

CHAPTER 21.

March 2, 1854.

An Act to provide for laying out a Territorial Road from St. Paul to Iowa Line.

SECTION

1. Commissioners to locate road.

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2. When to meet—may adjourn—expense.

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Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota, That A. R. French, Wm. W. Finch, and Alexander Faribault, are hereby appointed commissioners to locate and mark a Territorial Road, commencing on the west side of the Mississippi, opposite St. Paul, and from thence on the most practicable route through the valley of the Strait River, to a point on the Iowa line, in the direction of Fort Atkinson.

When to meet—may adjourn—expense.

SEC. 2. That the said commissioners meet at the house of Thomas Odell, opposite St. Paul, on the first Monday in April next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., or as soon as possible thereafter. *Provided, however, that in the absence of any one of the Commissioners appointed by this act, the others may have power to supply said vacancy by appointing another commissioner; or may, in case a majority of them meet, proceed in discharging their duties, and that it shall be discretionary with a majority of said commissioners to adjourn from time to time as they may deem proper, and said commissioners when assembled, shall proceed to lay out and mark said road, and the necessary expense incurred for laying out and establishing said road shall be paid by the county or counties through which said road may pass.*

N. C. D. TAYLOR,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
S. B. OLMSTEAD,
President of the Council.

APPROVED—March second, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-four.

W. A. GORMAN.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Saint Paul, April 2d, 1854. }

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a correct copy of the original act on file in this office.

J. TRAVIS ROSSER,

Secretary of the Territory of Minnesota.