

## 423. NORTH-WEST TERRITORIES REVENUE FUND.

*Chap. 32, 22nd July, 1895,*

Provides (Sec. 1.) for the legalization of any payment heretofore made to the General Revenue Fund of the North-west Territories ; of any fine, penalty or forfeiture which belonged to Her Majesty for public purposes of Canada. Said sums to be expended for the purposes of the general revenue fund of the North-west Territories.

## 424. NORTH-WEST IRRIGATION ACT.

*Chap. 33, 22nd July, 1895,*

Provides (Sec. 1.) for the amendment of Chap. 30, Acts of 1894, by defining the terms "Agent" and "Company." (Sec. 2.) For the dropping of the words "until the company is moved," and the addition of the words "unless and until and except only so far as some right therein or to the use thereof, inconsistent with the right of the Crown and which is not a public right or a right common to the public is established" with retroactive effect. (Sec. 3) Exempts persons obtaining water for domestic purposes. (Sec. 4) For dropping the words "except as hereinafter provided for." (Sec. 5.) (a) That memorials and maps or plans shall first be submitted for correction and approval to a duly qualified official ; (b) That applicant for license where ditch is of small capacity shall not be required to furnish memorial and maps, but only a written statement of the source of the water supply, the point of diversion, &c., attaching to the statement a general plan showing these points and also plans of bridges or culverts, flumes, &c. Public notice of filing to be given for thirty days, within which time all protests are to be forwarded to the Minister, who may authorize the construction of the works. (Sec. 6.) That no work unless of a minor character shall be commenced until after approval by the Governor in Council signified by public advertisement. (Sec. 7.) That Section 22 of the Act is repealed and a section substituted requiring that all maps, plans and books of reference showing the lands must be signed and certified correct by a Dominion land surveyor and forwarded in duplicate to the Department of the Interior. (Sec. 8.) For the exemption of any irrigation company incorporated under an Ordinance of the North-west Territories from Sections 35, 42 and 43 of the Act of 1894.

## 425. DOMINION LANDS ACT.

*Chap. 34, 22nd July, 1895,*

Provides (Sec. 1.) that the Minister of the Interior, under direction of the Governor in Council, may grant (notwithstanding that the lands are school lands) certain specified parcels of land to certain individuals named. (Sec. 2.) That the Minister may select an equal area of unreserved Dominion