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UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242

JAN 28 1966

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary  
Minnesota Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the following names in Minnesota. These names will be published in Decision List 6601 and the entries will appear as shown on their respective docketts.

Docket 84

Culkin, Lake	Ninemile Creek
Esquagama Lake	Ninemile Lake
Fectos Point	Schlamm Lake
Little Esquagama Lake	T Lake

Docket 85

Ham Lake	McCarthy Lake
Hay Lake	Rice River
Johnson Creek	Talmoon
Lac-a-Roy Lake	West Branch Beaver River

The name Grassy Point (not Grasey Point as shown on Docket 84) was also approved by the Board and will appear in Decision List 6601.

Action on the Minnesota names remaining on Docketts 84 and 85 was deferred.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names



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JAN 7 1966

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Minnesota Geographic Board  
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St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the name Beaver Island in Minnesota. This name will be published in Decision List 6504 and the entry will appear as shown on Docket 84.

Action on the Minnesota names remaining on Docket 84 was deferred.

Sincerely yours,

*J. O. Kilmartin*

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Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

March 25, 1966

Mr. J. O. Kilmartin  
U. S. Board on Geographic Names  
U. S. Dept. of the Interior  
Washington, D. C. 20242

Dear Mr. Kilmartin:

In answer to your letter of March 23 regarding Paquet or Poquet Lake in Cass County, we would have no objection. The State Board's decision in 1940 was based on the U.S. Forest Service investigation which recommended the o spelling. It would seem that the Service now has perhaps better information than it had in 1940.

Very truly yours,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary  
Minnesota Geographic Board



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MAR 23 1966

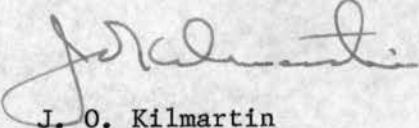
Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary  
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Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

The Board on Geographic Names has approved the name Picketts Lake from Docket 84 and Thimble Lake from Docket 85. These decisions will be published in Decision List 6601, as listed in their respective dockets.

The U.S. Forest Service has raised a question as to the proper spelling of Poquet Lake, shown on Docket 85. According to their information, the correct spelling should be Paquet Lake. We enclose copies of several supporting statements submitted by the Forest Service. The spelling Poquet Lake was approved by the Minnesota Board in 1940. If you have any comments concerning the proposed Paquet spelling, we would appreciate it if you could let us know promptly.

Sincerely yours,

  
J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Enclosures (4)

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Department of Agriculture Forest Service  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53203

# Memorandum

TO : Chief

File No. 7140

FROM : D. C. Turner, Regional Engineer, By

Date: February 7, 1966

SUBJECT: Surveys and Maps (Docket List 85)

Our  
~~XXX~~ reference: 1/5/66AIR MAIL

We have received the report of the Chippewa National Forest concerning the two remaining proposals in the Docket List. We have the following comments and recommendations concerning these names:

THIMBLE LAKE appears on a survey of April 29, 1895, by Samuel S. Shute. All local persons contacted claim this to be the correct name. We will therefore accept the State Board decision and concur in the Docket List proposal, THIMBLE LAKE.

PAQUET LAKE was derived from the family name Paquette. The Cass County Register of Deeds Office shows a receipt for balance of payment for homestead in favor of Joseph Paquette. The homestead was Lot 10 of Sec. 29, T. 140 N., R. 30 W., 5th. P.M. This lot borders on the lake in question. Leonard Peterson, retired Cass County Register of Deeds, states "Paquet Lake was named for Joseph Paquette" and believes "Pa" was changed to "Po" when certain original notes were transcribed into county records. According to Mr. Peterson the "Po" was also used in certain cases because of local pronunciation as Poket. We therefore do not concur in the Docket List proposal, Poquet Lake. We recommend instead that Paquet Lake be accepted as more nearly correct.

The Chippewa Forest Supervisor believes it would not be wise to change the spelling to agree with the name of the original homesteader, Joseph Paquette, because it would cause further unnecessary confusion.

The Forests investigation reports are enclosed.

Enclosure

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SURVEYS AND MAPS

RECEIVED BY DIRECTOR

FEB 10 1966

DIVISION OF ENGINEERING

*Ray W. Lassett*

*Copy sent to Chief of Forest Service 2/14/66*

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

RECEIVED  
Cass National Forest  
Cass Lake, Minnesota  
JAN 26 1966  
Acting Forest Supervisor

TO : Forest Supervisor

DATE: January 25, 1966

FROM : Walker

Your Ref: 1/18/66

SUBJECT: SURVEYS & MAPS (Docket List 85)

1. The County Auditor says it is "Paquet Lake." He refers to 1965 Cass County Highway Map for authority.
2. The Cass County Register of Deeds office show:
  - (a) Receiver's Receipt 11972, 4/22/03 - being a receipt for balance of payment for homestead entry for Lot 10-Sec. 29-140-30, in favor of Joseph Paquette. Filed for record 7/16/03, Book I of Deeds, page 447. No Patent of record.
3. The retired Cass County Register of Deeds, Leonard Peterson, Walker, Minnesota, states (1/25/66) that
  - (a) Paquet Lake was named for the original homesteader, Joseph Paquette
  - (b) That he believes "Pa" was changed to "Po" when certain original notes were transcribed into County records, and,
  - (c) that "Po" was used in certain cases because of local pronunciation as "Peket".

On the basis of the above information I recommend "Paquet" as the accepted name. To change it to agree with the proper spelling of the original homesteader (Paquette), would cause further, unnecessary, confusion.

*Louis Tausch, Jr.*

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

Department of Agriculture—Forest Service  
Chippewa National Forest  
Cass Lake, Minnesota 56633

TO : Regional Forester

File No. 7140(2300)

FROM : D.D.WESTERBERG, Forest Supervisor by

Date: January 26, 1966

SUBJECT: Surveys and Maps (Docket List 85)

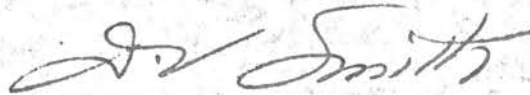
Your reference: 1-12-66

We have checked into the usage of the two lake names in question, "Poquet" or "Paquet" and "Thimble" or "Timber".

Attached are statements of findings by the Marcell and Walker District Rangers.

On this basis we recommend that the names be recorded as "Thimble" Lake and "Paquet" Lake.

Enclosures



## Memorandum

Department of Agriculture—Forest Service  
 CHIPPEWA NATIONAL FOREST  
 Marcell, Minnesota 56658

JAN 24 1966

TO : FOREST SUPERVISOR

File No. 7110 (2300)

FROM : Kent T. Churchill, District Ranger, Marcell

Date: January 21, 1966

SUBJECT: Geographic Names

Your reference: 1/12/66 (R.O.)

Reference is made to R. O. Memorandum of 1/12/66 regarding the geographic name of a lake located on the Range line between R24W and 25W, Sections 7 and 12, Township 62 North, Itasca County, Minnesota. The following information has been gathered:

1. Land Records

Itasca County Register of Deeds, Short Range Book of Plots, page 40. Surveyor General Office, Survey of April 29, 1895 by Samuel S. Shute, surveyor; name: THIMBLE LAKE

2. Maps

- A. Itasca County, published 1960 (Land Commissioner, Itasca County) name: TIMBER LAKE
- B. Minnesota Conservation Department Township Map Series (Effie Ranger Station, Effie, Minn.); name: TIMBER LAKE
- C. Itasca County Development Association Map published 1958, compiled by Sam Benzing Jr., Itasca County Surveyor and P. C. Warner, Civil Engineer; name: THIMBLE LAKE

3. Local Usage

The following named persons were contacted in the local area regarding the lake name:

- A. Effie Postmaster - THIMBLE LAKE
- B. Robert Olson, Forester, Mando Division, Boise-Cascade Corp., Effie - THIMBLE LAKE
- C. Skelly Oil Company, Effie - THIMBLE LAKE
- D. W. Nixon, Effie Minnesota - THIMBLE LAKE

On the basis of the 1895 Survey Notes and the local usage, I recommend that the lake name be submitted as THIMBLE LAKE.

*Kent T. Churchill*



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APR 5 1966

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

We enclose two copies of the Minnesota portion of Docket 89 of the Board on Geographic Names. The names listed were submitted by field parties of the U.S. Geological Survey. We would appreciate your review of the entries and any appropriate comments.

The list is scheduled to be considered by the Board on May 10. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for your review.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Enclosures (2)

Docket 89  
(87 Names)

Released Apr. 1, 1966  
For consideration at  
May 10, meeting

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242

Briefs on the following names have been prepared for consideration by the Board on Geographic Names. Any agency or person favoring or opposing the approval of any name or any variant of a name appearing on this list may submit evidence concerning it.

Unapproved variant names and spellings discovered in the research on a name are listed following the word "Not." These may include former names or spellings, names derived by the application of policies other than those approved by the Board, misspellings, and names misapplied to the subject of the decision.

