CHAPTER 181.

[S. B. No. 35—Fox.]

ROAD MACHINERY.

AN ACT to Amend Section 2673. Revised Codes of North Dakota, Relating to Township Boards.

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

- § I. AMENDMENT.] That section 2673, revised codes of North Dakota, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows:
- Dakota, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows: § 2673. ROAD MACHINERY.] In townships owning road machinery, the township board shall have authority to make such disposition of the same as in its discretion is best for the interests of the township, or it may purchase or lease such machinery as may be necessary for the purpose of carrying out the provisions hereof, and the performance of contracts in reference thereto; provided, that no machinery shall be purchased or sold, to exceed in value the sum of one hundred dollars, except such sale or purchase shall be ordered at the annual township meeting by a majority vote of the legal voters of such township assembled at such meeting.
- § 2. REPEAL.] All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved March 13, 1905.

TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS.

CHAPTER 182.

[H. B. No. 78—Oveson.]

TERMS OF OFFICE OF TOWNSHIP SUPERVISORS.

AN ACT to Amend and Re-enact Section 2541 of the Revised Codes of 1899, Relating to Election of Township Officers and Their Terms of Office.

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

- § I. AMENDMENT.] That section 2541 of the revised codes of 1899 of the state of North Dakota be hereby amended to read as follows:
- § 2541. Township officers, when elected. Term of office.] There shall be elected at the annual township meeting in each town-

ship one supervisor for the term of three years, one township clerk, one treasurer, one assessor, one overseer of highway for each road district in such township, each for the term of one year, and two justices of the peace and two constables for the term of two years, but justices of the peace and constables shall be elected only once in two years except to fill vacancies. At the first annual township meeting in each township after the passage and approval of this act there shall be elected at large for such township three supervisors, one to serve until the first annual township meeting, one to serve until the second annual township meeting, and one to serve until the third annual township meeting thereafter. The board of supervisors at their first regular meeting shall elect one of their members as chairman to serve for the period of one year.

Approved March 1, 1905.

TOWNSITES.

CHAPTER 183.

[S. B. No. 207—Little.]

TOWNSITES ON PUBLIC LANDS.

AN ACT to Amend Sections 2516, 2517, 2518, 2519, 2520, 2521, 2522, 2523, 2524, 2525, of Chapter 30, Article 19, Entitled "Townsites Located on Public Lands," as Published in the Revised Codes of 1895, and Providing Who Can Sue and Maintain Actions Against Corporate Authorities Acting as Trustees Under the Townsite Laws.

Be It Enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

- § I. AMENDMENT.] That section 2516 be amended so as to read as follows:
- § 2516. UNCLAIMED LOTS OR PARCELS OF LAND.] That before any of the unclaimed lots or parcels of land are sold or disposed of, it shall be the duty of the corporate authorities of such city, town or village, by a vote of the city council of such city, town or village, as the case may be, to lay out and set aside, if it has not been done, a reasonable portion of the unclaimed lots or parcels of land into public squares and to reserve for future public use of such city, town or village, such lots and parcels of land as they deem advisable for the immediate or future use of such city, town or village.
- § 2. AMENDMENT.] That section 2517 be amended so as to read as follows:
- § 2517. UNCLAIMED LANDS TO BE APPRAISED.] The corporate authorities or county judge aforesaid shall appoint three competent