

courts shall be held to be made and taken for the terms of the circuit courts fixed by this legislature.

SEC. 8. The clerks of the several district courts now in office, shall continue to act as clerks of the circuit courts until superseded by clerks elected in pursuance of the constitution of this state and all acts done and performed by such clerks shall be as valid and effectual as if the said clerks were elected.

N. E. WHITESIDE,  
Speaker of the Assembly.

JOHN E. HOLMES,  
Lieut. Governor and President of the Senate.

Approved, August 19, 1848.

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AN ACT to authorize the discontinuance or alteration of certain territorial roads.

The people of the state of Wisconsin represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows :

SECTION 1. George N. Doolittle, David R. Hyer and John Twining are hereby appointed commissioners to alter or discontinue a territorial road from Clinton to Waterloo or such portion of said road as said commissioners shall think proper to alter or discontinue.

SEC. 2. Thomas Lannon, Garret M. Fitzgerald and Anson H. Taylor are hereby appointed commissioners to vacate or alter so much of a territorial road leading from Racine to Prairieville as runs through the town of Franklin Milwaukee county and the town of Muskego Waukesha county or any part thereof as said commissioners shall think proper.

SEC. 3. J. E. Arnc'd, John Peter Rose and Harmon Gruby are hereby appointed commissioners to alter or discontinue so much of a territorial

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road leading from Hustis Rapids in Dodge county to Pipersville in Jefferson county as they may think to be necessary to be altered or discontinued.

SEC. 4. All that part of a territorial road leading from Watertown to intersect the Hustisford and Mille Lac road lying in section number two town number nine range number sixteen is hereby discontinued.

SEC. 5. All that part of a territorial road from Columbus to Green Lake (in Marquette county) which lies north of the twenty-sixth mile stake is hereby vacated.

SEC. 6. All that part of a territorial road established by act of the Legislature passed in the year 1845 from Isaac Noyes in Dodge county to Seymour Wicox's in Fond du Lac county lying between David Drakes and the intersection of said road with a road leading from M. B. Halls to Waupun is hereby vacated.

SEC. 7. The commissioners of highways of the towns of Mukwonago and Genesee in county of Waukesha are authorized to alter so much of the territorial road leading from Waukesha to Mukwonago as runs through sections ten and three in the town of Mukwonago and through a part of section thirty-four in the town of Genesee.

SEC. 8. Hiram E. Coon, John Fish and William Bradbury are hereby appointed commissioners to alter so much of the territorial road from Fort Atkinson to Prairieville via Whitewater and Pamyra on section thirty-three town five, range sixteen as they may deem expedient: Provided, the persons interested in such alteration shall pay said commissioners for their services.

SEC. 9. Nothing in this act shall be construed as to make the state liable for any damages or expenses occasioned by the discontinuance relocation or alteration of any road herein mentioned.

SEC. 10. The commissioners of highways in the several towns of this state under the township system of government and the county commissioners in those counties under the county system, are hereby appointed commissioners with full power to alter or vacate any portion of any territorial road in their respective towns and counties subject to an appeal to the board of county supervisors.

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