

## MEMORIALS.

their present habits, their advancement to early civilization, and the ultimate enjoyment of all the rights of citizens of the United States.

And as in duty bound your Memorialists will ever pray.

CHARLES GARDNER,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

JOHN B. BRISBIN,

*President of the Council.*

APPROVED—March first, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

W. A. GORMAN.

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

J. TRAVIS ROSSER,

*Secretary of Minnesota Territory.*

## NUMBER II.

*A Memorial to the Post Master General of the United States.*

To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Congress assembled: The Memorial of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota, respectfully represents to Your Honorable Body:

Memorial for  
mail route

That the great increase of population in the counties of Hennepin, Carver and Sibley, in said Territory and the present difficulty of obtaining the mail matter that is due the inhabitants of some of the more thickly settled portions of said counties and the great trouble, expense and delay thereof, make it highly necessary and just that Congress should establish the following described mail route to wit:

A route starting at Minneapolis and running to and through St. Albans and Excelsior, in Hennepin county; thence to and through Chanhassen, Osaka, Carver, and San Francisco, in Carver county, and thence to and through Walker's landing to Henderson, in Sibley county, thence to Traverse des Sioux, in Nicollet county, thence to New Ulm, in Brown county.

Therefore said Legislative Assembly memorialize Your Honorable Body, and pray that Congress establish the above described mail route, and that the mail be transported weekly therein and delivered at each of the several places above designated.

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