the full extent provided by the said act to which this is amendatory.

Approved February 19th, 1873.

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## CHAPTER V.

AN ACT to Enable the School Directors of the Independent District of Muscatine to use a portion of the Contingent Fund for school house purposes.

SEC. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That the school directors of the independent district of Muscatine, in the county of Muscatine, be and they are hereby authorized to use so much of the contingent fund now in their treasurer's hands, or that may have accumulated over and above the amount needed for the proper working of that department, not exceeding ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, to aid in the construction of a school house upon the north half of block one hundred (100) in the said city of Muscatine.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and Muscatine Journal, without expense to the State.

Approved February 19, 1873.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Muscatine Evening Journal* February 27, and in the *Daily Iowa State Register* March 1, 1873.

JOSIAH T. YOUNG, *Secretary of State.*

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## CHAPTER VI.

AN ACT to Legalize the Levy of Taxes in the town of Hamburg, Fremont County, Iowa.

WHEREAS, By reason of the absence of the trustees of the town of Hamburg, in Fremont county, State of Iowa, and for want of a quorum of the council of said town, the taxes for town