binding, the same as though the law had in all respects, been strictly complied with.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance, Publication shall take effect and be in force, from and after its publication clause. without expense to the State, in the Iowa State *Register*, published at Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, and in the Conrad *Journal*, published in Conrad, Grundy County, Iowa.

Approved March 23rd, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register March 28, and the Conrad Journal March 28, 1894. W. M. McFARLAND, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 178.

AN ACT to legalize the election held in the town of Riverside, county S. F. 374. of Washington and state of Iowa.

WHEREAS, At the election held March 5th, 1894, in the Election law town of Riverside, county of Washington and state of Iowa, not fully comthe Australian ballot law was not fully complied with; therefore,

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

SECTION 1. That the election held March 5th, 1894, in the *blection* town of Riverside, county of Washington and state of Iowa, *blegalized*. is hereby legalized and the same is hereby declared valid and binding, the same as though the election law had been fully complied with.

SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance Publication shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication clause. in the Iowa State *Register*, a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa and Riverside *Leader* a newspaper published at Riverside, Washington county, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 2, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register April 10, and the Riverside Leader April 7, 1894. W. M. McFARLAND, Secretary of State.

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CHAPTER 179.

AN ACT to legalize the acts of the city council and board of public S. F. 416. works of the city of Des Moines in entering into certain contracts for paving with the Des Moines Brick Manufacturing Company.

WHEREAS, During the year 1893, the city council and Contract. board of public works of the city of Des Moines entered into City with brick certain contracts with the Des Moines Brick Manufacturing company. Company for paving certain streets and alleys and parts of streets and alleys in said city, hereinafter more particularly described, and

WHEREAS, A portion of the work provided for in said con-Doubts as to tracts has been done, but doubts have arisen as to the legality of contracts and of the acts of the city council and board