

erecting and maintaining water-works thereon, be and the same is hereby legalized, and made valid, the same as though the said city had acquired title thereto by grant or purchase especially for that purpose.

SEC. 2. That the resolutions and ordinances passed by the city council of said city of Pella, and elections therein held, during the year 1895, to bond the city of Pella, Marion county, Iowa, to an amount not exceeding five per centum of the assessed valuation of the property within its corporate limits, and to levy the necessary taxes therefor to pay the principal and interest of said bonds, are hereby legalized, and made of as much effect and in as full force, where not contrary to the laws of the state of Iowa, as though no irregularities existed in any of the said proceedings.

Provided that nothing in this act shall in any manner affect any pending litigation.

SEC. 3. 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 in the Weekly Pella Blade, a newspaper published at Pella, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved May 2, 1896.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register, May 19, 1896.

W. M. MCFARLAND,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 197.

AN ACT to legalize the incorporation of the town of Pleasantville, Marion county, Iowa, the election of the officers, and all official acts done and ordinances passed by the council of said town not in contravention with the laws of the State of Iowa. H. F. 333.
Legalized.

WHEREAS, Doubts having arisen as to the legality of the incorporation of the town of Pleasantville, Marion county, Iowa, the election of its officers and the official acts done, and the ordinances passed by the council of said town; therefore,

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

SECTION 1. That the incorporation of the town of Pleasantville, Marion county, Iowa, the election of its officers, and all the official acts done, and the ordinances passed by the council of said town, 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 law had in all respects been complied with in the incorporation of said town, the election of its officers, the official acts done, and the ordinances passed. Election of officers legalized.
Official acts valid.

SEC. 2. This act shall not affect litigation now pending, if any.

Publication. **SEC. 3.** This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa. Said publication shall be without expense to the state.

Approved March 17, 1896.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register, March 24, and Des Moines Leader, March 21, 1896.

W. M. MCFARLAND,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 198.

S. F. 32. AN ACT to legalize the incorporation of the town of Pulaski, Davis county, Iowa, the election of its officers, and all acts done and ordinances passed by the council of said town.

Illegal. Doubts. WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of the incorporation of the town of Pulaski, Davis county, Iowa, and the election of its officers and acts done and ordinances passed by the council of the said town, therefore,

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

Legalized. **SECTION 1.** That the incorporation of the town of Pulaski, Davis county, Iowa, the election of its officers, and all the official acts, and all the ordinances passed by the council of said town, not in contravention with the laws of the state, are hereby legalized and the same are hereby declared valid and binding, the same as though the law had, in all respects, been strictly complied with.

Provided however that nothing in this act shall in any manner affect any pending litigation.

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, published at Des Moines, Polk county, Iowa, and in the Pulaski Independent, published at Pulaski, Davis county, Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved March 19, 1896.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register, March 27, and Pulaski Independent, April 3, 1896.

W. M. MCFARLAND,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 199.

H. F. 501. AN ACT to legalize certain elections held in the incorporated town of Rose Hill, county of Mahaska, and state of Iowa.

Not legal. Doubts. WHEREAS, Doubts have arisen as to the legality of certain elections for town officers in the incorporated town of Rose Hill, county of Mahaska, and state of Iowa, because