

## CHAPTER 82.

## NEW COUNTIES.

AN ACT to establish new counties and define their boundaries.

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

**SECTION 1. Boundaries of Wayne county.** That the following shall be the boundaries of a new county, which shall be called Wayne, towit: beginning at the north-west corner of Appanoose county; thence west on the township line, dividing townships 70 and 71 north, to the north-west corner of township 70, north of range 23 west; thence south, on the range line between ranges 23 and 24, to the north boundary of the state of Missouri; thence east, along said boundary to the south-west corner of Appanoose county; thence north, to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 2. Lucas county.** That the following shall be the boundaries of a new county, which shall be called Lucas, to wit: beginning at the north-west corner of Kishkekosh county; thence west, to the north-west corner of township 73, north, of range 24 west; thence south, to the south-west [74] corner of township 71, north of [range] 24 west; thence east, to the south-west corner of Kishkekosh county; and thence north, to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 3. Warren county.** That the following shall be the boundaries of a new county, which shall be called Warren, to wit: beginning at the north-west corner of Marion county; thence west, along the line dividing townships 77 and 78, to the north-west corner of township 77, north of range 25 west; thence south, to the south-west corner of township 71, north of range 25 west; thence east, to the south-west corner of Marion county; thence north, to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 4. Polk county.** That the following shall be the boundaries of a new county, to be called Polk, to wit: beginning at the north-west corner of Jasper county; thence west, to the north-west corner of township 81, north, of range 24 west; thence south, to the south-west corner of township 78, north of range 24 west; thence east, to the south-west corner of Jasper county; thence north to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 5. Marshall county.** That the following shall be the boundaries of a new county, to be called Marshall, to wit: beginning at the north-east corner of township 85, north of range 17 west; thence west, to the north-west corner of township 85, north of range 20 west; thence south to the south-west corner of township 82, north of range 20 west; thence east, to the south-east corner of township 82, north, of range 17 west; thence north to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 6. Jasper county.** That the following shall be the boundaries of a new county, to be called Jasper, to wit: beginning at the north-west corner of Powesheik county, on the line dividing townships 81 and 82, north of range 17 west; thence west, to the north-west corner of township 81, north of range 20 west; thence east to the south-west corner of township 78, north of range 20 west; thence south, to the south-west corner of Powesheik county; thence north, to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 7. Story county.** That the following shall be the boundaries of a new county, to be called Story, to wit: beginning at the north-west corner of Marshall county; thence west, to the north-west corner of township 85, north of range 24 west; thence south, to the south-west corner of township 82, north of range 24 west; thence east to the south-west corner of Marshall county; thence north to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 8. Boone county.** That the following shall be the boundaries of a new county, to be called Boone, to wit: beginning at the north-west corner of Story county; thence west, to the north-west corner of township 85, north, of range 28 west; thence south, to the south-west corner of township 82, north of range 28 west; thence east, to the south-west corner of Story county; thence north, to the place of beginning.

[75] **SEC. 9. Dallas county.** That the following shall be the boundaries of a new county to be called Dallas, to wit: beginning at the north-west corner of Polk county; thence west, to the north-west corner of township 81, north, of range 28 west; thence south, to the south-west corner of township 78, north, of range 28 west; thence east, to the south-west corner of Polk county, and thence north, to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 10. Madison county.** That the following shall be the boundaries of a new county, to be called Madison, to wit: beginning at the north-west corner of Warren county; thence west to the north-west corner of township 77, north of range 29 west; thence south, to the south-west corner of township 74, north of range 29 west; thence east, to the south-east corner of township 74, north of range 26 west; thence north, to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 11. Clarke county.** The following shall be the boundaries of a new county, to be called Clarke, to wit: beginning at the north-west corner of Lucas county; thence west, to the northwest corner of township 73, north, of range 29 west; thence south, to the south-west corner of township 71, north of range 29 west; thence east to the south-west corner of Lucas county, and thence north to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 12. Decatur county.** The following shall be the boundaries of a new county, to be called Decatur, to wit: beginning at the north-west corner of Wayne county; thence west, to the north-west corner of township 70, north, of range 27 west; thence south, to the north boundary of the state of Missouri; thence east, to the south-west corner of Wayne county, and thence north, to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 13. Act in force from passage.** This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, January 13th, 1846.

## CHAPTER 83.

### NEW COUNTIES.

AN ACT supplemental to an act, to establish new counties and define their boundaries.

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

**SECTION 1. Boundaries of Jasper altered and defined.** That the following shall be the boundaries of the county of Jasper, to-wit: beginning at the north-east corner of [76] township number 81, north, of range number 17 west; thence west to the north-west corner of township number 81, north of range number 21 west; thence south, to the south-west corner of township number 78, north, of range number 21 west; thence east, to the south-east corner of township number 78, north, of range number 17 west; thence to the place of beginning.

**SEC. 2. Boundaries of Polk altered and defined.** The following shall be the boundaries of Polk county, to-wit:—beginning at the north-east corner of