

## WITNESSES.

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### CHAPTER 214.

[S. B. 233.]

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AN ACT to Amend Section 5658, of the Revised Codes of 1899, Relating to Attendance of Witnesses for Examination.

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

§ 1. AMENDMENT.] That section 5658, of the Revised Codes of 1899, be amended so as to read as follows:

§ 5658. WITNESSES NOT COMPELLED TO ATTEND OUT OF COUNTY.] A witness shall not be obliged to attend for examination, on the trial of a civil action in the district court, except in the judicial district of his residence, nor before any other officer, magistrate, or tribunal, except in the county of his residence, nor to attend to give his deposition out of the county where he resides, or where he may be when the subpoena is served upon him.

§ 2. EMERGENCY.] Whereas, an emergency exists in that under the law of this state, a witness cannot be obliged to attend in the district court outside of the county of his residence, therefore this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 13, 1901.