An asterisk (\*) preceding a name indicates that a name previously approved by the Board is to be reconsidered.

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If one or more words in the proposed name are not underlined, the use or omission of such word or words in that name is optional.

The entries below each name indicate the submitting person, or agency, and the most convenient source for locating the feature. Accompanying each name is a notation of the reason for its submittal, and pertinent facts concerning it.

THE NAMES ON THIS LIST ARE NOT YET DECISIONS AND  
SHOULD NOT BE SO CONSIDERED OR USED

IDAHO (Cont.)

\*Succor Creek: stream, heads in Idaho in the Owyhee Mountains, at 43°05'45" N, 116°50'15" W, flows NW 20 mi., into Oregon, then 40 mi. N, back into Idaho, to the Snake River 1 mi. NW of Homedale; Owyhee Co., Idaho, and Malheur Co., Oreg.; 43°37'55" N, 116°56'43" W. Not: Snake Creek, Sucker Creek [former decision]. Oregon Board, Boise 1:250; 1906 decision revised to establish name; controversy over the name of this feature had continued ever since the 1906 Board decision and even in spite of a 1929 reaffirmation of the decision; the Oregon Board has recently conducted comprehensive research on this name question and has presented: (1) extensive evidence of map and local usage before and after the 1906 and 1929 Board actions, (2) evidence that Oregon Trail travelers - some of the first white men in the area - used the recommended name, (3) arguments which question the wisdom of the 1929 reaffirmation, and (4) evidence of contemporary usage of the recommended name including an array of requests from the general public and various civic and governmental organizations to adopt the recommended name; nearly all modern maps show Sucker Creek; not in a NF.

MICHIGAN

Kathryn, Lake: lake, 1 mi. long, 2.5 mi. NW of Perch Lake and 20 mi. NNW of the city of Iron River; named for Kathryn F. Pequet (1886-1961), longtime resident of the region and wife of a well-known woodsman; Iron Co., Mich.; secs. 7, 8, 17, and 18, T 46 N, R 35 W, Michigan mer.; 46°23'10" N, 88°43'35" W. Not: Kidney Lake.

A. J. Pequet, Perch Lake 1:62; proposed name to commemorate Kathryn F. Pequet; the Pequet family are the only private landowners on the lake and they consider the current name repulsive; the lake bears a kidney-like resemblance and all map usage is for Kidney Lake; in Ottawa NF.

MINNESOTA

Honeymoon Island: island, 0.1 mi. across, in Burntside Lake 6 mi. NW of Ely; Saint Louis Co., Minn.; 47°56'17" N, 91°58'45" W.

USGS, Ely 1:62; to establish name and application; submitted in relation to State Island [q.v.]; recommended name and application reported to be in local use; in Superior NF.

MINNESOTA (Cont.)

Kangas Bay: bay, 0.5 mi. long, along the N shore of Birch Lake 10 mi. S of Ely; Saint Louis Co., Minn.; 47°45'20" N, 91°50'10" W.

Not: Kingas Bay, Kings Bay.

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USGS, Ely 1:62; to establish name; feature is reportedly named for a pioneer resident of the area whose name has been misspelled on USGS and FS maps; recommended name reported to be in local use; in Superior NF.

State Island: island, 0.5 mi. long, in Burntside Lake, 0.2 mi. W of Honeymoon Island and 6.5 mi. NW of Ely; Saint Louis Co., Minn.; 47°56'15" N, 91°59'15" W. Not: Honeymoon Island [q.v.].

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USGS, Ely 1:62; to establish name; USGS and USFS maps misapply Honeymoon Island [q.v.] to this feature; recommended name and application reported to be in local use; in Superior NF.

Waters Island: island, 0.5 mi. across, in Burntside Lake, 0.25 mi. S of State Island and 6.5 mi. NW of Ely; Saint Louis Co., Minn.; 47°55'40" N, 91°59'30" W. Not: Hall Island.

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USGS, Ely 1:62; to establish name; possession of the island has reportedly changed from a man named Hall to one named Waters and, thus, the island's name has changed; recommended name reported to have been in local use for the past ten years; in Superior NF.

MISSISSIPPI

Bibalucta Creek: stream, 16 mi. long, heads at 32°27'40" N, 89°36'38" W, flows N to Tuscolameta Creek 6 mi. SSW of Carthage; Leake and Scott Cos., Miss.; 32°39'55" N, 89°35'42" W.

Not: Balucta Creek.

USGS, Carthage and Morton 1:62; to establish name; recommended name reported to be a Choctaw word meaning "Long Pond in the Woods"; Bibalucta Creek appears on land deeds in the area; Balucta is a shortened form of Bibalucta; heads in Bienville NF.

NEW MEXICO

Alamos, Cañada de los: watercourse, 6 mi. long, heads at 36°04'00" N, 105°43'20" W, trends NW to the Rio de las Trampas 1 mi. NW of Trampas; Rio Arriba Co., N. Mex.; 36°08'13" N, 105°46'33" W. Not: Los Alamos Creek.



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APR 29 1966

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary  
Minnesota Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
Saint Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the name Paquet Lake (not: Poquet Lake) in Minnesota. This decision will be published in Decision List 6601; the descriptive portion of the entry will read as shown on Docket 85.

The names Shermans Corner and Wakemup Narrows were also approved. These decisions will be published in Decision List 6602 and the entries will read as shown on Docket 88.

We appreciate your continued cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names



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MAY 19 1966

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

We enclose two copies of the Minnesota portion of Docket 90 of the Board on Geographic Names. The three names listed were submitted by field parties of the U.S. Forest Service. We would appreciate your review of the entries and any appropriate comments.

The list is scheduled to be considered by the Board on June 14. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for your review.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Enclosures (2)

Docket 90  
(122 Names)

Released May 6, 1966  
For consideration at  
June 14, meeting

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242

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The entries below each name indicate the submitting person, or agency, and the most convenient source for locating the feature. Accompanying each name is a notation of the reason for its submittal, and pertinent facts concerning it.

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SHOULD NOT BE SO CONSIDERED OR USED

MICHIGAN (Cont.)

Salt Creek: stream, 26 mi. long, heads at 43°32'00" N, 84°47'45" W, flows SE for 8 mi., then NE, to the Chippewa River 11 mi. WSW of Midland; Isabella and Midland Cos., Mich.; sec. 29, T 14 N, R 1 W, Michigan mer; 43°34'50" N, 84°27'19" W. Not: Little Salt Creek, Little Salt River, Salt River.

USGS, Midland 1:250; to establish name and eliminate confusion; historically this feature has been called Salt River, but USGS fieldman reports that Little Salt River has come into local use within the past twenty years and, therefore, recommended Little Salt River; the region editor originally recommended Salt River because there was another Little Salt River [Little Salt Creek q.v.] 2 mi. away; the proposal was later changed to Salt Creek because of another Salt River about 10 mi. N which is now shown as Big Salt River on most maps, but has been known as Salt River and still has a North Branch and South Branch Salt River; Salt Creek, therefore, seems to be the least confusing name; recommended name appears on one USGS map; not in a NF.

West Branch Red Cedar River: stream, 14 mi. long, heads at 42°30'35" N, 84°05'35" W, flows NNW to the Red Cedar River 1.7 mi. NE of Webberville; Ingham and Livingston Cos., Mich.; NE  $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 1, T 3 N, R 2 E, Michigan mer.; 42°40'58" N, 84°09'03" W. Not: West Branch Cedar River.

DGN, Fowlerville 1:62; in connection with Red Cedar River, q.v.; not in a USNF.

MINNESOTA

Divide Lake: lake, 0.6 mi. long, 0.5 mi. SE of Dumbbell Lake and 4.5 mi. E of Isabella; Lake Co., Minn.; 47°36'35" N, 91°15'15" W. Not: Toohey Lake, Towhey Lake, Twohey Lake, Twohy Lake.

USFS, Isabella and Cramer 1:62; to establish name and reduce duplication; there is another Toohey Lake [q.v.] 15 mi. NE of this feature; lake is on the Laurentian Divide; in Superior NF.

Toohey Creek: stream, 1.5 mi. long, heads in Toohey Lake, at 47°42'44" N, 91°57'23" W, flows S to Fourmile Lake 10.5 mi. NNW of Tofte; Cook Co., Minn.; 47°41'50" N, 91°57'27" W. Not: Towhey Creek, Twohey Creek, Twohy Creek.

MINNESOTA (Cont.)

Toohey Creek (Cont.)

USFS, Tofte 1:62; submitted in relation to Toohey Lake [q.v.]; this stream heads in the proposed Toohey Lake; in Superior NF.

Toohey Lake: lake, 1 mi. long, 0.7 mi. N of Fourmile Lake and 11 mi. NNW of Tofte; Cook Co., Minn.; 47°43'15" N, 91°57'15" W.

Not: Towhey Lake, Twohey Lake, Twohy Lake.

USFS, Tofte 1:62; to establish spelling; FS and USGS maps show different spellings; numerous features in this area were named for a Peter Toohey who operated a lumber camp in the vicinity about sixty years ago; in Superior NF.

