LAWS OF THE TWENTY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY. 1894.]

CHAPTER 211.

AN ACT to legalize the official acts of the town council and ordi- H. F. 596. nances of the incorporated town of Correctionville, Woodbury county, Iowa.

WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the offi-Doubts as to cial acts and ordinances passed by the town council of said tain official incorporated town of Correctionville, Woodbury county, ordinances. Iowa, by reason of the failure of the recorder of said town to record the yeas and nays on suspension of rules, or show that rules were suspended at several meetings, or show that the yeas and nays were called on final passage of said ordinances, and the record shows that the rules were suspended without a sufficient number of votes and at times when there were not a sufficient number of members of said town council present at the meetings; and, the failure of the mayor of said town to sign the record of proceedings of the council or sign ordinances passed, and by reason of other minor irregularities in the passage of the ordinances of said incorporated town.

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

SECTION 1. That all official acts done under said ordi-Acts and nances passed by the town council of said incorporated town legalized. of Correctionville not in contravention with the laws of the state of Iowa are hereby legalized and the same are hereby declared to be valid and binding the same as though the laws in all respects had been strictly complied with, in regard to suspending rules, reading the ordinances on separate days, recording the yeas and nays on votes taken, suspending the rules without a sufficient number of members of the council being present at the meetings thereof, the failure of the mayor to sign the records and ordinances passed by said town council and all other irregularities in the passage of the ordinances of said incorporated town.

This act being deemed of immediate importance Publication SEC. 2. shall be in force and effect from and after its publication in clause. the Iowa State Register and the Sioux Valley News, newspapers published at Des Moines and Correctionville, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 10, 1894.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register April 12, and in the Sioux Valley News April 19, 1894. W. M. McFARLAND, Secretary of State.