

tions twenty-nine (29,) and thirty (30), all in township 83, Range 42, in Soldier township, Monona county, Iowa, including therein all of the incorporated town of Soldier, Monona county, Iowa, and the east one-half of sections thirteen (13), and twenty-four (24), and the north-east one-fourth of section twenty-five (25), in Jordan township, Monona county, Iowa and

WHEREAS, on or about the first day of August, 1902, bonds were issued in the sum of \$2500 by said district for the erection of a school building, and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the legality of said independent school district, the organization thereof, and the acts of its board of directors, therefore,

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

**SECTION 1. Organization and official acts legalized—pending litigation.** That the organization of the independent school district of Soldier, Monona county, Iowa, the official acts of its board of directors including the issuance of the bonds in the sum of \$2500, be and the same are hereby legalized and made valid, the same as though said independent school district had been organized in strict conformity to law, provided, nothing herein contained shall affect any pending litigation.

**SEC. 2. Territory excepted.** Excepting from the provisions of this act, the territory in Jordan township, to-wit: The east one-half of sections thirteen (13), and twenty-four (24), and the north-east one-fourth of section twenty-five (25), township 83, range 43. Nothing herein shall legalize the acts of said independent school district of Soldier as to its taking in the contiguous territory of Jordan township, aforesaid; this said territory to remain part of the school district of Jordan as it existed prior to February 15th, 1902.

**SEC. 3. In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force and effect after its publication in the "Register and Leader", a newspaper published at Des Moines, Iowa, and the "Soldier Record", a newspaper published at Soldier, Monona county, Iowa, said publication to be without expense to the State.

Approved February 24, A. D. 1904.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader February 27, 1904, and the Soldier Record, March 4, 1904.

W. B. MARTIN,  
*Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 221.

### INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT OF SOMERS.

H. F. 28.

AN ACT legalizing the organization of the independent school district of Somers, located in Calhoun county, Iowa.

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the legality of the acts of the school board of Cedar township, Calhoun county, Iowa, concerning its action in establishing the independent school district of Somers, Calhoun county, Iowa, and of the notice given in calling the election for said independent district, of the notice of calling election for officers, and the election of officers for said independent district, and the establishing of the boundaries of said independent district by said board, therefore,

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

**SECTION 1. Organization legalized—pending litigation.** That all proceedings of the school board of the township of Cedar, Calhoun county, Iowa, in establishing the independent school district of Somers in said county,

together with all notices of holding election for the establishing of said district, and the election held, and the notices for the election of directors and the election of directors elected, and the establishing of the boundaries of said independent district, and all proceedings had by said school board of Cedar township, and the independent district of Somers are hereby legalized and declared in force and effect as fully and completely as if all the provisions of the law had been complied with in respect to the organization of said independent school district. Provided, that nothing herein shall affect pending litigation.

SEC. 2. **In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa, and the Somers News, a newspaper published in Somers, Calhoun county, Iowa, which publications shall be without cost to the state of Iowa.

Approved February 24, A. D. 1904.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Register and Leader, February 27, 1904, and the Somers News, March 3, 1904.

W. B. MARTIN,  
*Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 222.

### BROOKFIELD CREAMERY ASSOCIATION.

H. F. 836.

AN ACT to legalize the acts and proceedings of the Brookfield Creamery Association of Worth county, Iowa, and legalize the title to the real estate acquired by such creamery association and to authorize its incorporation under the provisions of chapter one (1) title IX of the code, and of the supplement to the code.

WHEREAS on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1894, J. B. Thompson and fourteen other citizens of Worth county, Iowa, did organize a farmer's mutual co-operative creamery association, under the name and corporation style of "Brookfield Creamery Association", and did at that time adopt articles of incorporation, which said articles of incorporation were duly executed and acknowledged by the said incorporators, and filed for record on the 17th day of February, 1894, in the office of the recorder of deeds of Worth county, Iowa, and now appear of record on page 476 and the pages immediately succeeding thereto, of Book "A" of miscellaneous records of said office, and

WHEREAS the said corporation, pursuant to the said articles of incorporation, did elect officers and commence the transaction of business upon the date of the adoption of said articles, and

WHEREAS the said Brookfield Creamery Association has been continuously from that time conducting and carrying on its business under and by virtue of said articles of incorporation, and has continuously from the time of the adoption of said articles of incorporation to the present time transacted in good faith the business for which the same was organized, and in the transaction thereof and within the scope of the said business, has acquired title to certain real estate, located and described as follows:

"Commencing four (4) rods north from the southwest corner of the northwest quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the northeast quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of section five (5), township ninety-nine (99), range twenty-one (21), west of the fifth P. M., Worth county, Iowa; running thence east fourteen and one-half ( $14\frac{1}{2}$ ) rods; thence north twelve and one-half ( $12\frac{1}{2}$ ) rods; thence west fourteen and one-half ( $14\frac{1}{2}$ ) rods; thence south twelve and one-half ( $12\frac{1}{2}$ ) rods to place of beginning"; also

"Commencing at a point sixteen (16) rods north of the southeast corner of the northeast quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the northwest quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of section five