

- 1 SEC. 21. **Publication clause.** This act, being deemed of imme-
 2 diate importance, shall be in force and take effect from and after its
 3 passage and publication in the Des Moines Register and Des Moines
 4 Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 18, A. D. 1921.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register and the Des Moines Capital March 19, 1921.

W. C. RAMSAY, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 39

DRAINAGE BONDS

S. F. 295.

AN ACT to amend section nineteen hundred eighty-nine-a-twenty-seven (1989-a-27), supplement to the code, 1913, (compiled code section 4875), relating to the issuance of bonds for first reclamation and improvement, or for any subsequent repair or improvement of a drainage district.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. **Drainage bonds.** That section nineteen hundred
 2 eighty-nine-a-twenty-seven (1989-a-27) supplement to the code, 1913
 3 (C. C. Sec. 4875) is amended by inserting after the word "super-
 4 visors" in the first line of said section a "comma" and the words
 5 "when the drainage district has been established, or on making any
 6 subsequent repair or improvement of the same".

Approved March 18, A. D. 1921.

CHAPTER 40

MEDICAL TREATMENT IN RE BLINDNESS

S. F. 307.

AN ACT for the prevention of blindness from inflammation of the eyes of the newborn, designating certain powers and duties, and otherwise providing for the enforcement of this act.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. **Duty of physician—exception.** Any physician or
 2 any person authorized by law to act as an obstetrician shall immedi-
 3 ately upon the birth of an infant instill into the eyes of such newly
 4 born infant a prophylactic solution approved by the state board of
 5 health; provided, however, that nothing in this act shall be construed
 6 to require medical treatment for the minor child of any person who is
 7 a member of a well recognized church or religious denomination and
 8 whose religious convictions in accordance with the tenets or princi-
 9 ples of his church or religious denomination are against medical treat-
 10 ment for disease.