## FARMERS' INSTITUTES

## CHAPTER 119.

[H. B. No. 174—Walton.]

## FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

An Act to Repeal, Amend and Re-enact Sections 1877, 1878, 1879 and 1880 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the Year 1913, Relating to Farmers' Institutes and Providing an Appropriation Therefor.

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

§ 1.] The deputy commissioner of agriculture and labor shall be ex-officio director of Farmers' Institutes. It shall be his duty to engage such lecturers as may be deemed necessary and conduct at least fifty farmers' institutes each year, the same to be of such a nature as to instruct the farmers of the state in maintaining the fertility of the soil, the production and improvement of cereal and forage crops grown in the state, principles of breeding as applied to domestic animals, the making and handling of dairy products, the destruction of noxious weeds and injurious insects, forestry, and the growing of various fruits, feeding and management of live stock, and especially such instruction as will tend to promote the best marketing conditions, home life, and comfort of the farming population.

He shall be allowed in addition to his regular salary, his actual and necessary traveling expenses when engaged upon business connected with the proper discharging of his duties under this article.

§ 2. APPROPRIATION.] There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$6,000 annually for carrying out the purpose of this act.

§ 3. All charges, accounts and expenses authorized by this article shall be paid by the treasurer of the State, upon the approval of the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor.

Approved March 15, 1917.