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House File 189

February 3, 1947.
Public Lands and Buildings.

By POSTON.

A BILL FOR

An Act to amend chapter two hundred and fifty (250), Acts of the Fifty-first General Assembly relating to the purchase, conveyance and supervision of certain real estate in Wayne County, Iowa.

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

1 Section 1. Chapter two hundred fifty (250), Acts of the
2 Fifty-first General Assembly is hereby amended by striking all
3 of section two (2) and substituting in lieu thereof the
4 following: "The state conservation commission shall have the
5 power and authority to approve any and all terms and condi-
6 tions in connection with the deed and purchase of said real
7 estate".

1 Sec. 2. Further amend said chapter by striking all of
2 section three (3) and substituting in lieu thereof the
3 following: "When the title as approved by said conservation
4 commission to the above described property is vested in the
5 state of Iowa, the conservation commission shall have
6 supervision of said property".

1 Sec. 3. This act, being deemed of immediate importance,
2 shall be in full force and effect immediately upon publication
3 in The Times-Republican, a newspaper published at Corydon, Iowa,

4 and The Salem Weekly News, a newspaper published at Salem.

5 Iowa.

EXPLANATION OF H. F. 189

This act was passed by the Fifty-first General Assembly and provided for the approval of the title by the Executive Council. On account of restrictions in the deed, the purpose of which was to preserve the water supply for the Railroad Company, the Executive Council felt that it would be inadvisable for them to approve the deed with such restrictions in the title.

The Conservation Commission and the Railroad Company both want an adequate and permanent supply of water in the reservoir, the Railroad Company for their use and the Conservation Commission for recreational purposes. The land and reservoir are of value much in excess of the agreed consideration and would provide an immediate recreational center for counties in that area.