MONTANA

Centipede Creek: stream, 3.5 mi. long, heads at 47°41'37" N, 113°59'13" W, flows W to Moss Creek 4.5 mi. E of Polson; Lake Co., Mont.; 47°41'18" N, 114°03'28" W. Not: Ducharme Creek [q.v.], Smith Creek.

USGS, Wallace 1:250; to clarify name and application in relation to Ducharme Creek [q.v.]; recommended name and application reported to be correct; USFS map shows Ducharme Creek; not in a USNF but shown on Flathead NF map.

Ducharme Creek: stream, 1 mi. long, heads at 47°40'38" N, 114°03'36" W, flows N to Moss Creek 4.5 mi. E of Polson; Lake Co., Mont.; 47°41'35" N, 114°03'44" W.

DGN, Wallace 1:250; submitted in relation to Centipede Creek [q.v.]; not in a USNF but shown on Flathead NF map.

Turtle Lake: lake, 0.5 mi. across, 1.5 mi. S of Flathead Lake and 4 mi. SE of Polson; Lake Co., Mont.; 47°40'08" N, 114°04'30" W.

Not: Twin Lake, Twin Reservoir.

USGS, Wallace 1:250; to establish name; USGS reports that all local residents use the name Turtle Lake; USFS map uses Twin Lake; not in a USNF but shown on Flathead NF map.

White Earth Creek: stream, 13 mi. long, heads at 47°47'28" N, 114°25'00" W, flows S to the Flathead River 11 mi. SW of Polson; Lake Co., Mont.; 47°37'48" N, 114°21'55" W. Not: North Fork White Clay Creek, White Clay Creek.



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JUN 2 - 1966

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Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
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Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the names Honeymoon Island, State Island, and Waters Island. These decisions will be published in Decision List 6602 and the entries will read as shown on Docket 89.

Action on the remaining name, Kangas Bay, was deferred.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names



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JUL 1 1966

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Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the names Divide Lake, Toohey Creek, and Toohey Lake in Minnesota. These decisions will be published in Decision List 6602 and the entries will read as shown on Docket 90.

Action on the name Kangas Bay on Docket 89 was redeferred.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names



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JUL 29 1966

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Minnesota Historical Society  
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St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the name Kangas Bay in Minnesota. This decision will be published in Decision List 6603 and the entry will read as shown on Docket 89.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

March 6, 1967

Mr. J. O. Kilmartin, Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names  
U. S. Dept. of the Interior  
Board on Geographic Names  
Room 1004 GS Building  
Washington, D. C. 20242

Dear Mr. Kilmartin:

I have checked the Minnesota Geographic Board's records regarding your inquiry of February 13 on the Sawteeth Mountains in Cook County, Minnesota. The records show that the state board has never taken action on the matter.

It is, however, a case in which local usage distinctly defies the 1910 decision. We encounter this name problem quite frequently in the publications of the Minnesota Historical Society, and we have resolved it by calling the hills in question the "Sawtooth Mountains." This is the name in local usage. On occasion, Misquah Hills is also used, but it is more likely to be applied locally in the singular to refer to a particular hill in this range, which is the highest point in the state.

If we can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to write us again.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary  
Minnesota Geographic Board



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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242  
Rm. 1040 GS Building

FEB 13 1967

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary  
Minnesota Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

We recently received an inquiry from a mapping firm in Michigan requesting information on the range of mountains bordering a portion of the northwest shore of Lake Superior in Minnesota.

There is a 1910 Board on Geographic Names decision for "Sawteeth Bluff" near Grand Marais. However, there are several other names and/or applications for this bluff as well as the bluffs extending southwest from Grand Marais.

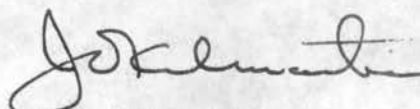
U.S. Lake Survey Chart 9 shows "Sawteeth Mountains" near Silver Bay Harbor. Warren Upham describes the "Sawteeth mountains" as "...eroded front of...highland for about thirty miles in Cook county, from Carleton peak to Grand Marais..." (Minnesota Geographic Names, p. 1). The Minnesota Department of Business Development reported to the National Geographic Society that the range is known as "Misquah Hills" or "Sawtooth Mountains."

We also have a report from the National Geographic Society (which shows "Sawtooth Mountains" on their map) that in 1958 G. M. Schwartz, Director of the Minnesota Geological Survey, reported that the name "Sawtooth Range" should be used, listing as variants "Fond du lac Mountains," "Sawtooth Mountains," and "North Shore Mountains."

We would like to know if the Minnesota Geographic Board has any information concerning this name and feature. If so, would you please forward it to us. We will wait to hear from you before docketing the case.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. O. Kilmartin". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names



UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242  
Rm. 1040, GS Building

MAR 15 1967

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

We enclose two copies of the Minnesota portion of Docket 100 of the Board on Geographic Names. The four names listed were submitted by field parties of the U.S. Geological Survey. We would appreciate your review of the entries and any appropriate comments.

The list is scheduled to be considered by the Board on April 11. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for your review.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosures (2)

ref. 3-22-67

MINNESOTA

*Mrs. G. B. records  
show this as Lake  
Andrews*

✓ Andrew, Lake: lake, 2 mi. long, 5 mi. SSW of Alexandria; Douglas Co., Minn.; secs. 10, 11, 12, 14, and 15, T 127 N, R 38 W, fifth principal mer.; 45°49'20" N, 95°25'15" W. Not: Lake Andrews. USGS, Saint Cloud 1:250; to clarify spelling; USGS reports recommended name to be in local use; all other sources use Lake Andrews; not in a USNF.

*OK*

✓ Badger Creek: stream, 7 mi. long, heads in Badger Lake at 47°41'07" N, 96°00'45" W, flows NW to Beau Gerlot Creek 24 mi. E of Crookston; Polk Co., Minn.; sec. 1, T 149 N, R 43 W, fifth principal mer.; 47°45'20" N, 96°06'09" W. USGS, Grand Forks 1:250; field survey shows that this is the upper portion of the original Badger Creek which has been divided by drainage ditches into two separate creeks; recommends establishment of two Badger Creeks; It is believed that this may cause confusion with the creeks so close to each other; not in a USNF.

*OK*

✓ Badger Creek: stream, 9 mi. long, heads at the junction of ditches at 47°45'10" N, 96°06'20" W, flows NW to the Clearwater River 18 mi. ENE of Crookston; Red Lake Co., Minn.; sec. 36, T 151 N, R 44 W, fifth principal mer.; 47°51'30" N, 96°14'08" W. USGS, Terrebonne 1:24; field survey shows that this is the lower portion of the original Badger Creek which has been divided by drainage ditches into two separate creeks; USGS recommends establishment of two Badger Creeks, but this may cause confusion with the creeks so close to each other; not in a USNF.

*OK*

† Redeye River: stream, 40 mi. long, heads in Wolf Lake, in sec. 25, T 139 N, R 38 W, flows SE to the Leaf River 10 mi. NW of Staples; Becker, Otter Tail, and Wadena Cos., Minn.; sec. 19, T 135 N, R 33 W, fifth principal mer.; 46°29'10" N, 94°53'05" W. Not: Red Eye River. USGS, Brainerd 1:250; 1922 decision revised to establish application; nearly all sources give recommended spelling and location; not in a NF.

MISSISSIPPI

† Chiwapa Creek: stream, 26 mi. long, heads 3 mi. SSW of Pontotoc, flows SE to Town Creek 2 mi. SW of Nettleton; Lee, Monroe, and Pontotoc Cos., Miss.; 34°04'21" N, 88°38'55" W. Not: Chawappa Creek, Chowapa Creek, Chowwappa Creek.



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APR 25 1967

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the name Redeye River. This decision will be published in Decision List 6702 and the entry will read as shown on Docket 100.

Lake Andrew was also approved rather than Lake Andrews on the basis of reported local usage. The two Badger Creeks were approved as Upper Badger Creek (Polk County) and Lower Badger Creek (Red Lake County). The descriptive portion of these decisions will read the same as shown on Docket 100. These changes were made because the Board felt that the existence of two streams with the same name in such close proximity would cause unnecessary confusion.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names



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JUN 16 1967

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

We enclose two copies of the Minnesota portion of Docket 103 of the Board on Geographic Names. We would appreciate your review of the entry and any appropriate comments.

The list is scheduled to be considered by the Board on July 11. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for your review.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Enclosures (2)

Ref.  
6-20-66

7-11-67

Docket 103  
(74 Names)

Released June 12, 1967  
For consideration at  
July 11 meeting

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242

Briefs on the following names have been prepared for consideration by the Board on Geographic Names. Any agency or person favoring or opposing the approval of any name or any variant of a name appearing on this list may submit evidence concerning it.

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THE NAMES ON THIS LIST ARE NOT YET DECISIONS AND  
SHOULD NOT BE SO CONSIDERED OR USED

Docket 103  
For consideration  
July 11, 1967

LOUISIANA (Cont.)

