

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

AUTHORITY FOR EXPENDITURE

Year: **1922**

Superintendent's No. _____ Right of Way Dept. No. **507**
No. _____ Engineering Dept. No. _____
A. F. E. No. **17**

Minnesota Div. **Fergus Falls** District State No. **Dak.** Val. Sec. No. **5**
Branch

AUTHORITY IS REQUESTED FOR A NET EXPENDITURE OF \$ 30.00

Accounting distribution as follows: (Distribution to be made in General Office.)

DEPRECIATION
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	Operating Expenses	Profit and Loss	Net Operating Expenses	Net Profit and Loss
Cost of property retired	\$	\$	\$	\$
Value of salvage				
Incidental costs				
Total to Operating Expenses				
Total to Profit and Loss				
To Material and Supplies				
To Bills for Collection				
To Other Accounts				
Net charge to investment account—Additions and Betterments				\$ 30.00 ✓
Total of distribution				\$ 30.00 ✓

Budget reference: **None** Class of Work: No. **27** ✓
Real Estate

Joint facility contract reference:

The location is **not** on this company's property. **Purchase rights; it will be necessary**

Location: **Wahpeton**

Title **Purchase of land from Annie Dwight Tyler.**
and
Reason:

This tract of land containing about a quarter of an acre adjoins our right of way and station grounds at Wahpeton. The Railway Company has two tracks across the premises, one of which was constructed in 1882 and the other in 1896, and the Railway Company claims by adverse possession only so much of the tract as is actually occupied by the tracks and roadbed.

The Traffic Department recently inquired about the ownership of this land advising that it was desirable for industrial purposes and recommended it be purchased if it could be obtained at a reasonable price. Upon taking the matter up with one of the fee owners, we found that we could get a quitclaim deed of the premises for \$25.00 which would give us sufficient color of title to claim the property and lease it to other parties.

Purchase was approved in letter of December 12, 1921 from R. W. Clark to J. L. Watson. (over)
Work to be done by company force under charge of contract

Accounting to concentrate in the office of Right of Way Commissioner

Signature and Title: *J. R. Watson* Right of Way Commissioner. Date **January 6 1922**

APPROVED:

General Superintendent.	Prin. Asst. Engr. or Engr. Maint. of Way.	Assistant General Manager.
Mech. Supt., Supt. Tlgh. or Signal Engr.		
Chief Engineer.	General Manager.	Vice President.
<i>[Signature]</i>	<i>John Charles Brown</i>	Date of Final Approval } JAN 18 1922 19
Controller.	President.	

COMPTROLLER'S RECORD OF NOTICE OF APPROVAL AND OF COMPLETION

Value of land-----\$ 25.00

Expense of acquisition (estimated)----- 5.00

Total-----\$ 30.00