

"An act creating an additional justice of the peace and constable in Cherry Grove precinct, in Knox county;"

"An act to amend an act to incorporate the colleges therein named;"

"An act to incorporate the Salem Steam Mill Company;"

"An act to provide for the appointment of another Commissioner to view a State road;"

"An act authorizing David and Samuel Mitchell to establish a ferry across the Mississippi river, at Albany, in Whiteside county;"

"An act to vacate the plat of the town of Iowa, in Perry county."

Mr. Gillespie, on leave, introduced a bill for "An act to locate a State road in Bond, Madison, and St. Clair counties; which was read the first time, and the second and third times by its title, and passed.

*Ordered*, That the title be as aforesaid, and that the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Leary, on leave, introduced a bill for "An act to locate a State road;" which was read the first time, and the second time by its title, and

Mr. Ross moved to refer the bill to the committee on State Roads; which was not agreed to, and,

On motion of Mr. Leary,

The bill was referred to a select committee.

*Ordered*, That Messrs. Leary, Peck, and Reynolds be said committee.

Mr. Drummond, on leave, introduced a bill for "An act authorizing Stephen Mack to build a bridge across Rock river;" which was read the first and second times by its title, and,

On motion of Mr. Ormsbee,

Referred to the committee on State Roads.

Mr. Baldwin moved for adoption the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That the President of the State Bank of Illinois be requested to inform this House what real estate compose the item of \$471,995 46 in the report of that institution made on the 1st day of December last, the kind thereof, where situated, and the value of each piece of real property; and also inform this House how the said real estate has increased in value to the sum of \$473,422 75, as shown by the report of the Bank made on the 16th inst.; and also, to inform this House of the prospect of collecting the suspended debt, of \$662,811 84, and whether real estate has not been taken as security for such debt, or some part thereof; and whether such real estate, if taken as such security, is not a part of the item of real estate mentioned in their said reports made on the 1st and 16th December last; which was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Murphy of Cook,

*Resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring herein*, That a joint select committee of one from the Senate, and two from the House, be appointed, to memorialize Congress to establish a Marine Hospital at Chicago.

Mr. Waters, on leave, introduced a bill for "An act to create the county of Radiation;" which was read the first and second times by its title; and

Mr. Oliver moved the indefinite postponement of the bill; when,

The Doorkeeper having reported,

And the bill for "An act to increase the State Directory in the State Bank of Illinois," was taken up; when

Mr. Ross moved to amend the second section of the bill by striking out "three dollars," and inserting "two dollars."