Englewood (Cont.)

USGS, Morgan City 1:62; to establish name and application; recommended spelling said to be correct as used on USGS quad; variant used on USC&GS Chart 880; not in a USNF.

MAINE

Robinson Mountain: mountain, elevation 1,025 ft., 1.5 mi. NE of the village of Island Falls; named for Sergeant George F. Robinson, of the Town of Island Falls, for extraordinary heroism in saving William H. Seward, then U.S. Secretary of State, from assassination on April 14, 1865; Aroostook Co., Maine; 46°01'32" N, 68°15'07" W. Not: May Mountain.

DGN, Island Falls and Smyrna Mills 1:62; the legislature of Maine approved a resolution designating May Mountain in Island Falls as Robinson Mountain, which resolution was approved by the governor on March 24, 1965; not in a USNF.

MICHIGAN

Holy Island: island, 0.3 mi. long, in South Arm Lake Charlevoix, 2 mi. SE of Ironton and 5 mi. NW of East Jordan; Charlevoix Co., Mich.; sec. 28, T 33 N, R 7 W, Michigan mer.; 45°13'55" N, 85°10'00" W. Not: Isle of Pines, Pine Island.

USGS, Boyne City 1:62; to establish name; U.S. Lake Survey and local maps show "Isle of Pines"; recommended name in use during westward migration of the Mormons; homeowners reported to use the name Isle of Pines although sub-division plats use the recommended name; not in a USNF.

MINNESOTA

*OK* Ah-gwah-ching: settlement, 2 mi. SSE of Walker; Cass Co., Minn.; 47°04'20" N, 94°33'45" W. Not: Ah Gwah Ching, Ah-Gwah-Ching.

DGN, Bemidji 1:250; to establish word form; published sources agree in the spelling of the name but vary in form; 1965 Postal Guide lists the recommended form while the 1966 Postal Guide shows Ah Gwah Ching; not in a USNF, but shown on the Chip-pewa NF map.

NEW JERSEY

Riverside Park: town, W of Riverside and 11 mi. NE of Camden; Burlington Co., N. J.; 40°02'15" N, 74°58'30" W. Not: Delran.



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AUG 18 1967

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the name Ah-gwah-ching in Minnesota. This decision will be published in Decision List 6703 and the entry will read as shown on Docket 103.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

August 18, 1967

Mr. J. O. Kilmartin, Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names  
Room 1040, CS Bldg.  
Washington, D.C. 20242

Dear Mr. Kilmartin:

Enclosed is Docket List 104 which we have checked against the files of the Minnesota Geographic Board. The marginal comments merely show what we found in the files and are not meant to be recommendations.

Regarding the Sawtooth Mountains, I can see why you are confused. If you could see the terrain, you would understand it immediately. The name "Sawtooth Mountains" is applied locally only to the hills from Grand Marais to the mouth of the Temperance River. Only that section of the shore looks like the teeth of a saw.

The hills immediately east and west of the mouth of the Baptism River are known as the Great Palisades and the Little Palisades. See George M. Schwartz and George A. Thiel, MINNESOTA'S ROCKS AND WATERS, p. 212-216 (University of Minnesota Press, 1954) for a clear explanation.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary  
Minnesota Geographic Board



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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242  
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AUG 2 1967

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

This is in further reference to your letter of March 6 concerning the name Sawtooth Mountains in Minnesota.

In this letter you state that the name in local use is "Sawtooth Mountains." However, we are not certain of the mountains to which this name applies. Does it extend from the area near Grand Marais, southwest along the shore of Lake Superior, as far as the Baptism River (about 4 miles northeast of the town of Silver Bay)?

If not, to what does the name "Sawtooth Mountains" apply, and what is the name for the range of mountains near the mouth of the Baptism River?

Would you please annotate the enclosed map with the names and applications which you know to be in local use and return it to us.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Enclosure



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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242  
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AUG 8 1967

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

We enclose two copies of the Minnesota portion of Docket 105 of the Board on Geographic Names. We would appreciate your review of the entries and any appropriate comments.

The list is scheduled to be considered by the Board at its meeting on September 12. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for your review.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Enclosures (2)

*Returned  
8-18-67*

Docket 105  
(109 Names)

Released August 8, 1967  
For consideration at  
September 12 meeting

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242

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MINNESOTA

*We show Alice*  
Club Lake: lake, 0.4 mi. long, 0.5 mi. NE of Alice Lake and 0.7 mi. NW of Amber Lake; Lake Co., Minn.; secs. 3 and 10, T 63 N, R 7 W, fourth principal mer.; 47°57'48" N, 91°12'02" W. Not: Chub Lake.

USGS, Alice Lake 1:24; to establish name; recommended name reported to be verified by USFS Regional Engineer; USGS and county maps show Chub Lake; in Superior NF.

*We show Dim*  
Din Lake: lake, 0.3 mi. long, NW of Mass Lake and 2 mi. SE of Tuscarora Lake; Cook Co., Minn.; sec. 21, T 64 N, R 4 W, fourth principal mer.; 48°00'48" N, 90°50'40" W. Not: Dim Lake.

USGS, Long Island Lake 1:24; to establish name; recommended spelling reported to be verified by USFS Regional Engineer; published maps use variant form; in Superior NF.

*We show Birch up. 146*  
Francis Island: island, 0.15 mi. long, S of Wauswaugoning Bay and 2 mi. NE of Hat Point; Cook Co., Minn.; 47°58'50" N, 89°36'52" W. Not: Birch Island.

USGS, Pigeon Point 1:24; to establish name; feature reported to be named for a Captain Francis who lived on the island; U.S. Lake Survey charts and county map use variant name; not in a USNF, but shown on Superior NF maps.

*We show Magnet*  
Magnet Island: island, 0.5 mi. long, in Lake Superior 0.3 mi. NE of Lucille Island; Cook Co., Minn.; 47°58'18" N, 89°33'25" W. Not: Belle Rose Island.

USGS, Pigeon Point 1:24; to establish name; variant name reported to be used at one time, but now all local residents use Magnet Island; U.S. Lake Survey charts use Belle Rose Island; not in a USNF, but shown on Superior NF maps.

Median Lake: lake, 0.25 mi. long, 0.4 mi. NW of Elton Lake and 0.7 mi. WSW of Little Saganaga Lake; Lake Co., Minn.; secs. 13 and 14, T 64 N, R 6 W, fourth principal mer.; 48°01'40" N, 91°02'45" W. Not: Mediak Lake, Mediar Lake.

USGS, Ogiskemuncie Lake 1:24; to establish name; recommended spelling reported to be verified by USFS Regional Engineer; USGS and county maps use Mediak Lake; in Superior NF.

August 23, 1967

Mr. J. C. Kilmartin, Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names  
Room 1040, GS Bldg.  
Washington, D.C. 20242

Dear Mr. Kilmartin:

Enclosed is Docket List 105 which we have checked against the files of the Minnesota Geographic Board. The marginal comments merely show what we found in the files and are not meant to be recommendations.

The Sawtooth Mountains seem not to be definitely defined in the literature, and the board can perform a service by settling the problem. The general consensus here among people who know the North Shore well is that they extend from Grand Marais west to the high point below Beaver Bay, as indicated on the enclosed map. They are so named, of course, because they look like the teeth of a saw.

The hills immediately east and west of the mouth of the Baptism River are considered part of the Sawtooth, but they also have specific names -- Great Palisades (including Palisade Head) and Little Palisades. See George M. Schwartz and George A. Thiel, MINNESOTA'S ROCKS AND WATERS, p. 212-216 (University of Minnesota Press, 1954) for a fairly clear explanation.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary  
Minnesota Geographic Board



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NOV 9 1967

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55110

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

The enclosed two copies of the Minnesota portion of Docket 108 are for your information. We would appreciate your review of the entries and any appropriate comments.

The list is scheduled to be considered by the Board on Geographic Names on December 12. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for your review.

Sincerely yours,

I. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Enclosures (2)

*OK returned  
12-1-67  
DHT*

Docket 108  
(139 Names)

Released November 14, 1967  
For consideration at  
December 12 Meeting

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242

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MASSACHUSETTS

Sewammock Neck: peninsula, 3.5 mi. long, extends SSW to Mount Hope Bay 1 mi. WNW of Fall River; Bristol Co., Mass.; 41°43'30" N, 71°10'00" W. Not: Shawamet Neck, Shawomet Neck.

DGN (USGS), Fall River 1:24; to establish name; the USGS field report proposes the name Shawomet Neck and is supported by historical evidence; staff feels that the spelling "Sewammock" is consistent with established local usage and is supported by all federal publications; not in a USNF.

MICHIGAN

Arthur, Lake: lake, 0.2 mi. long, 0.2 mi. SW of Green Lake and 4 mi. WSW of Mancelona; Antrim Co., Mich.; sec. 27, T 29 N, R 7 W, Michigan mer.; 44°52'48" N, 85°03'30" W. Not: Bullhead Lake.

