

## CHAPTER 67.

AN ACT to establish and locate a territorial road from Marion, in Linn county, to Bellview, via Edinburgh.

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

**SECTION 1. Names of commissioners—route of road.** That Joel Leverich, of Linn county, James L. Kirkpatrick, of Jackson county, Mahlon Lupton, of Jones county, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to lay out and establish a territorial road from Marion, in Linn county, to Bellview, in Jackson county, running from Marion on the nearest and best route to the Wabesipinicon river, where the military road from Dubuque to Iowa City crosses the same; thence to Edinburgh, the county seat of Jones; and thence on the most practicable route to Bellview.

**SEC. 2. When and where commissioners to meet—oath to be taken.** The commissioners above appointed shall meet and commence the work at Marion, on the first day of May next, or at such other time as they may unite upon within three months thereafter; and shall, before entering upon the duties of the above appointment, take and subscribe, before some justice of the peace, the usual form of oath, to perform their duties as above specified, truly, faithfully, and impartially.

**SEC. 3. Compensation of commissioners, etc.** The commissioners shall each receive two dollars and fifty cents per day; the surveyor three dollars per day; chain carrier and marker, each, one dollar and fifty cents per day, for each day they may be actually and necessarily employed in laying out and establishing said road, to be paid in the usual manner by the county commissioners of the several counties through which it passes, in proportion to the time of service in each county.

**SEC. 4. When to take effect.** This act to take effect from and after its passage.

Approved January 14, 1841.

## [59] CHAPTER 68.

AN ACT providing for the appointment of a superintendent of public buildings at Iowa City, and the appointment of a territorial agent, and for other purposes.

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

**SECTION 1. Former act repealed—proviso.** That so much of an act entitled "An act to locate the seat of government of the territory of Iowa and for other purposes," and so much of any and all other acts as relates to the creation and appointment of three commissioners to locate and establish the permanent seat of government of this territory, and to the appointment of one of the three to be acting commissioner to superintend the erection of the capitol, be and the same are hereby repealed; provided, that nothing in this act shall be so construed as to render invalid any acts which have been done by the commissioners aforesaid, in pursuance of law.

**SEC. 2. Governor to appoint superintendent, etc.** That in lieu of the commissioners above named, there shall be appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the council, some competent person as superintendent of public buildings at Iowa City, whose duty it shall be to super-