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September 14, 1964

Mr. Samuel J. Sicilia
Planning & Zoning Administrator
St. Louis County
Court House
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Sicilia:

No list of approved names for the streams and lakes of St. Louis County, requested in your letter of September 11, has been compiled. However, the records of the Minnesota Geographic Board, which contain this information, are available in this office. The records are in the form of cards on which decisions of both the state and national geographic boards have been entered. If you, or a member of your staff, wish to visit this office the records will be made available to you. Those for St. Louis County comprise several sizeable drawers.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June B. Holmquist
Deputy to Russell W. Fridley,
Secretary, Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul, Minnesota 55101

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St. Louis County

OFFICE OF PLANNING AND ZONING

PLANNING AND ZONING ADMINISTRATOR
SAMUEL J. SICILIA

Court House • Duluth 2, Minn.
September 11, 1964.

Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Gentlemen:

The County of St. Louis is presently engaged in a planning program which requires the use of base maps. In the preparation of said base maps covering St. Louis County, Minnesota, I am using maps prepared by Federal, State and County agencies and found that in many cases, the names of lakes and streams differed and in some cases, the spelling of the names were different.

Will you kindly advise me if your agency has a list of approved names and locations of the streams and lakes in St. Louis County, Minnesota, and if such a list is available, the fee for said list. If there is no charge, I would appreciate receiving one.

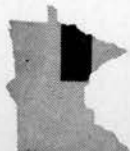
Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours very truly,



Samuel J. Sicilia
Planning & Zoning Administrator

America's Iron Ore Center...



at the Head of the Seaway

St. Louis

January 31, 1964

Mr. Helmer E. Olson, Mgr.
Hibbing Chamber of Commerce
Androy Hotel
Hibbing, Minnesota 55746

Dear Mr. Olson:

At the request of Commissioner Olson, we are sending you material outlining the procedure for changing the name of a geographic feature (lake, island, etc.) in Minnesota. If we can be of further assistance, do not hesitate to call on us.

Very truly yours,

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

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Enclosures



STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION
SAINT PAUL 1

January 28, 1964

Mr. Helmer E. Olson, Manager
Hibbing Chamber of Commerce
Androy Hotel
Hibbing, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Olson:

Thank you for your letter of January 24 in regard to changing the name of Island Lake to North Island Lake.

I am referring your letter to Mr. Russell Fridley, Director of the Minnesota State Historical Society and Secretary of the Minnesota Geographic Board, and am asking him to send you information regarding the procedure necessary to change the name of a lake.

Very truly yours,

Wayne H. Olson
Commissioner of Conservation

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CC; R. Fridley ✓
Enc.

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January 24, 1964

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Wayne Olson
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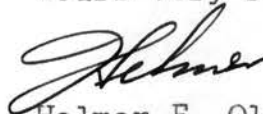
Dear Wayne:

Have been working with our local ARA group on a recreation area at Island Lake located in Sections 10, 11, 14, 15, Township 59N, Range 21W. The project already has tentative approval of ARA.

In connection with the project it was discussed about changing the name of the lake to maybe "North" Island Lake because there are so many Island Lakes in the State of Minnesota.

The state has finally completed its inventory of lakes and it would seem logical to me to work on a project that would eliminate the duplication of lake names. Will your office please send me information necessary to accomplish this objective.

Yours very truly,



Helmer E. Olson, Mgr.

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May 7, 1962

Mr. Robert D. Daugherty, Deputy
Office of County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Daugherty:

In December, 1960, you forwarded to this board a petition to officially name Maki Creek in St. Louis County. Before the State Board met to consider this matter, the United States Board on Geographic Names formally approved the designation of Maki Creek. Its decision is published in List No. 6101.

The action of the national board makes unnecessary any action in addition by the State Board. We therefore wish to notify you that this matter is no longer pending before the state board, and that the stream in question is known officially as Maki Creek. It will be so entered in our records.

Very truly yours,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist
Deputy Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

December 20, 1960

Mr. Robert D. Daugherty, Deputy
Office of County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth, Minnesota

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of three certified copies of resolutions adopted by your Board relative to a hearing for naming Maki Creek.

If your Board acts favorably upon this matter, please forward 2 certified copies of future resolutions concerning it, a copy of the original petition, petitioners' bond, and affidavit of 3 weeks publication in legal newspapers of St. Louis County. The matter can then be considered by the State Board at its next meeting.

Very truly yours,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist, Deputy
to Russell W. Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society

St. Louis Co.

March 2, 1961

Mr. Andrew Korda
County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Attention: Robert D. Daugherty

Dear Sir:

On January 9, 1961, the St. Louis Board of County Commissioners approved a petition by H. E. Lager and others to name "Maki Creek" in Section 25, Township 61 North, Range 18 West in honor of Mr. Axel Maki who lives and resides on this property. Copies of the resolution with other necessary documents were forwarded on January 13 for consideration by the Minnesota Geographic Board.

It will be some time before the State Geographic Board meets. When it does, it will be forced to disapprove the petition regarding Maki Creek as it now stands. Both the State Geographic Board and the United States Board (which has final authority) have rules prohibiting the naming of geographic features for living persons.

It occurs to me that if Mr. Maki's family has resided on this stream for some time, perhaps the stream could be named for his family if his father or grandfather lived in the area. In this way, the family might be honored and Mr. Maki's name perpetuated.

If your Commissioners would like to review this matter and if the petitioners find it possible to revise their petition, we could then bring the matter before the State Board and hope for more favorable action.

May I have your reaction to this suggestion?

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holquist
Deputy to Russell W. Fridley,
Secretary, Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

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"Keep Minnesota Green"



COUNTY OF SAINT LOUIS

ANDREW KORDA

AUDITOR

ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINN.

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DULUTH 2, MINN.
January 31, 1961

Mrs. June D. Holmquist, Deputy to
Russell W. Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minn.

Dear Mrs. Holmquist:

In reply to your letter of January 17, 1961, in which you asked the following questions regarding the naming of Maki Creek in Section 25, Township 61, Range 18, we wish to advise that Mr. Axel Maki is still living and is residing on the land in question.

We trust this is the information you are seeking. If not, please advise.

Yours very truly,

ANDREW KORDA, County Auditor

By *Robert D. Daugherty*
Clerk of County Board

RDD/p

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: **691** Adopted **November 28,** 19 **60**By Commissioner **HULTSTRAND:**

WHEREAS, A petition by H. E. Lager, et. al., representing fifteen or more legal voters residing in St. Louis County, has been presented to this Board, requesting that a body of water situated in Section 25, Township 61 North, Range 18 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, running roughly North to the South, not now named, be officially named "Maki Creek"; and

WHEREAS, In the judgment of this Board, the petition of H. E. Lager, et. al., for the naming of "Maki Creek", located in Section 25, Township 61 North, Range 18 West, of the Fourth Principal Meridian, running roughly North to the South, is reasonable on its face.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That a hearing be had upon said petition in the County Board Room, Court House, Duluth, on Monday, January 9, 1960, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at which hearing all citizens and parties in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard on the proposed naming of "Maki Creek".

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the County Auditor of St. Louis County shall cause to be published once each week, for three consecutive weeks, in the official newspaper of the County, a notice of time, place and purpose of this hearing.

Commissioner **Hultstrand** moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: **Yeas--Commissioners McKeever, Priley, Ostdahl, Hultstrand and Vice-Chairman Theobald--5**
Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis

Andrew Korda
I, **W. H. Borgen**, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the **28th** day of **November** A. D. 19 **60** and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this **30th** day of **November** A. D. 19**60**

ANDREW KORDA
~~W. H. BORGES~~ County Auditor.

By *Robert O. Daugherty*
Clerk of County Board.

State

January 17, 1961

Mr. Andrew Korda, County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Attn: Robert D. Laugherty

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of January 13 with its accompanying documents regarding the naming of Maki Creek in Section 25, Township 61 North, Range 18 West.

Before we can bring this matter to the attention of the State Geographic Board it will be necessary for us to know whether the Axel Maki for whom this stream is to be named is still living and holding this land. Will you answer this question for us at your earliest convenience, please?

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist, Deputy to
Russell W. Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society

"Keep Minnesota Green"

ANDREW KORDA
AUDITOR

ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINN.

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DULUTH 2, MINN.

January 13, 1961



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COUNTY OF SAINT LOUIS

Mr. Russell W. Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Fridley:

We herewith enclose three copies of Resolution No. 33 adopted by the St. Louis County Board on January 9, 1961, for the naming of "Maki Creek" located in Section 25, Township 61 North, Range 18 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, together with copies of each of the following:

1. Petition
2. Affidavit of Publication in Legal Newspaper of St. Louis County for three weeks.

(Inasmuch as publication costs were paid in advance, the bond requirement was waived.)

After the Resolution has been endorsed by your Board, and proper notification has been made to the U. S. Board of Geographical Names, we will appreciate a proper notation on a copy of County Board Resolution No. 33, and return to us for filing in the office of the Register of Deeds.

Very truly yours,

ANDREW KORDA, County Auditor

By *Robert D. Daugherty*
Clerk of County Board

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Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: 33

Adopted

January 9, 19 61

By Commissioner AHOLA:

WHEREAS, A hearing was held on this date, upon the petition presented to this Board by H. E. Lager, et. al., for the naming of "Maki Creek" located in Section 25, Township 61 North, Range 18 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, and

WHEREAS, Notice of said hearing has been published for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of this County; and

WHEREAS, This Board, on this date, held a hearing on the matter to give citizens and parties in interest an opportunity to be heard and no one appeared in opposition thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the prayer of the petition is hereby ordered granted and the body of water situated in Section 25, Township 61 North, Range 18 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, running roughly North to the South, is hereby officially named "Maki Creek", subject to final approval thereof by the Minnesota State Geographic Board and the United States Board of Geographic Names, as required by law.

Commissioner Ahola moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners Anderson, Priley, Ahola, Gorham, Hultstrand and Chairman Theobald--6
Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis ANDREW KORDA,

I, [REDACTED] Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 9th day of January A. D. 19 61, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 11th day of January A. D. 19 61 ANDREW KORDA,

[REDACTED] County Auditor.

By

Robert D. Daugherty
Clerk of County Board.

A PETITION

To the Board of County Commissioners of Saint Louis County:

We, the undersigned legal voters residing within Saint Louis County, hereby petition your honorable board that a Stream (lake or stream), now named none, which is located in Saint Louis County in Section 25- Twp 61 N. - Range 18 West- running roughly North to the South. (Give legal description)

shall be officially named Maki Creek for the

following reasons: 1. To Honor Axel Maki, an old pioneer through whose lands the creek heads and flows. 2. To end the confusion in this area that this is the headwaters of Puutio Creek (Puutio Creek is where this creek flows into) 3. To aid Sportsmen in locating this trout stream. 4. To end the confusion existing between the County, State and Federal government maps in the listing of this proposed stream-Maki, Puutio and Walberg Creeks.

Dated November 18, 1964

Signed

- | Name | Address |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1. A. E. Laque | 201-710-9047, Virginia Minn |
| 2. Dale W. Nelson | Box 62 Forbes, Minn. |
| 3. Bruno Mikula | Rt. 1, Box 284 Embarrass Minn |
| 4. LeRoy Walby | 915 1/2 - 9th St. Virginia Minn |
| 5. A. K. Peterson | 1408 - 9th St. So. Virginia Minn |
| 6. H. D. Pautowitz | 3520 3rd Ave W. Hibbing, Minn |
| 7. William E. Johnson | Rt. 1, Mt. Iron, Minn |
| 8. Walter Toikkala | 2801 1/2 - 3rd Ave E Hibbing Minn |
| 9. Monte Jarvis | 1101 - 13th St. South - Virginia Minn |
| 10. Don Salo | 2801 - 3rd Ave E Hibbing Minn |
| 11. Gus C. Williams | 532 - 3rd St. So. Virginia |
| 12. Emmi Niemi | 603 - 9th St. So. Virginia |
| 13. John W. Hill | Angora Minn |
| 14. W. Thomas Kuusisto | 213 - 2nd St. N. Virginia, Minn |
| 15. John A. Koski | Midway Virginia Minn |

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of St. Louis

Affidavit of Publication.

ss.

Clark Kennedy

.....being duly sworn, on oath says: that he is, and during all the times herein stated has been the publisher or printer in charge of the newspaper known as The Labor World, and has full knowledge of the facts hereinafter

stated; that for more than one year prior to the publication therein of the.....

Notice

..... hereinafter described, said newspaper was printed and published in the City of Duluth, in the County of St. Louis, State of Minnesota, each week, that during all said time said newspaper has been printed in the English language from its known office of publication within the city of Duluth from which it purports to be issued as above stated in newspaper form at and in column and sheet form equivalent in space to at least 450 running inches of single column, two inches wide; has been issued each week from a known office established in said place of publication and employing skilled workmen and equipped with the necessary material for preparing and printing the same and the presswork on that part of the newspaper devoted to local news of interest to the community which it purports to serve, was done in its known office of publication; that during all said time in its makeup not less than twenty-five per cent of its news columns have been devoted to local news of interest to the community it purports to serve; that during all said time it has not wholly duplicated any other publication, and has not been entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements; has been circulated in and near its said place of publication to the extent of at least two hundred and forty (240) copies regularly delivered to paying subscribers and has entry as second class matter in its local postoffice; and that there has been on file in the office of the County Auditor of St. Louis County, Minnesota, the affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts, showing the name and location of said newspaper and the existence of the conditions constituting its qualifications as a legal newspaper.

