

SEC. 3. Abstract of votes to be transmitted to the sec'y of state—canvass. In making the abstract of votes given at said election, as now required by law, the proper officers shall make an abstract of the votes given under the provisions of this act, and which shall be transmitted [98] to the secretary of state within the time and in the same manner as is now required in the election of state officers; said abstract shall be endorsed "Abstract of votes for and against amendments to General Banking Law," or in words clearly indicating the contents of the paper, and the abstracts so transmitted shall be opened and the votes canvassed in the time and manner, and by the officers provided for in relation to the elections of state officers.

SEC. 4. Certificate. It shall be the duty of the officers canvassing the votes for and against amendments, aforesaid, as soon as said state canvass shall be made, to make a certificate under their hands of the facts, stating the number of votes given for and against the law aforesaid, and file the same in the office of the secretary of state.

SEC. 5. Proclamation of the governor. If it shall appear from such certificate that a majority of all the votes cast at such election, "For amendments to General Banking Law," and "Against amendments to General Banking Law," has been cast, "For amendments to General Banking Law," the governor shall immediately and within ten days from the filing of such certificate in the office of the secretary of state, issue his proclamation declaring such result of said election; and upon the issuing of such proclamation, the said act, entitled "An act to amend an act, entitled an act authorizing General Banking in the State of Iowa," shall go into effect and be in full force, and not otherwise.

Approved April 2, 1860.

[S. F. 35.]

CHAPTER 81.

[Chap. 131.]

RAIL ROAD BONDS.

AN ACT to legalize certain Rail Road Bonds of Mitchell County.

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

SECTION 1. Mitchell county bonds legalized. That the election held in Mitchell [99] county on the 4th day of December, 1858, under and in pursuance of a proclamation issued by the county judge on the 30th day of October, 1858, be and the same is hereby declared to be legalized, and the bonds of said county which have been issued to the Cedar Falls and Minnesota Rail Road Company, in pursuance of such proclamation and election, are hereby declared to be to all intent and purposes, legal, and of binding force and effect upon said county of Mitchell.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and State Journal.

Approved April 2, 1860.

[H. F. 292.]

CHAPTER 82.

[Chap. 133.]

HOWARD COUNTY TAX.

AN ACT to legalize the taxes levied in Howard County for the year 1859.

WHEREAS, The board of equalization changed the rate of county tax after the regular levy was made, from two mills to three and one-half mills on the dollar of the taxable property of said county, and

WHEREAS, The clerk of said county failed to complete the tax list by the time required by law, and

WHEREAS, The warrant of the county judge was not attached to the tax list at the time required by law, therefore,

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

Levy of 1859 legalized. That none of the taxes levied for the year 1859, in said county of Howard, shall be held void by reason of the illegal acts of any of the several officers in and about the assessment equalization, or other matters connected therewith; but the taxes assessed and levied for the year 1859, in said county, shall be held legal and binding, and the proper officer is author- [100] ized to collect the same as though no informalities ever existed.

This bill having remained with the Governor three days, Sundays excepted, the General Assembly being in session, has become a law, this the 3d day of April, 1860.

ELIJAH SELLS,
Secretary of State.

[H. F. 277.]

CHAPTER 83.

[Chap. 134.]

SCHOOL HOUSE TAX.

AN ACT to legalize the levy of a school house tax in the District Township of Jefferson, in Poweshiek County, Iowa.

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

SECTION 1. Tax in Jefferson township, Poweshiek c o. legalized. That the tax heretofore levied in the district township of Jefferson, Poweshiek county, Iowa, for school house purposes, be and the same is hereby legalized, and made as valid as though the same had been made in strict conformity with the provisions of the law.

SEC. 2. Take effect. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Daily Iowa State Register and Daily State Journal, papers published at Des Moines, anything in section 21 of the code to the contrary, notwithstanding.

This bill having remained with the Governor three days, Sunday excepted, the General Assembly being in session, has become a law this 3d day of April, 1860.

ELIJAH SELLS,
Secretary of State.

[H. F. 325.]

CHAPTER 84.

[Chap. 135.]

APPROPRIATION.

AN ACT making appropriations for the pay of State Officers, and other purposes, and defining the duties of State Officers in certain cases.

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

SECTION 1. [101] That the following sums of money be, and the same are hereby appropriated for the purposes hereinafter designated.

SEC. 2. Salary and contingent expenses governor's office. For the salary of the governor for two years, ending the 31st day of December, A. D. 1861, the sum of four thousand dollars; and for contingent expenses of the executive office for the term of two years, ending as aforesaid, the sum of twelve hundred dollars; and for contingent expenses of the adjutant general's department, four hundred dollars.