

**SEC. 9. Duty of secretary of territory.** That it shall be the duty of the secretary of the territory, to provide a suitable room for the meeting of the convention; also to provide the same with furniture, stationery, and all other things necessary for the comfort and convenience of the convention.

**SEC. 10. Pay of delegates.** That the members of said convention shall be entitled to [40] three dollars for every twenty miles travel to and from the place of holding said convention, and three dollars per diem for their services, to be paid in the way and manner as may hereafter be provided for by the legislative assembly of the territory or state of Iowa.

**SEC. 11. In force from passage.** This act shall take effect, and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, January 17th, 1846.

## CHAPTER 38.

### ROADS.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act to prevent and punish the obstruction of roads and highways."

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

**SECTION 1. Penalty for obstructing roads.** That if any person or persons, shall obstruct any public road, or highway in this territory, by falling any tree, or trees across the same, or by encroaching upon, or fencing, or ploughing up the same, or by placing any other obstruction thereon, or who shall destroy or injure any bridge or causeway, or remove any plank or timber therefrom, without being legally authorized so to do, shall upon conviction thereof, before any court having competent jurisdiction, be fined, in any sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, nor less than ten dollars, and shall be imprisoned in the county jail until the fine and costs are paid.

**SEC. 2. Repealing clause.** That the first section of the act to which this is amendatory, be and the same is hereby repealed.

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

Approved, January 1st, 1846.

## [41] CHAPTER 39.

### FRANCES E. ANDERSON.

AN ACT for the relief of Mrs. Frances E. Anderson.

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

**SECTION 1. Mrs. Anderson empowered to convey a lot.** That Mrs. Frances E. Anderson, widow of the late Jeremiah G. Anderson, of Lee county, be, and she is hereby authorized and empowered to convey by deed in fee simple, to Mr. W. R. and F. P. Johnson of Brown county, Kentucky, a certain brick house and lot, with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging, in the town of Nashville, in the county of Lee, and territory of Iowa; being the one