

3 cities, towns, public school corporations, drainage districts, and all  
4 officers, boards or commissions empowered by law to enter into con-  
5 tracts for the construction of public improvements;

6 2. "Public improvement" is one, the cost of which is payable from  
7 taxes or other funds under the control of the public corporation;

8 3. "Construction" shall, in addition to its ordinary meaning, em-  
9 brace repair and alteration.

1 SEC. 11. This Act being deemed of immediate importance shall be  
2 in force and effect upon its publication in The Clayton County Register,  
3 a newspaper published at Elkader, Iowa, and in The Oakland Acorn,  
4 a newspaper published at Oakland, Iowa.

Approved April 20, 1951.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in The Clayton County Register,  
Elkader, Iowa, May 3, 1951, and in The Oakland Acorn, Oakland, Iowa, April 26, 1951.

MELVIN D. SYNHORST, *Secretary of State.*

## CHAPTER 199

### NOTARIES' ACTS LEGALIZED

#### H. F. 221

AN ACT to amend section five hundred eighty-six point one (586.1), Code 1950,  
relating to legalizing acts of notaries public and acknowledgments.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Section five hundred eighty-six point one (586.1), Code  
2 1950, is hereby amended as follows:

3 1. Strike from subsection one (1) line one (1) the figures "1930"  
4 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1940".

5 2. Strike from subsection two (2) line one (1) the figures "1930"  
6 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1940".

7 3. Add to subsection three (3) line four (4) after the figures  
8 "1939" the following, "and section seventy-eight point two (78.2) to  
9 and including the Code of 1950".

10 4. Strike from subsection four (4) line three (3) the figures "1930"  
11 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1940".

12 5. Strike from subsection six (6) line two (2) the figures "1930"  
13 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1940".

14 6. Strike from subsection seven (7) line two (2) the figures "1930"  
15 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1940"; strike from line three (3)  
16 the parentheses and the words and figures therein "(Codes 1924 and  
17 1927)" and insert in lieu thereof the following, "to and including the  
18 Code of 1939"; strike from line six (6) the parentheses and the words  
19 and figures therein "(Codes 1924 and 1927)" and insert in lieu thereof  
20 the following, "to and including the Code of 1939".

21 7. Strike from subsection eight (8) line two (2) the figures "1930"  
22 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1940".

23 8. Strike from subsection nine (9) line two (2) the figures "1930"  
24 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1940".

1 SEC. 2. This Act shall not affect pending litigation nor shall it oper-  
 2 ate to revive the rights or claims previously barred nor permit an  
 3 action to be brought or maintained upon any claim or cause of action  
 4 which is barred by any statute which is in force prior to July 4, 1951,  
 5 nor shall it affect any action which may be brought on or before Janu-  
 6 ary 1, 1952.

Approved February 15, 1951.

## CHAPTER 200

### JUDGMENTS AND DECREES LEGALIZED

S. F. 359

AN ACT to amend chapter five hundred eighty-seven (587), Code 1950, relating to legalizing judgments and decrees.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Chapter five hundred eighty-seven (587), Code 1950,  
 2 is hereby amended as follows:

3 1. Strike from section five hundred eighty-seven point three (587.3),  
 4 line two (2), the words and figures "January 1, 1941" and insert in  
 5 lieu thereof the words and figures "July 4, 1943".

6 2. Strike from section five hundred eighty-seven point four (587.4),  
 7 line three (3), the figures: "1941" and insert in lieu thereof the  
 8 figures: "1950".

9 3. Strike from section five hundred eighty-seven point seven  
 10 (587.7), line three (3), the figures "1936" and insert in lieu thereof  
 11 the figures: "1946".

12 4. Strike from section five hundred eighty-seven point eight (587.8),  
 13 line two (2), the figures "1935" and insert in lieu thereof the figures  
 14 "1945"; strike from line six (6), after the figures "1931" the word  
 15 "and" and insert in lieu thereof a comma ","; add to line six (6), after  
 16 the figures and comma "1935," the following words and figures: "1939  
 17 and rule of civil procedure, number sixty (60), effective July 4, 1943,".

18 5. Strike from section five hundred eighty-seven point nine (587.9),  
 19 line two (2), the figures "1939" and insert in lieu thereof the figures  
 20 "1949"; strike from line fourteen (14), after the figures "1931" the  
 21 word "and" and insert in lieu thereof a comma (,) ; add to line fourteen  
 22 (14), after the figures and comma "1935," the following words and  
 23 figures: "1939 and rule of civil procedure, number sixty (60), Code  
 24 1946,".

25 6. Strike from section five hundred eighty-seven point ten (587.10),  
 26 line five (5), the figures "1940" and insert in lieu thereof the figures  
 27 "1950".

1 SEC. 2. This Act shall not affect pending litigation nor shall it  
 2 operate to revive rights or claims previously barred, nor permit an  
 3 action to be brought or maintained upon any claim or cause of action  
 4 which is barred by any statute which is in force prior to July 4, 1951,  
 5 nor shall it affect any action which may be brought on or before Janu-  
 6 ary 1, 1952.

Approved March 22, 1951.