Notice of Public Hearing on Proposed naming of "Maki Creek" In Section 25, Township 61 North, Range 18 West.

That the.....hereto attached was cut from the columns of said newspaper, and was printed and published therein in the English language, once each week, for... Three successive weeks; that it was

first so published on Thursday 1 day of December 1960,

and thereafter on Thursday.....of each week to and including the

15 day of December 1960; and that the following is a printed copy of the lower case alphabet from A to Z, both inclusive, and is hereby acknowledged as being the size and kind of type used in the composition and publication of said notice, to-wit:

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz-6 pt.

(This form complies with Sections 10935, 10936, M. M. S. 1927, as amended by L. 39, C. 128.)

Clark Kennedy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of December 1960.

Edna Gross

Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minnesota.

My Commission Expires Nov. 29, 1965

My commission expires.....19.....

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED NAMING OF "MAKI CREEK" IN SECTION 25, TOWNSHIP 61 NORTH, RANGE 18 WEST.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC HEARING will be held by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota, in the County Board Room, Court House, Duluth, Minnesota, on Monday, January 9, 1961, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at which hearing all citizens and parties in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard on the proposed naming of "Maki Creek," which body of water lies in Section 25, Township 61 North, Range 18 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the County Auditor of St. Louis County shall cause to be published once each week for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of the County, a notice of the time, place and purpose of this hearing. By Order of the Board of County Commissioners, November 28, 1960.

ANDREW KORDA
County Auditor
(Seal of County Auditor)
LW-Dec. 1, 8, 15, 1960.



JOHN A. BLATNIK
8TH DISTRICT, MINNESOTA
328 HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING

COMMITTEES:
PUBLIC WORKS
GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

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Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

412 Federal Building
Duluth, Minnesota
September 19, 1960



Mr. Russell W. Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Fridley:

Several folks in my district, and particularly among them Dr. H. E. Lager of Virginia, are desirous of having the name Maki Creek applied to a tributary to Walberg Creek in St. Louis County, Minnesota.

I am informed that this proposal is now under consideration by the U.S. Board on Geographic Names, and inasmuch as the Federal Board is in touch with the State Board on these matters, I am hopeful that your office might be of assistance.

We will be grateful for any help you can give us to have the name Maki Creek become a reality.

My best wishes.

Sincerely yours,

John A. Blatnik
John A. Blatnik, M. C.

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September 26, 1960

The Honorable John A. Blatnik
United States Congressman
412 Federal Building
Fuluth, Minnesota

Dear Representative Blatnik:

I have your letter of September 19 regarding the interest of Dr. Lager and others in naming a tributary of Walberg Creek Maki Creek.

I should be happy to present this proposal to the next meeting of the Minnesota Geographic Board. Also, I am enclosing a copy of the procedure for naming or re-naming geographical features. It will be necessary for Dr. Lager and those interested to present the petition which must be acted upon by the county board before the state board can consider it.

With best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Russell W. Fridley
Director

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St. John Co.

CLARENCE A. DARROW, A. B., M. D.

INTERNAL MEDICINE
807 ROSHEK BUILDING
DUBUQUE, IOWA

August 13, 1953

Chester S. Wilson, Commissioner,
Dept. of Conservation Room 356
State Office Bldg.
St. Paul, Minnesota

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Department of Conservation
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Answered

Dear Mr. Wilson,

A few days ago I returned from a wonderful vacation at Hoppa's Landing, Lake Kabetogama, Minnesota. My first vacation there was in 1922 and I am very much interested in that country and own land near there. My grandfather Matt Hoppa with his four sons, Isadore, Matt Jr., George, and John homesteaded as many farms about the lake and the Hoppa name belongs to the pioneer history of the country. I hope the name Hoppa will be again given to the place instead of Kabetogama on the map.

Respectfully submitted,

Clarence A. Darrow

CHESTER S. WILSON
COMMISSIONER
E. V. WILLARD
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER



DIVISION OF FORESTRY
CLARENCE PROUT
DIRECTOR

F - History

ST. PAUL 1, MINN.

September 30, 1953

Mrs. Mary Berthel
Minnesota Historical Society
Historical Building

Dear Mary:

The enclosed letter from Dr. Clarence A. Darrow, addressed to Commissioner Wilson, has been answered by both Mr. Wilson and Mr. Prout. They assured Dr. Darrow that the name "Gappa's Landing" would not be forgotten by those who are familiar with the history of that region.

Recalling your talk on place names, it occurred to me that you might be interested in this letter - unless you are already familiar with the information contained in it. (We have made a copy of it for our files.)

Sincerely,

For the Director
Division of Forestry

Betty Bachmann
Secretary

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Have you seen the Jacques recently?



St. Louis Co.

M. J. HOFFMANN
COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS

O. L. KIPP
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER
AND CHIEF ENGINEER

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

1246 UNIVERSITY AVENUE
SAINT PAUL 4, MINN.

August 7, 1951

J. E. P. DARREL
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AND SURVEYS

C. L. METHVEN
CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER

C. L. MOTL
MAINTENANCE ENGINEER



Mrs. Berthel
State Geographic Board
Historical Society Building
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Dear Mrs. Berthel: Re: Culkin Lake

Enclosed please find copies of letters
in connection with the naming of Culkin Lake, which is being
accepted as the headwaters of the St. Louis River instead of
the heretofore Seven Beaver Lake.

Yours very truly,

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

P. J. McCauley
Senior Engineer

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September 13, 1946

Mr. Edward Greve
Two Harbors High School
Two Harbors, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Greve:

The other day you were in the office inquiring as to the origin of the name "Lake Culkin" which is the direct head of the Laurentian System. I am quite certain that the first reference and first suggestion ever made as to this name is found in the article "Political Development of Lake County" on pages fourteen and fifteen which I quote verbatim:

"The problem of finding the true head of the St. Louis River was similar to that of finding the source of the Mississippi. For a long time, it was supposed that the St. Louis River had its source in Seven Beaver Lake, located in Township 58-12 in St. Louis County. However, the waters from this river have been traced into a small lake or pond surrounded by a spruce swamp located in Section 17 of Township 59-11 in Lake County. As far as can be determined, this lake as yet has no official name and it is suggested that it be named after the Honorable William E. Culkin, for many years the Executive President of the St. Louis County Historical Society and without question the outstanding historian at the Head of the Head of the Lakes."

This suggestion was followed out and eventually this little lake was named "Lake Culkin."

I am sure you will find that it is a much easier task to find out the origin of the name of the lake at the source of the Laurentian System than it is to find out the origin of the name of the lake which is the direct head of the Mississippi.

Yours sincerely,

S/hl

William E. Scott

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September 16, 1937

Lake County Board of Commissioners
Two Harbors, Minnesota

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to inform you that the State Geographic Board, at a meeting held today, accepted your recommendation that the lake located in Section 17, Township 59 N., Range 11, W. of the 4th P. M. in Lake County, be named Lake Culkin, in honor of the many services of the Hon. William E. Culkin of Duluth.

The State Board is forwarding a record of its action to the National Geographic Board, with recommendation that the name thus approved by the state, be accepted the the National Government.

Respectfully yours,

Herman C. Wenzel - Chairman
State Geographic Board

March 11, 1952

Judge William E. Scott
Two Harbors, Minnesota

Dear Judge Scott:

Some time ago Mr. McCauley of the State Highway Department asked me to send you information about the action of the State Geographic Board on the naming of Lake Culkin. The other day he telephoned to ask if I had heard from you. I remembered that I had signed a letter to you on the eve of my departure on a vacation. I looked in our files for the copy, but was unable to find it. So, in case you failed to receive it, I have looked up the information again -- and here it is:

On the original government surveys the lake bore no name. U. S. Grant, the geologist, named it "St. Louis Lake," and the early timber cruisers knew it by that name. On the Forest Service maps it appeared as "Snowshoe Lake."

After the Lake County Board of Commissioners passed a resolution to name the lake "Lake Culkin," in honor of William E. Culkin of Duluth, the State Geographic Board on September 16, 1937, adopted the name "Lake Culkin." The various map-making agencies were notified of the change in name at the time. I note that on the 1952 State Highway Map the name is given as "Lake Culkin."

Sincerely,

Mrs. Mary W. Berthel
Associate Editor

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WILLIAM E. SCOTT
ATTORNEY AT LAW
TWO HARBORS, MINNESOTA

24 March 52

Mrs. Mary W. Berthel
Associate Editor
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Dear Mrs. Berthel:

I want to thank you for the additional information in connection with Lake Culkin as contained in your letter of March 11, 1952. This letter gave me additional information in connection with this lake which I appreciate.

I note that it once bore the name of St. Louis Lake, later the name Snowshoe Lake, and locally it went by the name of Mud Lake until it took the name of Lake Culkin. I think it is beginning to appear on modern maps as Lake Culkin. At least I write a map publishing company if I see a map put out by them with any of the old names on it or with the lake unnamed.

We are very proud in Lake County - we were instrumental in naming this lake in honor of the late William E. Culkin who I at least consider the outstanding local historian of the Head of the Lakes. I do not believe anyone up here surpassed him with respect to the number and quality of his articles. Lake Culkin is a true source of the Laurentian River system. While its source may never be as famous and is certainly not as scenic as the source of the Mississippi River in Itasca Park, yet, in time, it may become well known.

Yours sincerely,

William E. Scott

William E. Scott

Secretary Lake County Historical Society

WES/gw

DATE : September 8, 1959

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office Memorandum

DEPARTMENT Conservation - Administration

TO : Russell W. Fridley, Director, Minnesota Historical Society

FROM : George A. Selke, Commissioner

SUBJECT: Louis J. Blais, Box 66, Floodwood, Minnesota

Mr. Blais was in my office last week and expressed his disappointment that Hockey or Mud Lake, St. Louis County, was not named Blais Lake. You will recall that the Geographic Board took no action because of our policy not to name lakes in honor of living people. He raised the question whether or not action could be taken now to have his name given to the lake when he passes away. I told him I would bring it to the attention of the Board.

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October 31, 1960

Mr. W. H. Borgen, County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Dear Sir:

This is to inform you that the name Turpela Lake (approved by the St. Louis County Board of Commissioners Resolution 271 and by the Minnesota Board of Geographic Names, June 23, 1959) was officially accepted by the United States Board on Geographic Names, October 13, 1960. The U.S. board's acceptance of this name makes it official nationally.

The national board's ruling reads as follows: "Turpela Lake: lake about 0.4 mile across, about 2.2 miles south of the confluence of the Saint Louis River and Partridge River and about 4.8 miles south of Aurora; reported to be the name of a pioneer family who homesteaded near this lake; Saint Louis County, Minnesota; sec. 34, T. 58 N., R. 15 W. and sec. 3, T. 57 N., R. 15 W., fifth principal meridian; 47° 27'40" N., 92° 14'00" W."

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist
Deputy to Russell W. Fridley,
Secretary, Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

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July 2, 1959

Mr. W. H. Borgen
County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Att: Mr. O. L. Perry

Dear Mr. Perry:

We regret that the location of Turpela Lake given in our letter of June 24 in the recent decision of the Minnesota Geographic Board is inaccurate. Will you see that the following correct description of the lake's location is transmitted to the Register of Deeds:

The name Turpela Lake was approved by the state board on June 23, 1959, for a body of water in Township 58 North, Range 15 West, sections 34, 35 of St. Louis County.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist
Deputy to Russell W. Fridley,
Secretary, Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

JDH:pns

June 24, 1959

Mr. W. H. Borgen, County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Attention: Mr. O. L. Perry

Dear Mr. Perry:

This is to inform you that the Minnesota Geographic Board on June 23, 1959, approved the following name submitted to the State Board by the Commissioners of St. Louis County:

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Turpela Lake, in Township 50 North, Range 20 West, sections 27, 34, St. Louis County, Minnesota. (No other name in use). So named April 14, 1958, by the St. Louis County Board of Commissioners upon petition by local residents who wished to make official the name in use honoring members of a pioneer family who homesteaded on the lake.

The resolution duly endorsed by members of the Board, is enclosed for filing in the office of the Register of Deeds. Notice of the State Board's action will be forwarded to the United States Board on Geographic Names whose acceptance is necessary to make the name official nationally.

A second resolution adopted by the St. Louis County Board of Commissioners on November 10, 1958, designating that a body of water in Township 50 North, Range 20 West, sections 27 and 34 be officially named Blais Lake was not approved. It is against the policies of both the State Board and the United States Board on Geographic Names to name geographic features for living persons. The petition accompanying this resolution noted that the lake was unnamed. Our records show that it is variously known as Hockey Lake or Mud Lake. On the basis of present evidence, the State Board would probably designate this feature Hockey Lake. Before taking such action, however, it would welcome additional comments or suggestions from your board or from residents living on the lake.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist
Deputy to Russell W. Fridley,
Secretary, Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

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WALTER H. BORGEN
AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINN.

