

## RESOLUTION No. 2.

## MAIL FACILITIES.

JOINT RESOLUTION to procure additional mail facilities.

**Instructions.** *Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,*  
That our Senators in Congress be instructed, and our Representatives requested, to use their influence to procure additional mail facilities in this State, as follows: From Delhi, in Delaware county, to Quasqueton, in Buchanan county, by coach, three times a week.

**Delhi to Quasqueton.**

**Coaches.**

**Copies.**

*Resolved,* That the Secretary of State be requested to forward copies of this resolution to our Senators and Representatives, and to the Post Master General.

APPROVED 14th, January 1855.

## RESOLUTION No. 3.

## MISSISSIPPI RAPIDS.

JOINT RESOLUTION asking aid of Congress to improve the Rock Island and Des Moines Rapids of the Mississippi.

**Preamble.** *Whereas,* The people of Iowa, of Upper Illinois, of Wisconsin, and of Minnesota Territory, yearly suffer immense losses in property, and are put to great costs and charges in their course of travel and commerce, by and in consequence of the obstructions in the Mississippi river known as the Rock Island and Des Moines Rapids:

*And, whereas,* the work done on these Rapids for the improvement of navigation, through and over the same, during the present year, has demonstrated the feasibility and ease with which a channel may be cut through said Rapids, of equal depth of the River in other points.

**Instruction.** *Resolved,* That our Senators in Congress be instructed,