

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

SECTION 1. That the organization and acts of the independent school district of Carpenter, consisting of the whole of sections 6 and 7, the w. $\frac{1}{2}$ of section 5, the w. $\frac{1}{2}$ of section 8, the n. $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 18; and the w. $\frac{1}{4}$ of the n. $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 17, all in the township of Newburg, Mitchell county, Iowa, and the n. $\frac{1}{2}$ of the n. e. $\frac{1}{4}$ of section 13, Barton township, Worth county, Iowa, be and the same is hereby declared legal, binding, and valid in the organization of said district and the election of its officers, the same as if the law had been fully complied with in said organization and election. Legalizing clause.

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, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Mitchell County Press, a newspaper published at Osage, Iowa, without expense to the state. Publication.

Approved, March 26, 1880.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register*, April 3, and in the *Mitchell County Press*, April 8, 1880.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 159.

OFFICIAL ACTS OF FRANK PENNEY LEGALIZED.

AN ACT to Legalize the Official Acts of Frank Penney, as a Member H. F. 525. of the Board of Supervisors of Mitchell County, Iowa.

WHEREAS, Frank Penney, a former subject of Great Britain [Britain], came to Mitchell county, Iowa, and took out his first naturalization papers in 1857, and believing that qualified him as a citizen of the United States and the state of Iowa, to vote, hold office and perform the other duties of a citizen, he failed to take out his second papers; and, Preamble.

WHEREAS, He was elected a member of the board of supervisors of Mitchell county in 1867, and performed the duties of that office from January 1st, 1868, to January 1st, 1870, and was again elected a member of the board of supervisors of Mitchell county in the year 1873, and performed the duties of that office from January 1st, 1874, to January 1st, 1877; therefore, Served on board of supervisors before naturalization.

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

SECTION 1. That all the official acts of Frank Penney as a member of the board of supervisors of Mitchell county, Iowa, from January 1st, 1868, to January 1st, 1870, and from January Legalizing clause.

1st, 1874, to January 1st, 1877, be and the same are hereby declared legal, valid and binding, to the same extent as if said Frank Penney had fully complied with the naturalization laws of the United States, and had been fully qualified by law to hold said office.

Publication.

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, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the Mitchell County Press, a newspaper published at Osage, Mitchell county, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved, March 26, 1880.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the *Iowa State Register*, April 6, and *Mitchell County Press*, April 8, 1880.

J. A. T. HULL, *Secretary of State*.

CHAPTER 160.

INCORPORATION OF THE SURPRISE SILVER MINING COMPANY LEGALIZED.

H. F. 587. AN ACT to Legalize the Incorporation of the Surprise Silver Mining Company.

Preamble.

Incorporated in 1879.

Not recorded.

Legalizing clause.

WHEREAS, The Surprise Silver Mining Company was incorporated at Red Oak Junction, in Montgomery county, Iowa, under the general incorporation laws of the state of Iowa, on the 18th day of November, A. D. 1879; and,

WHEREAS, The said Surprise Silver Mining Company neglected and failed to have its articles of incorporation recorded, as required by law, until the 16th day of January, A. D. 1880; now, therefore,

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

SECTION 1. That the incorporation of the said silver mining company, and all the acts done and performed, and all the contracts made by and with said company, be hereby declared legalized, and declared valid and binding, as if the said articles of incorporation had been recorded on said 18th day of November, A. D. 1879.

Approved, March 26, 1880.