

CHAPTER 35

MONROE COUNTY

S. F. 313

AN ACT to legalize a certain warrant issued by the board of supervisors of Monroe county, Iowa.

WHEREAS, the county of Monroe, Iowa, by its board of supervisors, has heretofore authorized and incurred indebtedness for corporate purposes, in the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) and has issued a warrant on the poor fund in said amount of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) in evidence of such indebtedness; and

WHEREAS, said indebtedness was incurred for an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) for proper corporate purposes, and was for necessary improvement of the buildings on the county farm, and the county of Monroe and its citizens are now enjoying the use and benefit thereof, and the things for which said expenditures were made were and now are well worth the sum which the county so paid, and the indebtedness of said county at the time said warrants were issued did not, and it does not now, and it never has exceeded the constitutional limitations, but that the same at the time issued and now, exceeds the statutory limitations; and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen concerning the legality or validity of the aforesaid warrant on the ground that the indebtedness which said warrant evidences was contracted in excess of the statutory limitations; and

WHEREAS, it is deemed advisable to put said doubts as well as any and all other doubts which have arisen or may hereafter arise, concerning the legality or validity of the aforesaid warrant forever at rest; now, therefore,
Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 **SECTION 1. Improving county farm.** That the acts of the board
2 of supervisors of the county of Monroe, in making expenditures for
3 said county for the purpose of improving the buildings on the county
4 farm, in issuing a warrant therefor in the sum of ten thousand dollars
5 (\$10,000) as aforesaid, be and the same are hereby legalized and
6 validated.

1 **SEC. 2. Obligation valid.** That the aforesaid warrant of said county
2 of Monroe in the state of Iowa, in the sum of ten thousand dollars
3 (\$10,000), be and the same hereby is legalized and declared to be a
4 valid, legal and subsisting obligation of said county.

1 **SEC. 3. Funding of debt.** That the board of supervisors of said
2 county of Monroe, in the state of Iowa, are authorized to fund the
3 debt evidenced by said warrant, or so much thereof as remains unpaid,
4 and to issue and sell the negotiable bonds of said county for the pur-
5 pose of funding the aforesaid warrant in the manner and form pro-
6 vided by law, and when the same are so issued and sold they shall
7 be the valid, legal and subsisting obligation of said county of Monroe,
8 and thereafter said county, and the board of supervisors thereof
9 shall be, and are hereby authorized to levy taxes for the payment of
10 the principal of and interest upon said funding bonds in accordance
11 with the provisions of the laws of Iowa.

1 SEC. 4. **Litigation.** Nothing in this act shall affect pending liti-
2 gation.

3 SEC. 5. **Publication.** This act, being deemed of immediate im-
4 portance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publica-
5 tion in the Des Moines Daily News, a newspaper published in the
6 city of Des Moines, Iowa, and in the Albia Union-Republican, a news-
paper published in the city of Albia, Iowa, all without expense to
the state.

Approved April 21, A. D. 1924

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines News, April 23, 1924,
and the Albia Union Republican, April 24, 1924.

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

CHAPTER 36

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS OF INSTRUMENTS

S. F. 287

AN ACT to legalize acknowledgments of instruments in writing heretofore taken by
notaries public, additional to section twenty-nine hundred and forty-two (2942) of
the code and chapter one hundred seventy-three of the acts of the thirty-seventh
general assembly.

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

1 SECTION 1. **Notaries Public.** That the acknowledgments of all
2 deeds, mortgages, or other instruments in writing heretofore taken
3 or certified, and which instruments have been recorded in the re-
4 corder's office of any county of this state, including acknowledgments
5 of instruments made by any private or other corporation, or to which
6 such corporation was a party, or under which such corporation was
7 a beneficiary, and which have been acknowledged before or certified
8 by any notary public who was at the time of such acknowledgment or
9 certifying a stockholder or officer in such corporation, be and the
10 same are hereby declared to be legal and valid official acts of such
11 notaries public, and to entitle such instruments to be recorded, any-
12 thing in the laws of the state of Iowa in regard to acknowledgments
13 to the contrary notwithstanding.

1 SEC. 2. **Litigation.** This act shall not affect pending litigation.

1 SEC. 3. **Publication.** This act being deemed of immediate im-
2 portance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage
3 and publication in the Des Moines Register and Des Moines Capital,
4 newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa, without expense to the
5 state.

Approved January 11, A. D. 1924.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register, January 14,
1924, and the Des Moines Capital, January 12, 1924.

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