

[45] CHAPTER 56.

AN ACT to authorize Richard Irwin and Alfred Colvin to erect a dam across Big Cedar Creek in Jefferson county.

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

SECTION 1. Authority to erect dam over Big Cedar creek—where to be erected—proviso. That Richard Irwin and Alfred Colvin, their heirs and assigns, be, and they are hereby authorized to erect a dam across Big Cedar creek, in Jefferson county, at or near the point where the territorial road leading from Fairfield, in said county, to Keosauqua, in Van Buren county, crosses said creek: provided, the same shall not affect the property or rights of the United States, or of any individual.

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CHAPTER 57.

AN ACT to establish a certain territorial road.

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

SECTION 1. Names of commissioners—road from Burlington to Blackhawk. That Dr. Fullenwider, Wesley Swank and James Clark, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners, whose duty it shall be to lay out and establish a territorial road, on the nearest and best route from Burlington to the town of Blackhawk, on the Iowa river, commencing at the north end of Water street, in the upper end of Burlington; thence to the house of James Clark; thence to the town of Blackhawk, as aforesaid.

SEC. 2. When and where commissioners to meet—compensation of commissioners. *And be it further enacted,* That the commissioners, or a majority of them, shall meet at the town of Burlington on the second Monday of February next, and proceed to lay out and establish said road as hereinbefore mentioned; said commissioners shall receive as a compensation for their services the sum of three dollars each, per day, to be paid out of the county treasury.

SEC. 3. Authority to employ surveyor, etc.—pay of same. *And be it further enacted,* That the said commissioners shall take to their assistance a surveyor, and such number of chain and other hands, as the said commissioners may deem necessary; which said surveyor, chain carriers, and others so employed as aforesaid, shall be entitled to such compensation as may be allowed by the board of county commissioners.

SEC. 4. When to take effect. *And be it further enacted,* That this act shall be in force from and after its passage.

Approved January 13, 1841.

[46] CHAPTER 58.

AN ACT to lay out and establish a road from Bellview to Iowa City.

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

SECTION 1. Names of commissioners—road from Bellview to Iowa City. That Nicholas Jefferson, of the county of Jackson, Anson Cowles, of the