Michigan Board, Mancelona 1:62; submitted by the Antrim County Board to eliminate one of many Bullhead Lakes in Michigan; named after the original owner Arthur Leonard; not in a USNF.

Christiana Creek: see under Indiana

Christiana Lake: lake, 1 mi. long, SW of and adjoining Juno Lake, in the course of Christiana Creek 6 mi. S of Cassopolis; Cass Co., Mich.; sec. 1, T 8 S, R 15 W, Michigan mer.; 41°48'10" N, 85°59'45" W. Not: Christian Lake, Christianna Lake, Christiann Lake, Painter Lake.

DGN, Vandalia 1:62; submitted to standardize spelling relative to Christiana Creek [q.v. Indiana]; not in a USNF.

East Branch Au Gres River: stream, 16 mi. long, heads at the junction of Smith and Guiley Creeks at 44°18'37" N, 83°43'25" W, flows SSE to Saginaw Bay 8 mi. S of Tawas City; Arenac and Iosco Cos., Mich.; sec. 12, T 20 N, R 7 E, Michigan mer.; 44°08'38" N, 83°34'03" W. Not: East Au Gres River, Whitney Drain.

USGS, Tawas City 1:250; to establish name and application; USGS reports that recommended name as applied to lower course of stream was established by court action in 1923; no available published maps show recommended application; not in a USNF.

MINNESOTA

Sawtooth Bluff: bluff, elevation 1,500 ft., extends E-W 4 mi. in the Sawtooth Mountains 1 mi. N of Grand Marais; Cook Co., Minn.; 47°46' N, 90°22' W. Not: Sawteeth Bluff [former decision].

MINNESOTA (Cont.)

Sawtooth Bluff (Cont.)

DGN, Two Harbors 1:250; to revise 1910 decision in relation to Sawtooth Mountains [q.v.]; in Superior NF.

Sawtooth Mountains: mountains, 60 mi. long, extend SW from Grand Marais along the NW shore of Lake Superior to a point 3 mi. SW of the village of Beaver Bay; Lake and Cook Cos., Minn.; 47°47' N, 90°19' W [NE end], 47°14' N, 91°23' W [SW end]. Not: Fond du lac Mountains, Misquah Hills, North Shore Mountains, Sawteeth Mountains, Sawtooth Range.

DGN, Two Harbors 1:250; to establish name and application; Minnesota Historical Society reports that recommended name is used locally; Lake Survey Chart shows the name Sawteeth Mountains applied to part of feature; various names have been applied to this feature but recommended name has been approved by the Minnesota Board; in Superior NF.

MONTANA

\*Bachelor Creek: stream, 1.5 mi. long, heads at the confluence of its North and South Forks, flows NE to Finley Creek 26 mi. N of Miles City; Custer Co., Mont.; SE $\frac{1}{4}$  sec. 15, T 12 N, R 47 E, Principal mer.; 46°47'22" N, 105°47'10" W. Not: Bachelor Creek [former decision].

USGS, Miles City, 1:250; 1932 EGN decision revised to bring spelling into line with reported local usage; former decision applied variant form to this feature; not in a USNF.

\*Big Porcupine Creek: stream, 60 mi. long, heads at 46°56'55" N, 107°10'20" W, flows SSE to the Yellowstone River 6 mi. W of Forsyth; Rosebud and Garfield Cos., Mont.; sec. 11, T 6 N, R 39 E, Principal mer.; 46°17'15" N, 106°45'15" W. Not: Great Porcupine Creek [former decision].

USGS, Forsyth 1:250; 1932 EGN decision revised to conform to local usage; during the past 50 years the name "Great Porcupine Creek" has evolved to its present recommended form; only the oldest residents recognize the old name; not in a USNF.

Big Sheep Creek: stream, 18 mi. long, heads at the confluence of Cabin and Nicholia Creeks, at 44°33'10" N, 112°46'55" W, flows NNE to the Red Rock River 0.2 mi. NE of Dell; Beaverhead Co., Mont.; sec. 10, T 13 S, R 9 W, Principal mer.; 44°43'25" N, 112°41'29" W. Not: Cabin Creek, Sheep Creek.



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DEC 14 1967

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55110

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

The enclosed two copies of the Minnesota portion of Docket 109 are for your information. We would appreciate your review of the entry and any appropriate comments.

The list is scheduled to be considered by the Board on Geographic Names on January 9, 1968. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for your review.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Enclosures

*12-18-67*

Docket 109  
(127 Names)

Released Dec. 12, 1967  
For consideration at  
January 9, 1968 Meeting

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
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SHOULD NOT BE SO CONSIDERED OR USED

Docket 109  
For consideration  
January 9, 1968

MASSACHUSETTS (Cont.)

Sias Point: point of land, at the NE mouth of Onset Eay 1.5 mi. ESE of Onset; Plymouth Co., Mass.; 41°44'05" N, 70°38'07" W. Not: Sears Point.

USGS, Onset 1:24; submitted to establish name; USGS reports that all local authorities consulted state that the name of this feature is Sias Point and that the name has been in use for 65 years; USC&GS Charts use the variant name; not in a USNF.

Tempes Knob: hill, elevation over 100 ft., on the N shore of Buzzards Bay 1.8 mi. S of Onset; Plymouth Co., Mass.; 41°43'10" N, 70°39'53" W. Not: Tempest Knob.

USGS, Onset 1:24; submitted to establish spelling; USGS reports that local authorities state that the name of this feature is Tempes Knob; there is an old USC&GS Tri. Sta. here called "Tempes Knob" from which the name was probably derived; USC&GS Coastal Charts show the variant name; not in a USNF.

MINNESOTA

\*Inver Grove Heights: village, 6.5 mi. SE of Saint Paul; Dakota Co., Minn.; 44°51'30" N, 93°01'10" W. Not: Inver Grove [former decision], Invergrove.

DGN, Saint Paul 1:250; to revise 1933 BGN decision to agree with Post Office name change; State road map, Rand McNally, and county map show recommended name, though sources published prior to 1965 show variants; not in a USNF.

NEVADA

Aqueduct Mesa: mesa, 5.5 mi. across, on the NE side of Rainier Mesa, 68 mi. SE of Goldfield; Nye Co., Nev.; 37°12'20" N, 116°11'15" W [SW end], 37°16'15" N, 116°07'30" W [NE end].

USGS (Geol), Goldfield 1:250; to establish name; USGS reports having knowledge of the name Aqueduct Mesa for 9-10 years; not in a USNF.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Dubes Pond: lake, 1.5 mi. long, 5.5 mi. NE of Manchester; Merrimack Co., N. H.; 43°04'15" N, 71°24'00" W. Not: Dube's Pond, Sawyer Pond.

New Hampshire Dept. of Resources and Economic Development, Suncook 1:62; to establish name; the submitting agency reports the name Dube's Pond to be the dominant local



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JAN 4 1968

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55110

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

The Board on Geographic Names has approved for Federal use the following Minnesota names. These decisions will be published in Decision List 6704 and the entries will read as shown on their respective docketts.

Docket 105

Club Lake

Din Lake

Francis Island

Magnet Island

Median Lake

Docket 106

Calamus Creek

Action on the names on Docket 108 was deferred.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names



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JAN 16 1968

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Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55110

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

The enclosed two copies of the Minnesota portion of Docket 110 are for your information. We would appreciate your review of the entries and any appropriate comments.

The list is scheduled to be considered by the Board on Geographic Names on February 13. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for your review.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Enclosures

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Docket 110  
(94 Names)

Released Jan. 9, 1968  
For consideration at  
February 13 meeting

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242

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MAINE

Butler Head: promontory, on E shore of Merrymeeting Bay 4 mi. NNW of Bath; Sagadahoc Co., Maine; 43°58' N, 69°51' W. Not: Butler Point.

USGS, Bath 1:62; to bring name into line with over 100 years of local usage; USC&GS charts show variant form; not in a USNF.

Freble Point: point of land, on N tip of Arrowsic Island, between the Kennebec River and Hanson Bay, 1 mi. E of Bath; Sagadahoc Co., Maine; 43°54'35" N, 69°47'57" W. Not: Block House Point.

USGS, Bath 1:62; submitted to establish location and name; USC&GS charts and Coast Pilot show above location; USGS maps apply name to a point 0.3 mi. to the SW; according to field report name has been in local usage for over 50 years; not in a USNF.

Spednic Falls: waterfalls, on the Saint Croix River 2 mi. NNE of Kellyland; Washington Co., Maine, and New Brunswick; 45°17'40" N, 67°28'05" W. Not: Spednick Falls, Spednik Falls.

USCS (Geol.), Kellyland 1:62; submitted to bring name and application into line with over 50 years of local usage; USGS maps apply the variant form, Spednick Falls, to a feature 0.6 mi. upstream that is called Kindrick Rips on the Canadian maps; Canadian maps agree with recommended location but use Spednik Falls; not in a USNF.

