

1 SEC. 2. Pending litigation. This act shall in no wise affect pend-  
2 ing litigation.

1 SEC. 3. Publication clause. This act being deemed of immediate  
2 importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication  
3 in the Cedar Rapids Republican, a newspaper published in Cedar  
4 Rapids, Iowa, and the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in  
5 Des Moines, Iowa, and without expense to the state.

Approved March 31, A. D. 1917.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines News and in the Cedar Rapids Republican April 6, 1917.

W. S. ALLEN, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 110.

### TOWN OF COON RAPIDS.

#### H. F. 394.

AN ACT to legalize an ordinance of the incorporated town of Coon Rapids, Iowa, granting a franchise to S. D. Henry, his successors and assigns, to erect, maintain and operate an electric light and power plant in said town.

WHEREAS, an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance granting rights and privileges to S. D. Henry, his successors and assigns, to a public utility and the governing of the same and prescribing penalties for interference with or to such property", was passed and adopted by the town council of Coon Rapids, Iowa, on January 6th, 1913, and was passed and adopted by the legal electors of Coon Rapids, Iowa, at a special election on November 26th, 1912, and.

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to whether all of the provisions of law relating to the granting of franchises were strictly complied with, now therefore:

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

1 SECTION 1. Ordinance legalized. That an ordinance of the in-  
2 corporated town of Coon Rapids, Iowa, passed January 6th, 1913, and  
3 entitled: "An ordinance granting rights and privileges to S. D. Henry,  
4 his successors and assigns, to a public utility and the governing of the  
5 same and prescribing penalties for interference with or to such prop-  
6 erty", be and the same is hereby declared legal and valid, the same  
7 as if all provisions of law relating to the granting of franchises had  
8 in all respects been strictly complied with.

1 SEC. 2. Pending litigation. This act shall in nowise affect pend-  
2 ing litigation.

1 SEC. 3. Publication clause. This act being deemed of immediate  
2 importance shall be in force and effect from and after its publication

3 in the Des Moines News, a newspaper published in Des Moines, Iowa,  
4 and the Cedar Rapids Tribune, a newspaper published in Cedar Rap-  
5 ids, Iowa, said publication to be without expense to the state.

Approved March 31, A. D. 1917.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines News and in the Cedar Rapids Tribune April 6, 1917.

W. S. ALLEN, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 111.

### IN RELATION TO THE PROTECTION OF GAME.

H. F. 301.

AN ACT to amend the law as it appears in section two thousand five hundred sixty-three-u (2563-u), supplemental supplement to the code, 1915, in relation to protection of game.

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

1 SECTION 1. Closed season extended. That the law as it appears  
2 in section two thousand five hundred sixty-three-u (2563-u), supple-  
3 mental supplement to the code, 1915, be and the same is hereby  
4 amended by striking out in line four (4) of said section the word  
5 "seventeen" and insert in lieu thereof the words "twenty-two".

Approved March 31, A. D. 1917.

## CHAPTER 112.

### TOWN OF BLAIRSBURG.

H. F. 291.

AN ACT to legalize an ordinance of the incorporated town of Blairsburg, Iowa, granting a franchise to Iowa Falls Electric Company, to erect, maintain and operate an electric light and power plant in said town.

WHEREAS, an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance authorizing Iowa Falls Electric Company, its successors or assigns, within the town of Blairsburg, Iowa, to construct, reconstruct, maintain and operate a power plant or plants, for the generation of electricity, system for the transmission, distribution and use of electricity and to furnish electric energy for all purposes, and to carry on a general electric light and power business, and contracting with Iowa Falls Electric Company for the furnishing of electric energy to the town for public purposes" was passed and adopted by the town council of Blairsburg, Iowa, on the 6th day of June, 1916, and was passed and adopted by the legal electors of Blairsburg, Iowa, at a special election held on the 6th day of July, 1916, and