

CHAPTER 28.

GROCERY LICENSE.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate grocery license," approved January 4th, 1840.

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

SECTION 1. **Persons to take out county license.** That it shall be lawful for the county commissioners of the several respective counties in this territory, to require each and every person or persons wishing to keep a grocery within the county, or within any city or incorporated town within their respective counties, to take out a county license, all laws giving exclusive rights to any city or incorporated town to the contrary notwithstanding; and that the provisions of this act shall extend to all persons and property enumerated in the first section of an act entitled "an act to provide for assessing and collecting county and territorial revenue," approved February 13, 1843.

SEC. 2. **Not to sell in less quantities than one gallon without license.** That if any person or persons, shall vend or sell any spirituous liquors in less quantity than one gallon, without having first obtained a license so to do, such person so offending shall be liable to a fine of not less than thirty dollars nor more than fifty dollars, to be recovered before any justice of the peace for the use or the common schools, at the suit of any county or township officer in said county.

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

Approved, January 17th, 1846.

CHAPTER 29.

TERRITORIAL CREDITORS.

AN ACT to provide for the payment of the claims of the creditors of the territory.

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

SECTION 1. **Creditors may purchase lots and offset claims.** That all bona-fide creditors of the territory of Iowa, whose claims were contracted in the erecting of the capitol at Iowa City, and who may purchase lots at the sale authorized by the act to which this is supplemental, shall have the right to offset the claims, so far as they may extend, against any debts they may contract in the purchase of said lots: provided, said creditors produce the certificate of the territorial agent, setting forth the amount due for services performed in the erection of said capitol: provided also, that creditors holding notes against the office of territorial agent, or having claims against said office, allowed, or that may be allowed by Morgan Reno, present "ex-officio" territorial agent, shall be entitled to all the privileges of this act.

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

Approved, January 17th, 1846.