

CHAPTER 36.

REPEALING LAW.

AN ACT to repeal certain acts herein named.

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

SECTION 1. Repeals certain acts. That an act entitled, "An act to amend an act entitled An act to allow and regulate the action of right and the action of ejectment," approved 16th February, 1843; an act entitled, [58] "An act to prevent damage by the firing of prairies," approved February 16th, 1843; an act entitled "An act regulating the issuing of writs of *ne exeat* and injunctions" approved January 25th, 1839, and "An act confirming grants of property made for the encouragement of education, and for other purposes," approved January 15th, 1839, be and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. Not to interfere with rights accrued or proceedings now pending. The repeal of the foregoing acts shall not affect any act done, or right accrued, or any proceeding, suit or prosecution, had or commenced previous to the passage hereof; but every such right shall be as valid, and every such suit, prosecution or proceedings, prosecuted, adjudged and determined, as though this act had not passed.

SEC. 3. Time of taking effect. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, 15th February, 1844.

CHAPTER 37.

ORGANIZATION OF THE LEGISLATURE.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled, "An act to provide for the annual organization of the Council and House of Representatives of the territory of Iowa," approved 6th January, 1840.

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

SECTION 1. The first and sixth sections of the act approved 6th January 1840, repealed. That the first and sixth sections of the above named act be and the same is [are] hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. Some member of the respective houses to call to order and appoint a presiding officer and clerk. That it shall be the duty of some one of the members present at the time and place of the annual meetings of the legislature, at 12 o'clock, meridian, to call to order their respective houses, and to appoint a presiding officer, and chief clerk or secretary, (as the case may be,) for the time being, who shall proceed to organize in all other respects as is provided for in the act to which this is an amendment.

Approved, 15th February, 1844.