

CHAPTER 44.

FERRY.

AN ACT amendatory to an act entitled an act to authorize Robert M. G. Patterson to establish and keep a ferry.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa:

SECTION 1. That the act authorizing Robert M. G. Patterson, his heirs or assigns, to keep a ferry, etc., be so amended as to extend the time specified in said act to the term of twenty years: provided, that said Patterson, his heirs or assigns, comply with all the provisions of the act to which this is an amendment.

Approved, 10th February, 1843.

[39] CHAPTER 45.

ST. PETERS.

AN ACT to provide for holding elections at St. Peters and other places.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa:

SECTION 1. **County commissioners of Clayton county—to establish additional election precincts.** That it shall be the duty of the board of county commissioners of Clayton county, and they are hereby required to establish election precincts at each of the following places, to-wit: one at St. Peters, and one at some convenient place at Lake Pepin.

SEC. 2. **Notices of election to be made out and posted up.** That the clerk of the board of the county commissioners of said county of Clayton, shall forward to the judges of elections, at the above precincts, the requisite election notices, and it shall be the duty of the judges aforesaid, to cause the same to be set up in the same manner as is by law required of the sheriff in other precincts; and the notices thus put up shall be good and valid in law; any act to the contrary notwithstanding.

SEC. 3. **Returns of election made by clerk of the board of county commissioners.** The returns of the aforesaid election precincts, may be returned to the clerk of the board of county commissioners aforesaid, by any suitable person appointed by the aforesaid judges of elections, and such returns shall be good and valid.

SEC. 4. **County commissioners of Delaware county to establish additional election precincts—returns to be made by the clerk of board—notices of to be made out and posted up—county commissioners of Jackson county authorized to lay off additional election precincts, etc.** That it shall be the duty of the board of county commissioners of Delaware county, to establish a precinct for election purposes, at the town of Democracy, in Buchanan county. The returns of elections held at the aforesaid precincts, shall be returned to the clerk of the board of county commissioners of Delaware county, in the manner prescribed by law. And the board of commissioners of Jackson county are hereby authorized to lay off an additional precinct or town- [40] -ship, for election and