

the drains made for conducting water from the public roads, or the ditches on the sides of said roads, or to obstruct any road by moving fences out upon the same, or placing other obstructions thereon, or to dig any ditch or drain across any road (without first having procured an order from the county commissioners to do so), and not keep such ditch or drain well covered and in good repair for the passage of vehicles over the same; and all persons so offending shall, upon conviction, be fined not less than ten nor more than one hundred dollars, said fine to be paid into the county treasury to the credit of the road and bridge account; and when any unlawful obstruction or injury to a public road shall have been reported to the road commissioner, in whose road district the same is located, the said commissioner shall forthwith remove said obstruction, or repair said injury, at the cost of the person causing the same, and if he shall refuse to pay the cost to the road commissioner the county commissioners shall pay the same and institute suit at once against such person to recover said costs.

Obstruct un-
lawfully.

Fine for viola-
tion.

SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That whenever any doubt may exist as to the proper location or width of any road, the county commissioners may cause the same to be surveyed, and in their discretion make such alterations as the conveniences of the public may require, and may compensate any owner of land along said road, who may be entitled to compensation in consequence of said alterations.

Cause survey.

SEC. 11. *And be it enacted*, That all acts or parts of acts, inconsistent with this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent
acts repealed.

SEC. 12. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Effective.

Approved March 4, 1884.