MINNESOTA

Chrysler Lake: lake, 0.6 mi. across, 11.5 mi. S of Deerwood; Crow Wing Co., Minn.; secs. 1 and 12, T 44 N, R 29 W, fourth principal mer.; 46°18'45" N, 93°56'45" W. Not: Lake Chrysler, Pleasant Lake.

DGN, Duluth 1:250; submitted to establish name; shown on older USGS maps as Pleasant Lake; Warren Upham in "Minnesota Geographic Names" mentions a Chrysler Lake in Crow Wing County but no Pleasant Lake; the county map uses Chrysler Lake; not in a USNF.

Hammal Lake: lake, 1 mi. across, 3 mi. SSW of Aitkin; Aitkin Co., Minn.; secs. 3, 9, and 10, T 46 N, R 27 W, fourth principal mer.; 46°29'00" N, 93°44'30" W. Not: Eass Lake.

DGN, Duluth 1:250; submitted to establish name; shown on older USGS maps as Eass Lake; Warren Upham in "Minnesota

MINNESOTA (Cont.)

Hammal Lake (Cont.)

Geographic Names<sup>11</sup> reports that Bass Lake was renamed Hammal Lake about 1920; not in a USNF.

MISSOURI

Ardway Hollow: ravine, 1.5 mi. long, heads at 37°29'45" N, 91°14'00" W, trends SW to Red Hill Branch 2.5 mi. NW of Bunker; Dent Co., Mo.; sec. 10, T 32 N, R 3 W, fifth principal mer.; 37°28'35" N, 91°14'53" W. Not: Red Hill Hollow.

USGS, Rolla 1:250; submitted to establish name and application; USGS reports that this feature was named for an old time resident; both USFS personnel and local inhabitants say this is Ardway Hollow and not Red Hill Hollow as shown on the NF map; in Clark NF.

Red Hill Hollow: ravine, 1.8 mi. long, heads at 37°29'58" N, 91°14'52" W, trends S to Red Hill Branch 2.5 mi. NW of Bunker; Dent Co., Mo.; sec. 10, T 32 N, R 3 W, fifth principal mer.; 37°28'30" N, 91°15'07" W. Not: Red Hill Branch.

USGS, Rolla 1:250; submitted to establish name and application; USGS reports that both USFS personnel and local inhabitants give Red Hill Hollow as the name of this feature; it was erroneously applied to Ardway Hollow [q.v.] on NF map; in Clark NF.

MONTANA

† Mizpah Creek: stream, 70 mi. long, heads at 45°24'30" N, 105°41'20" W, flows NNE to the Powder River 2 mi. NNW of Mizpah; Custer and Powder River Cos., Mont.; sec. 13, T 6 N, R 51 E, Principal mer.; 46°16'15" N, 105°17'00" W. Not: Mizpah River.

DGN, Miles City and Ekalaka 1:250; revision of 1932 decision; USGS reports that according to local inhabitants Mizpah Creek heads in T 5 S, R 49 E and not in T 4 S, R 48 E as given in the old decision; that decision misapplied the head of Mizpah Creek to Two Tree Creek [q.v.]; not in a USNF.

Sugar Run: stream, 2.7 mi. long, heads at 45°25'10" N, 105°53'10" W, flows E to Pumpkin Creek 0.1 mi. SW of Sonnette; Powder River Co., Mont.; sec. 8, T 5 S, R 48 E, Principal mer.; 45°24'45" N, 105°50'03" W. Not: Sugar Run Creek, Sugarun Creek.



UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242  
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JAN 31 1968

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55110

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the name Inver Grove Heights, Minnesota. This decision will be published in Decision List 6801 and the entry will read as shown on Docket 109.

Action on the two names remaining on Docket 108 was deferred.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names



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MAR 1 1968

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Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
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St. Paul, Minnesota 55110

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the names Chrysler Lake and Hammal Lake in Minnesota. These decisions will be published in Decision List 6801 and the entries will read as shown on Docket 110.

Action on the names Sawtooth Bluff and Sawtooth Mountains on Docket 108 was again deferred.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

March 5, 1968

Mr. J. O. Kilmartin, Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names  
Board on Geographic Names  
U. S. Dept. of the Interior  
Room 1040, GSA Bldg.  
Washington, D.C. 20242

Dear Mr. Kilmartin:

Enclosed is the Minnesota portion of Docket List 111 which you sent to us for review on February 16. We object to spelling out the word "Saint" in Marine on St. Croix. Local usage is emphatically in favor of the abbreviation.

I took the liberty of consulting James Taylor Dunn, author of THE ST. CROIX: MIDWEST BORDER RIVER and a resident of Marine on St. Croix. He tells me that no road signs or local businesses use the unabbreviated name recommended, that local usage (and state usage) supports the abbreviated use of the name.

In the Post Office Zip Code Directory for 1963 the name is correctly given as "Marine on St. Croix." In the July, 1967, Zip Code Directory it is spelled "Marine On St. Croix." Even the post office is confused.

The United States post office made the change from Marine Mills to Marine on St. Croix in March, 1917. In the July, 1917, U. S. Official Postal Guide (No. 28188 under "Minnesota"), the name is correctly given as "Marine on St. Croix" without hyphens with a lower-case on, and with St. abbreviated. Thus it has remained ever since.

The Minnesota Geographic Board favors and supports local usage for Marine on St. Croix.

A map of Fergus Falls showing the location of Wright Lake (which you requested on February 26) is enclosed.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary  
Minnesota Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

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Enclosure



UNITED STATES  
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WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242  
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FEB 16 1968

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
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Minnesota Historical Society  
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St. Paul, Minnesota 55110

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

We enclose the Minnesota portion of Docket 111 for your information. We would appreciate your review of the entry and any appropriate comments.

The docket is scheduled to be considered by the Board on Geographic Names on March 12. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for review.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Enclosure

*Minnesota*

Docket 111  
(99 Names)

Released February 13, 1968  
For consideration at  
March 12 meeting

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20242

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MARYLAND (Cont.)

Mather Gorge (Cont.)

NPS, Falls Church and Vienna 1:24; proposed new name submitted to establish a commemoration to Stephen Mather in the Washington, D. C. area; in George Washington Memorial Parkway; not in a USNF.

MICHIGAN

Moore Park: village, 7 mi. S of Schoolcraft; Saint Joseph Co., Mich.; secs. 19 and 30, T 5 S, R 11 W, Michigan mer.; 42°00'50" N, 85°38'08" W. Not: Moorepark.

USGS, Schoolcraft 1:62; to establish name; USGS reports that old county records show the two-word spelling but that local people use both forms; all published sources except AMS and county maps show the one-word form; P.C. is Moorepark; not in a USNF.

Tarnwood Lake: lake, 0.2 mi. long, 1.4 mi. WSW of the village of Lake Ann; Benzie Co., Mich.; sec. 22, T 27 N, R 13 W, Michigan mer.; 44°43'12" N, 35°52'34" W. Not: Blue Lake, Valeau Lake, Valleau Lake.

Michigan Board, Thompsonville 1:62; change in name; approved by County Board of Supervisors, Dec. 11, 1967; variant names have "no historic significance;" not in a USNF.

MINNESOTA

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\*Marine on Saint Croix: village, 10 mi. N of Stillwater; Washington Co., Minn.; 45°12'00" N, 92°46'15" W. Not: Marine [former decision], Marine Mills, Marine-on-Saint Croix, Marine Cn Saint Croix.

USGS, Marine 1:24; revision of an 1891 decision; except for the RR, USGS, and USC&GS, all current usage is for recommended name, though census uses the hyphens and the F C uses a capital "C" in "on;" all road signs and local businesses use name as recommended; not in a USNF.

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abus.

MISSOURI

Aunts Creek: stream, 5 mi. long, heads at 36°42'52" N, 93°22'28" W, flows WSW to Table Rock Reservoir 5.6 mi. SW of the city of Reeds Spring; Stone Co., Mo.; sec. 20, T 23 N, R 23 W, fifth principal mer.; 36°41'18" N, 93°26'43" W. Not: Ance Creek, Ants Creek.

## Office Memorandum •

DEPARTMENT Library

TO : JDH

DATE: 2/26/68

FROM : JTD

SUBJECT: Spelling of the name of Marine on St. Croix points against use of the name of Marine on ~~San~~ Croix as given in Docket 111, U.S. Dept. of the Interior, Board on Geographic Names

- (1) NO road signs and local businesses use the name as recommended. The post office, the highway department and general usage spell it with the St. abbreviated, not spelled out.
- (2) In the Post Office Zip Directory for 55047 (1963) the name is written Marine on St. Croix — the On is not capitalized. In the July 1967 Zip directory it is spelled with a capital On. The P.O. is confused!
- (3) The U.S. post office made the change from Marine Mills to Marine on St. Croix in March 1917. Obviously the Geographic Names Board in Washington did not check the July 1917 U.S. Official Postal Guide. In that volume (No. 28188 under "Minnesota") the first "official" use of the name is correctly spelled with a lower case first letter in "on", without hyphens, of course, and with St. abbreviated.





