

NO. 15.

JOINT RESOLUTION relative to furniture, books and stationery, belonging to the Territory.

Resolved, by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa:

That the treasurer of the territory is hereby directed to collect all the furniture, books and stationery, belonging to this territory, and cause the same to be kept in a safe and secure place during the recess of the legislature.

Approved, January 17th, 1846.

NO. 16.

JOINT RESOLUTION for the relief of George S. Hampton.

Resolved, by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa:

That the auditor of public accounts, be and he is hereby authorized to audit and allow, and issue territorial warrants to George S. Hampton, to the amount of one hundred and one dollars for rent of office for clerk of supreme court, for the year 1842, for moving records of said supreme court from Burlington to Iowa City, and for blank book and other stationery for said supreme court: provided, that if said George S. Hampton should receive pay from the general government for the above said articles that he the said George S. Hampton, be required to pay the same into the territorial treasury.

Approved, January 17th, 1846.

NO. 17.

JOINT RESOLUTION for the donation of Fort Desmoines to Polk county.

Resolved by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Iowa:

That the Hon. A. C. Dodge, our delegate in congress, be and he is hereby instructed to use his influence to obtain the passage of an [132] act of congress, granted [granting] to the county of Polk, in said territory, one quarter section or two eighty acre lots of land on which Fort Desmoines is situated, together with the improvements thereon for the use of the public building at the seat of justice of said county, provided said county pay into the land office the sum of one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre for such land.

Resolved, that the secretary of said territory be instructed to forward a copy of the above resolution to our delegate in congress, to the president of the senate, and to the speaker of the house of representatives.

Approved, January 17th, 1846.