

shall proceed to perform the duties required of them by this act, being governed in all respects by the general laws in relation to the establishment of state roads.

SEC. 3. Compensation. The commissioners, surveyor and other hands employed in laying out said road, shall receive such reasonable compensation for their services as the board of commissioners of the respective counties of Louisa and Muscatine shall determine, to be paid out of the treasury of said counties in proportion to the length of said road in each county.

SEC. 4. Take effect. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, January 15, 1849.

[130] CHAPTER 101.

STATE ROADS.

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "an act for laying out and establishing certain roads therein named," approved Feb. 18th, 1849.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Time for establishing certain roads extended. That an act for laying out and establishing certain roads therein named approved Feb. 18th, 1847, be so amended as to give the commissioner appointed by the third section of said act, until the first day of September, 1849, to complete the laying out and establishing road in said section.

SEC. 2. Repealing section. All acts and parts of acts coming in conflict with this act be and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 3. Take effect. This act to take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the weekly newspapers of Iowa City.

Approved Jan. 15th, 1849.

Published in Reporter, April 4th, 1849, and Republican, April —.

CHAPTER 102.

STATE ROAD.

AN ACT requiring the secretary of state to record state roads.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Secretary to record state roads. That the secretary of state shall procure at the expense of the state, suitable books in which he shall record all the territorial and state roads that may be now on file, or shall hereafter be filed in his office.

SEC. 2. Compensation. For the services aforesaid the secretary of state shall receive twelve and a half cents per hundred words, and such reasonable compensation for the plats and diagrams as the auditor of state shall

allow: *provided*, that roads that have been vacated by law shall not be recorded.

Sec. 3. Auditor to allow accounts. The auditor shall audit and allow the accounts of the secretary of state for such services from time to time as the same shall be performed.

Approved Jan. 15, 1849.

[131] CHAPTER 103.

COUNTY OF DUBUQUE.

A SPECIAL ACT for the benefit of the county of Dubuque.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. County commissioners to cause a map of mineral lands to be made out. That for the purpose of assessing the mineral lands in the county of Dubuque, the county commissioners of said county are hereby authorized, and required, to cause a map, or plat, of the mineral lands owned in said county of Dubuque, in less quantities than any legal subdivision, to be made out, and to have designated thereon the name or names of the owners thereof, and the number of acres, or fractions of acres, owned by each, or by two or more owners jointly or severally, and shall number each tract or parcel of said land, beginning with lot No. one, and continuing such enumeration on said plat or map until all the lots are numbered; such plat or map, or a certified copy thereof, shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the board of county commissioners for the use of the board, and for reference, by any person who may be interested therein.

SEC. 2. Clerk to furnish assessor with number of lots. By the first Monday in March in each year, the clerk of the board of county commissioners shall furnish the assessor with the numbers of the lots so plated, together with blank forms for the assessment of the same.

SEC. 3. Assessor to assess according to the value. Said assessor shall assess such lots according to the true value thereof, and shall in all respects comply with the provisions of an act entitled "an act to provide for levying and collecting revenue for state and county purposes." approved, Feb. 25, 1847.

SEC. 4. Repealing section. All acts and parts of acts, that come in conflict with the provisions of this act, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

SEC. 5. Take effect. This act to take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Miner's Express.

Approved, January 15th, 1849.

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