

[16] CHAPTER 17.

MISDEMEANORS.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act defining crimes and punishments," approved, 16th February, 1843.

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

SECTION 1. **Penalty for destroying mining fixtures.** That if any person or persons shall wilfully or maliciously cut down, level, demolish or otherwise damage any windlass, timbers, plank or machinery, used for the purpose of mining, or shall fill up or obstruct any shaft, or otherwise injure the same, shall upon conviction thereof, be fined in any sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding three months, or both at the discretion of the court.

SEC. 2. **In force 1st June, 1846.** That this act shall take effect and be in force from and after the first day of June next.

Approved, January 17th, 1846.

CHAPTER 18.

DISTRICT PROSECUTORS.

AN ACT relative to district prosecutors.

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

SECTION 1. **Prosecuting attorneys not to give bond.** That the several district prosecutors of this territory are not required to give bond as is provided and required in the third section of an act, providing for the appointment of district prosecutors and defining their duties, approved January 15th, 1839, and so much of said act as requires district prosecutors to give bond before they enter upon the discharge of their duties be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. **Act in force from passage.** This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, January 17th, 1846.

[17] CHAPTER 19.

DISTRICT PROSECUTORS.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act providing for the appointment of district prosecutors and defining their duties."

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

SECTION 1. **Governor to nominate.** That there shall be appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the council, a suitable per-