### CHAPTER 187

### (S. B. No. 60-Whitman.)

#### PERMITTING MUNICIPAL CORPORATIONS TO DAM RED RIVER OF THE NORTH

- An Act Permitting Municipal Corporations to dam that portion of the Red River of the North that forms the boundary common to the State of North Dakota, and the State of Minnesota, subject to conditions therein expressed.
- Be It Enacted by The Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ 1. Any Municipality owning or permanently controlling land upon which a proposed dam is to be constructed, may construct a dam thereon and across that portion of the Red River of the North that forms a part of the boundary common to the State of North Dakota and the State of Minnesota, for the purpose of conserving water for Municipal, Commercial and Domestic use, constructing in connection therewith such appliances, fish ways, race ways, sluice ways and waste ways as may be necessary or convenient for the proper construction and utility of such dam and as may be required by law.

§ 2. Provided, that if required by law or treaty, the consent of the United States and of the State of Minnesota shall be first obtained.

Approved February 9th, 1925.

# RIGHT OF WAY

# CHAPTER 188 (H. B. No. 284—Watt.)

#### RIGHT OF WAY-TELEPHONE AND ELECTRIC LIGHT SYSTEMS

- An Act To Amend and Re-enact Section 5144 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913 Relating to Right of Way for Telephone Lines and Electric Light Systems.
- Be It Enacted by The Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:

§ I. AMENDMENT.] Section 5144 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

§ 5144. Right of Way for Telephone Lines and Electric Light Systems. The board of county commissioners of any county, board of supervisors of any township, board of aldermen of any incorporated city, or board of trustees of any town or village in this state, may, when deemed for the best interest of their respective municipal corporations, grant to any person, who is a resident of this state, or to any company or corporation, organized under the laws of this state, or to any company or corporation duly licensed to do business within this state, the right of way for the erection of a telephone line or electric light system over or upon any public grounds, streets, alleys or highways under the care or supervision of such board granting such right of way. Such right of way shall be granted subject to such conditions, restrictions and regulations as may be prescribed by the board granting the same, as to what grounds, streets, alleys or highways said lines shall run upon, over or across, and as to the places where the poles to support the wires shall be located, and all grants of right of way for the construction of telephone lines or electric light systems heretofore made, in accordance herewith, by any board above mentioned, are hereby made valid.

Approved March 10, 1925.

# SCHOOLS

#### CHAPTER 189

(S. B. No. 230—Schlosser.)

# AID CONSOLIDATED, GRADED AND RURAL SCHOOLS

An Act To Amend and Re-enact Section 1440 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913 as amended by Chapter 212 of the Session Laws for the year 1917, Relating to Consolidated, Graded, and Rural Schools May Receive State Aid.

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

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] That Section 1440 of the Compiled Laws of North Dakota for the year 1913 as amended by Chapter 212 of the Session Laws of 1917, is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

§ 1440. CONSOLIDATED, GRADED, AND RURAL SCHOOLS MAY OBTAIN STATE AID.] Any public school in any common school district in the state, or any public school in any city, town or village,