

inspection, even though the road be repaired thereafter; nor shall any certificate be issued except upon the concurrence of at least two road commissioners, who shall also affix their names to said certificates; and the said certificates shall be paid by the clerk of the county commissioners on presentation to him; and the compensation of the road commissioners shall be two dollars per day for every day that they may be necessarily engaged in the performance of their duties; said compensation not to exceed in the aggregate for any one year more than fifty dollars, except for services rendered in making repairs and improvements, which shall be fixed by the county commissioners; and in case of the failure or refusal of any road commissioner to perform his duties, the county commissioners shall proceed against him in the same manner as against a delinquent road supervisor; and the said road commissioners shall each give a good and sufficient bond, with ample security, to the county commissioners, in the penalty of two thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties imposed upon them by law, and the proper and lawful application of all public funds that may come into their hands; and said bond shall be liable for the damages sustained by any one, in person or property, in consequence of the neglect of duty upon the part of said road commissioners.

1884, ch. 45.

318. Whenever any person shall desire to improve any road to an extent beyond that required by law, he shall make application in writing to the county commissioners, who shall direct the road commissioners for the election district in which the road is located, to view the same and report whether in their judgment the improvements should be made, and also the estimated cost of said improvements; and the county commissioners may thereupon order said improvements to be made; provided, the person making the application shall agree to contribute one-half of the cost in cash or in labor, as he may prefer; and said improvements shall be made under the supervision of the road commissioner in whose road district the road is located; and whenever the citizens of any district shall petition the county commissioners for the erection of a new bridge, or the commissioners shall desire the construction of a new road already laid