

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of the State of Iowa be instructed to send a copy of these resolutions to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress. Secretary to forward.

APPROVED July 14th, 1856.

## RESOLUTION NO. 7.

## GRANT OF LAND.

JOINT RESOLUTION, asking for a grant of land to construct a Rail Road from Keokuk to the South Bend of the Minnesota River, with a branch from Fort Desmoines to the Northwest corner of the State.

*Resolved, by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, Lands requested.  
That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be instructed to procure a grant of land, to aid in the construction of a Rail Road from Keokuk by the way of Fort Desmoines to the northern line of the State of Iowa, in the direction of the southern bend of the Minnesota or St. Peters River, with a branch from Fort Desmoines to a point near the North West corner of the State of Iowa.

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of State be instructed to send a copy of this resolution to our Senators and Representatives in Congress. Secretary forward.

APPROVED July 14, 1856.

## RESOLUTION NO. 8.

## GRANT OF LANDS.

A JOINT RESOLUTION asking for a grant of lands to aid in the construction of a certain Rail Road.

*Resolved, by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, Grant of lands  
That our Senators be instructed, and our Representatives be requested, to use their utmost exertions to procure a grant of lands to aid in the construction of a Rail Road,

## JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

from Washington, in Washington county, *via* Oskaloosa, Mahaska county, and Knoxville, in Marion county, to some point on the Missouri river, at or near Council Bluffs, upon the same terms and conditions as the "act for a grant of lands to the State of Iowa, in alternate sections, to aid in the construction of certain Rail Roads in said State," approved May 15, 1856.

Secretary for- *Resolved*, That the Secretary of State forward to each  
ward. member of Congress a copy of the foregoing resolutions.

APPROVED, July 15th, 1856.

## RESOLUTION NO. 9.

## STATE LOAN.

JOINT RESOLUTION authorizing the borrowing of money from the School Fund of Iowa.

Agent. *Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That the Governor of Iowa be and is hereby appointed  
Borrow. agent of the State, to borrow the sum of one hundred thousand dollars from the Superintendent of Public Instruction of Iowa, for a term not exceeding five years, at a rate  
Interest. of interest not exceeding ten per cent. interest per annum; interest payable annually at the office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Bonds. *Be it further resolved*, That the said agent be and is hereby empowered and authorized to execute to the Superintendent, in the name of the State of Iowa, sufficient vouchers for said sum of money, and upon the receipt of said money, it is hereby made the duty of said agent to pay said  
Pay into State money to the Treasurer of State, reserving so much as shall  
Treasury. be necessary to liquidate the bonds of the State hereinafter  
Liquidate provided for in the fifth resolution, taking therefor duplicate  
debt. receipts, one of which shall be filed with the Secretary of State.