I. A. FINK, Chief Deputy *

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O. L. Perry	Clerk, County Board
Victor Ringsred	Delinquent Taxes
Lawrence Rolla	Property Records and Levies
F. M. Bocchiardi	Tax Forfeited Lands

DULUTH 2, MINN.
April 18, 1958

Mr Russell W Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St Paul 1, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Fridley:

We herewith enclose three copies of Resolution No. 271, adopted by the St. Louis County Board on April 14, 1958, re-naming "Turpela Lake" to be officially known as "Turpela Lake", located in Sections 34 and 35, Township 58 North, Range 15 West, together with certified copies of each of the following:

1. Petition
2. Affidavit of Publication in Legal Newspaper of St. Louis County for three weeks.

(Inasmuch as publication costs were paid in advance, the bond requirement was waived).

After the resolution has been endorsed by your Board, and proper notification has been made to the U. S. Board of Geographical Names, we will appreciate a proper notation on a copy of County Board Resolution No. 271, and return to us for filing in the office of the Register of Deeds.

Very truly yours,

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By

O. L. Perry
Clerk of County Board

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Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: 271

Adopted April 14

19 58

By Commissioner AHOLA:

WHEREAS, a hearing was held on this date, upon the petition presented to this Board by Richard D. Cunningham, et. al., for the naming of a lake, now commonly known as "Turpela Lake" to "Turpela Lake", located in Sections 34 and 35, Township 58 North, Range 15 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian; and

WHEREAS, notice of said hearing has been published for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of this County; and

WHEREAS, This Board, on this date, held a hearing on the matter to give citizens and parties in interest an opportunity to be heard and no one appeared in opposition thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the prayer of the petition is hereby ordered granted and the lake now commonly known as "Turpela Lake" is hereby officially named "Turpela Lake", subject to final approval thereof by the Minnesota State Geographic Board and the United States Board of Geographic Names, as required by law.

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Commissioner Ahola moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yea--Commissioners McKeever, Solen, Theobald, Ahola and Chairman Miltstrand--5
Naye--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.
County of St. Louis

I, W. H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 14th day of April A. D. 19 58 and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 15th day of April A. D. 19 58

W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor.

By J. S. Perry
Clerk of County Board.

Approved June 23, 1957

Russell W. Fridley } 20 L.

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

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Commissioner Ahola moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners McKeever, Solem, Theobald, Ahola and Chairman Multstrand--5 Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis

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W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor.

By J. Perry Clerk of County Board.

Russell W. Fridley } To R.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of St. Louis

Affidavit of Publication.

.....Clark Kennedy.....being duly sworn, on oath says: that he is, and during all the times herein stated has been the publisher or printer in charge of the newspaper known as The Labor World, and has full knowledge of the facts hereinafter stated; that for more than one year prior to the publication therein of the.....

Notice

.....hereinafter described, said newspaper was printed and published in the City of Duluth, in the County of St. Louis, State of Minnesota, each week, that during all said time said newspaper has been printed in the English language from its known office of publication within the city of Duluth from which it purports to be issued as above stated in newspaper form at and in column and sheet form equivalent in space to at least 450 running inches of single column, two inches wide; has been issued each week from a known office established in said place of publication and employing skilled workmen and equipped with the necessary material for preparing and printing the same and the presswork on that part of the newspaper devoted to local news of interest to the community which it purports to serve, was done in its known office of publication; that during all said time in its makeup not less than twenty-five per cent of its news columns have been devoted to local news of interest to the community it purports to serve; that during all said time it has not wholly duplicated any other publication, and has not been entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements; has been circulated in and near its said place of publication to the extent of at least two hundred and forty (240) copies regularly delivered to paying subscribers and has entry as second class matter in its local postoffice; and that there has been on file in the office of the County Auditor of St. Louis County, Minnesota, the affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts, showing the name and location of said newspaper and the existence of the conditions constituting its qualifications as a legal newspaper.

Notice of Public Hearing on Proposed Naming of "Turpela Lake" in Sec. 34 & 35, Twp. 58, N., Range 15 W.

That the "Lake" in Sec. 34 & 35, Twp. 58, N., Range 15 W. hereto attached was cut from the columns of said newspaper, and was printed and published therein in the English language, once each week, for.....Three.....successive weeks; that it was

first so published on.....Thursday.....the 27th day of February.....1958.....

and thereafter on.....Thursday.....of each week to and including the

.....13th.....day of.....March.....1958.....; and that the following is a

printed copy of the lower case alphabet from A to Z, both inclusive, and is hereby acknowledged as being the size and kind of type used in the composition and publication of said notice, to-wit:

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(This form complies with Sections 10935, 10936, M. M. S. 1927, as amended by L. 39, C. 128.)

.....Clark Kennedy.....

subscribed and sworn to before me this.....13th.....day of.....March.....1958.....

.....Edna Kniss.....

Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minn.

My commission expires Nov. 10, 1958

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED NAMING OF "TURPELA LAKE" IN SECTIONS 34 AND 35, TOWNSHIP 58 NORTH, RANGE 15 WEST.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC HEARING will be held by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota, in the County Board Room, Court House, Duluth, Minnesota, on Monday, April 14, 1958, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at which hearing the citizens and parties in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard on the proposed naming of "Turpela Lake," which body of water lies in Sections 34 and 35, Township 58 North, Range 15 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the County Auditor of St. Louis County shall cause to be published once each week for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of the County, a notice of the time, place and purpose of this hearing.

By Order of the Board of County Commissioners, February 24, 1958.

W. H. BORGEN

County Auditor

(Seal of County Auditor)

LF - Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 1958.

I hereby certify that this Affidavit of Publication is a true copy of the original Affidavit of Publication filed in my office on March 13, 1958.

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By

.....J. Perry.....
Clerk of County Board

To the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County:

We, the undersigned legal voters residing within St. Louis County, hereby petition your honorable board that a Lake,
(lake or stream)
now named Turpela Lake, which is located in St. Louis
County in T. 58 N., R. 15 W., 34 and 35
(Give legal description)

shall be officially named Turpela Lake for the
following reasons:

Since 1905 or so, when the Turpela family settled on the shores of this lake, it has been known as "TURPELA LAKE".

We think that the name is appropriate to be continued in the future and wish to urge that the name be designated the legal and permanent name.

The Turpela family homesteaded on the lake as above mentioned, raised a family, of which one of the sons, Arvo Turpela, now deceased, was a veteran of World War 2. The other male members of the family- Nestor Turpela the father and Wilho Turpela the other son- are now deceased.

Dated Jan. 20, 1958.

Signed

	Name	Address
1	<u>Richard O Cunningham</u>	<u>Paul Sektors</u>
2	<u>Joan M. Peterson</u>	<u>Virginia Thompson</u>
3	<u>Roy A. Leiviska</u>	<u>Virginia Thompson</u>
4	<u>E. Mason Leiviska</u>	
5	<u>Ed. Richards</u>	
6	<u>Thomas J. West</u>	
7	<u>Napoleon Laisel</u>	
8	<u>Benhart Maki</u>	
9	<u>Anton Laitt</u>	
10	<u>Jatou J. Blund</u>	
11	<u>Francis Stehety</u>	
12	<u>Warpae Maki</u>	
13	<u>Syrene Maki</u>	
14	<u>Stephen R. Engst</u>	
15	<u>Helmi Engst</u>	
16	<u>Adolph Laita</u>	

I hereby certify that this is a true copy of the original filed in my office on January 22, 1958.

W. H. ROBERTS, County Auditor

By J. Berry
Clerk of County Board

April 21, 1958

Mr. W. H. Borgen
County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Borgen:

This will acknowledge the safe receipt of the county board's resolution together with the petition requesting that the name Turpela Lake be made official. You will be notified when the State Geographic Board has acted on this request.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist
Deputy to Russell W. Fridley,
Secretary, Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

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OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINNESOTA

Duluth, Minnesota

February 28, 1958

Mrs. June Holmquist
Deputy to Russell Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Dear Madam:

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of St. Louis, we enclose
herewith2..... certified copies of resolutions adopted by the said Board on February 24, 1958:

#167 Setting date of hearing for official naming of "Turpela Lake".

Yours very truly,

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By

A. H. Perry
Deputy

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: 167

Adopted February 24

1958

By Commissioner AHOLA:

WHEREAS, A petition by Richard D. Cunningham, et. al., representing fifteen or more legal voters residing in St. Louis County, has been presented to this Board, requesting that a body of water situated in Sections 34 and 35, Township 58 North, Range 15 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, now known as "Turpela Lake" be officially named "Turpela Lake"; and

WHEREAS, In the judgment of this Board, the petition of Richard D. Cunningham, et. al., for the naming of "Turpela Lake" (now commonly called "Turpela Lake") located in Sections 34 and 35, Township 58 North, Range 15 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, is reasonable on its face.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That a hearing be had upon said petition in the County Board Room, Court House, Duluth, on Monday, April 14, 1958, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at which hearing all citizens and parties in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard on the proposed naming of "Turpela Lake".

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the County Auditor of St. Louis County shall cause to be published once each week, for three consecutive weeks, in the official newspaper of the County, a notice of the time, place and purpose of this hearing.

Commissioner Ahola moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners McKeever, Solem, Theobald, Ahola, Ost Dahl and Chairman Hultstrand--6
Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis

I, W. H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 24th day of February A. D. 1958, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 25th day of February A. D. 1958

W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor.

By

D. H. Perry
Clerk of County Board.

Mrs. June O. Holmgren
Deputy to Russell Fridley
Sec. Minn. Geographic Bd.
Minn. Geog. Soc.
St. Paul

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STATE OF MINNESOTA

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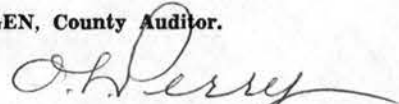
County of St. Louis

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W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor.

By



Clerk of County Board.

Mrs. June O. Helmgren

January 16, 1958

Mrs. Mae Turpela
Box 802
Aurora, Minnesota

Dear Mrs. Turpela:

Dr. Selke brought your letter of October 22, addressed to Congressman Blatnik, to the attention of the Minnesota Geographic Board at its December meeting.

In order to legalize the name Turpela for the lake on your property in St. Louis County, T. 58 N, R. 15 W, sections 34 and 35, it will be necessary for you to follow the procedure described in the enclosed mimeographed material. Under the law, the State Geographic Board cannot act in this matter until the name has been approved by the local residents and the St. Louis County Board of Commissioners.

According to the State Board's records, the name Turpela Lake is and had been in use for this body of water. Thus, I do not think you will have any trouble in obtaining the necessary approval.

If you have additional questions about this matter, do not hesitate to write to me.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist
Deputy to Russell W. Fridley,
Secretary, Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

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Enclosures 2

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STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION
SAINT PAUL 1

Mrs. Mae Turpela
Box 802
Aurora, Minnesota

Dear Mrs. Turpela:

I have a copy of your letter of October 22nd, addressed to our mutual friend, Congressman John A. Blatnik. It has been forwarded to me for consideration by Mr. L. J. Andolsek, Administrative Assistant to the Congressman.

I share your high regard for both Congressman Blatnik and Mr. Andolsek. Our government is in good hands when people of their ability and integrity serve us.

I am assuming that you are requesting that the name Turpela Lake receive official recognition. This request will need to be considered by the State Geographic Board, of which I happen to be the chairman. Our next meeting will be sometime during the month of December. I shall see that your request receives proper consideration. If necessary to have additional information I shall write to you again.

Very truly yours,

George A. Selke
Commissioner of Conservation

GAS/R
CC/Congressman Blatnik
State Geographic Board ✓

October 30, 1957

Mrs. Mae Turpela
Box 802
Aurora, Minnesota

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Commissioner of Conservation

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State Geographic Board

JOHN A. BLATNIK
8TH DISTRICT, MINNESOTA
328 HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING

COMMITTEES:
PUBLIC WORKS
GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

Congress of the United States
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

RECEIVED
Department of Conservation
Administration
OCT 29 1957

Answered

412 Federal Building
Duluth, Minnesota
October 28, 1957

Dr. George A. Selke
Commissioner
State Conservation Commission
State of Minnesota
St. Paul, Minnesota

Dear Commissioner Selke:

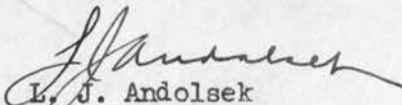
Accompanying this letter is copy of communication
Congressman Blatnik received from a constituent, Mrs. Mae
Turpela of Aurora, Minnesota.

Please advise whether or not her request can be
granted.

I hope to be seeing you before you receive this
letter as I will be in the Twin Cities on Monday to meet
the boss.

My best wishes.

Sincerely,


L. J. Andolsek
Administrative Assistant

LJA:gl
Enc.

Aurora, Minnesota
Oct. 22, 1957
Box 802

Dear Mr. Blatnik:

I'm writing you, asking for help or advise. I feel as though you're my friend, I've always voted for you, and listened to your speeches. You are a very interesting Rep. of our state, and most helpful.

