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Approved, June 10th, 1845.

CHAPTER 64.

TERRITORIAL ROAD.

AN ACT to establish a territorial road from Bloomington to the county line of Muscatine county, near the present road leading to Davenport.

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

SECTION 1. Appoints commissioners to lay out road. That George H. Fitch, Elijah Sells and Stephen Nye, of Muscatine county, be and they are, hereby appointed [101] commissioners to lay out and establish a territorial road from Bloomington, in Muscatine county, to the county line of Scott county, near the present road leading towards Davenport.

SEC. 2. Commissioners to meet first Monday in July. Said commissioners shall meet at Bloomington on the first Monday of July next, or on some subsequent day to be agreed upon by them, and proceed to lay out and establish said road upon this side of the Mississippi bluffs, and above the floods of the Mississippi river, so as to suit the convenience of the inhabitants and without injury to the farms.

SEC. 3. Vacates certain road along the Mississippi river when new road is improved. That the county road along the Mississippi river, near or on the banks of the same, after the said road shall be established and sufficiently improved, shall be vacated so far as the said road so to be established shall extend along the said county road in the county of Muscatine, whenever the commissioners of the county shall deem it expedient.

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

Approved, June 10th, 1845.

CHAPTER 65.

TERRITORIAL ROAD.

AN ACT to repeal "An act repealing a portion of an act to locate and establish a territorial road from the town of Du Buque, to Camp Atkinson;" approved, January 13, 1841, and providing for the re-location of said road.

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

SECTION 1. Repeals law of January 13, 1841. That "An act repealing a portion of an act to locate and establish a territorial road from the town of Du Buque, to Camp Atkinson;" approved January 13, 1841, be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. Appoints commissioners to relocate as much of said road as was affected by law of January 13, 1841. That Peter D. Sharp, David Moreland and William J. Anderson are hereby appointed commissioners to re-locate so

much of said road as was repealed by the act aforesaid, the territorial road leading from Du Buque to Fort Atkinson, by the way of the Colony and Ead's Grove, in Delaware county, to Fort Atkinson; and said commissioners shall keep the county road from Du Buque, through the Bankston set- [102] tlement. Said commissioners or a majority of them shall meet at the house of William J. Anderson, on the first Monday in July next, or as soon after as may be convenient for them, and proceed to locate said road.

SEC. 3. Allows usual compensation. That the commissioners, surveyor, chain-carrier and other hands employed to relocate said road as herein specified, shall receive the usual rates allowed for similar work, two thirds of which shall be paid out of the treasury of Du Buque county, and one third out of the treasury of Delaware county.

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

Approved. June 11th, 1845.

CHAPTER 66.

FERRIES.

AN ACT to authorize the board of commissioners of Muscatine county, to license certain ferries across the Mississippi river.

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

SECTION 1. Commissioners to issue license to any one to keep ferry across Mississippi, opposite Wyoming and section 30 and 31, in township 77, N. R. 1 W. and opposite section 36, T. 77, N. R. 2 W. That the commissioners of the county of Muscatine be, and they are, hereby authorized to issue license to any person or persons, to keep a ferry across the Mississippi river, opposite the town of Wyoming; and also opposite sections thirty and thirty-one, in township seventy-seven north, range one west; and opposite section thirty-six, township seventy-seven north, range two west, of said county of Muscatine: provided, said board of commissioners shall not license a ferry to conflict with the rights of the corporation of the town of Bloomington, to establish and keep a ferry across said river.

SEC. 2. No license to exceed ten years. That said board of commissioners shall not issue a license to keep a ferry to exceed the term of ten years.

SEC. 3. This act to take effect after passage. This act to take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, June 11th, 1845.

[103] CHAPTER 67.

KISHKEKOSH COUNTY ORGANIZED.

AN ACT to organize the county of Kishkekosh, and to provide for the location of the seat of justice thereof.

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

SECTION 1. Declares the county organized after July 1, 1845. That the county of Kishkekosh be, and the same is, hereby organized, from and after