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ington, shall be and is hereby declared a public state road, Road how and shall be opened and kept in repair in the same man-opened and ner as other public roads are

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SEC. 3. The said commissioners and one surveyor, two Compensation chain carriers, and one marker, shallrespectively receive for to commissiontheir services a reasonable compensation, to be determined ers, chain cather the compensation of the determined ers, and surby the commissioners' courts, and paid out of the treasu-veyor ries of the several counties through which said road shall pass, in proportion to the time and labour actually expen-Paid by counded in each, in and about the location of said road: Provided, The county commissioners' courts of the several coun- Provided they ties through which said road shall pass, shall first cause to make an order be entered upon their records an order for the payment of therefor. the same.

APPROVED 4th March, 1837.

AN ACT to locate a State road therein named, and for other purposes.

In force March 2, 1837

SEC. 1. Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly, That John Shrader, William Snap, and Isaac Keller of the county of Edgar, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to view, mark, Commissioners and locate a state road from Grand View in Edgar coun-appointed ty, to intersect the state road leading from Paris to Springfield, at or near Nathaniel Wayne's in said county.

SEC. 2. Said commissioners or a majority of them, shall Place of meet meet at Grand View on the first Monday in April next or ing. within ninety days thereafter, and after being first duly sworn before some justice of the peace for said county, faithfully to discharge the duties enjoined upon them by this act, shall proceed to view, mark, and locate said road on the best practicable route for a permanent location and the public convenience, doing as little damage to private property as the nature of the case will permit.

SEC. 3. The said commissioners may employ one sur- May employ veyor and two chain carries, and shall cause said road to assistants be surveyed, and a map of said survey shall be made out and returned to the clerk of the county commissioners' court of Edgar county, the plat of said road when so returned shall make a part of the records of said court.

Sec. 4. The commissioners shall mark the trees through the timber, and set stakes in the ground through the prai-

rie on the location of said road.

SEC. 5. The county commissioners' court of Edgar coun-Compensation ty shall allow to said commissioners, surveyor, and chain carriers a reasonable compensation for their services, in

the location and survey of said road, to be paid out of the county treasury, said road when located shall be a state road, and opened and kept in repair as other state roads

are required by law to be.

SEC. 6. The present travelled road leading from Grandview via J. Mouzye's, thence to Mr. Moffitt's, thence to R.Gill's, thence to Smith's mill, thence to R. Henson's, thence to Mr. Stephens', thence to Elijah Wells's, and from thence to the county line, in a direction to Livingston on the Cumberland road in Clark county, be and the same is hereby declared a state road, the same to be kept in repair as other state roads are: Provided, the same shall not be opened more than thirty feet wide.

APPROVED March 2, 1837.

Declared a state road.

In force, 3d March, 1837

AN ACT to locate a state road from Crafton to Wood river.

Commissioners appointed.

Their duty.

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the people of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly, That J. M. Herd and John Hanell, of the county of Green, and James Webb, of the county of Madison be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners to view, mark out and locate a state road from the Mississippi river, in the county of Green, to Wood river, in such manner as to meet and fall in with the road from Vandalia to Alton, where said road crosses or will cross said river, commencing said road upon the Mississippi river as near the middle of the sixteenth section, town six north, twelve west, as possible, and from thence running in as short and direct a manner as may be convenient to said termination upon Wood river, where the road from Vandalia to Alton crosses, or such other place as said commissioners may think proper, doing as little injury to private property as a due regard of public good will permit.

Time and place of meet,

Oath

SEC. 2. The said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall meet at Grafton on the first day of September next, Shall be sworn or within sixty days thereafter, and after being duly sworn before some justice of the peace, well and truly to perform the duties required of them by this act, according to the best of their skill and ability, they shall proceed to view, mark, and lay out said road, agreeably to the pro-

visions of the first section of this act.

To make maps or plats

To be filed and where

Sec. 3. As soon as said road is located, said commissioners shall make out two complete maps or plats of said road so viewed, marked out and located by them, and after certifying the correctness of said maps or plats, shall deposite