This is my problem or favor. My husband passed away last May 3, 1956. I have two daughters, ages 15 and 16. We have property listed in this description:

NE- $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 34T58-R.15
Lot 3 Sec. 34-T58-R.15 - 23 $\frac{3}{4}$ Ac.

St. Louis Co.
This property is in Palo, Town of White. There is a lake along this property, known as Turpela Lake. My husband's parents were the first settlers on this property. They are both passed on. I would like to have this Turpela Lake legalized, in my husband's parents memory, or the Turpela Family. My husband's brother, Arvo J. Turpela was a World War II veteran, wounded in action in Italy.

I'll appreciate your help in this matter very much.

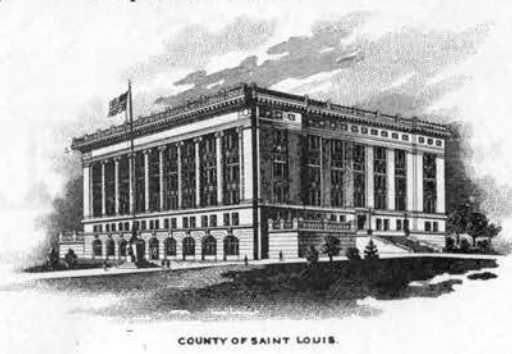
Yours truly,

Mrs. Mae Turpela

P. S. May I hear from you.

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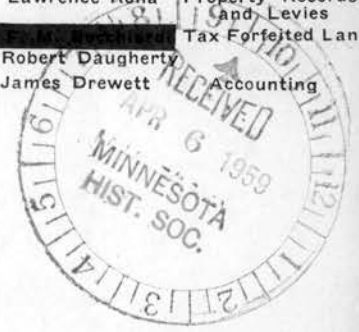
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WALTER H. BORGEN
AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINN.

DULUTH 2, MINN.
April 3, 1959

ANDREW KORDA	Chief Deputy
Deputies:	Departments:
O. L. Perry	Clerk, County Board
Victor Ringsred	Delinquent Taxes
Lawrence Rolla	Property Records
	Land Levies
	Tax Forfeited Lands
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James Drewett	Accounting



Mr. Russell W. Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
At. Paul 1, Minnesota

Attention: Mrs. June Holmquist, Deputy

Dear Madam:

During the year 1958, this office submitted to you, certified copies of the necessary documents in the naming of Turpela Lake and Blais Lake in St. Louis County. Resolution #271, renaming Turpela Lake was mailed to your department on April 18, 1958, and Resolution #784, naming Blais Lake, was submitted to your office on November 12, 1958.

As you will recall, at the time said resolutions were submitted to you, we had requested proper notation on one copy of the resolution and return to us so that we may file same for record in the Office of the Register of Deeds.

This office is anxious to know whether or not the State Geographic Board has passed on the above mentioned naming of lakes, and if such has already been done, we would appreciate receiving notated copy for the purpose previously stated.

Very truly yours,

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By *O. L. Perry*
Clerk of County Board

OLP:cc

RESOLUTION

April 8, 1959

Mr. W. H. Borgen, County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Att: C. H. Perry

Dear Sir:

Thank you for your letter of April 3. We are aware that you office has submitted certified copies of the necessary documents naming Turpela and Blais Lakes in St. Louis County. The Minnesota Geographic Board has not yet acted upon these proposals. It will probably do so at its next meeting in June.

Be assured that you office will be notified as soon as the State Board acts upon these requests.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist, Deputy
to Russell W. Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota State Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota



STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION
SAINT PAUL 1

October 7, 1958

Mr. W.H.Borgen, County Auditor
St.Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Re: Naming of Lake
Sections 27, 34 - Township 50 N., Range 20 W.

Dear Sir:

This is in response to your October 1, 1958 letter with enclosures consisting of a petition dated September 17, 1958 and Resolution No. 688 of the St.Louis County Board, all of which are relative to the above lake.

As requested in your letter, and in compliance with MSA, Section 378.05, I submit the following:

FINDINGS:

- (1) That the proposed name, Blais, is not used, so far as I can determine, for any other lake in the state.
- (2) That the names "Hockey" and "Mud" have been employed by the Division of Forestry and the Division of Waters of the Minnesota Conservation Department to identify the subject lake on maps. The origin of these names is not known.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

That, while the name prayed for in the petition appears not to be a duplication of a name already in use, I believe consideration should be given to the guiding principles of the United States Board on Geographic Names, especially Section 3 thereof, dealing with the use of names of living persons.

The U.S.Forest Service has used the guiding principles in a publication for its personnel, and a copy of that is enclosed.

I would appreciate receiving word of the final action of the County Board upon the petition.

Yours very truly,
Sidney A.Frellsen, Director

Enc.
CC- State Geographic Board
c/o Mrs. June D.Holmquist
Acting Secretary


Division of Waters

JME:ms

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: 784

Adopted November 10

19 58

By Commissioner OSTDAHL:

WHEREAS, A hearing was held on this date, upon the petition presented to this Board by Odin S. Olson, et. al., for the naming of "Blais Lake" located in Sections 27 and 34, Township 50 North, Range 20 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian; and

WHEREAS, Notice of said hearing has been published for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of this County; and

WHEREAS, This Board, on this date, held a hearing on the matter to give citizens and parties in interest an opportunity to be heard and no one appeared in opposition thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the prayer of the petition is hereby ordered granted and the lake in Sections 27 and 34, Township 50 North, Range 20 West is hereby officially named "Blais Lake", subject to final approval thereof by the Minnesota State Geographic Board and the United States Board of Geographic Names, as required by law.

Permitted
ARTESIAN BOND
SAB-COVENT
U.S.A.

Commissioner Ostdahl moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners McKeever, Soles, Theobald, Ostdahl, Luoma and Chairman Hultstrand--6 Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis

I, W. H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 10th day of November A. D. 19 58, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 12th day of November A. D. 19 58

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor.

By

J. L. Perry

Clerk of County Board.

Rejected -
June 23, 1959

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

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Adopted November 10

1958

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STATE OF MINNESOTA

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County of St. Louis

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Clerk of County Board.

Russell W. Fridley

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STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis

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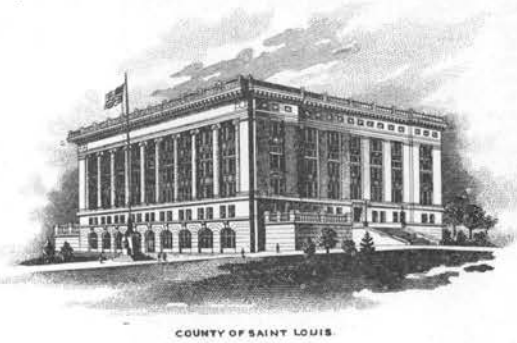
By

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Clerk of County Board.

Russell W. Fridley

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WALTER H. BORGEN
AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINN.

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DULUTH 2, MINN.

November 12, 1958

Mr Russell W Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St Paul 1 Minnesota

Dear Mr. Fridley:

We herewith enclose three copies of Resolution No. 784 adopted by the St. Louis County Board on November 10, 1958, naming "Blais Lake", located in Sections 27 and 34, Township 50 North, Range 20 West, together with certified copies of each of the following:

1. Petition
2. Affidavit of Publication in Legal Newspaper of St. Louis County for three weeks.

(Inasmuch as publication costs were paid in advance, the bond requirement was waived.)

After the resolution has been endorsed by your Board, and proper notification has been made to the U. S. Board of Geographical Names, we will appreciate a proper notation on a copy of County Board Resolution No. 784, and return to us for filing in the office of the Register of Deeds.

Very truly yours,

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By

O. L. Perry Jr.

Clerk of County Board

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STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of St. Louis

Affidavit of Publication.

ss.

Clark Kennedy being duly sworn, on oath says: that he is, and during all the times herein stated has been the publisher or printer in charge of the newspaper known as The Labor World, and has full knowledge of the facts hereinafter stated; that for more than one year prior to the publication therein of the.....

Notice

..... hereinafter described, said newspaper was printed and published in the City of Duluth, in the County of St. Louis, State of Minnesota, each week, that during all said time said newspaper has been printed in the English language from its known office of publication within the city of Duluth from which it purports to be issued as above stated in newspaper form at and in column and sheet form equivalent in space to at least 450 running inches of single column, two inches wide; has been issued each week from a known office established in said place of publication and employing skilled workmen and equipped with the necessary material for preparing and printing the same and the presswork on that part of the newspaper devoted to local news of interest to the community which it purports to serve, was done in its known office of publication; that during all said time in its makeup not less than twenty-five per cent of its news columns have been devoted to local news of interest to the community it purports to serve; that during all said time it has not wholly duplicated any other publication, and has not been entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements; has been circulated in and near its said place of publication to the extent of at least two hundred and forty (240) copies regularly delivered to paying subscribers and has entry as second class matter in its local postoffice; and that there has been on file in the office of the County Auditor of St. Louis County, Minnesota, the affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts, showing the name and location of said newspaper and the existence of the conditions constituting its qualifications as a legal newspaper.

Notice of Public Hearing

That the.....hereto attached was cut from the columns of said newspaper, and was printed and published therein in the English language, once each week, for.....successive weeks; that it was

first so published on.....Thursday.....the 25th day of.....Sept.....19 58

and thereafter on.....Thursday.....of each week to and including the

.....9th.....day of.....October.....19 58;

and that the following is a printed copy of the lower case alphabet from A to Z, both inclusive, and is hereby acknowledged as being the size and kind of type used in the composition and publication of said notice, to-wit:

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz—6 pt.

(This form complies with Sections 10935, 10936, M. M. S. 1927, as amended by L. 39, C. 128.)

Clark Kennedy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this.....9th.....day of.....October.....19 58

Edna Kniss

Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minn

My commission expires N. 19. 30, .1958

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED NAMING OF "BLAIS LAKE" IN SECTIONS 27 & 34, TOWNSHIP 50 NORTH, RANGE 20 WEST.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A PUBLIC HEARING will be held by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota, in the County Board Room, Court House, Duluth, Minnesota, on Monday, November 10, 1958, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which hearing all citizens and parties in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard on the proposed naming of "Blais Lake," which body of water lies in Sections 27 & 34, Township 50 North, Range 20 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the County Auditor of St. Louis County shall cause to be published once each week for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of the County, a notice of the time, place and purpose of this hearing.

By Order of the Board of County Commissioners, September 22, 1958.

W. H. BORGES

County Auditor

(Seal of County Auditor)
LW—Sept. 25, Oct. 2, 3, 1958.



To the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County:

We, the undersigned legal voters residing within St. Louis County, hereby petition your honorable board that a

Lake, now named None,
(lake or stream)

which is located in St. Louis County in Sections 27 and 31, Township
(Give legal description)
50 North, Range 20 West

shall be officially named Blais Lake for the following reasons: This Lake has no known name. Mr. Louis Blais and family expect to live on land abutting this lake permanently and desire to have this Lake named.

Blais

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Dated September 17,, 1958.

Signed

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*Louis J. Blais
507 Union St*

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RESOLVED FURTHER, That the County Auditor of St. Louis County shall cause to be published once each week for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of the County, a notice of the time, place and purpose of this hearing.

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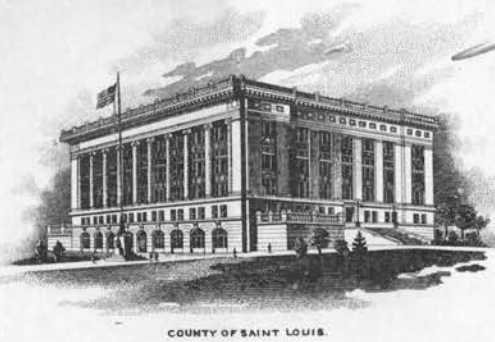
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**WALTER H. BORGEN
AUDITOR**

ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINN.

**DULUTH 2, MINN.
October 1, 1958**



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Mr Russell W Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St Paul 1 Minnesota

Dear Mr. Fridley:

We herewith enclose three copies of Resolution No. 688, adopted by the St. Louis County Board on September 22, 1958, setting forth date of hearing for the proposed re-naming of "Blais" Lake in Sections 27 and 34, Township 50 North, Range 20 West, together with certified copy of petition presented by Louis J. Blais, 507 Wolvin Building, Duluth.

Very truly yours,

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By

O. L. Perry, Jr.

Clerk of County Board

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Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No.: 688

Adopted September 22

19 58

By Commissioner OSTDAHL:

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WHEREAS, In the judgment of this Board, the petition of Odin S. Olson, et. al., for the naming of "Blais Lake", located in Sections 27 and 34, Township 50 North, Range 20 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, is reasonable on its face.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That a hearing be had upon said petition in the County Board Room, Court House, Duluth, on Monday, November 10, 1958, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at which hearing all citizens and parties in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard on the proposed naming of "Blais Lake".

