

under the same restrictions, as other ferries are, or may hereafter be, by the laws of this territory fixing the rates of toll, and prescribing the manner in which licensed ferries shall be kept and regulated.

**SEC. 2. Flat boat to be kept.** That the said William St. John, his heirs and assigns, shall keep at said ferry a good and sufficient flat boat, and number of hands to work the same, for the transportation of all persons and their property across said river, when passable, without delay.

**SEC. 3. Power to repeal, etc., reserved.** This act may be altered, amended or repealed, by any subsequent legislature.

**SEC. 4. Not to affect rights of others.** That none of the provisions contained in the foregoing shall interfere with the rights of any other person.

**SEC. 5. When to take effect.** This act to take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved January 8, 1841.

## CHAPTER 36.

AN ACT for the relief of the citizens of Muscatine county.

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

**SECTION 1. Time for paying taxes extended—duty of collector.** That those citizens of the county of Muscatine who have not paid their taxes for the year eighteen hundred and forty, shall have until the first Monday in May, A. D. eighteen hundred and forty-one to pay their taxes for the year eighteen hundred and forty; and that the collector shall then proceed to collect the unpaid taxes as provided by section nineteen of an act entitled "An act for assessing and collecting county revenue," approved January twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine.

**SEC. 2. When collector to make return—proviso.** That the collector of taxes of said county shall have until the first Monday of June next to make his returns, as required by the fourteenth section of the act aforesaid: Provided, nothing in this act contained shall be so construed as to authorize said collector to retain moneys already collected.

**SEC. 3. When to take effect.** This act to take effect from and after its passage.

Approved January 8, 1841.

## [27] CHAPTER 37.

AN ACT to establish the territorial roads therein mentioned.

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

**SECTION 1. Commissioners—road from Washington to intersect road from Burlington to Mount Pleasant—meeting of commissioners.** That William E. Curts, of Washington county, Azariah Gregg, of Des Moines county, and Adam Richie, of Henry county, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to lay out and establish a territorial road, commencing at Washington, the county seat of Washington county; thence on the nearest and best ground to Richie's