UNITED STATES  
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MAR 13 1968

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55110

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

We enclose the Minnesota portion of Docket 112 for your information. We would appreciate your review of the entries and any appropriate comments.

The docket is scheduled to be considered by the Board on Geographic Names on April 9. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for review.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Enclosure

*Minnesota*

Docket 112  
(101 Names)

Released March 12, 1963  
For consideration at the  
April 9th meeting

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BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
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MARYLAND

Cara Cove: cove, 0.5 mi. across, on the NE shore of Chesapeake Bay, at the mouth of the Northeast River 3 mi. S of Charlestown; Cecil Co., Md.; 39°32'10" N, 75°58'05" W. Not: Carrot Cove. USGS, North East 1:24; to establish name; USGS reported in 1954 that the name Cara Cove had been established in local use and this report is supported by a recent letter from a local postmaster; USGS quad and the county map use the name Cara Cove; USC&GS charts apply the name Carrot Cove to this feature; not in a USNF.

\*Harwood: village, 1.5 mi. NW of the village of West River and 7.5 mi. NW of Deale; Anne Arundel Co., Md.; 38°51'55" N, 76°37'13" W. Not: Eutlers [former decision], Eutler's Tavern, Obligation. USGS, Deale 1:24; 1896 EGN decision revised to establish name in accordance with local use; all sources since 1942 show the name Harwood; in 1957 USGS reported that "The name Eutlers has been discarded and the name of the Post Office [Harwood] applied to the community"; not in a USNF.

Spice Creek: stream, 1.5 mi. long, heads at the junction of Rock Creek and Tom Walls Branch at 38°41'27" N, 76°43'36" W, flows E to the Patuxent River 1.5 mi. S of Nottingham; Prince Georges Co., Md.; 38°41'36" N, 76°42'13" W. Not: Rock Creek. USGS, Lower Marlboro 1:24; to establish name; USGS reported in 1955 that the name Spice Creek had been established in local use and this report is supported by a recent letter from a local postmaster; recent USGS quad uses the name Spice Creek; USC&GS Chart 553 applies the name Rock Creek to this stream; not in a USNF.

MINNESOTA

Baldwin Lake: lake, 1.5 mi. long and 0.7 mi. wide, in the Mississippi River adjacent to the W end of Lower Grey Cloud Island and 3.5 mi. S of the village of Saint Paul Park; Washington Co., Minn.; Tps. 26 and 27 N, R 22 W, fourth principal mer.; 44°46'55" N, 93°00'15" W. Not: Ealden Lake, Grey Cloud Lake, Lake Ealden, Lake Ealdwin, Moore Lake.

Minnesota Geographic Board, Inver Grove and St. Paul Park 1:24; to clarify name; recommended name is in local use and is so shown on Federal and local maps; approved by Minnesota Geog. Bd. Feb. 2, 1968; not in a USNF.

MINNESOTA (Cont.)

Battle Creek Lake: lake, 0.6 mi. long and 0.4 mi. wide, 0.2 mi. SE of Tanners Lake and 6 mi. E of the center of Saint Paul; Washington Co., Minn.; sec. 6, T 21 W, R 28 N, fourth principal mer.; 44°56'43" N, 92°58'20" W. Not: Mud Lake.

Minnesota Geographic Board, Lake Elmo 1:24; to eliminate the duplication of "Mud" lakes; lake adjoins Battle Creek Park in Ramsey County, so named for a Sioux-Chippewa battle which took place on the site; approved by Washington County Board on April 5, 1966 and by Minnesota Geog. Bd. on Jan. 10, 1966; not in a USNF.

Glacier Lake: lake, 1.2 mi. long, 1 mi. NE of Big Sandy Lake and 17 mi. SW of Floodwood; Aitkin Co., Minn.; secs. 23 and 26, T 50 N, R 23 W, fourth principal mer.; 46°47'20" N, 93°13'30" W. Not: Glacial Lake, Turner Lake, Turtle Lake.

Minnesota Geographic Board, Duluth 1:250; to eliminate duplication of name "Turner" in the area and to establish the name now in use; not named on Federal maps; approved by the Aitkin County Board, March 3, 1964, and by the Minnesota Geog. Bd. Jan. 10, 1966; not in a USNF.

Grey Cloud Channel: channel, 3 mi. long, in the Mississippi River along the E and N sides of Upper Grey Cloud Island, 2 mi. S of the village of Saint Paul Park; Washington Co., Minn.; secs. 24 and 25, T 27 N, R 22 W, and sec. 30, T 27 N, R 21 W, fourth principal mer.; 44°43'58" N, 93°00'12" W [NW end], 44°47'28" N, 92°58'40" W [SE end]. Not: Grey Cloud Slough.

Minnesota Geographic Board, Inver Grove and St. Paul Park 1:24; to change generic; present map usage is "slough"; change suggested by Washington County Ed., April 2, 1963; approved by Minnesota Geog. Bd. Feb. 2, 1968; not in a USNF.

Mooers Lake: lake, 1.2 mi. long and 0.2 mi. wide, in the Mississippi River between Lower and Upper Grey Cloud Islands, 3.5 mi. S of the village of Saint Paul Park; named for Hazen Mooers, a fur trader who had a post in the area; Washington Co., Minn.; sec. 30, T 27 N, R 21 W, and secs. 25 and 26, T 27 N, R 22 W, fourth principal mer.; 44°47'43" N, 92°59'30" W. Not: Ealden Lake, Baldwin Lake, Balsam Lake, Medicine Wood Lake, Moore Lake.

Minnesota Geographic Board, Inver Grove and St. Paul Park 1:24; to clarify name and correct spelling; spelled "Moore" on all CS maps and on county map; approved by Minnesota Geog. Bd. Feb. 2, 1968; not in a USNF.

MINNESOTA (Cont.)

\*Nicols: locality, 10 mi. S of Minneapolis; Dakota Co., Minn.;  
44°49'20" N, 93°13'13" W. Not: Nichols, Nicol [former deci-  
sion], Nicol's.

USGS, St. Paul SW 1:24; 1896 decision revised; USGS re-  
ports that local people use the "s" form of the name;  
Warren Upham in "Minnesota Geographic Names" states  
that the original railroad station at the site was named  
for John Nicols, the former owner of the land; not in a  
USNF; no. F. C.

Placid, Lake: reservoir, 2.5 mi. long, formed by damming the Crow  
Wing River 1 mi. SW of Pillager; Cass and Morrison Cos., Minn.;  
sec. 20, T 133 N, R 30 W, fifth principal mer.; 46°18'56" N,  
94°29'05" W [at dam]. Not: Casmer Lake, Pillager Dam Reser-  
voir.

Minnesota Geographic Board, Pillager and Motley SE 1:24;  
to determine name; not named on Federal maps; approved by  
joint resolution of Morrison and Cass County Boards, Nov. 4,  
1965, and by the Minnesota Geog. Bd., Jan. 10, 1966; not in a  
USNF.

Shumway Lake: lake, 0.5 mi. across, 1 mi. SSE of Wolf Lake and 12.5  
mi. SW of Floodwood; Aitkin Co., Minn.; secs. 8 and 9, T 50 N,  
R 22 W, fourth principal mer.; 46°49'45" N, 93°03'45" W. Not:  
Green Lake.

Minnesota Geographic Board, Duluth 1:250; to make official  
the name in use; not named on Federal maps; approved by  
the Minnesota Geog. Bd. Jan. 10, 1966; not in a USNF.

Springsteel Island: island, 0.3 mi. long, in Lake of the Woods 3 mi.  
N of Warroad; Roseau Co., Minn.; 48°56'55" N, 95°18'30" W.  
Not: Springsteel Point.

USGS, Roseau 1:250; to establish a name reported in local  
use; USGS reports that this feature appears to be a point,  
but it is surrounded by either water or muskeg; USDA soil  
map shows recommended name; all other available sources,  
including U.S. Lake Survey Chart No. 84, show variant; not  
in a USNF.

Staring Lake: lake, 0.7 mi. long and 0.5 mi. wide, 1.5 mi. SE of the  
settlement of Eden Prairie and 4.5 mi. NE of Shakopee; named  
for Jonas Staring, a pioneer settler of the area; Hennepin Co.,  
Minn.; secs. 21 and 22, T 116 N, R 22 W, fifth principal mer.;

MINNESOTA (Cont.)

Staring Lake (Cont.)

44°50'15" N, 93°27'15" W. Not: Staring's Lake, Starings Lake, Starring Lake, Starring's Lake, Starrings Lake.

Minnesota Geographic Board, Eden Prairie 1:24; to determine spelling of name; a resolution of the Eden Prairie Village Council, Sept. 26, 1967, approved by Minnesota Geog. Bd. Feb. 2, 1968; not in a USNF.