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Commissioner Ostdahl moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners McKeever, Solem, Theobald, Ahola, Ostdahl, Luoma and Chairman Hultstrand--7
Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA
Office of County Auditor. ss.
County of St. Louis

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WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 23rd day of September A. D. 1958

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By *A. Perry*

Clerk of County Board.

State Seal

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Clerk of County Board.

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Blais

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Louis J. Blais
507 Walwin Bldg

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINNESOTA

Duluth, Minnesota

November 17, 1958

Mr. Russell W. Fridley
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Dear Sir:

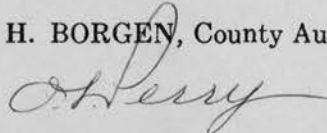
By order of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of St. Louis, we enclose
herewith3..... certified copies of resolutions adopted by the said Board on November 10, 1958:

#784 Authorizing lake in Sections 27 and 34, Township 50 North, Range
20 West to be officially named "Blais Lake", subject to final
approval by your Board and the United States Board of Geographic
Names.

Yours very truly,

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By



Deputy

January 13, 1958

Mr. Walter H. Borgen, Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Borgen:

This is to inform you that the Minnesota Geographic Board on December 31, 1957, approved the following name submitted to the State Board by the Commissioners of St. Louis County:

Ed Shave Lake, in Township 65 North, Range 13 West, Sections 25 and 36, St. Louis County, Minnesota. (Not Second Lake). So named October 28, 1957, by the St. Louis County Board of Commissioners upon petition by local residents, who wish to honor Mr. Shave for his efforts to conserve and develop northern Minnesota's resources.

The resolution, duly endorsed by members of the board, is enclosed herewith for filing in the Office of the Register of Deeds.

Notice of the State Board's action will be forwarded to the United States Board of Geographic Names, whose action is necessary to make the name official nationally.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist
Deputy to Russell W. Fridley,
Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

JDH:dg
Encl.

Mr. W. H. Borgen
County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Borgen:

This will acknowledge receipt of two copies of a resolution adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County on September 23, 1957, setting the date of hearing for the renaming of Second Lake to Ed Shave Lake.

After the hearing has been held and proper notices published, we trust that you will provide us with two copies of any further resolutions enacted as well as with a certified copy of the petition presented by Stan Pechaver et al.

Sincerely,

Russell W. Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

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WALTER H. BORGEN
AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINN.



COUNTY OF SAINT LOUIS

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DULUTH 2, MINN.
October 31, 1957



Mr Russell W Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St Paul 1 Minnesota

Dear Mr. Fridley:

We herewith enclose three copies of Resolution No. 772, adopted by the St. Louis County Board on October 28, 1957, re-naming "Second Lake" in Sections 25 and 36, Township 65, Range 13, to "Ed Shave Lake", together with certified copies of each of the following:

1. Petition
2. Petitioner's Bond
3. Affidavit of Publication in legal newspaper of St. Louis County for three weeks.

After the resolution has been endorsed by your Board, and proper notification has been made to the U. S. Board of Geographical Names, we will appreciate a proper notation on a copy of County Board Resolution #772, and return to us for filing in the office of the Register of Deeds.

Very truly yours,

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By

O. L. Perry
Clerk of County Board.

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Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: 772

Adopted October 28

1957

By Commissioner LUOMA:

WHEREAS, a hearing was held on this date, upon the petition presented to this Board by Stan Pechaver, Executive Secretary, Ely Chamber of Commerce, et. al., for the naming of a lake, now known as "Second Lake" as "Ed Shave Lake", located in Sections 25 and 36, Township 65 North, Range 13 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian; and

WHEREAS, notice of said hearing has been published for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of this County; and

WHEREAS, This Board, on this date, held a hearing on the matter to give citizens and parties in interest an opportunity to be heard and no one appeared in opposition thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the prayer of the petition is hereby ordered granted and the lake now known as "Second Lake" is hereby named "Ed Shave Lake" subject to final approval thereof by the Minnesota State Geographic Board and the United States Board of Geographic Names, as required by law.

Commissioner Luoma moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yes--Commissioners Theobald, Ostahl, Luoma, Sultstrand and Chairman Selas--5 Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis

I, W. H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 28th day of October, A. D. 1957, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 29th day of October, A. D. 1957

W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor.

By

J. L. Perry

Clerk of County Board.

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: 772

Adopted October 28

1957

By Commissioner LUOMA:

WHEREAS, a hearing was held on this date, upon the petition presented to this Board by Stan Pechaver, Executive Secretary, Ely Chamber of Commerce, et. al., for the naming of a lake, now known as "Second Lake" as "El Shave Lake", located in Sections 25 and 36, Township 65 North, Range 13 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian; and

WHEREAS, notice of said hearing has been published for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of this County; and

WHEREAS, This Board, on this date, held a hearing on the matter to give citizens and parties in interest an opportunity to be heard and no one appeared in opposition thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the prayer of the petition is hereby ordered granted and the lake now known as "Second Lake" is hereby named "El Shave Lake" subject to final approval thereof by the Minnesota State Geographic Board and the United States Board of Geographic Names, as required by law.

Commissioner LUOMA moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners Theobald, Ost Dahl, Luoma, Hays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis

I, W. H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 29th day of October, A. D. 1957, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 29th day of October, A. D. 1957

W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor.

By

J. H. Perry

Clerk of County Board.

P E T I T I O N

TO: Change the name of SECOND LAKE to ED SHAVE LAKE:

WHEREAS: We are residents, voters and taxpayers within the County of St. Louis, State of Minnesota, and;

WHEREAS: We firmly believe Ed Shave to be a person who most outstandingly in his daily life and work symbolizes the Northwoods and its full development, not only to us and the residents of the State of Minnesota but also to the people of the Nation at large, and;

WHEREAS: We firmly believe that he has contributed more to true appreciation and understanding of the sincere Northern Spirit thru his promotion of and his unflinching devotion to the Tourist Industry, and;

WHEREAS: We firmly believe him one to be possessed of a humane and outgoing nature as revealed in his many activities for others, not the least of which is his sponsorship of the Annual Pheasant Dinner for the veterans of our wars, and;

WHEREAS: We firmly believe he symbolizes the true spirit of conservation thru full use and development of our Minnesota resources,

NOW THEREFORE: We petition the County Board of the County of St. Louis, State of Minnesota to change the name of Second Lake situated within Sections 25 and 26 of Township 65 North, Range 13 West, St. Louis County, State of Minnesota to Ed Shave Lake so as to constitute a constant reminder to us and our heirs of the unswerving devotion of a man who has done more to develop within us all a feeling of conservation, love and affection for the Northwoods we all admire so much and hold so dear.

By our signitures we swear and affirm that we have read the first page of this petition and are in agreement with its objective.

NAME	ADDRESS
Lynn B. Paulson	319 E. Harvey St., Ely, Minn
Frank V. Strukel	39 East Sheridan St., " "
C. L. Orth	504 E. Boundary St. " "
Mary Z. Palcher	35 E. Conan St. " "
Thomas J. Murn	20 West Conan St. " "
Joseph Klun Jr.	331 East White St. " "
Larry A. Slogar	412 E. Pattison St. " "
Louis Champa	48 E. Chapman St. " "
William Rikhus	145 E. Sheridan St. " "
Stanley J. Pechaver	126 E. Camp St. " "
Matt Vertin	437 E. Harvey St. " "
John Buccowich	305 E. James St. " "
G. T. Somero	45 E. James St. " "
Fred C. Childers	120 E. Chapman St. " "
Keith M. Brownell	146 E. Chapman St. " "

This is a copy of the original petition on file in the office of the County Auditor.

W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor

By

J. L. Perry
Clerk of County Board

Know All Men By These Presents: That Stan Pechaver, City of Ely, County
of St. Louis, Minnesota, as principal, and Lynn Paulson
City of Ely and George Senero, City of
Ely, as sureties, are held and firmly bound unto the County of St.
Louis, in the State of Minnesota, in the sum of One Hundred
Dollars (\$100.00), lawful money of the United States, to be paid to the County of St. Louis, its successors
or assigns, for which payment well and truly to be made, we jointly and severally bind ourselves, and each of
our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals and dated this 19th day of September, A. D. 19 57.

The Condition of This Obligation is Such, That, Whereas, The Elyh Chamber of Commerce,
by Stan Pechaver, Executive Secretary, have submitted a petition to officially name
a lake, commonly called "Second Lake" as "Ed Shave Lake", under the provisions of
the law.

NOW, THEREFORE, if said principal shall pay the costs of proceedings,

then this obligation shall be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals this 19th
day of September, A. D. 1957.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED IN PRESENCE OF

Walter Brown
Walter K. Kurnikowski
As to principal.
Walter Brown
Walter K. Kurnikowski
As to surety.

Stan Pechaver (SEAL)
Lynn B. Paulson (SEAL)
George Senero (SEAL)
..... (SEAL)

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS.

On this 19th day of September, A. D. 1957, before me, personally appeared Stan Pechaver to me known to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same, as his free act and deed.

Urho K. Tuomikoski
Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minn.
My Commission Expires Urho K. Tuomikoski
Notary Public, ST. LOUIS CO., MINN.
My Commission expires OCT. 2, 1957.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS.

On this _____ day of _____, A. D. 19 _____, before me, a Notary Public, within and for said County, personally appeared _____ and _____ to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, did say that _____ the _____ President and _____ Secretary of _____ the corporation named in the foregoing instrument; and that the seal affixed to said instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, and that said instrument was signed and sealed in behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and said _____ and _____ acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minn.
My Commission Expires _____

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS.

Lynn Paulson and George Somero being duly sworn, say each for himself, that he is one of the sureties above named; that he is a resident and freeholder of the State of Minnesota, and worth the amount of Five Hundred Dollars, specified in the foregoing bond, above his debts and liabilities, and exclusive of his property exempt from execution.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of Sept, A. D. 1957.

Urho K. Tuomikoski
Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minn.

My Commission Expires Urho K. Tuomikoski
Notary Public, ST. LOUIS CO., MINN.
My Commission expires OCT. 2, 1957.

Lynn Paulson
George Somero

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of St. Louis

Affidavit of Publication.

ss.

Clark Kennedy being duly sworn, on oath says: that he is, and during all the times herein stated has been the publisher or printer in charge of the newspaper known as The Labor World, and has full knowledge of the facts hereinafter stated; that for more than one year prior to the publication therein of the.....

Notice

..... hereinafter described, said newspaper was printed and published in the City of Duluth, in the County of St. Louis, State of Minnesota, each week, that during all said time said newspaper has been printed in the English language from its known office of publication within the city of Duluth from which it purports to be issued as above stated in newspaper form at and in column and sheet form equivalent in space to at least 450 running inches of single column, two inches wide; has been issued each week from a known office established in said place of publication and employing skilled workmen and equipped with the necessary material for preparing and printing the same and the presswork on that part of the newspaper devoted to local news of interest to the community which it purports to serve, was done in its known office of publication; that during all said time in its makeup not less than twenty-five per cent of its news columns have been devoted to local news of interest to the community it purports to serve; that during all said time it has not wholly duplicated any other publication, and has not been entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements; has been circulated in and near its said place of publication to the extent of at least two hundred and forty (240) copies regularly delivered to paying subscribers and has entry as second class matter in its local postoffice; and that there has been on file in the office of the County Auditor of St. Louis County, Minnesota, the affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts, showing the name and location of said newspaper and the existence of the conditions constituting its qualifications as a legal newspaper.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED NAMING OF "ED SHAVE LAKE" in Sections 25 & 26, Township 65 North, Range 13 West.

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota, in the County Board Room, Court House, Duluth, Minnesota, on Monday, October 28, 1957, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at which hearing the citizens and parties in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard on the proposed naming of "Ed Shave Lake," which body of water lies in Sections 25 & 26, Township 65 North, Range 13 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian.

Resolved Further, That the County Auditor of St. Louis County shall cause to be published once each week for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of the County, a notice of the time, place and purpose of this hearing.

By Order of the Board of County Commissioners, September 23, 1957.

W. H. BORGES

County Auditor

(Seal of County Auditor)

LW—Sept. 26, Oct. 3, 10, 1957.

That the Notice of Public Hearinghereto attached was cut from the columns of said newspaper, and was printed and published therein in the English language, once each week, for Three.....successive weeks; that it was

first so published on Thursday the 26 day of Sept. 1957

and thereafter on Thursday.....of each week to and including the

10.....day of October.....1957 and that the following is a printed copy of the lower case alphabet from A to Z, both inclusive, and is hereby acknowledged as being the size and kind of type used in the composition and publication of said notice, to-wit:

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz—6 pt.

(This form complies with Sections 10935, 10936, M. M. S. 1927, as amended by L. 39, C. 128.)

Clark Kennedy.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10.....day of October.....1957

Edna Kniss.....
Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minn.

My commission expires Nov. 30, 1958



OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINNESOTA



Duluth, Minnesota
September 27, 1957

Mr. Russell W. Fridley, Director
State Geographical Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Dear Sir:

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of St. Louis, we enclose
herewith2..... certified copies of resolutions adopted by the said Board on September 23, 1957:

#705 Setting date of hearing for the renaming of "Second Lake", to
"Ed Shave Lake".

