

State of Minnesota,

County of Shoemaker } ss.

E. P. Mershman the

and E. A. McLawley and Joseph Ridge came personally before me, on this 7th day of April A. D. 1881, to me well

known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing Bond, and each acknowledged the same to be his own free act and deed.

E. W. Putnam
County Auditor
Shoemaker County

State of Minnesota,

County of Shoemaker } ss.

E. A. McLawley

and Joseph Ridge being first duly sworn, doth say, each for himself, that he is the same person as the surety above named, and is a resident and freeholder of and in the County of Shoemaker State of Minnesota, and worth the sum of Three Hundred and twenty five Dollars above his debts and liabilities, and exclusive of his property exempt from execution.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, on this

[Signature]

7th day of April 1881

Geo. Bryant

E. W. Putnam

County Auditor
Shoemaker County

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IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

Gas. T. Edwell & Co. P. Levell
AND OTHERS,

FOR CONSTRUCTING DITCH.

Contract and Contractor's Bond

OF
E. P. Woodward

The within Bond and the sureties therein are hereby approved this

7th day of April 1881

E. W. Putnam
County Auditor

Filed April 7th 1881

E. W. Putnam
County Auditor.

This Contract, Made this 26th day of March 1881, by and between E. P. Woodworth of Anoka County party of the first part, and G. M. Putnam County Auditor of the County of Anoka State of Minnesota, in behalf of Anoka County, Minnesota, WITNESSETH:

Whereas, The Board of County Commissioners of the County of Anoka State of Minnesota, did establish and order to be constructed certain Ditches & Branches designated as Nos. 9 & 10 which number has been given to said Ditches by the County Auditor.

by their order, bearing date the 7th day of January 1881, and according to the report of the viewers thereof, all of which are on file in the office of the said County Auditor;

And Whereas, At a public sale of the jobs of digging and constructing the entire work in linear sections of 100 feet each, each of which sections is marked and known and numbered by the stake set by said viewers at the foot of each of said sections, as shown by the viewers' report, commencing at the one including the outlet, and thence, in succession, to the one including the source, held March 12th 1881, the said E. P. Woodworth County Auditor as aforesaid, did duly sell to the said E. P. Woodworth

he being the lowest and best responsible bidder, the job of digging and constructing the following sections thereof, numbered as follows from said outlet, to-wit: 100 in Main line Ditch No. 9 and 95, 94, 87, 86, 85, 81, 80, 79, 69 & 68 Ditch No. 10 Main line for the respective prices amounting in the aggregate to One Hundred fifty nine & 78/100 Dollars

Now, in Consideration of the Said Deeds, The said E. P. Woodworth hereby contracts and agrees to construct such share or allotment in the time and manner set forth in said order, and the report of said viewers on which said Ditch was established, and so on file as aforesaid.

Accepted August 21st 1881 August M. A. W. County Auditor

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands the day and year first above written.

Witness Edward P. Woodworth G. M. Putnam County Auditor

Ditch No. 9. 115.41 44.31 109 = 104 159.78

Know all Men by These Presents,

That E. P. Woodworth J. A. Mcbouley and Joseph Ridge

are held and firmly bound unto the County of Anoka State of Minnesota,

in the sum of Three Hundred and twenty five

DOLLARS, lawful money of the United States of America, to be paid to the said County of

Anoka State of Minnesota, its successors or assigns, for which

payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of March

one thousand eight hundred and Ninety one

The Condition of the Above Obligation is Such, That whereas, at a public sale of

the jobs of digging and constructing a certain Ditches & Branches

designated as Nos 9 & 10 held March 12th 1891, certain sections thereof

numbered as in the attached contract were duly sold to the said

E. P. Woodworth

and said E. P. Woodworth

has made a contract with the County Auditor of Anoka County, State

of Minnesota, bearing date March 26th 1891, to construct the same;

Now, If the said E. P. Woodworth

shall and will faithfully perform and fulfill his said contract, and pay all damages which may

accrue by reason of the failure to complete the said job within the time and in the manner required

in the said contract therefor, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force

and virtue.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED IN THE PRESENCE OF

J. M. Putnam

Edward P. Woodworth Seal

J. A. Mcbouley Seal

Joseph Ridge Seal

Seal