

Ditch 32

# DRAINAGE BLANK.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

*S. Peebles*

AND OTHERS,

FOR CONSTRUCTING DITCH.

## Contract and Contractor's Bond

OF

*Peter Mitchell*

The within Bond and the sureties therein are hereby approved this

*22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October* 18*88*.

*G. M. Putnam*

*County Auditor*

Filed *October 22<sup>nd</sup>* 18*88*.

*G. M. Putnam*

*County Auditor.*

State of Minnesota,  
County of *Anoka*

} ss.

*Peter Mitchell, Henry Lee*

~~and~~ *Pelle Leonard, Geo. W. McLamb, ~~and~~ *etc.* came personally before me, on this *22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October* A. D. 18*88*, 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.

*G. M. Putnam*  
*County Auditor Anoka County Minn.*

State of Minnesota,

County of *Anoka*

} ss.

*Henry Lee, Pelle Leonard*

*and Geo. W. McLamb* 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 Anoka* State of Minnesota, and worth the sum of *Five 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

*22<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October* 18*88*.

*Henry Lee*

*G. M. Putnam*

*G. M. Putnam*  
*County Auditor*  
*Anoka County Minn.*

*G. M. Putnam*

**This Contract,** Made this 15th day of Oct. 1888,  
by and between Peter H. Mitchell  
of Ancker, party of the first part, and A. W. Putnam  
County Auditor of the County of Ancker State of Minnesota, in behalf  
of Ancker County, Minnesota, WITNESSETH:

**Whereas,** The Board of County Commissioners of the County of Ancker  
State of Minnesota, did establish and order to be constructed a certain ditch  
designated as No. 32 which number has been given to said ditch  
by the County Auditor

by their order, bearing date the 3rd day of Sept. 1888,  
and according to the report of the viewers John 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, com-  
mencing at the one including the outlet, and thence, in succession, to the one including the source,  
held Oct. 8 1888, the said A. W. Putnam  
County Auditor, as aforesaid, did duly sell to the said Peter H. Mitchell  
he being the <sup>lowest</sup> best and best responsible bidder, the job of digging and constructing the following  
sections thereof, numbered as follows from said outlet, to-wit: Sta. +6 and 17 to 1 one  
Branch No. 3. Sta. +15 and 16 1/2 one. Branch No. 4,  
Sta. +70 and 50 to 0 one. Branch No. 5 all of their  
respective prices amounting in the aggregate  
to three hundred seven & 87/100 Dollars

**Now, in Consideration of the Said Premises,** The said Peter H. Mitchell  
herely 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,

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands the day and year first above  
written. Witness  
John W. Russell John W. Putnam  
Mary M. McFarlan County Auditor

Received of Alden W. & George W. Smith  
of Aurora County, Minn. Cuddehon amount  
\$25.00 for <sup>1898</sup> Hay - Huskell & some straw  
& eighty five cents (85<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>) in full for interest  
not done on Prairie no 10-11 & 12  
as accepted by Hopt. Co Surveyor E. P. Brown  
Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> 1899  
David Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> 1899. E. P. Mitchell

Know all Men by These Presents,

That Peter N. Mitchell, Primer of Henry Lee  
J. B. McLean and Geo. A. McLaughly and their  
are held and firmly bound unto the County of \_\_\_\_\_ State of Minnesota,  
in the sum of five 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 22<sup>d</sup> day of October  
one thousand eight hundred and ninety eight

The Condition of the Above Obligation is such, That whereas, at a public sale of  
the jobs of digging and constructing a certain ditch  
designated as No. 22 held Oct. 8 1898, certain sections thereof  
numbered all of parcels 3, 4 and 5 were duly sold to the said  
Peter N. Mitchell

and said Peter N. Mitchell  
has made a contract with the County Auditor of Anoka County, State  
of Minnesota, bearing date Oct. 15 1898, to construct the same;

Now, If the said Peter N. Mitchell  
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

Peter N. Mitchell Seal  
Henry Lee Seal  
J. B. McLean Seal  
Geo. A. McLaughly Seal  
Geo. W. Russell Seal

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# DRAINAGE BLANK.

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IN THE MATTER OF THE CONTRACT

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Acceptance of County Surveyor.

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Filed

*Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> 1899*

*Selden W. Gaffer*  
County Auditor.

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*Paid in Warrant No.*.....

*on the General Ditch Fund*.....

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State of Minnesota, }  
County of Anoka } ss.

I, L. P. Blomms Dep. County Surveyor of said County,

Branches 3, 4 & 5

do hereby certify that I have inspected the job of digging and constructing the sections in Ditch No.

32 of Anoka County, Minnesota, numbered and described

as follows:

- Section No. 8 to Section No. 17 + 65 inclusive. Branch 3
- Section No. 9 to Section No. 101 + 15 inclusive. Branch 4
- Section No. 8 to Section No. 50 + 70 inclusive. Branch 5
- Section No. \_\_\_\_\_ to Section No. \_\_\_\_\_ inclusive.
- Section No. \_\_\_\_\_ to Section No. \_\_\_\_\_ inclusive.
- Section No. \_\_\_\_\_ to Section No. \_\_\_\_\_ inclusive.

sold to Peter H. Mitchell by the

County Auditor of said Anoka County, and contracted to be done

by him, and do certify that said job and above sections are completed according to the specifications of said Ditch 32 as set forth in the report of the viewers, and I do hereby accept the same.

And the said Peter H. Mitchell is entitled to the sum of (\$307.82) Three Hundred Seven 82/100 DOLLARS,

for constructing the same, now due him from the General Ditch Fund of said County.

Dated Oct 19 1895.

L. P. Blomms  
County Surveyor.