

SEC. 6. **Limits of said corporation to form a school district, under direction of mayor and aldermen subject to the laws of the territory.** That the limits of said corporation shall form a school district, which shall be under the direction and control of the mayor and [45] aldermen of said city, subject however, in all other respects, to the general laws of this territory relative to schools and school districts.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage. Approved, 10th February, 1843.

## CHAPTER 50.

### FERRY.

AN ACT to authorize Ezra F. Denison and Newton P. Denison to keep a ferry across the Mississippi river.

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

SECTION 1. **Ezra F. and Newton P. Denison to keep a ferry across Mississippi river near mouth of Iowa river—privileges and term of years.** That Ezra F. Denison and Newton P. Denison, of the county of Louisa, in said territory, their heirs and assigns, be and they are hereby authorized to establish and keep a ferry across the Mississippi, at or near the mouth of the Iowa river, embracing a distance along the west bank of said Mississippi of two miles, extending one mile on either side of the said Iowa river from the middle of its channel; and the said Ezra F. Denison and Newton P. Denison, their heirs and assigns, shall have the exclusive privilege of ferrying within the above limits for the term of twenty years.

SEC. 2. **Regulations and restrictions—rate of tolls.** The ferry hereby established, shall be subject to the same regulations and restrictions as other ferries are, or may be hereafter, by law in this territory, fixing the rate of tolls, and prescribing the manner in which licensed ferries shall be kept.

SEC. 3. **Steam or horse boats with sufficient number of hands to be kept.** That the said Ezra F. and Newton P. Denison, their heirs and assigns, shall keep or cause to be kept at the place aforesaid, a good and sufficient boat, or boats, to be propelled by horse or steam power, for the safe conveyance of persons and their property, across said river without delay.

SEC. 4. **Not to interfere with the rights of others—act may be amended or repealed.** Nothing in this act shall be construed so as to interfere [46] with the rights that any person may have to the lands on either side of said river.

SEC. 5. Any future legislature may alter, amend, or repeal this act, which shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved, 10th February, 1843.

## CHAPTER 51.

### FERRIES.

AN ACT regulating ferries across English river.

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

SECTION 1. **County commissioners of Washington county authorized to grant licenses for ferries across English river—pay for licenses not to be required—regulations and restrictions.** That the county commissioners of Washington