

SEC. 3. Commissioners, how paid. That the commissioners, chain carriers and other hands employed to locate said road, as herein prescribed, shall receive such compensation for their services as may be allowed by the board of county commissioners of Des Moines county.

SEC. 4. Time of taking effect. This act to take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, 17th January, 1844.

CHAPTER 50.

AARON STREET, ADMINISTRATOR.

AN ACT to authorize Aaron Street, Jr., as administrator of Peter Boyer, deceased, to make a title to certain real estate in and near Salem, in Henry county.

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

[69] **SECTION 1. As administrator to make certain deeds, under direction of the judge of probate—not to make deed when right to property disputed.** That Aaron Street, jr. administrator of the estate of Peter Boyer, deceased, of the town of Salem, in Henry county, is hereby empowered to make and execute good and sufficient deeds in fee simple, for such town lots in the town of Salem aforesaid, and such other tract or tracts of land in the vicinity of Salem, as was sold by said Peter Boyer before his decease, without his making deeds therefor to the respective persons now entitled to the same, under the order and direction of the judge of probate of said county: provided, that this act shall not extend to cases where there is any dispute about the rights of different persons to the title of said lots or tracts, of land.

SEC. 2. Time of taking effect. This act to be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, 17th January, 1844.

CHAPTER 51.

RACHAEL HAMILTON.

AN ACT to authorize Rachael Hamilton, administratrix of the estate of James Hamilton, deceased, to sell and convey certain real property therein named.

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

SECTION 1. Authorized as administratrix to sell and convey real estate. That Rachael Hamilton, administratrix of James Hamilton, deceased, is hereby authorized, either at private or public sale, to sell and convey the following described real property, of which James Hamilton, deceased, late of Lee county, died seized, to wit: The west half of the southeast quarter of section four, the north half of the west half of the northeast quarter of section seventeen, the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section eight, and the south half of the west half of the southeast quarter of section eight, all in township sixty-nine north of range five west, containing two hundred acres.