

Conducting. § 2. That said election shall be conducted, and the returns made, pursuant to the law regulating the election of Justices of the Peace.

Take effect. § 3. That this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication as required by law.

APPROVED January 15th, 1855.

CHAPTER 25.

COUNTY SEAT OF ADAIR.

AN ACT to locate the county seat of Adair County.

Commission'rs. **SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That George B. Hitchcock, of Cass County, Elias Stratford, of Madison County, and John Buckingham, of Page County, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to locate the seat of justice of Adair County; that said commissioners, or any two of them, shall meet at Adair **Meeting.** Post Office, in said county, on the first Monday in March next, or within sixty days thereafter, and after being duly sworn or affirmed before some person duly authorized to administer oaths, faithfully and impartially to discharge their duty according to the provisions of this act, shall proceed to **Adair P. O.** locate and name said seat of justice, taking into consideration the present and future welfare of said county.

§ 2. That said commissioners shall make out a report in writing of their doings in the premises, particularly describing the tract of land selected, and file the same with the county judge of said county; or, in case the said county of Adair shall not then be organized, said report shall be filed with the county judge of Madison county, who shall transmit the same to the judge of said county of Adair whenever the same shall have been organized; and it shall be the duty of said judge to record the same in his office.

Record. § 3. That said commissioners shall be allowed the sum of two dollars per day each for the time necessarily employed

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in making said location, and five cents per mile in going to or returning from said county, to be paid out of the proceeds of the first sale of lots in said county seat.

§ 4. That this Act shall take effect and be in force from ^{Take effect} and after its publication in the Iowa City Republican.

APPROVED 15th January, 1855.

I certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Iowa City Republican on the 24th January, 1855. GEO. W. McCLEARY, Sec'y of State.

CHAPTER 26.

INSPECTION OF LUMBER,

AN ACT to regulate the inspection of shingles and lumber.

§ 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That it shall be the duty of the county Judge of each county in this state at their first, or any subsequent term of said court, (when it may be necessary,) to appoint one in- ^{Inspector.} spector of lumber and shingles, who shall each have the power to appoint one or more deputies to act under them. ^{Deputies.} For the conduct of the deputies, the principal shall be liable.

§ 2. That before any inspector, or deputy inspector shall enter upon the duties of his office, he shall take an oath or ^{Qualification.} affirmation, that he will faithfully and impartially execute the duties required of him by law, and each inspector shall moreover, enter into a bond with sufficient security to be approved by the judge in such sum as the judge may require, made payable to the State of Iowa, which bond shall be deposited with the Treasurer of the county, conditioned for the faithful and impartial performance of his duties, as required by law.

§ 3. Any person who may think himself aggrieved, by ^{Sue on bond.} the incapacity, neglect, or misconduct of such inspector, or his deputy, may institute a suit on a copy of the bond certified by the Treasurer, for the use of the person suing: **Provided,** that the Treasurer shall not be liable for costs. And