

CHAPTER 33.

ACTS OF ISALIAH DOANE LEGALIZED.

H. F. 158. AN ACT to Legalize the Acknowledgments taken and certified by Isalah Doane, Mayor of the Incorporated Town of Webster City, Iowa.

Preamble. WHEREAS, Isalah Doane, a mayor of Webster City, Iowa, did in his official capacity as mayor take and certify the acknowledgments of certain deeds, mortgages, and other instruments authorized or required by law to be recorded; and,

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the validity of such official acts; therefore,

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

Legalizing clause.

SECTION 1. That all the official acts of the said Isalah Doane, as mayor of Webster City, Iowa, in taking and certifying the acknowledgments of deeds, mortgages, and other instruments authorized or required by law to be recorded during the period between the 7th day of March, 1879, and March 8th, 1881, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared valid and binding in all respects, as fully to all intents and purposes as if he had been during the period aforesaid fully authorized and empowered as such mayor to take and certify acknowledgments of deeds, mortgages, and other instruments authorized or required by law.

Approved, March 8, 1882.

CHAPTER 34.

TOWN OF PRINCETON LEGALIZED.

H. F. 275. AN ACT to Legalize the Reorganization and Incorporation of the Town of Princeton, Scott County, Iowa.

Preamble. WHEREAS, At a special election held in the city of Princeton, Scott county, Iowa, in the year 1878, a majority of the citizens of said city voted to abandon the special charter under which said city was originally organized, and to reorganize under the provisions of law relating to cities and towns incorporated under the general incorporation law of the state. Since then the citizens of said town have annually elected the officers required by law, have passed ordinances and conducted the general business of the town in good faith;

Reorganised in 1878.

WHEREAS, Doubts exist as to the regularity of the proceedings of the reorganization and incorporation of said town, for the