

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 State Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved, April 18th, 1872.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Daily State Leader*, April 20, 1872, and in the *Daily Iowa State Register*, April 23, 1872

ED WRIGHT, *Secretary of State.*

CH. 144.] CHAPTER LXXIX. [S. F. 145.

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL-DISTRICT OF HOMER.

APRIL 18. AN ACT to Legalize the Organization of the Independent School-District of Homer, Iowa.

Preamble. WHEREAS, On the first day of May, A. D., 1869, the independent school-district of Homer, Iowa, was organized out of the following described territory in the county of Hamilton, Iowa, to-wit: sections six and seven, and west one-half of eight and five, town eighty-seven, range twenty-six, and section [s] numbers thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, thirty, and nineteen, twenty, and twenty-one of town eighty-eight, range number twenty-six; and from the following contiguous territory thereto, in the county of Webster, Iowa, to-wit: east half of section number twelve, town eighty-seven, range twenty-seven; also, all of section number one, town eighty-seven, range twenty-seven, except the southwest forty; also, all of section number thirty-six, town eighty-eight, range twenty-seven; and

WHEREAS, The citizens included in said territory are well accommodated in said independent school-district, and desire the continuance of the organization, and have all the time, since the organization of said independent school-district, enjoyed the benefits and privileges thereof; and

WHEREAS, Some doubts have been expressed about the legality of said organization, so far as it includes territory in Webster county, Iowa, which may embarrass the collection of taxes and dues on account of the territory and children in said independent district in Webster county; therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That the organization of the independent school-district of Homer, Iowa, out of the territory above described, in the counties of Hamilton and Webster, in pursuance of an election held in said independent school-district at the village of Homer, on the first day of May, A. D. 1869, and all the official acts of the officers of said independent school-district, and all taxes levied, rights acquired, and liabilities assumed by said independent school-district, be, and the same are hereby, declared legal and valid, to the same extent as if the organization of said independent school-district had been made in strict conformity to the statute relating thereto; and all of said territory in the county of Webster shall be a part of said independent school-district; and no informality, irregularity, or illegality in the said organization, shall in any manner invalidate the said organization, nor the official acts of officers thereunder.

District formed
of territory in
two counties in
1869 legalized.

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 Hamilton Freeman, without expense to the State.

In force when.

Approved, April 18th, 1872.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Daily Iowa State Register*, April 23, and in *The Hamilton Freeman*, April 24, 1872.

ED WRIGHT, *Secretary of State.*

CH. 145.] CHAPTER LXXX. [H. F. 100.

SALE OF SCHOOL-LANDS IN LUCAS COUNTY LEGALIZED.

AN ACT to Legalize the Sale of School-Lands in Lucas County. APRIL 19.

WHEREAS, Section eleven, of chapter one hundred and forty-eight, of the acts of the Ninth General Assembly, provides when any of the school-lands shall be bid off in behalf of the school-fund, the clerk of the board of supervisors may, upon application of any person proposing to buy the same, appoint appraisers to appraise the same; and

Preamble.

WHEREAS, The board of supervisors of Lucas county did, at the January Term (1866), appoint a committee to appraise such school-lands, and authorized the clerk to sell