Yours very truly,

W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor

By

Deputy

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: 705

Adopted September 23

1957

By Commissioner AHOLA:

WHEREAS, a petition by Stan Pechaver, Executive Secretary, Ely Chamber of Commerce, et. al., representing fifteen or more legal voters residing in St. Louis County, has been presented to this Board, requesting that a body of water situated in Sections 25 and 36, Township 65 North, Range 13 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, now known as "Second Lake", be officially named "Ed Shave Lake"; and

WHEREAS, Good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$100.00 has been delivered to this Board, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, In the judgment of this Board, the petition of Stan Pechaver, Executive Secretary, Ely Chamber of Commerce, et. al., for the naming of "Ed Shave Lake" (now commonly called "Second Lake") located in Sections 25 and 26, Township 65 North, Range 13 West of the Fourth Principal Meridian, is reasonable on its face.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That a hearing be had upon said petition in the County Board Room, Court House, Duluth, on Monday, October 28, 1957, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at which hearing the citizens and parties in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard on the proposed naming of "Ed Shave Lake".

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the County Auditor of St. Louis County shall cause to be published once each week, for three consecutive weeks, in the official newspaper of the County, a notice of the time, place and purpose of this hearing.

Commissioner Ahola moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners McKeever, Theobald, Ahola, Ost Dahl, Luoma, Hultstrand and Chairman Solem--7
Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis

I, W. H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 23rd day of September A. D. 1957, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 23rd day of September A. D. 19 57

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor.

By

W. H. Borgen
Clerk of County Board.

*Russell W. Fridley, Director
State Geog. Board
Min. Hist. Society
St. Paul 1*

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: 705 1

Adopted September 23

1957

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RESOLVED FURTHER, That the County Auditor of St. Louis County shall cause to be published once each week, for three consecutive weeks, in the official newspaper of the County, a notice of the time, place and purpose of this hearing.

Commissioner Ahola moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners McKeever, Theobald, Ahola, Ostahl, Luoma, Hultstrand and Chairman Solem--7 Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis

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WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 23rd day of September A. D. 1957

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor.

By

W. H. Borgen

Clerk of County Board.

Russell W. Fredley

November 8, 1957

Mr. W. H. Borgen
County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Borgen:

This letter will acknowledge receipt of 4 documents requesting a change in the name of Second Lake in sections 25 and 26, Township 65, Range 13 of St. Louis County. Since the documents forwarded by your office appear to be in order, this matter will be presented to the State Geographic Board at its next meeting in December.

Very truly yours,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist
Deputy to Russell W. Fridley, Secretary,
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

JDH:pns

M. J. HOFFMANN
COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS

O. L. KIPP
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER
AND CHIEF ENGINEER

STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

1246 UNIVERSITY AVENUE
SAINT PAUL 4, MINN.

August 8, 1951

J. E. P. DARRELL
TRAFFIC ENGINEER

M. O. GIERTSEN
BRIDGE ENGINEER

G. G. GLADMAN
ENGINEER OF PLANS
AND SURVEYS

C. L. METHVEN
CONSTRUCTION ENGINEER

C. L. MOTL
MAINTENANCE ENGINEER



Mrs. Mary Berthel
Minnesota State Geographic Board
204 Historical Building
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

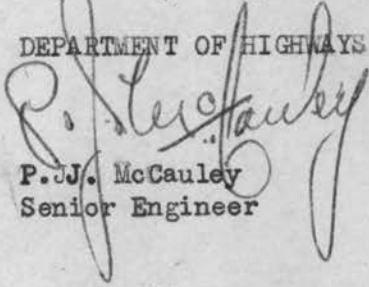
Dear Mrs. Berthel:

There is enclosed a copy of sheet six of our Lake County map which shows a lake in Section 17-59-11 which the Geographic Board has determined as the true source of the St. Louis River instead of the Seven Beaver Lake as heretofore described.

It is believed that this section of the map should be a part of your file on lakes.

Yours very truly,

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS


P.J.J. McCauley
Senior Engineer

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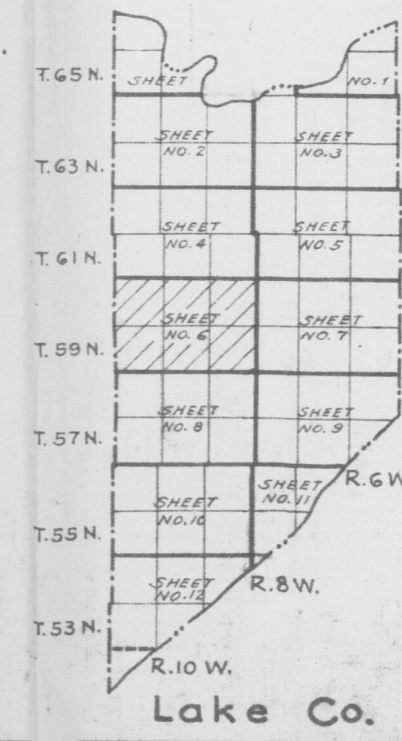
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SUPERIOR NATIONAL FOREST
WALDO

R-11

7 Beaver Lake

NOTE: ENGINEERS AND OTHERS NOTICING ERRORS OR OMISSIONS ON THIS MAP PLEASE NOTIFY DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS, ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA



STATE of MINNESOTA
Department of Highways

LAKE COUNTY
Map Legend

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CLIFF SWAMP TRAIL	TEL. AND TEL. LINE HIGH TENSION LINE	BOUNDARY MONUMENTS	HISTORICAL MONUMENTS	FIRST CLASS CITIES	SECOND CLASS CITIES
THIRD CLASS CITIES	FOURTH CLASS CITIES	VILLAGE	VILLAGE PLATTEED BUT NOT INC.	COUNTY SEAT	INDEX OF PLACES ON THIS SHEET

INDEX OF PLACES ON THIS SHEET
PLACE - 1930 POPULATION

POPULATION TYPE
OVER 10,000
10,000 OR LESS
1,000 OR LESS

October 18, 1957

Mr. Walter H. Borgen, Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Borgen:

This is to inform you that the following name, submitted to the Minnesota Geographic Board by the Commissioners of St. Louis County, was approved by the United States Board on Geographic Names on October 10, 1957.

Pioneer Lake, in Township 54 North, Range 16 West, Section 22, St. Louis County, Minnesota. (Not Lake 22, not Antila Lake). So named May 17, 1957, by the St. Louis Board of County Commissioners upon petition by local residents, to honor the early settlers of the area. Approved by Minnesota Geographic Board, August 15, 1957.

The U.S. board's acceptance of this name makes its usage official nationally.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist
Deputy to Russell W. Fridley,
Secretary, Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

JLH:pm

September 11, 1957

Mr. Walter H. Borgen, Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Borgen:

This is to inform you that the Minnesota Geographic Board on August 15, 1957, approved the following name submitted to the State Board by the Commissioners of St. Louis County:

Pioneer Lake, in Township 54 North, Range
16 West, Section 22, St. Louis County,
Minnesota. (Not Lake 22). So named May 17,
1957, by the St. Louis County Board of Com-
missioners upon petition by local residents,
to honor the early settlers of the area.

The resolution, duly endorsed by members of the board, is enclosed herewith for filing in the Office of the Register of Deeds.

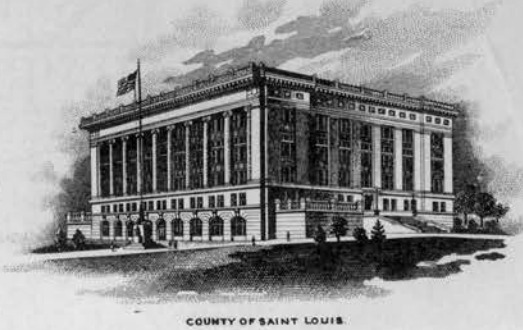
Notice of the State Board's action has been forwarded to the United States Board of Geographic Names, whose acceptance of the name will make it official nationally.

Sincerely,

Mrs. June D. Holmquist
Deputy to Russell W. Fridley
Secretary, Minnesota Geographic Board

JDH:pns

"Keep Minnesota Green"



WALTER H. BORGEN
AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINN.

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F. M. Bocchiardi Tax Forfeited Lands

DULUTH 2, MINN.
June 18, 1957

Mr Russell W Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St Paul 1 Minnesota

Dear Sir:

We herewith enclose three copies of Resolution #323, adopted by the St. Louis County Board on May 13, 1957, re-naming the lake in Section 22, 54-16, commonly called "Lake 22" to "Pioneer Lake", together with certified copies of each of the following:

1. Petition
2. Petitioner's Bond
3. Affidavit of 3 weeks publication in legal newspaper of St. Louis County
4. Approval of Town Board of Cotton

After the resolution has been endorsed by your Board, and proper notification has been made to the U. S. Board of Geographical Names, we will appreciate a proper notation on a copy of County Board Resolution #323, and return to us for filing in the office of the Register of Deeds.

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By

O. L. Perry
Clerk of County Board

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Encls.

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: 323

Adopted May 13

19 57

By Commissioner OSTDAHL:

WHEREAS, a hearing was held on this date, upon the petition presented to this Board by Gunnard Juntunen, et. al, for the naming of a lake commonly called "Lake 22" as "Pioneer Lake", located in Section 22, Township 54 North, Range 16 West; and

WHEREAS, notice of said hearing has been published for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of this County; and

WHEREAS, This Board, on this date, held a hearing on the matter to give citizens and parties in interest an opportunity to be heard and no one appeared in opposition thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the prayer of the petition is hereby ordered granted and the lake commonly called "Lake 22" is hereby named "Pioneer Lake" subject to final approval thereof by the Minnesota State Geographic Board and the United States Board of Geographic Names, as required by law.

Commissioner Ostdahl moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners McKeever, Theobald, Ahola, Ostdahl, Luoma, Hultstrand and Chairman Solem--7 Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss. County of St. Louis

I, W. H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 13th day of May A. D. 19 57, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 17th day of May A. D. 19 57

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor.

By

[Signature] Clerk of County Board.

Russell W. Findley - Sec. (with Miss All - St. Louis) Minn. Geog. Board "Historical Society" St. Paul

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: 323

Adopted May 13

1957

By Commissioner OSTDAHL:

WHEREAS, a hearing was held on this date, upon the petition presented to this Board by Gunnard Juntunen, et. al, for the naming of a lake commonly called "Lake 22" as "Pioneer Lake", located in Section 22, Township 54 North, Range 16 West; and

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WHEREAS, This Board, on this date, held a hearing on the matter to give citizens and parties in interest an opportunity to be heard and no one appeared in opposition thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the prayer of the petition is hereby ordered granted and the lake commonly called "Lake 22" is hereby named "Pioneer Lake" subject to final approval thereof by the Minnesota State Geographic Board and the United States Board of Geographic Names, as required by law.

Permanized
ARTESIAN BOND
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Commissioner Ostdahl moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners McKeever, Theobald, Ahola, Ostdahl, Luoma, Hultstrand and Chairman Solem--7 Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.
County of St. Louis

I, W. H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 13th day of May A. D. 1957, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 17th day of May A. D. 1957

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor.

By

D. Perry
Clerk of County Board.

George A. Selke
Philip E. Carney
Russell W. Fridley

STATE OF MINNESOTA }
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS } ss.
AUDITOR'S OFFICE }

I, Walter H. Borgen Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original petition filed in said office on the 22nd day of March 1957, and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of said original.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Duluth, Minn., this 18th day of June 1957

WALTER H. BORGEN

COUNTY AUDITOR

By

O. L. Perry

Deputy.

A PETITION

To the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County:

We, the undersigned legal voters residing within St. Louis County, hereby petition your honorable board that a lake,
(Lake or stream)
now named Lake 22, which is located in St. Louis County in Section 22, Township 54, North of Range 16 West
(Give legal description)

shall be officially named PIONEER LAKE for the following reasons:

The lake is unnamed and has commonly been called Lake 22 only because it is entirely within Section 22.

The name of Lake Antilla which was proposed in 1945 did not receive much support and was not favorable to the area residents since it honored only one individual. That proposal has since been dropped for lack of interest.

The proposed name of "PIONEER LAKE" is in recognition of all the early settlers in the area and is favored by all property owners around said lake and also the residents of the area.

Dated March 22, 1957.

