

lication in the Iowa City Republican and Capital Reporter.

Approved January 28, 1857.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Capital Reporter, and in the Iowa City Republican Feb. 16, 1857.

ELIJAH SELLS,
Sec'y of State.

CHAPTER 169.

TERRITORIAL ROAD.

AN ACT to vacate a portion of a certain territorial road mentioned therein.

Vacate.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That so much of the territorial road leading from the town of West Point in Lee county, and terminating at Montrose in said county, commencing at a point where said road crosses Painter Creek in Jefferson township, thence to Montrose, is, and the same is hereby declared to be vacated.

SEC. 2. This act to take effect from and after its publication in the Fort Madison Plain Dealer and Argus, without expense to the State.

Approved January 28, 1857.

I certify the foregoing was published in the Fort Madison Plaindealer and Argus, Feb. 17, 1857.

ELIJAH SELLS,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 170.

COUNTY SEAT.

AN ACT to locate the county seat of Mitchell county.

Commissioner's SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That S. W. Stanley, of Floyd county; George A. Bronson, of Chickasaw county, and James

Crow of Cerro Gordo county, be, and they are hereby constituted commissioners to locate the county seat of Mitchell county.

SEC. 2. The said commissioners, or a majority of them, **Meet.** shall meet at the village of Mitchell, in said county, on the first Monday in May, 1857, or within sixty days thereafter, and after taking an oath to perform the duties assigned them impartially, shall proceed to locate the seat of justice for said county, and shall make returns of their doings by filing with clerk of the district court for said county, a statement subscribed by them, and designating the place so chosen.

SEC. 3. In making such location, it shall be the duty of **Location.** said commissioners to consider the future as well as the present interests of said county, and the place so selected shall be and continue the seat of justice for said county from and after the filing of the said return with the district clerk.

SEC. 4. Each of said commissioners shall be allowed **Per diem.** two dollars for each day necessarily spent in performing the duty assigned, which shall be audited and paid by the county judge of Mitchell county, like other county charges.

SEC. 5. All acts in conflict with this act are hereby **re. Repeal.** repealed.

SEC. 6. This act shall be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa City Republican and Capital Reporter.

Approved January 28, 1857.

I certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Iowa City Republican, Feb. 16th, 1857, and in the Iowa Capital Reporter.

ELIJAH SELLS,
Sec'y of State.