

- the expenses of laying out and establishing the same, in proportion to the distance which said road runs through each county.
- From Janesville. § 8. That Charles Stevens, A. Hyatt Smith, and John P. Dickson, be, and they are hereby, appointed commissioners to lay out and establish a territorial road by the nearest and most practicable route, from Janesville, in the county of Rock, to Mineral Point, in the county of Iowa.
- On old roads. § 9. If either of the boards of commissioners hereby appointed shall lay either of the said roads, in whole or in part, on the route of any public road or highway heretofore established, they may adopt the survey of said road, so previously laid out, or such part thereof as they shall think proper.
- From Milwaukee. § 10. That Alonzo Raymohd, John S. Rockwell, and Francis M'Carty, be, and are hereby appointed commissioners to lay out a territorial road from Milwaukee to Fond du Lac, via. Monomonee Falls; and the said commissioners are hereby authorized to adopt the survey of any road, or part of any road previously laid out on said route.
- Expenses, how paid. § 11. That none of the roads authorized to be laid out by this act shall be paid for out of the treasury of any of the counties through which such roads pass, except as provided for in this act.
- Take effect. § 12. That this law shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED, April 12, 1843.

AN ACT to authorize the election of an additional justice of the peace in certain towns.

Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:

- Authority and liabilities. § 1. That the several towns in the territory, comprising within their limits incorporated towns or villages, are hereby authorized to elect, at the general special election to be holden on the first Monday of May next, and annually thereafter on the day fixed by law for the election of justices of the peace, one justice of the peace, in addition to the number now allowed by law, who shall possess the qualifications, rights, and powers, and be subject to the liabilities and duties conferred and imposed upon justices of the peace by any law of the Territory.

§ 2. All acts contravening the provisions of this act are hereby repealed, and it shall take effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED, April 12, 1843.

AN ACT to provide for levying and collecting a territorial revenue.

[Be it enacted by the Council and House of Representatives of the Territory of Wisconsin:]

§ 1. For the purpose of raising a territorial revenue, there shall be annually levied, in each of the counties of this territory, a territorial tax of such a per cent. on the assessment of the several counties and towns as the legislative assembly shall, from year to year, prescribe. ^{Tax shall be levied.}

§ 2. It shall be the duty of the board of county commissioners of the several counties which have not adopted the provisions of an act entitled "an act to provide for the government of the several towns in this territory, and for the revision of county government," annually to embrace in the tax roll of their respective counties, in a separate column, to be designated "territorial tax," a tax of such a per cent. on the assessment roll as the legislative assembly shall have prescribed at its next preceding annual session. ^{How levied,}

§ 3. It shall be the duty of the town clerks in all the towns of the several counties which have adopted the provisions of said act, annually to embrace in the tax roll of their respective towns, in a separate column, to be designated "territorial tax," a tax of such a per centum on the assessment roll as the legislative assembly shall have prescribed at its next preceding annual session.

§ 4. The legislative assembly shall, at its annual session, in each and every year, prescribe the per centum of tax to be levied in each of the counties of this territory. ^{Amount, how determined.}

§ 5. There shall be levied and collected in all the towns in the counties of Milwaukee, Racine, Jefferson, and Crawford, in pursuance of the provisions of this act, for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, a tax of three eighths of a mill on the dollar on the assessment roll of said towns; and in all the towns in the other counties of the territory, which have adopted the provisions of said act, and in all the counties which have not adopted the provisions of said act, in like manner for said year a tax of five-eighths of one mill on the dollar of the assessment rolls of such towns and counties. ^{Tax for 1843,}