

Andrew Peterson  
Ditch No. 9

# DRAINAGE BLANK.

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF

*Geo. T. Ellwell & R. L. Luce*  
AND OTHERS,  
FOR CONSTRUCTING DITCH.

## Contract and Contractor's Bond

OF

*Andrew Peterson*

The within Bond and the sureties therein are hereby approved this

*7<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* 18*91*.

*E. M. Putnam*  
County Auditor

Filed *April 7<sup>th</sup>* 18*91*.

*E. M. Putnam*  
County Auditor.

State of Minnesota,

County of *Shuika*

ss.

*Andrew Peterson*

and *Edward P. Markworth* and *Charles W. Sargent* came personally before me, on this *7<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* A. D. 18*91*, 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. M. Putnam*  
County Auditor  
*Shuika County*

State of Minnesota,

County of *Shuika*

ss.

*Edward P. Markworth*

and *Charles W. Sargent* being first duly sworn, doth say, each for himself, that he is the same person as the surty above named, and is a resident and freeholder of and in the County of *Shuika* State of Minnesota, and worth the sum of *Five Hundred and Sixty* Dollars above his debts and liabilities, and exclusive of his property exempt from execution.

*Edward P. Markworth*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, on this *7<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* 18*91*.

*Charles W. Sargent*

*E. M. Putnam*  
County Auditor  
*Shuika County*

This Contract, Made this 26th day of March 1887,

by and between Andrew Peterson of Luoka County, party of the first part, and G. M. Johnston

County Auditor of the County of Luoka State of Minnesota, in behalf of Luoka County, Minnesota, WITNESSETH:

And whereas, The Board of County Commissioners of the County of Luoka State of Minnesota, did establish and order to be constructed a certain ditch designated as No. 9 which number has been given to said ditch

by the County Auditor

by their order, bearing date the 7th day of January 1887, 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 12 1887, the said G. M. Johnston

County Auditor as aforesaid, did duly sell to the said Andrew Peterson 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: 148, 146, 144, 142, 139, 138, 136, 134, 132, 131, 126, 124, 122, 119, 117, 116, 112, 111, 110, 106, 105, 104, 101, 99, 98, 97, 96, 95, 92, 66, 64, 63, 62, 61, 60, 57, 50, 49, 48, 47, 46, 45, 44, 43, 42, 41, 40, 39, 38, 37, 36, 9 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, 0. Main line and 84, 87, 99, 78, 77, 76, 75, 74, 71, 70, 68, 68, 67, 66, 65, 64, 63, 62, 61, 60, 23, 22 in Branch line for the respective prices amounting in the aggregate to One Hundred Twenty Seven and 65/100 Dollars

Now, in Consideration of the Said Premises, The said Andrew Peterson hereby contracts and agrees to construct such share or allotments in the time and manner set forth in said order and the report of said viewers was established, and so on file as aforesaid, on which said ditch

G. M. Johnston

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

Andrew Peterson  
County Auditor

Know all Men by These Presents,

That Andrew Peterson Edward P. Probst  
and Charles M. Langfust  
are held and firmly bound unto the County of \_\_\_\_\_ State of Minnesota,  
in the sum of Five hundred and sixty

DOLLARS, lawful money of the United States of America, to be paid to the said County of \_\_\_\_\_  
Shaska 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 7<sup>th</sup> day of April  
one thousand eight hundred and ninety are \_\_\_\_\_

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. 9 held March 12 1881, certain sections thereof  
numbered as in the attached contract were duly sold to the said  
Andrew Peterson  
and said Andrew Peterson  
had made a contract with the County Auditor of \_\_\_\_\_ County, State  
of Minnesota, bearing date March 21<sup>st</sup> 1881, to construct the same;  
Now, If the said Andrew Peterson

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

Edw. M. Johnson }  
Andrew Peterson }  
Edward P. Probst }  
Charles M. Langfust }  
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