COUNTY OF ANOKA

STATE OF MINNESOTA

IN THE MATTER OF

DITCH NO. 38.

Petition of Mary
Sullivan objecting
to final payment to
Contractor.

STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF ANOKA.SS

IN THE MATTER OF PUBLIC DITCH IN SECTION 19-32-23 Anoka Co.Minn.

To the Hon.Board of County Commissioners
of County of Anoka and State of Minnesota:

   The undersigned Mary Sullivan respectfully shows to your honorable
body that she is the owner in fee and of record of the NW¼ and the
NE¼ of the SW¼ of Sec.19,Twp.32,R.23 containing ₳ 200 acres according
to government survey thereof; that her said land was assessed for more
than the sum of $1400 for the digging and construction of a public
ditch to drain the lands in said section,known as Ditch No.58; that
she has paid and is paying the same in annual installments with the
taxes on said land,and has paid $434.36 for the installments of 1917
and 1918,under protest,for the reasons stated as follows:

      That said ditch was not constructed through her land according
to the petition and contract therefor,and is not constructed in a good
and workmanlike manner and has wholly failed to drain and will never
drain said land of water or otherwise benefit it. That said ditch was
unnecessarily dug through a high part of said land making it much less
valuable for tillage and farming purposes and otherwise injuring it to
her damage in the sum of $500,

      That your petitioner objects to the final payment for the construc-
tion of said ditch on the above grounds to the contractor thereof,and
prays that said ditch be constructed according to the petition and contract
therefor,and that she have such other and further relief as may be just
in the premises.

                                        Mary Sullivan

State of Minnesota

County of Hennepin.SS

                  Mary Sullivan being duly sworn say that she is the
above named petitioner that the foregoing petition is true of her own
knowledge,except as the matters therein stated on information and belief
and as those matters she believes it to be true _John M Hale_
                                        Notary Public

                                  My commission expires Feb 15,1922