An act to limit the jurisdiction of Justice of the Peace & Justice of the Peace respectively.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Illinois represented in the General Assembly that hereafter Justice of the Peace shall not have jurisdiction of any civil case whatever unless it be in the county in which the defendant resides or has his place of business or in which the contract on which suit is brought was made and entered into or made payable, any thing in former laws to the contrary notwithstanding.

This act to be in force from and after the first day of June next.
An act to limit the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace of the several counties respectively.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly
that hereafter Justice of the Peace shall not have certain jurisdiction of any civil case whatever, unless it be in the precinct in which the defendant resides, or may be found, or in which the contract or which suit is brought, was made and entered into, or made payable, any thing to the contrary notwithstanding.

This act to be in force from and after the first day of June next.
Lincoln's 2d Bill

Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the people of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly, That Samuell Muddick, his heirs and assigns are hereby authorized to erect a toll bridge across the lake, one in the township of Hammond, at or near the place where the said Muddick is now authorized to erect it, to be known as the said Lake Muddick, his heirs and assigns, and hereby authorized to place a toll gate, where he at or near the same, and demand of all and every person passing the same, of toll, which may from time to time be fixed by the county commissioners of the county of Hammond.

Sec. 2. The said Samuell Muddick, his heirs and assigns, shall command the building of said bridge within twelve months, and if not completed within eighteen months from and after the passage of this act, as to admit the toll, shall pay to the said Lake Muddick, his heirs and assigns, three per cent. on the whole, to be levied on the said Lake Muddick, his heirs and assigns, shall at all times after the completion thereof, keep said bridge in good repair, and allow a free passage to all persons and their property, and for such, upon the demand of the tolls in said bridge, allowed at the time, before provided for, or at any time, the said bridge be set out of repair, so that the same be impassable, for the space of twelve months at any time, the said bridge shall accrue and belong to the county of Hammond, provided, however, that the restoration of said bridge by fire, high water or other casualty, shall not work a forfeiture of the
Provided, however, that the said Samual Musick shall aid the local committee to build a bridge or establish a ferry across said creek within the distance of said mill above or below the said bridge. Provided the said Samual Musick has the means or ability to erect and keep up said bridge for the speed of time set by this act authorized.

The said commissioners of the said county of Sangamon shall cause to be published the said bridge. They shall issue the necessary bonds or contracts to the said commissioners or to any other party to have the said bridge erected. It shall be the duty of said Samual Musick to his heirs or assigns to pay the said costs of said bridge and for the purpose of building the said commissioners shall order said party to have the said bridge erected. It shall be the duty of said Samual Musick to his heirs or assigns that all such acts at any time at which the said said creek is at or near the said bridge, as any nuisance, be or may be offending. They for that and pay the sum of ten hundred dollars for every such offense to be recovered by action of debt in any court having competent jurisdiction therefor. The same half of which shall go to the care of the person informing and the other to the use of the county.
bidge as is provided in an act to provide for the establishment of ferry, toll bridges, and turnpike roads: Approved, February 16th, 1837.


A. Pickell, Clerk.
Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the people of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly,

That Robert Harrison, John Kilby, and Daniel James be and they are hereby appointed commis-
sioners to view, mark and permanently locate so much of the State road, leading from Springfield to
Kankakee county, to Lewiston in St. Clair county, as lies
between Springfield and George G. Miller's ferry on the Sangamon river.

The said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall
meet at the town of Springfield on the second
Monday in March next or as soon thereafter as
practicable and after being duly sworn by some
officer authorized to administer oaths, shall proceed
to perform the duties required of them by this act,
avoiding as much as possible the injury of
private property.

Sec. 2. The said commissioners shall as soon as may be,
be furnished with a sketch of the county commissioners' court of the county of Kankakee,
and a report and complete map of said road, which report
and map shall be preserved and shall form a part
of the record of said court. Said road when so
established shall be kept in repair as other State
roads are.

Sec. 4. The county commissioners court of Kankakee
county shall allow to said commissioners, during
the county treasury; such compensation as shall
be deemed just and reasonable.

[Signature]

[Date] Nov. 18, 1835

S. Pickitt, Clerk
Mr. Bee, for an Act relative to a State road therein named.

to be inserted

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