

CHAPTER 115.

ROAD.

AN ACT to locate a Territorial road from Keosauqua, in Van Buren county, to the western line of Appanoose county.

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

SECTION 1. Commissioners, appointment of; road to commence at Keosauqua; route of. That Samuel Morton, St. Clair Griffin and John Arrowsmith, of Van Buren county, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to locate a territorial road, from Keosauqua, in Van Buren county, to the county seat of Davis county; thence to the county seat of Appanoose county, or as near the centre of said county as practicable, if the county seat of said county is not located when said commissioners shall proceed to locate said road; thence to the western line of said county.

SEC. 2. Commissioners, when and where to meet. That the commissioners appointed as aforesaid shall meet at the house of Solomon Richardson, on the first Monday in June next, or at some convenient period within six months thereafter, and proceed to locate said road according to law, from said Solomon Richardson's to its termination as specified in the first section of this act.

SEC. 3. Part of road from Keosauqua via Ely's ford, to be adopted as part of; plat and survey of, where to be recorded. That so much of the county road leading from Keosauqua, via Ely's ford, on the Des Moines river, to the western line of Van Buren county, as lies between Keosauqua and said Richardson's, be recognized as a portion of said territorial road, without any further action on the part of said commissioners than to make out the plat and survey of said portion of said county road, as found on record in Van Buren county.

SEC. 4. Commissioners and others, how paid for services. Said commissioners and other persons necessarily employed in locating said road, shall be allowed such compensation for their services as the county commissioners of the counties through which the road shall pass may think just and right.

SEC. 5. Time of taking effect. This act to be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, 14th February, 1844.

[134] CHAPTER 116.

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AN ACT to locate and establish a Territorial road, from Brighton, in Washington county, to intersect the road from Mount Pleasant to Washington, in Washington county.

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

SECTION 1. Appointment of commissioners to locate road; to commence at Brighton, in Washington county; route of. That Sexton Mount, of Jefferson county, and Joseph Walker, of the county of Henry, and John Garnet, of the county of Washington, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to

locate and establish a territorial road, commencing at Brighton, in Washington county; thence on the nearest and best route on which a convenient ford can be found on Skunk river, to intersect the territorial road running from Mount Pleasant to Washington, in Washington county, at or near the house of Rufus M. Pickle, in Henry county.

SEC. 2. **Commissioners, how to be governed.** Said commissioners shall, in all respects, be governed by the provisions of the act to provide for laying out and opening territorial roads, approved December the 29th, 1838.

SEC. 3. **Commissioners, where and when to meet.** Said commissioners shall meet at Brighton, on the second Monday of April next, or at some future time to be agreed on by them within sixty days thereafter, and proceed to locate said road as hereinbefore directed.

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

Approved, 14th February, 1844.

CHAPTER 117.

VACATION OF STREET.

AN ACT to authorize the county commissioners of the county of Henry to vacate a part of Webster street, in the town of Mount Pleasant, in said county.

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

SECTION 1. **Webster street, part of to be vacated by county commissioners; to enlarge burial ground.** That for the purpose of enlarging and improving the burying ground in the town of Mount Pleasant, the county [135] commissioners of the county of Henry are hereby authorized to vacate that portion of Webster street, in said town, lying between the public burying ground and block No. nine, in the commissioners first addition to Mount Pleasant.

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

Approved, 14th February, 1844.

CHAPTER 118.

TOWN OF FREDONIA.

AN ACT relative to the town plat of Fredonia, in Louisa county.

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

SECTION 1. **Alvin Clark required to have plat made out within 90 days.** That Alvin Clark, of the county of Louisa, in said territory, be and he is hereby authorized to cause a complete and legal plat of the town of Fredonia, in said county, to be made out according to the survey of the same by John Gilliland, Esqr. in the year 1840, and to have the same duly recorded within ninety days from the passage of this act.