

the territory be and he is hereby required to publish a list of the acts passed at the present session of the legislative assembly, in the several newspapers published in the territory, and that he pay for the same out of the appropriation made to defray the expenses of the present session of the legislative assembly.

Approved January 17, 1840.

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[No. 25.]

JOINT RESOLUTIONS relative to the Sale of the Statute Laws.

*Resolved by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa,* That the secretary of the territory is hereby authorized to sell as many copies of the statutes of the last and present session of the legislative assembly, which remain in his office after the distribution required by law, as he may deem proper, retaining a sufficient number to distribute to a new legislature: *Provided,* That he shall sell no copy for less than one dollar and fifty cents, and that he expend the proceeds in purchasing such books for the territorial library, as are necessary for the use of the legislature.

*Resolved further,* That the several boards of county commissioners are hereby authorized to sell as many of the copies of said statutes as remain in their offices after the required distribution as they think proper, and pay the proceeds into the county treasury: *Provided,* That no copy shall be sold for less than one dollar and fifty cents.

Approved January 17, 1840.

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[No. 26.]

JOINT RESOLUTIONS approbating the views set forth in the late Message of the President of the United States.

*Resolved by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa,* That the principles and views of the president of the United States generally, as set forth in his recent able message to congress, are such as commend themselves to the cordial approbation of this legislative assembly.

*Resolved,* That approbating the bold and manly course of the president in his efforts to restore to the country a constitutional currency, this legislative assembly especially applaud his luminous discussion of this subject, as clearly demonstrating the

identity of the best interests of the country with their final adoption.

*Resolved*, That the course of policy pursued by the present general administration towards the western country has been liberal beyond example, and such as is deserving the approbation of the settlers.

Approved January 17, 1840.

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[No. 27.]

A RESOLUTION relative to the safe keeping of the Furniture belonging to the Legislative Assembly.

*Resolved by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa*, That Levi Hagar and Robert Cock be authorized to receive and take care of the furniture belonging to the legislative assembly of this territory, and that they be authorized to receive such compensation as may hereafter be allowed by law for their services.

Approved January 17, 1840.

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[No. 28.]

RESOLUTION relative to compensation to J. G. Edwards, for printing in pamphlet form the act prescribing the duties of justices of the peace.

*Resolved by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa*, That James G. Edwards be allowed the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars for publishing in pamphlet form at the last session of the legislature, the act relative to justices of the peace and constables, and that the secretary of the territory be authorized to pay said sum. And that the resolution passed at the last session of the legislature allowing the said Edwards two hundred dollars for the same services, is hereby rescinded.

Approved January 17, 1840.

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[No. 29.]

*Resolved by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa*, That the secretary of the territory be requested to publish in the Gazette, Hawkeye and Patriot, Iowa News, and Iowa Sun, all laws of a general nature passed at the present session, and all laws for the establishment of territorial roads in this territory.

Approved January 17, 1840.