

# DRAINAGE BLANK.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

*John M. Stecker*  
AND OTHERS.

Order Appointing Viewers.

Filed *Feb 9 25 1899*

*Selden Welch*  
County Auditor.

*[Faint, illegible handwritten text, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page]*

In the **Matter** of the **Petition**

of *John M. Parker*

and Others

for a *Ditch* in the County of *Lincoln*

State of Minnesota.

State of Minnesota,

County of *Lincoln*

} ss.

*Whereas*, A petition bearing date the *25th* day of *July* 1898, signed by *John M. Parker, J. J. Parker, Wm. B. Day, M. P. Fowler & Wm. Edward Lewick* *Benjamin E. Larson* *Butler*

praying for the establishment of a certain *Ditch* in said County, the route of which is more fully described in said petition, and a proper bond accompanying the same, have been filed with the County Auditor of said County, as by law required;

And *Whereas*, It appears, by satisfactory proof to the Board of County Commissioners of *Lincoln* County, that at least thirty (30) days' notice of the pendency of said petition, and the time and place at which the same would be heard, has been given as required by law;

And *Whereas*, Said Board has determined that the construction of such ditch as proposed in said petition will be of public benefit and utility, and conducive to the public health, convenience and welfare;

Now, therefore, We, the Board of County Commissioners of said County, at a *Special* session held this day, do hereby accept said petition, do hereby appoint *Thomas Quanta* *Just Sedberry* *Geo. Gurdine*

three resident freeholders of said County, and not interested in the construction of said proposed work, and not of kin to any parties interested therein, as viewers, and do specify the *4th* day of *March* 1899, at *The Court Room* *in the City of Lincoln* as the time and place for said viewers to meet preparatory to commencing their duties as such viewers, as prescribed by law, and after completing their duties as such viewers to make and file their report with the County Auditor of said County, on or before the *25th* day of *April* 1899  
Dated *July* 25 1899

By the Board,

*Edgar A. Nyquist*  
Chairman Board County Commissioners

Of *Lincoln* County.

Attest:

*Beulah M. Gaffey*  
County Auditor.