at the falls of the Maquoketa, in Du Buque county, and that Arthur Thomas be appointed postmaster; one at Buffalo fork, in Jones county, and that George H. Walworth be appointed postmaster; one at Ivanhoe, in Cedar county, and that Anson Coles be appointed postmaster; one at or near Astoria, in Washington county, and that David Goble be appointed postmaster; one at Washington, in Henry county, and that John Courey be appointed postmaster.

Resolved, That his excellency the governor be requested to forward one copy of this resolution to the postmaster general, and one to our delegate in Congress.

Approved January 9, 1840.

[No. 14.]

A RESOLUTION requesting our Delegate in Congress to use his exertions to procure additional Mail Facilities on the route leading from Davenport to Du Buque.

Resolved by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa, That our delegate in congress be requested to use his best exertions to have a line of semi-weekly post coaches put upon the mail route from Davenport to Du Buque, via Pleasant Valley, Parkhurst, Wabesipinica, Camanche, Charleston and Belleview.

Resolved, That his excellency the governor be requested to forward two copies of this resolution, one to the postmaster general and one to our delegate in congress.

Approved January 10, 1840.

[No. 15.]

RESOLUTION providing for the payment of the rent of the building occupied by the Legislative Assembly.

Resolved by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa, That the secretary of the territory be and he is hereby required to pay to the trustees of the Methodist episcopal church, or to Levi Hagar, their legally authorized agent, in the town of Burlington, the sum of six hundred dollars, for the use and occupancy of their brick church during the present session of the legislative assembly.

Approved January 13, 1840.