County Bd. File 38226

Presented to Bd. _____

Signed

Referred to _____

Name	Address
1. <u>Sumner A. Juntunen</u>	<u>4722 Onida St, Duluth 4, Minn.</u>
2. <u>Henry Kilpela</u>	<u>Shaw Minn</u>
3. <u>Elizabeth Janttu</u>	<u>Shaw, Minn.</u>
4. <u>Ursula C. Rau</u>	<u>1025-87 Ave. West Duluth 8, Minn.</u>
5. <u>Elsie V. Rau</u>	<u>1025-87th Ave. W. Duluth Minn.</u>
6. <u>Leo P. Janttu</u>	<u>Shaw Minn</u>
7. <u>Blay A. Rodberg</u>	<u>Shaw Minn</u>
8. <u>Ethel M. Rodberg</u>	<u>Shaw Minn</u>
9. <u>Agnes M. Barade</u>	<u>Shaw, Minn</u>
10. <u>Joseph M. Bakasie</u>	<u>Shaw Minn</u>
11. <u>Jeanne E. Janttu</u>	<u>Shaw Minn</u>
12. <u>Mat Sylvia McCreder</u>	<u>Minn</u>
13. <u>Arne Peterson</u>	<u>Shaw Minn</u>
14. <u>Horace L. Karason</u>	<u>4414 Bellial St. Duluth</u>
15. <u>Anna Karason</u>	<u>4414 Bellial St. Duluth</u>

attached
7-0

MAR 25 1957 PM

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS } ss.
AUDITOR'S OFFICE

I, WALTER H. BORGEN Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original Surety Bond filed in said office on the 22nd day of March 1957, and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of said original.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Duluth, Minn., this 18th day of June 1957.

WALTER H. BORGEN

COUNTY AUDITOR

By

A. L. Perry

Deputy.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS.

On this 22nd day of March, A. D. 19 57,

before me, personally appeared **Gunnard A. Juntunen, Horace L. Haradon, and Dale S. Pommerville** to me known to be the person described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same, as **his** free act and deed.

Lorraine T. Bessek
Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minn.
My Commission Expires *Dec 9, 1962*

LORRAINE T. BESSEK
NOTARY PUBLIC, St. Louis County, Minn.
My Commission Expires December 9, 1962

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS.

On this _____ day of _____, A. D. 19 _____,

before me, a Notary Public, within and for said County, personally appeared _____ and _____

to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, _____ did say that _____ the _____ President and _____ Secretary of _____ the corporation named in the foregoing instrument; and that the seal affixed to said instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, and that said instrument was signed and sealed in behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and said _____ and _____ acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minn.
My Commission Expires _____

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS.

Horace L. Haradon and **Dale S. Pommerville** being duly sworn, say each for himself, that he is one of the sureties above named; that he is a resident and freeholder of the State of Minnesota, and worth the amount of **ONE HUNDRED AND No/100** Dollars, specified in the foregoing bond, above his debts and liabilities, and exclusive of his property exempt from execution.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this **22nd**

day of **March**, A. D. 19 **57**.

Lorraine T. Bessek
Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minn.
My Commission Expires *Dec 9, 1962*

Horace L. Haradon
Dale S. Pommerville

LORRAINE T. BESSEK
NOTARY PUBLIC, St. Louis County, Minn.
My Commission Expires December 9, 1962

*Approved as to form
& execution
R. J. Dillon
Att'y*

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Know All Men By These Presents: That Gunnard A. Juntunen
of 4722 Oneida St., Duluth, Minnesota, as principal, and Horace L. Haradon of
4414 Gilliat St., Duluth, Minnesota and Dale S. Pommerville of
1819 Greysolon Road, Duluth, Minn., as sureties, are held and firmly bound unto the County of St.

Louis, in the State of Minnesota, in the sum of ONE HUNDRED AND No/100
Dollars (\$100.00), lawful money of the United States, to be paid to the County of St. Louis, its successors
or assigns, for which payment well and truly to be made, we jointly and severally bind ourselves, and each of
our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals and dated this 22nd day of March, A. D. 19 57

The Condition of This Obligation is Such, That, Whereas, Gunnard A. Juntunen has submitted
a petition to officially name a lake, commonly called "Lake 22" as "Pioneer Lake",
under the provisions of law.

NOW, THEREFORE, if said principal shall pay the costs of proceedings,

then this obligation shall be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and seals this 22nd
day of March, A. D. 19 57

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED IN PRESENCE OF

Ellen Jossi
Stanley Mieski
As to principal.
Ellen Jossi
Stanley Mieski
As to surety.

Gunnard A. Juntunen (SEAL)
Horace L. Haradon (SEAL)
Dale S. Pommerville (SEAL)
..... (SEAL)

MAR 25 1957 PM

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS } ss.
AUDITOR'S OFFICE

I, Walter H. Borgen Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION filed in said office on the 19th day of April 1957, and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of said original.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Duluth, Minn., this 18th day of June 1957

WALTER H. BORGEN

COUNTY AUDITOR

By

J. L. Perry

Deputy.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of St. Louis }

Affidavit of Publication.

ss.

..... **Clark Kennedy** being duly sworn, on oath says: that he is, and during all the times herein stated has been the publisher or printer in charge of the newspaper known as The Labor World, and has full knowledge of the facts hereinafter stated; that for more than one year prior to the publication therein of the.....

Notice of Public Hearing hereinafter described, said newspaper was printed and published in the City of Duluth, in the County of St. Louis, State of Minnesota, each week, that during all said time said newspaper has been printed in the English language from its known office of publication within the city of Duluth from which it purports to be issued as above stated in newspaper form at and in column and sheet form equivalent in space to at least 450 running inches of single column, two inches wide; has been issued each week from a known office established in said place of publication and employing skilled workmen and equipped with the necessary material for preparing and printing the same and the presswork on that part of the newspaper devoted to local news of interest to the community which it purports to serve, was done in its known office of publication; that during all said time in its makeup not less than twenty-five per cent of its news columns have been devoted to local news of interest to the community it purports to serve; that during all said time it has not wholly duplicated any other publication, and has not been entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements; has been circulated in and near its said place of publication to the extent of at least two hundred and forty (240) copies regularly delivered to paying subscribers and has entry as second class matter in its local postoffice; and that there has been on file in the office of the County Auditor of St. Louis County, Minnesota, the affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts, showing the name and location of said newspaper and the existence of the conditions constituting its qualifications as a legal newspaper.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED NAMING OF "PIONEER LAKE" IN SECTION 22, TOWNSHIP 54 NORTH, RANGE 16 WEST.

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota, in the County Board Room, Court House, Duluth, Minnesota, on Monday, May 13, 1957, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at which hearing the citizens and parties in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard on the proposed naming of "Pioneer Lake," which body of water lies in Section 22, Township 54 North, Range 16 West.

Resolved Further, That the County Auditor of St. Louis County shall cause to be published once each week for three consecutive weeks in the official newspaper of the County, a notice of the time, place and purpose of this hearing.

By Order of the Board of County Commissioners, April 2, 1957.
W. H. BORGES,
County Auditor.
(Seal of County Auditor)
LW—April 4, 11, 18, 1957.

That the... **Notice of Public Hearing** hereto attached was cut from the columns of said newspaper, and was printed and published therein in the English language, once each week, for... **Three** successive weeks; that it was

first so published on... **Thursday** the... **4** ... day of... **April** 19... **57**

and thereafter on... **Thursday** of each week to and including the

..... **18th** ... day of... **April** 19... **57**; and that the following is a printed copy of the lower case alphabet from A to Z, both inclusive, and is hereby acknowledged as being the size and kind of type used in the composition and publication of said notice, to-wit:

abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz—6 pt.

(This form complies with Sections 10935, 10936, M. M. S. 1927, as amended by L. 39, C. 128.)

..... *Clark Kennedy*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this... **18** ... day of... **April** 19... **57**

Edna Kniss
Notary Public, St. Louis **MINN** Minnesota.

..... **Notary Public, St. Louis County, Minn.**

My Commission Expires Nov. 30, 1958
My commission expires..... 19... **57**



STATE OF MINNESOTA }
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS } ss.
AUDITOR'S OFFICE }

I, WALTER H. BORGEN Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original TOWN BOARD OF COTTON APPROVAL filed in said office on the 17th day of June 1957, and that the same is a true copy thereof, and of the whole of said original.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Duluth, Minn., this 18th day of June 1957

Walter H. Borgen
COUNTY AUDITOR
By O. L. Perry Deputy.

"Keep Minnesota Green"



WALTER H. BORGEN
AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINN.

I. A. FINK, Chief Deputy
Deputies: Departments:
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O. L. Perry Clerk, County Board
Victor Ringsred Delinquent Taxes
Lawrence Rolla Property Records
and Levies
E. M. Bocchiardi Tax Forfeited Lands

DULUTH 2, MINN.
May 15, 1957

Leo Tantt, Chairman
Town of Cotton
Shaw Minnesota

Dear Mr. Tantt:

The St. Louis County Board has received a petition, signed by Gunnard A. Juntunen, and others, requesting the renaming of the so-called "Lake 22" to "Pioneer Lake".

Before the County Board takes final action on this request, they would appreciate a resolution, or letter, to the effect that the Town of Cotton has no objection to the renaming of said so-called "Lake 22" to "Pioneer Lake".

Your early reply will be appreciated.

Very truly yours,

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By

O. L. Perry
Clerk of County Board

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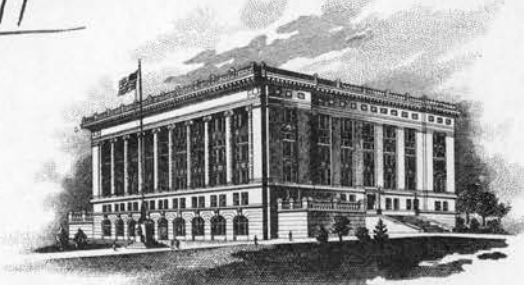
Approved by the town of Cotton

*Herman Moberg, Chairman,
Olav Subkaven, Clerk*



JDH

"Keep Minnesota Green"



COUNTY OF SAINT LOUIS

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DULUTH 2, MINN.
April 16, 1957

Russell W Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St Paul 1 Minnesota

Dear Mr. Fridley:

Replying to your letter of the 12th relative to the hearing on the petition of G. A. Juntunen, et. al., to change the name of Lake 22 to Pioneer Lake, wish to advise that we shall send the additional information needed by the State Board to act on the matter after the hearing has been held.

Relative to your request that the petitioners supply you with additional information as to their reasons for requesting the change in the name of this lake, wish to advise that their petition states as follows, in part:

The lake is unnamed and has commonly been called Lake 22 only because it is entirely within Section 22.

The name of Lake Antilla which was proposed in 1945 did not receive much support and was not favorable to the area residents since it honored only one individual. That proposal has since been dropped for lack of interest.

The proposed name of "PIONEER LAKE" is in recognition of all the early settlers in the area and is favored by all property owners around said lake and also the residents of the area.

Very truly yours,

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By *O. L. Perry*
Clerk of County Board

April 12, 1957

Mr. W. H. Borgen
County Auditor
St. Louis County
Duluth, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Borgen:

This will acknowledge the receipt of a certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County on March 25, 1957, setting the date for a hearing on a petition to change the name of Lake 22 to Pioneer Lake.

We shall look forward to receiving the additional information needed by the State Board to act on this matter after the hearing has been held. Please note that it is necessary for the petitioners to appraise the State Board of their reasons for requesting the change in the name of this lake.

Sincerely,

Russell W. Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

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OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINNESOTA



Duluth, Minnesota
April 2, 1957

Mr. Russell W. Fridley, Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Dear Sir:

By order of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of St. Louis, we enclose herewith1..... certified copies of resolutions adopted by the said Board on March 25, 1957:

#246 Setting date for hearing on petition for naming of lake.

Yours very truly,

W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor

By *D. L. Perry* Deputy

June H.
June 20, 1957

Mr. Walter H. Borgen
County Auditor, St. Louis County
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Borgen:

I have received your letter of June 18 that included copies of Resolution No. 323, adopted by the St. Louis County Board in May, 1957, renaming the lake in section 22, 54-16, commonly called "Lake 22" to "Pine Lake".

This request for a change of name for the lake referred to above will be presented at the next meeting of the State Geographical Board. I anticipate that this meeting will be held in either July or August.

Sincerely yours,

Russell W. Fridley
Director

BWF/srl

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Resolution No: 246

Adopted

March 25

19 57

By Commissioner OSTDAHL:

WHEREAS, A petition, by Gunnard A. Juntunen, et. al., representing fifteen or more legal voters residing in St. Louis County, has been presented to this Board, requesting that a body of water situated in Section 22, Township 54 North, Range 16 West, of the Fourth P.M., now known as "Lake 22", be officially named "Pioneer Lake"; and

WHEREAS, Good and sufficient bond in the sum of \$100.00 has been delivered to this Board, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, In the judgment of this Board, the petition of Gunnard A. Juntunen, et. al., for the naming of "Pioneer Lake" (now commonly called "Lake 22"), located in section 22, Township 54 North, Range 16 West of the Fourth P.M., is reasonable on its face.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That a hearing be had upon said petition in the County Board Room, Court House, Duluth, on Monday, May 13, 1957, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at which hearing the citizens and parties in interest shall have an opportunity to be heard on the proposed naming of "Pioneer Lake".

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the County Auditor of St. Louis County shall cause to be published once each week, for three consecutive weeks, in the official newspaper of the County, a notice of the time, place and purpose of this hearing.

Commissioner Ostdahl moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners McKeever, Theobald, Ahola, Ostdahl, Luoma, Hultstrand and Chairman Solem--7
Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

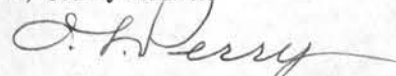
County of St. Louis

I, W. H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 25th day of March A. D. 19 57, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 29th day of March A. D. 19 57

W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor.

