

CHAPTER 179.

NEW CAPITOL.

H. F. 445. AN ACT Amending Section 2 of Chapter 138, of the Laws of the Seventeenth General Assembly.

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

§ 2, Chap. 138,
amended: dome
may be built.

SECTION 1. That part of section 2, of chapter 138, laws of the seventeenth general assembly, after the word "pavilion" in the fifth line of said section, be and the same is hereby repealed. Approved, March 26, 1880.

CHAPTER 180

LEGALIZING DEEDS BY COUNTIES FOR SWAMP LAND.

H. F. 495. AN ACT to Legalize Deeds by Counties of Swamp and Other Lands Owned and Conveyed by such Counties.

Prior to 1860
real estate con-
veyed by county
judge.

WHEREAS, Prior to the taking effect of the Revision of 1860, all conveyances of real estate owned by counties were required to be executed in the name of the county, by the county judge in his official capacity, with the county seal attached; and,

Revision of
1860, new rule.

WHEREAS, By the Revision of 1860, conveyances of swamp land were required to be executed by the county court, and countersigned by the clerk of said court, with the seal of the county attached; and,

Conveyances
without county
seal.

WHEREAS, In many counties of this state, deeds conveying swamp and other lands, have been executed without having the county seal attached, and others without being countersigned by the clerk, with the seal of the county attached or affixed thereto; and,

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the validity of said deeds; therefore,

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

All convey-
ances legalized.

SECTION 1. That all deeds heretofore executed by a county judge, or county court, or the chairman of the board of supervisors of any county, and to which the officer executing the same has failed or omitted to affix the county seal, and all deeds where the clerk has failed or omitted to countersign when required so