

3 inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Except where the provisions  
4 of section four hundred sixty-two point twelve (462.12), providing  
5 for vote in proportion to assessment are invoked, any" and by strik-  
6 ing the word "votes" in line four (4) and substituting in lieu thereof  
7 the word "vote".

1 SEC. 6. Section four hundred sixty-two point fourteen (462.14),  
2 Code 1950, is hereby amended by striking the remainder of the sen-  
3 tence after the word "person" in line six (6).

Approved March 26, 1953.

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## CHAPTER 214

### SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICTS

S. F. 89

AN ACT to amend section four hundred sixty-seven A point five (467A.5), Code 1950, relating to election of commissioners in soil conservation districts.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Section four hundred sixty-seven A point five (467A.5),  
2 Code 1950, is hereby amended by adding to subsection three (3) the  
3 following:

4 "After the district is organized, the owners of land, whether living  
5 on the land or not, and operators living on farms within the district  
6 shall have the right to sign nominating petitions and to vote for elec-  
7 tion of commissioners."

Approved March 23, 1953.

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## CHAPTER 215

### RAILWAY CROSSINGS

H. F. 150

AN ACT to amend sections four hundred seventy-eight point twenty-one (478.21) and four hundred seventy-eight point twenty-three (478.23), Code 1950, relating to railway and highway crossings at grade to provide a method of determining all matters pertaining to grade crossings where controversy arises between the state or political subdivisions thereof and the railroad company, and to amend section three hundred eighty-nine point forty-one (389.41), Code 1950.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Section four hundred seventy-eight point twenty-one  
2 (478.21), Code 1950, is hereby amended by inserting after the comma  
3 following the word "crossing" in line eleven (11) the words "or cross-  
4 ing protection".

1 SEC. 2. Section four hundred seventy-eight point twenty-three  
2 (478.23), Code 1950, is hereby amended by inserting after the word  
3 "crossing" in line five (5) thereof the words "or crossing protection".

1 SEC. 3. Section three hundred eighty-nine point forty-one  
 2 (389.41), Code 1950, is hereby amended by striking therefrom all of  
 3 said section following the comma after the word "gates" in line  
 4 eleven (11), and substituting in lieu thereof the following: "the  
 5 Iowa state commerce commission shall determine the matter of neces-  
 6 sity, and the type of crossing protection."

1 SEC. 4. Amend section four hundred seventy-eight point twenty-  
 2 one (478.21), Code 1950, by adding after the word "changes" in line  
 3 seventeen (17) the following: ", except that if flasher light or gate  
 4 signals are ordered installed the maintenance thereof shall be as-  
 5 sumed by the railroad".

Approved April 15, 1953.

## CHAPTER 216

### PIPE LINES

#### S. F. 321

AN ACT to amend chapter four hundred ninety (490), Code 1950, relating to pipe lines.

*Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 SECTION 1. Amend section four hundred ninety point one (490.1),  
 2 Code 1950, as follows:

3 1. Add after the word "the" and before the word "commission"  
 4 in line four (4), the word "commerce".

5 2. Add after the word "not," in line nine (9) the following: "and  
 6 the power and authority to supervise the underground storage of  
 7 gas,".

1 SEC. 2. Amend section four hundred ninety point two (490.2),  
 2 Code 1950, by adding the following new definition:

3 "The term 'underground storage' insofar as this chapter is con-  
 4 cerned shall include and mean storage of gas in a subsurface stratum  
 5 or formation of the earth."

1 SEC. 3. Amend section four hundred ninety point four (490.4),  
 2 Code 1950, as follows:

3 1. Add after the word "lines" in line three (3) the words "and  
 4 underground storage".

5 2. Add after the word "lines" in line seven (7) the words "and  
 6 underground storage facilities".

7 3. Add after the word "line" in line eight (8) the words "and  
 8 underground storage facilities".

9 4. Add after the word "line," in line twelve (12) the words "and  
 10 underground storage facilities,".

11 5. Add after the word "line" in line fifteen (15) the words "and  
 12 underground storage facilities".

1 SEC. 4. Amend section four hundred ninety point five (490.5),  
 2 Code 1950, by adding the following new paragraph thereto:

3 "Any pipe-line company engaging in its said business in this state