† Warroad River: stream, 4 mi. long, heads at the junction of its East and West Branches at 48°53'04" N, 95°19'40" W, flows N, then E, to Lake of the Woods at Warroad; Roseau Co., Minn.; sec. 28, T 163 N, R 36 W, fifth principal mer.; 46°54'23" N, 95°17'55" W. Not: River Warroad, War Road River, West Branch Warroad River.

USGS, Roseau 1:250; 1922 decision revised to clarify application in relation to West Branch Warroad River [q.v.]; USGS reports that the recommended application is correct; not in a USNF.

West Branch Warroad River: stream, 16 mi. long, heads at 48°41'50" N, 95°17'12" W, flows N to join the East Branch to form the Warroad River 1.5 mi. S of Warroad; Lake of the Woods and Roseau Cos., Minn.; sec. 5, T 162 N, R 36 W, fifth principal mer.; 48°53'04" N, 95°19'40" W. Not: Clear River, River Warroad, Warroad River.

USGS, Roseau 1:250; submitted to establish name and application in relation to Warroad River [q.v.]; USGS reports that local inhabitants state that this stream has been called West Branch Warroad River for more than 65 years; not in a USNF.

Zebulon Fike Lake: reservoir, 7 mi. long, formed by damming the Mississippi River 8 mi. S of the city of Little Falls; to commemorate Zebulon Fike who wintered and constructed a fort at the mouth of Swan River in 1805, a site now covered by the lake; Morrison Co., Minn.; 45°51'38" N, 94°21'35" W [at dam].

Minnesota Geographic Board, Little Falls 1:62; a name suggested by citizens of Morrison County and approved by the Minnesota Geographic Board Feb. 2, 1968; not previously named on maps; not in a USNF.



UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHIC NAMES  
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MAR 17 1968

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
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Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

We enclose two copies of the Minnesota portion of Docket 88 of the Board on Geographic Names. The two names listed were submitted by field parties of the U.S. Geological Survey. We would appreciate your review of the entries and any appropriate comments.

The list is scheduled to be considered by the Board on April 12. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for your review.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
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Enclosures (2)



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UNITED STATES  
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MAR 28 1968

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Minnesota Historical Society  
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St. Paul, Minnesota 55110

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the following Minnesota names. These decisions will be published in Decision List 6801 and the entries will read as shown on their respective dockets unless otherwise noted.

Docket 108  
Sawtooth Bluff  
Sawtooth Mountains

Docket 111  
Marine on St. Croix (not Marine on Saint Croix)

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names



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APR 25 1968

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Geographic Board  
Minnesota Historical Society  
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St. Paul, Minnesota 55110

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved  
for Federal use all of the Minnesota names on Docket 112.  
These decisions will be published in Decision List 6802 as  
shown on the Docket.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names

Minn.

Docket 113  
(107 Names)

Released April 9, 1968  
For consideration at  
May 14 meeting

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MICHIGAN (Cont.)

~~West Branch Net River (Cont.)~~

~~88°30'10" W. Not: Net River, North Branch Net River. Michigan Board, Iron River 1:250; to standardize the name for publication purposes; the Board of Supervisors of Baraga and Iron Counties approved recommended name; not in a USNF, but shown on Ottawa NF map.~~

MINNESOTA

† Bostick Creek: stream, 4 mi. long, heads at 48°48'17" N, 94°49'05" W, flows NE to Fourmile Bay 12 mi. NW of Baudette; Lake of the Woods Co., Minn.; sec. 21, T 162 N, R 32 W, fifth principal mer.; 48°50'36" N, 94°46'02" W. Not: Bostedt Creek, Bostic Creek, Bostig Creek, Bostik Creek, Buster Creek, Bustig Creek. USGS, Roseau 1:250; 1914 decision revised to include more precise description; not in a USNF.

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records*

Fourmile Bay: bay, 4 mi. long, in Lake of the Woods 12 mi. NW of Baudette; Lake of the Woods Co., Minn.; secs. 15 and 16, T 162 N, R 32 W, fifth principal mer.; 48°52'12" N, 94°41'36" W [E end], 48°51'02" N, 94°46'50" W [W end]. Not: Four Mile Bay. USGS, Roseau 1:250; submitted to establish spelling and location; USGS, AMS, Int. Bdry. Comm. and Canadian Nat. Topo. maps show feature in the United States; USLS chart shows feature extending into Canada; not in a USNF.

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La Salle: village, 8 mi. WNW of Madelia; Watonwan Co., Minn.; secs. 16 and 17, T 107 N, R 31 W, fifth principal mer.; 44°04'15" N, 94°34'10" W. Not: Lasalle, LaSalle. USGS, New Ulm 1:250; to standardize the name for publication purposes; most available sources show recommended form; county court records and local signs, including the P.C. sign, use La Salle; P.C. guide uses Lasalle; not in a NF.

*OK*

Wright Lake: lake, 0.8 mi. long, S of Hoot Lake in the city of Fergus Falls; Otter Tail Co., Minn.; 46°17'13" N, 96°01'42" W. Not: Stump Lake.

Minnesota Geographic Board, Fergus Falls 1:62; to honor the achievements of the pioneer Wright family, especially Vernon Wright; not named on Federal maps; approved by Otter Tail County Commissioners, Dec. 8, 1965, and by Minnesota Geog. Ed., Jan. 10, 1966; not in a USNF.

*OK*

*Jane D. Holmquist  
Minn Geog. Bd.*



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MAY 23 1968

Mrs. June D. Holmquist  
Deputy Secretary, Minnesota  
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Minnesota Historical Society  
Cedar Street and Central Avenue  
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Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use all the Minnesota names on Docket 113. These decisions will be published in Decision List 6802 and the entries will read as shown on the docket.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
Executive Secretary  
Domestic Geographic Names



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Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

We enclose the Minnesota portion of Docket 116 for your information. We would appreciate your review of the entry and any appropriate comments.

The docket is scheduled to be considered by the Board on Geographic Names on August 13. Please notify us before that date if more time is needed for review.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
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Domestic Geographic Names

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Minnesota

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~~MICHIGAN (cont.)~~

~~Swinton Creek: stream, 4.2 mi. long, heads at 43°38'35" N, 86°12'25" W, flows SSE to the North Branch White River 8 mi. WNW of Hesperia; Oceana Co., Mich.; sec. 23, T 14 N, R 16 W, Michigan mer.; 43°35'50" N, 86°11'15" W. Not: Cobmoosa Creek.  
USFS, Hesperia 1:62; USFS reports the recommended name to be well established in local usage; in Manistee NF.~~

MINNESOTA

Lake St. Croix Beach: village, on W shore of Lake Saint Croix 4 mi. S of Hudson, Wisconsin; Washington Co., Minn.; secs. 11 and 14, T 28 N, R 20 W, fourth principal mer.; 44°55'15" N, 92°46'00" W. Not: Lake Saint Croix Beach, St. Croix Beach.  
USGS, Hudson 1:24; to establish a name reported to be used locally; USGS states that the recommended name is used on official records and it is the name under which the village was incorporated; State road and county maps, and two commercial sources show recommended name; USGS, AMS, and USC&GS maps use St. Croix Beach; no P. O.; not in a USNF.

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~~Benton Hollow: ravine, 1.5 mi. long, heads at 37°18'23" N, 91°26'26" W, trends ESE to the Current River 1.3 mi. N of the settlement of Round Spring; Shannon Co., Mo.; sec. 18, T 30 N, R 4 W, fifth principal mer.; 37°17'50" N, 91°24'55" W. Not: Benson Hollow.  
USGS, Round Spring 1:62; submitted to establish spelling of a name that has been in local use for 100 years; USGS reports that this feature was named for the Benton family which lived in the area; it is shown as Benson Hollow on USGS and NF maps; not in a USNF, but shown on Clark NF map.~~

Little Gladden Creek: stream, 9 mi. long, heads at 37°29'48" N, 91°26'08" W, flows SW to Gladden Creek 2.4 mi. NNW of Rector; Dent Co., Mo.; sec. 30, T 32 N, R 5 W, fifth principal mer.; 37°26'22" N, 91°31'25" W. Not: Gladden Waters.  
USGS, Round Spring and Cedargrove 1:62; submitted to establish name reported in local use; USGS reports that this feature is known as Little Gladden Creek by most local people; Gladden Waters shown on USGS and NF maps is ambiguous usage to describe the headwaters of Gladden Creek; Purcell



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Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the Minnesota name Lake St. Croix Beach on Docket 116. This decision will be published in Decision List 6803 and the entry will read as shown on the docket.

Sincerely yours,

J. O. Kilmartin  
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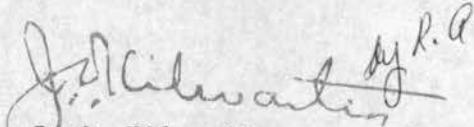
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Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

At its recent meeting the Board on Geographic Names approved for Federal use the Minnesota names Browns Bay and Wiyapka Lake on Docket 118. These decisions will be published in Decision List 6804 and the entries will read as shown on the docket.

Shoepack Lake on Docket 118 was deferred.

Sincerely yours,

  
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