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## VETOES

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(H. B. No. 241.)

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### BUDGET

An Act To Amend and Re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 61 of the 1915 Session Laws, Relating to the Filing of Itemized Statements Required by the State Budget Board.

### VETO

March 11th, 1925.

TO THE HONORABLE THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

I herewith file House Bill No. 241, being an act to amend and re-enact Section 3 of Chapter 61, of the 1915 Session Laws relating to the filing of itemized statements required by the State Budget Board, without my approval, for the following reasons:

This bill would work a special hardship on the State Hail Insurance Department, which is not a clerical department but a business institution, with risks and expenditures varying greatly from year to year. It is impossible to estimate the cost of operating this department not being able to foresee the expenses involved in the adjustment of losses and the cost of operating the department, because the number of claims vary from year to year. This is true, also, regarding the other departments affected by this bill.

Very truly yours,

A. G. SORLIE,

Governor

*Be It Enacted By The Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:*

§ 1. That Section 3 of Chapter 61 of the 1915 Session Laws be amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

§ 3. STATEMENT OF DESIRED APPROPRIATIONS TO BE FILED WITH THE STATE AUDITOR.] Not later than August first of each year next preceding the session of the legislative assembly, the State Auditor shall send to the head of each department of this state government, the State Hail Insurance Department, the State Highway Department, The Workmen's Compensation Bureau, and to each

officer, board or commission, in charge of any educational, charitable, penal or other institution or undertaking, supported wholly or in part by appropriations from the State Treasury, a suitable blank form to be filled out by such head of state department, officer, board or commission, with an itemized statement of the amount of money which such head of state department, officer, board or commission considers necessary for the proper maintenance, extension or improvement of the department, institution or undertaking in his or their charge, during the two fiscal years next ensuing. Such head of state department, officer, board or commission, shall return said blanks, properly filled out, on or before the first day of October of each year next preceding the session of the legislative assembly, to the State Auditor, together with such data and statements as may be necessary to fully and clearly explain the purposes and need of any appropriation which is requested by such head of state department, officer, board or commission.

Vetoed March 11, 1925.

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(H. B. No. 280.)

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**OPEN SEASON FOR GAME BIRDS.**

An Act To Amend and Re-enact Section 33, Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 122, Session Laws of 1917, as Amended by Section 4, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, Relating to Game Birds and Fixing the Open Season for Killing Same.

VETO

March 11th, 1925

TO THE HONORABLE THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

I herewith file House Bill No. 280, being an act to amend and re-enact Section 33 of Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as amended by Chapter 122, Session Laws 1917, as amended by Section 4, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, relating to Game Birds and fixing the open season for killing same, without my approval for the following reasons:

The changing of the hunting season to the late date shown by this bill is disapproved by the majority of the sportsmen of the state. Such change in date will eliminate to a large extent the first

duck hunt of the season because of the change in weather conditions which usually takes place at the end of the month of September.

Very truly yours,

A. G. SORLIE,  
Governor.

*Be It Enacted By The Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:*

§ 1. That Section 4, Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919 is hereby amended and re-enacted so as to read as follows:

§ 4. GAME BIRDS, SEASON FOR KILLING.] No person shall hunt, take, kill, ship, convey or cause to be shipped or transported by common or private carrier, to any person either within or without the state, expose for sale, sell to anyone, have in possession with intent to sell, or have in possession or under control at any time, any turtle dove, snipe, prairie chicken, pinnated, white-breasted or sharp-tailed grouse, quail, partridge, Chinese ring neck or English Pheasant, Hungarian partridges, wild duck of any variety, wild goose of any variety, brant of any variety, or aquatic fowl, or any part thereof, except: First, that any snipe, wood cock or golden plover may be killed or had in possession between the 24th day of September and the 1st day of November, both inclusive following: Second, that any prairie chicken or grouse may be killed or had in possession between the 24th day of September and the 1st day of November, both inclusive following; provided, however, that no snipe, prairie chicken, grouse, wood cock or golden plover shall be placed in cold storage; Third, that any wild duck, wild goose or brant of any variety may be killed or had in possession between the 24th day of September and the 31st day of December, both inclusive, following. Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be punished by fine of not less than \$25.00 or more than \$50.00 and cost of prosecution or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than twenty days or by both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court, for each and every bird killed or destroyed contrary to the provisions of this section.

§ 2. All acts and parts of acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Vetoed March 11, 1925.

(H. B. No. 281.)  
(Committee on Game and Fish)

HUNTING WITH DOGS

An Act To Amend and Re-enact Section 27 of Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as Amended by Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, as Amended by Chapter 224, Session Laws of 1923, Relating to Hunting with Dogs.

VETO

March 11th, 1925

TO THE HONORABLE THE SECRETARY OF STATE:

I herewith file House Bill No. 281 being an act to amend and re-enact Section 27 of Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as amended by Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, as amended by Chapter 224, Session Laws of 1923, relating to hunting with dogs, without my approval for the following reason:

In my opinion the present game laws relating to hunting with dogs are sufficient to protect the game of the state, and that to prohibit the use of a dog simply for the purpose of retrieving is unwise.

Very truly yours,

A. G. SORLIE,  
Governor

*Be It Enacted By The Legislative Assembly of the State of North Dakota:*

§ I. AMENDMENT.] Section 27 of Chapter 161, Session Laws of 1915, as amended by Chapter 134, Session Laws of 1919, as amended by Chapter 224, Session Laws of 1923 is hereby amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

§ 27. DOGS, USE OF.] No person shall hunt, pursue, catch, take or kill deer, antelope, moose or elk with any dog or dogs.

No person shall hunt, pursue, train, run or retrieve with any dog or dogs, the pinnated, sharp-tailed, sage or ruffled grouse, ring-necked pheasant, Hungarian partridges, quail, or other upland game birds.

Provided, that this section shall not be construed as prohibiting the use of dogs for retrieving water birds, including any or all of the several species of ducks and geese which it is lawful to hunt and kill.

Any person violating this section shall upon conviction be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) nor more than one hundred dollars (\$100.00), or by imprisonment in the county jail for not less than fifteen days nor more than ninety days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, for first conviction, for any subsequent violation and conviction the penalty to be imposed shall be double that for the first conviction.

Vetoed March 11, 1925.

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## REFERRED MEASURES

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### CHAPTER 204

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#### PARTISAN ELECTIONS.

(H. B. No. 285—Session Laws of 1923)

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An Act to Provide for the Nomination and Election of Candidates for the Offices of Presidential Electors, United States Senator, and Members of Congress; For Electing Delegates to National Party Conventions, National Committeeman and for the Apportionment and term of Office and the Nomination and Election of Party Precinct Committeemen; To provide for Forms of Ballots and Requirements of new parties with Reference thereto; And to Repeal Sections 501 of the Revised Code of 1899, Section 601 of the Revised Code of 1905 and Sections 857, 859, 889, 901a, 910, 912, 917, 918, 919, and 971a, of the Compiled laws of North Dakota for the year 1913, and All Other Acts or Parts of Acts that are in Conflict with the Provisions Hereof.

Disapproved, March 18th, 1924. 54867 to 65747.

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### CHAPTER 205

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#### NONPARTISAN ELECTIONS

(S. B. No. 233—Session Laws of 1923)

An Act to amend and Re-enact Chapter 117 of the Laws of North Dakota for the year 1919, Relating to the Nomination and Election of all Elective County Officers, Judges of the Supreme and District Courts, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, and County Superintendent of Schools, Without Requiring a Declaration as to Party Affiliation, and a Separate Ballot for County Officials;