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NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY

AUTHORITY FOR EXPENDITURE

1929 1929

YEAR 1929

SUPERINTENDENT'S No. Telegraph DEPT. No. 26

No. ENGINEERING DEPT. No.

A. F. E. NO. 480

Dakota DIV. Main Line DISTRICT BRANCH STATE N.D. VAL. SEC. No. 1-N.D.

AUTHORITY IS REQUESTED FOR A NET EXPENDITURE OF $ 10,174.

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

	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	10,174.
Total of distribution	$ 10,174.

Budget reference: In Budget. Item No. 312 Class of Work: No. 13

Joint facility contract reference: Not Joint.

The location is - - - - on this company's property. ~~To acquire rights it will be necessary~~

Location: BETWEEN JAMESTOWN AND MANDAN.

Title and Reason: Erect a Number 9 Copper Wire.

The section between Jamestown and Mandan is poorly equipped for a message telephone circuit, due to the existing circuit being composed of iron wires.

In addition to this, the telegraph facilities between Jamestown and Mandan are very limited, especially for use on through or long haul telegraph circuits.

It is proposed to erect a Number 9 copper wire between Jamestown and Mandan, pair this new wire with an existing Number 9 copper wire so as to form a metallic copper telephone circuit. This circuit will be used for handling the Dakota Division message business which will be a much better telephone circuit than the present iron one.

This new copper pair will also be simplexed for telegraph service and the iron wires in the existing telephone message circuit will be so re-arranged that they will form part of the means of obtaining another and better long haul telgh.ckt.between St.Paul (and Livingston.

Work to be done by company force under charge of ~~XXXXXX~~ Superintendent Telegraph

Accounting to concentrate in the office of Superintendent of Telegraph.

Signature and Title: E. E. Dildine Superintendent of Telegraph.

Checked and Entered President's Office Date March 20, 1929.

APPROVED:		
General Superintendent.	Asst. Chief Engr. or Engr. Maint. of Way.	General Manager.
Mech. Supt., Supt. Telgh. or Signal Engr.		
Chief Engineer.		Vice President.
For Comptroller.	President	Date of Final Approval APR 1 1929 19

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