

## CHAPTER LXXI.

## APPROPRIATION FOR ALLEN OSBORN.

H. F. 303. AN ACT for the Relief of Allen Osborn.

Preamble: WHEREAS, Allen Osborn, a resident of the county of Harrison and state of Iowa, was on or about the 1st of May, 1872, called out and commanded by a peace officer to assist in arresting a person charged with an assault with intent to commit murder; and

WHEREAS, The said Allen Osborn, in obedience to the command of said peace officer, attempted to assist in making said arrest; and

Citizen disabled while aiding a peace officer. WHEREAS, The person charged with the commission of the crime, as aforesaid, did, for the purpose of effecting his escape, fire a revolver at the said Osborn, seriously wounding him by breaking both bones of his left arm near the elbow, and disabling him for life, so that he is wholly unable to support himself and family; now, therefore,

\$1,000 appropriated. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That there be and is hereby appropriated, for the use and benefit of the said Allen Osborn, the sum of one thousand dollars out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, and that the auditor of state be and is hereby authorized to draw his warrant for the same.

Publication clause. SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force on and after its publication in The Iowa State Register and Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines.

Approved March 18th, 1874.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published at Des Moines in *The Iowa Daily State Leader* April 3, and in *The Daily Iowa State Register* April 7, 1874.

JOSIAH T. YOUNG, Secretary of State.

## CHAPTER LXXII.

## ANNEXATION OF TERRITORY TO BROOKLYN LEGALIZED.

S. F. 233. AN ACT to Legalize the Annexation of certain Territory contiguous to the Town of Brooklyn, Iowa, and the Acts of the Officers thereunder.

Preamble. WHEREAS, A majority of the qualified electors residing within certain described territory contiguous to the incorporated town of Brooklyn, in Poweshiek county, Iowa, did petition to the circuit court of said Poweshiek county, Iowa, and pursuant to the order of said court held an election which resulted in favor of annexing the above described territory to the incorporate town of Brooklyn, according to law; and

WHEREAS, The trustees of the said incorporate town of Brooklyn did virtually consent to the annexation of said territory to said incorporate town; and,

WHEREAS, Grave doubts have arisen in regard to some of the proceedings relating thereto; therefore,

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That all the acts and proceedings had therein and illegalities are hereby legalized and made valid, and the said territory is hereby annexed to the incorporate town of Brooklyn. Acts and proceedings in annexation legalized.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in The Daily Iowa State Register and Brooklyn Journal, without expense to the state.

Approved March 18th, 1874.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Brooklyn Journal* April 15, and in *The Daily Iowa State Register* April 23, 1874.

JOSIAH T. YOUNG, Secretary of State.

### CHAPTER LXXIII.

#### LEGALIZING THE ELECTION OF A CITY MARSHAL.

AN ACT to Legalize the Action of the City Council of the City of S. F. 205. Knoxville, Marion County, Iowa.

WHEREAS, The act incorporating the city of Knoxville, Marion county, Iowa, passed on the 24th day of January, 1855, requires the city marshal to be elected by the qualified electors of that city, at the annual election for city officers; and Preamble, 5 G. A.; ch. 71.

WHEREAS, The mayor of said city did not in his proclamation issued prior to the last annual election include in said proclamation among the officers to be elected the city marshal; and

WHEREAS, On account of said omission there was no city marshal elected at said last annual election, but at a meeting of the city council, after said election, T. H. Woodruff was appointed by said city council to act as city marshal for said city, for one year from the date of his appointment; and

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to whether the official acts of said T. H. Woodruff, as marshal as aforesaid, were legal; therefore

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That the action of the city council of the city of Knoxville, Marion county, Iowa, in the appointment of T. H. Woodruff marshal of said city, and the official acts of said T. H. Woodruff as marshal of said city, be and the same are hereby legalized to the same extent as if he, the said T. H. Woodruff, had been regularly elected by the people of said city in the manner provided by law. Appointment and official acts of marshal chosen by council instead of by people legalized.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Knoxville Voter, and Marion County Democrat, newspaper[s] Publication clause.