That where any such taxes now remain uncollected, the treasurer of the county in which such city is situated is hereby authorized to collect the same as other taxes are collected;

Provided however that nothing in this act shall in any

manner affect any pending litigation.

Publication.

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

Approved March 9, 1896.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register, March 18, and Des Moines Leader, March 13, 1896. W. M. McFarland, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 210.

S. F. 447.

AN ACT to extend the time of the incorporation of Oak Hill Cemetery Association, of Florence Township, Benton County, Iowa, and to legalize all its acts and proceedings in the election of its officers, the selling and conveying of lots.

Incorporated.

Whereas, The Oak Hill Cemetery Association, of Florence township, Benton County, Iowa, was duly incorporated under the general laws of the state by articles of association adopted November 3, 1873, for a term of twenty years; and,

Time expired.

Whereas, The time for which said cemetery association was incorporated expired November 3, 1893; and,

Annual meeting failure.

Whereas, The articles of the association require that meetings of the corporation should be held annually on the 3d day of November of each year, and there having been failures in holding such annual meetings and the election of officers during several years; and,

Doubts.

Whereas, Lots in the cemetery owned by said corporation have been sold to various parties and paid for, and owing to the irregularities in conducting the affairs of said corporation, and the expiration of the time for which said association was incorporated, clouds have been cast upon the title of the lots so sold and conveyed; therefore,

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

Legalized.

That the existence of said Oak Hill Cemetery Association since November 3, 1893, is hereby legalized and to be considered as if its charter had not expired, and all the acts and proceedings in conducting its affairs, and in selling and conveying all lots heretofore sold and conveyed by said corporation, are hereby made legal and valid, and the title to all lots heretofore sold and conveyed is hereby vested in the grantee thereof.

Provided, that nothing herein shall affect any litigation

now pending.

Approved May 2, 1896.