

enne due the state, except state taxes, it shall be his duty to draw his warrant for such excess, in favor of the county entitled thereto, and forward the said warrant by mail or otherwise, to the county auditor of the county to which said money belongs, and charge the amount so sent to the said county.

To forward warrant for any excess to county entitled.

SEC. 3. The county auditor to whom said warrant is sent, shall immediately upon receipt thereof deliver the same to the county treasurer of his county and charge the amount of the warrant to said county treasurer in the same manner as any other fund is charged on the books of his office, and the county auditor shall also, on receipt of said warrant from the auditor of state acknowledge receipt of the amount of said warrant to said state auditor.

Duty of county auditor.

SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication in the Iowa State Register and Iowa State Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

To take effect.

Approved March 15, 1876.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Leader*, March 23, and in the *Iowa State Register*, March 25, 1876.

JOSIAH T. YOUNG, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 114.

RELATING TO PROPOSITION TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION.

AN ACT providing for the Publication of Propositions to Amend the Constitution and for other purposes connected therewith. *H. F. 337.*

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That whenever any proposition to amend the constitution has passed the general assembly and [been] referred to the next succeeding legislature as provided in section 1, article ten of the constitution, the secretary of state shall cause the same to be published in two newspapers of general circulation in each congressional district in the state for the time provided in section one, article ten of the constitution; and the fact of such publication having been made shall be verified by the affidavits of the publishers of such newspapers and such affidavits together with the certificate of the secretary of state that he had designated the newspapers in which the publication was made shall be filed, preserved and recorded in a book kept for that purpose in the office of the secretary of state; and the secretary of state shall report his action in the premises to the next succeeding general assembly.

When proposition has passed the general assembly.
Publication.
Certificate of secretary of state—
And report.

SEC. 2. Whenever a proposition to amend the constitution shall have passed the general assembly and been agreed to by the next succeeding general assembly as provided in section one,

Proposition having passed two general assemblies.

- Shall be submitted at next general election. article ten of the constitution, the same shall be submitted to the qualified electors at the next ensuing general election; and the ballots relating to such amendment or amendments shall be separate from the ballots for officers cast at such election, and shall be deposited in boxes to be provided by the judges of election, separate from said ballots so cast for officers; and there shall be written or printed on such ballots the entire proposed amendment or amendments with the word "for" or "against"—as the elector may desire—preceding each amendment voted upon; and the election shall be conducted in the same manner as the election for state officers, except as herein otherwise provided; and the canvass shall be in the same manner, and by the same officers and like returns made thereof as of the ballots cast for the secretary of state; and the board of state canvassers shall declare the result and enter the same of record in the book mentioned in section one of this act, immediately following and in connection with the proofs of publication.
- Ballots.
- Election.
- Returns.
- Duty of Governor. Sec. 3. Whenever a proposition to amend the constitution is submitted to a vote of the electors, the governor shall include such proposed amendment in his proclamation provided for in section 577 of the Code.
- Expenses under this act. Sec. 4. Expenses incurred under the provisions of this act, shall be audited and allowed by the executive council and paid out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated.
- Approved March 15, 1876.

CHAPTER 115.

LEGALIZING SALE OF CERTAIN LAND IN HARRISON COUNTY.

- H. F. 861. AN ACT to Legalize the Sale of a Certain 80 Acre Tract of School Land in Harrison County, sold to John A. Parkins.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That the sale of the east half of the southwest quarter of section three (3) in township seventy-eight (78) north of range forty-two (42), west of the fifth p. m. in Harrison county and state of Iowa, be and the same is hereby made valid and confirmed, the same having been sold by the auditor of Harrison county to John A. Parkins on the 2nd day of March, 1870, and a certificate of purchase given therefor; and it is further enacted that the governor is hereby authorized to make and deliver a patent to the said John A. Parkins or his assignee on presentation of the certificate of purchase and the payment of three (\$3) dollars per acre including what has heretofore been paid to the state thereon.
- E $\frac{1}{4}$ of s w $\frac{1}{4}$ sec. 3, tp. 78. r. 42.
- Governor to make patent.