

That the members elected to the Territorial Legislature of New Mexico, in November anno Domini eighteen hundred and eighty-two, and all vacancies legally filled since that time, if any, are hereby declared to be the legal members of the legislature hereby authorized, subject to all valid contests. The said Territorial Legislature shall convene on the third Monday in February, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, and shall not continue in session exceeding forty legislative days. The next Territorial Legislature of New Mexico shall convene in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-six, at such time as may be fixed by the Legislature at the session hereby authorized.

Approved, February 14th, 1884.

Territorial legislature of New Mexico, term of, for 1884 and for 1886.

CHAP. 7.—An act to change the name of "The National La Fayette and Bank of Commerce" to that of "The National La Fayette Bank." Feb. 21, 1884.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the name of "The National La Fayette and Bank of Commerce," a corporation transacting business in the city of Cincinnati, County of Hamilton and State of Ohio, shall be changed to "The National La Fayette Bank," whenever the board of directors of said bank shall accept the new name by resolution of said board, and cause a copy of said resolution, duly authenticated, to be filed with the Comptroller of the Currency: *Provided*, That such acceptance be made within six months after the passage of this act, and that all the expenses incident to such change, including engraving, shall be borne and paid by said bank.

National La Fayette and Bank of Commerce.

New name.

Proviso.

SEC. 2. That the debts, liabilities, rights, privileges, and powers of the said National La Fayette and Bank of Commerce shall devolve upon and inure to the said National La Fayette Bank whenever such change of name is effected.

Liabilities, etc., to follow change.

SEC. 3. That nothing in this act contained shall be so construed as in any manner to release the said bank from any liability, or affect any action or proceeding in law in which said bank may be or become a party or interested.

Not to release liability.

Approved, February 21st, 1884.

CHAP. 8.—An act to fix the times for holding the terms of the Circuit and District Courts of the United States in the Northern District of Iowa Feb. 23, 1884.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sessions of the Circuit and District Courts of the United States in the Northern District of Iowa shall begin and be held as follows: At Dubuque, on the First Tuesday in April and Third Tuesday in November of each year; at Fort Dodge, on the Third Tuesdays in January and June of each year; and at Sioux City, on the Second Tuesday of May and First Tuesday in October of each year.

Iowa; terms of circuit and district courts for northern district of.

SEC. 2. That all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Repeal.

Approved, February twenty third, 1884.

CHAP. 9.—An act making all public roads and highways post routes. Mar. 1, 1884.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all public roads and highways while kept up and maintained as such are hereby declared to be post routes.

Public roads, etc., declared post routes.

Approved, March 1st, 1884.