

amended as to require stays on execution to be taken within ten days from the rendition of judgment.

File in 10 days SEC. 2. No person shall hereafter be entitled to any stay on execution or judgment, who shall fail to comply with the provisions of the act to which this is amendatory, within ten days from the rendition of final judgment, on which stay of execution is proposed to be taken.

Approved Jan. 28, 1857.

CHAPTER 225.

RAILROAD BONDS.

AN ACT to authorize the Iowa Southern Railroad Company to issue bonds.

Issue bonds. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That the Iowa Southern Railroad Company is hereby authorized to issue construction bonds to such an amount as may be necessary to construct and equip fully the same, and provide depots, station houses, water tanks and other necessary buildings; and as security for said bonds, said company are authorized to mortgage or execute a deed of trust upon any and all property, real, personal or mixed, belonging to the company so issuing said bonds and said mortgage or deed of trust, shall be a lien upon any and all property mentioned and described in the same.

Recorded. SEC. 2. That said mortgage or deed of trust shall be recorded in the office or offices of the county recorder or recorders wherein the property described in said mortgage or deed of trust may be situated, and from the date of filing of the same in the recorder's office shall be notice to all persons of the right of parties under the same.

Sale of bonds. SEC. 3. That the officers or duly authorized agent or agents of the company issuing any of said bonds as provided in this act, are hereby fully authorized and empowered to sell and dispose of said bonds at such price as they may agree upon, and it shall not be lawful for said company at any time thereafter to plead that said bonds are usurious.

SEC. 4. This act shall be in force from and after its publication in the Fort Madison Plaindealer and Fort Madison Argus newspapers, without cost to the State.

Approved January 29, 1857.

CHAPTER 226.

SALARY OF COUNTY OFFICERS.

AN ACT to amend Sec 211 of Chapter 22 of the Code of Iowa.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That all of section two hundred and eleven of chapter twenty-second of the Code of Iowa, after the words "five hundred and fifty dollars," be, and the same is hereby repealed, and that the following shall be substituted for the part of said section thus repealed: when the population amounts to six thousand, the salary shall be increased fifty dollars for each additional thousand inhabitants, until the salary reaches the sum of twelve hundred dollars, which shall be the highest salary paid to any of the officers named in said section. Amendment to
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SEC. 2. That all parts of said chapter 22 conflicting herewith, be, and the same is hereby repealed. Repeal.

SEC. 3. This act to be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa City Republican and Capital Reporter.

Approved January 29, 1857.

I certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa City Republican Feb. 4, 1857,

ELIJAH SELLS,
Secretary of State.