

in said town of Grandview, known and numbered on the town plat of said town as lots number one and two, in block number four, to the trustees of the "Grandview Seminary," and their successors in office; said lots having been donated by said John Jones to said seminary before his decease, without his making deeds therefor to said trustees.

Approved, 12th February, 1844.

[112] CHAPTER 96.

ROAD.

AN ACT to legalize the location of a territorial road from Davenport to Bellview.

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

SECTION 1. Road commencing at Davenport, in Scott co. route of; authorized by act of 27th Nov., 1840; appointment of commissioners declared as legal as if made by legislature; declared public highway. That the acts of the commissioners who located a territorial road from Davenport, in Scott county, via Parkhurst, Camanche, Lyons and Charleston, to Bellview, in Jackson county, which was authorized to be located by an act of the legislative assembly entitled "An act to locate a territorial road from Davenport to Bellview," approved November 27th, 1840, be and the same are hereby declared as legal and valid as if the said commissioners had been appointed by the legislative assembly; and that said road be and the same is hereby declared a public highway.

SEC. 2. Commissioners, surveyor and hands, how paid for services. That the said commissioners, and the surveyor and the laboring hands employed in locating said road, shall have such compensation, and be paid in the manner provided for in the said act authorizing the location of said road.

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

Approved, 12th February, 1844.

CHAPTER 97.

EXPENSES OF LAYING OUT ROAD.

AN ACT to authorize the payment of the expenses of laying out a certain territorial road.

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

SECTION 1. Road located under act Feb. 1st, 1843, counties through which it runs to pay viewers, surveyor and others; compensation to be regulated by general law on the subject of territorial roads. That the county commissioners of the counties through which a certain territorial road passes, located by authority of an act entitled "An act to establish a certain territorial road," approved February 1st, 1843, are hereby authorized and required to pay the demands of the viewers, chain carriers and surveyor, who were [113] engaged in laying out and establishing said road, according to the provisions of the general law providing for laying out and establishing territorial roads.

Approved, 12th February, 1844.

CHAPTER 98.

TOWN OF FARMINGTON.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act for the incorporation of the town of Farmington," etc., approved January 11th, 1841.

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

SECTION 1. Electors of Farmington to vote at annual election on the subject of licensing groceries; corporate power to license grocers to depend on result of such election. That the electors of the incorporated town of Farmington, at every annual election, shall deposit with the judges of said election a ballot for or against the licensing of groceries; and if a majority of votes be found in favor of licensing such groceries, then the incorporated authorities of said town shall grant licenses as is now required by law; but if a majority of votes should be found against the granting of licenses, then there shall be no license granted by the incorporated authorities of said town to any person to retail ardent spirits for one year from said election.

SEC. 2. Notice of election upon the subject of grocery license; how, by whom and when given. It shall be the duty of the recorder of said town, at the time he gives notice of the annual election as is required by the third section of the act to which this is amendatory, to specify in said notice that a poll will be opened at said election for the reception of votes for and against the licensing of groceries.

Approved, 12th February, 1844.

CHAPTER 99.

ROAD.

AN ACT to locate a territorial road from the southern line of Davis county to the northern line of Wapello county.

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

[114] **SECTION 1. Commissioners, appointment of; road where to commence; route of.** That Hugh George and John Kirkpatrick, of Wapello county, and Leoyd Nelson, of Davis county, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to locate a territorial road, from the southern boundary of Davis county, to the northern boundary of Wapello county.

SEC. 2. Commissioners, where and when to meet, and how to proceed. Said commissioners shall meet at the county seat of Wapello county, as soon as the county seats of the aforesaid counties are established, or within one year thereafter, and proceed to locate said road according to law; and shall make the county seats in said counties points in said road; and shall have regard, as far as practicable, to a central line through said counties.

SEC. 3. Counties through which road runs not to pay any part of expense. Said commissioners, or any other persons engaged in viewing, surveying, marking or locating said road, shall not make any charge to the counties through which said road passes, for services rendered in locating said road.

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

Approved, 12th February, 1844.