

Michigan. Laws, statutes, etc.  
Public and local acts  
**ACTS**

OF

**THE LEGISLATURE**

OF THE

**STATE OF MICHIGAN,**

PASSED AT THE ANNUAL SESSION OF 1845.

WITH AN

**APPENDIX,**

**CONTAINING THE TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT :**

**BY AUTHORITY.**

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**1845.**

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Sec. 4 This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 24, 1845.

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No. 77.

**AN ACT** to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the laying out of a certain State Road, and for other purposes," approved March 9, 1844.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan*, That section six of an act entitled "an Amendment act to provide for the laying out of a certain state road, and for other purposes," approved March 9, 1844, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "Tridly" in the first line of said section and inserting therein the word "Findley," so that said section will read as follows :

‘Sec. 6. That Gabriel R. Findley, Cyrus Robertson and Edward Higby, are hereby appointed commissioners, with full authority to straighten and establish the state road leading from the village of Jackson, in the county of Jackson, to White Pigeon, in the county of St. Joseph, across section thirty-four in the township of Albion, in the county of Calhoun.’

Approved March 24, 1845.

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No. 78.

**AN ACT** for the relief of the heirs of Timothy Crittenden.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan*, That the Judge of Probate of the county of Washtenaw be, and he hereby is authorized to entertain

any petition by the heirs at law of Timothy Crittenden, deceased, late of Saline, in said county, relative to the last will and testament of said Timothy Crittenden, and to grant administration thereon with the same force and effect as if ten years had not elapsed since the death of the testator: *Provided*, That in all other respects the said Judge of Probate shall govern his action upon, and proceedings under said will by the existing laws in relation to probate courts.

Timothy  
Crittenden.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 24, 1845.

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No. 79.

AN ACT to authorize Orange J. Niles and George Niles to build a Storehouse on the margin of the Clinton and Kalamazoo Canal.

O. J. & G.  
Niles.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan*, That Orange J. Niles and George Niles, of the county of Oakland, be and they are hereby authorized to build on the margin of said canal, in the village of Rochester, and on land belonging to this state, a storehouse, in which to store articles to be transported on said canal: *Provided*, Said storehouse shall be so situated as to leave sufficient space between said storehouse and the canal, for the construction of a convenient tow path for the use of said canal.

Approved, March 24, 1845.

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No. 80.

AN ACT to amend the second clause of section three, chapter one, title five, part three of the Revised Statutes, relative to costs.

Amendment

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan*, That the second clause of section three, chapter one, title five, part three, of the Revised Statutes, be amended by adding to the said clause the following words: *Provi*