By



Clerk of County Board.

Russell W. Fridley, Sec.
Mem. Geographic Board
" Historical Society
St. Paul 1

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Adopted March 25

19 57

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Commissioner Ostdahl moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote: Yeas--Commissioners McKeever, Theobald, Ahola, Ostdahl, Luoma, Hultstrand and Chairman Solem--7
Nays--None

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

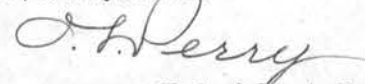
County of St. Louis

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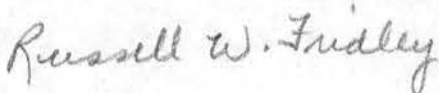
WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 29th day of March A. D. 19 57

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor.

By



Clerk of County Board.



December 26, 1956



Mr G W Deibler
County Highway Engineer
Court House
Duluth 2 Minnesota

Dear Sir:

At today's meeting of the County Board, the Minnesota State Geographic Board, St. Paul, submitted a communication relative to the the proposed naming of "Antila Lake".

This communication, copy of which is hereto attached, together with other pertinent data relative to the procedure for naming or changing names of lakes, etc., was ordered referred to you.

Please return all attached communications with your report.

Very truly yours,

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor

By

O. S. Perry
Clerk of County Board

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Cc State

Attachments: Copy of letter of County Board to Minn. Historical Society, September 12, 1945
Copy of County Board Resolution adopted Sept. 7, 1945
Mimeographed data showing procedure to be followed in naming or changing the name of a lake, including petition form
Copy of Chapter 63, S.F. No. 556, Session Laws of 1937, "An Act establishing a State Geographic Board and defining its duties - Chapter 35, S.F. 557, amendment thereto.

COPY

December 4, 1956

Mr. Walter H. Borgen
County Auditor
St. Louis County Courthouse
Duluth 2, Minnesota

Dear Sir:

At a meeting of the Minnesota Geographic Board on November 28, 1956, a request forwarded to the Board by your office in September 12, 1945, to establish the name of Antila Lake was reviewed.

This body of water lies in Section 22, Township 54 North, Range 16 West, in St. Louis County, and according to the resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County dated September 7, 1945, is sometimes known as Lake Twenty-Two or Antila Lake. The Board was unable to act on this requested change because it lacks complete information.

To act, it will be necessary for the Board to know whether or not public hearings were held on this matter, whether published notice was given of the hearings, and why the name Antila Lake was chosen. For your convenience I am enclosing copies of the resolution and your letter of September 12, 1945, a copy of Chapter 35 of the session Laws of Minnesota for 1937, which gives the rules for local procedure, and some suggested forms for your guidance.

In view of the time that has elapsed on this request, the State Board feels that this matter should be reinvestigated by your office and, if the change is still deemed desirable by the St. Louis County Board, the process should be reinitiated and complete information sent to the State Board.

Would you be kind enough to look into this matter. We will appreciate any help you can give us on it.

Sincerely,

Russell W. Fridley
Secretary
Minnesota Geographic Board
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

RWF:rs
enc.

SEP 13 1945



COUNTY OF SAINT LOUIS

WALTER H. BORGEN
AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINNESOTA

I. G. WOLLAN
CHIEF DEPUTY
J. S. TARNOWSKI
J. P. ZYGMANSKI
DEPUTIES
I. A. FINK
CLERK, COUNTY BOARD

DULUTH 2, MINN. September 12,
1945.

Mr. Lewis Beeson, Acting Superintendent,
Minnesota Historical Society,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Dear Sir:

We are herewith enclosing a certified copy of a resolution establishing the name of a certain lake in Section 22, Township 54 North, Range 16 West, in St. Louis County as "ANTILA LAKE". If same meets with the approval of the State Geographic Board, will you please note the endorsement of said Board on the original copy of the resolution and return same to this office so that same may be filed and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds.

Yours very truly,

W.H.BORGEN, County Auditor,

By

I. A. Fink
Clerk of County Board.

F-J
Enc.

cc: M.J.Hoffmann, Commissioner of Highways,
Chester S. Wilson, Commissioner of Conservation,

Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Adopted September 7, 1945

By Commissioner THEOBALD:

WHEREAS, No name has been officially designated or no generally accepted name has been in use for a lake in Section 22, Township 54 North, Range 16 West, in St. Louis County, sometimes called Lake Twenty-Two or Antila Lake.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota, hereby establishes the name of the above described lake as "ANTILA LAKE", as authorized under Section 354.04, Minnesota Statutes 1941, subject to the approval of the State Geographic Board, as provided by Law.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That upon approval of the establishment of said above described lake as "ANTILA LAKE" by the State Geographic Board, the County Auditor is hereby directed to file a certified copy of this resolution, together with the endorsement thereon of the State Geographic Board, with the Register of Deeds of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Commissioner Theobald moved the adoption of the Resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:
Yeas--Commissioners Flynn, Theobald, Antila, Floyd, and Chairman Schade-wald--5.
Nays--None.

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis

I, W. H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 7th day of September, A. D. 1945, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 12th day of September, A. D. 1945.

W. H. BORGEN, County Auditor,

By



Clerk of County Board

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Certified Copy of Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Adopted

September 7, 1945

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Nays--None.

STATE OF MINNESOTA

Office of County Auditor. ss.

County of St. Louis

I, W. H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 7th day of September, A. D. 19 45 and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE at Duluth, Minnesota, this 12th day of September, A. D. 19 45.

W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor,

By



Clerk of County Board

AUG 14 1939

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
BOARD ON GEOGRAPHICAL NAMES
WASHINGTON

August 11, 1939

Mr. Theodore C. Blegen,
Secretary, Minnesota State Geographic Board,
Minnesota Historical Society,
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir:

This office has been asked to determine the correct form of the name of a point of land in Duluth Harbor Basin, between St. Louis Bay and Superior Bay, which is shown on maps as Rice Point, Rices Point and Rice's Point.

Has your board ever made a ruling on the spelling of this name? If not, which form do you recognize as being correct? Do you know of any legal basis for the acceptance of either form?

Whatever information you are able to furnish will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

George C. Martin
Executive Secretary.

P.S. If you know anything of the origin and history of the name that information, too, would be helpful. Is it a personal name, or is it applied because of the presence of wild rice in the vicinity?

August 18, 1939

Mr. George C. Martin, Executive Secretary
Board on Geographical Names
Department of the Interior
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Martin:

I am enclosing a report dealing with the origin of the name "Rice's Point" prepared by Miss Lois Fawcett, the reference librarian of the Historical Society. It is so complete in itself that any comment by me is unnecessary.

The State Geographic Board of Minnesota has not made a ruling on this particular point. In view of the historical background for the name, however, I suspect that we would feel inclined to continue to use the " 's" form. I know of no legal basis for either spelling of the name aside from the citation from the Special Laws of Minnesota for 1870, which is mentioned in the report.

Sincerely yours,

Arthur J. Larsen
Acting Secretary
State Geographic Board

AJL/H

St. Louis Co.

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State of Minnesota
House of Representatives

FIFTIETH SESSION

St. Paul

Duluth, Minn., August 2, 1938.

JOHN ANTILA, 59th Dist.
5718 Main Street
Duluth

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Mr. Ed. McKeever,
Dep't of Conservation,
State Office Bldg.
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Ed.

Will you refer this application to the proper committee or officials for action?

I am making a formal application to have a Lake officially named.

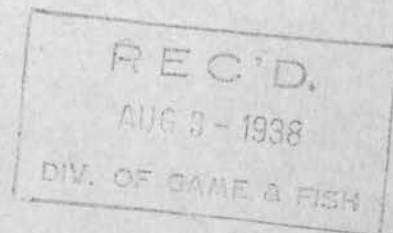
The lake is located in Township 54, Range 16, Section 22. This lake is sometimes called Lake 22, possibly because it is located in section 22, and more often it is referred to as Lake Antila. My father was the first settler on this lake and thereafter the lake has been referred to as Lake Antila.

Therefor: I petition that this lake be officially named "Lake Antila"

Thanking you, I remain

Yours sincerely,

John Antila
John Antila.



St. Louis Co

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DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

ADDRESS: STATE OFFICE BUILDING
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

HERMAN C. WENZEL
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

August 8th, 1938

Mr. John Antila
5718 Main Street
Duluth, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Antila:-

Your letter to Mr. Ed McKeever, requesting that we rename a lake located in Township 54, Range 16, Section 22, which lake is sometimes called Lake Twenty-two and sometimes called Lake Antila, has been received and noted.

This matter is being referred to the State Geographic Board and will be taken up at the next regular meeting of the Board.

Appreciating your suggestion, I am,

Very truly yours,

Herman C. Wenzel
Commissioner of Conservation

HCW/R

January 17, 1940

Mr. John Antila
5718 Main Street
Duluth, Minnesota

My dear Mr. Antila:

From the files of the State Geographic Board it appears that in August, 1938, a letter from you to Mr. Ed. McKeever, concerning the official naming of a lake in Township 54, Range 16, Section 22, St. Louis County, sometimes called Lake 22 and more often referred to as Lake Antila, was referred to the Board. At the time of your correspondence the Board was not yet fully organized, and its policies had not been determined. It is now organized, and the general policies under which it will operate have been established.

Chapters 35 and 63 of the Session Laws of 1937 prescribe definite rules to regulate the process of naming lakes or changing their names. Although the State Geographic Board has the power to initiate proceedings, we believe that greater satisfaction will result if local wishes are consulted, and if the initial action comes from the communities in which the lake is located.

I am therefore enclosing a set of instructions to be followed in beginning such action, together with copies of the laws under which the Board operates. You will note that the petition, which is also enclosed, must be signed by fifteen legal voters residing within the county in which the lake is located. If any questions arise, you probably can get additional information from the chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County, or from the county auditor. If they are unable to answer your questions, please do not hesitate to write to us.

Sincerely yours,

Arthur J. Larsen, Secretary
State Geographic Board

AJL/b

January 17, 1940

Mr. Walter H. Borgen, County Auditor
Duluth, Minnesota

My dear Mr. Borgen:

I am enclosing a copy of a letter to Mr. John Antila of Duluth concerning the naming of a lake in Township 54, Range 16, Section 22, in St. Louis County.

Sincerely yours,

Arthur J. Larsen, Secretary
State Geographic Board

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DULUTH, MINN.,

June 6, 1940

Dr. Arthur J. Larson, Superintendent
Minnesota Historical Society
St. Paul, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Larson:

In Vol. 17, of Minnesota Collections, page 293, fourth paragraph, I notice the following words "Beaver Bay village, platted in 1856, by Thomas Clark, on the west side of the small bay bearing this name".

The townsite which Thomas Clark platted at Beaver Bay was not on the west side of the bay, but on the east side, - at least his plat was entirely on the east side of the Beaver River.

The settlement founded by the Wielands, in 1856, was entirely on the west side of the bay, and I have some reason to believe that they had intended to name their settlement Cedarville, from the Indian name of the location, which means the 'Place of Little Cedars', but, apparently, their plat was never recorded, and the name Beaver Bay has been universally accepted as applying to both sides of the bay.

The plat of Thomas Clark's townsite is on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of St. Louis County, since Lake County had not been yet organized.

The matter is perhaps hardly worth mentioning, except that slight inaccuracies sometimes lead to more serious instances or complications.

Very sincerely yours,

Otto E. Wieland

President,

St. Louis County Historical Society

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February 1, 1941

Mr. Walter H. Borgen
County Auditor, St. Louis County
Duluth, Minnesota

My dear Mr. Borgen:

I am enclosing a petition from the State Geographic Board to be presented to the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County at its next meeting.

Very truly yours,

Secretary,
State Geographic Board

AMERICAN TRUST
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A PETITION

To the Board of County Commissioners of St. Louis County:

The State Geographic Board hereby petitions that your honorable board accept the following names for geographic features located in St. Louis County and described below, for the reasons given in each case. These names were submitted to the State Geographic Board by the supervisor of the Superior National Forest, after consultation with local residents, and have been accepted by the Board, subject to the approval of the St. Louis County Board of Commissioners.

- AMUNDSEN LAKE (not Knox Lake): T.68 N., R.19 W., secs. 23, 24, 25, 26. Knox Lake is used on some maps, but Amundsen Lake has been used on St. Louis County maps for the past 20 years, and is the common local name for the lake. Amundsen was an early local resident.
- BEAST LAKE (not Wilson Lake): T.70 N., R.19 W., secs. 28, 33, 34. Local usage favors Beast Lake. Wilson is duplicated, and, as Beast is used locally, it should be adopted. The origin of Beast could not be determined locally.
- BUCK LAKE (not Long Lake nor Lone Lake): T.63 N., R.14, 15 W., secs. 6; 1, 2, 11; T.64, R.14, sec. 31. Buck and Long are both in use, but the local residents commonly use Buck. Lone Lake was erroneously placed on the 1938 Forest Service map. The origin of Buck could not be determined locally. Buck is the commonly used name, and its adoption would eliminate one of the many Long Lakes. It is realized that there are other Buck lakes in the state, but, as far as can be determined, this is the only Buck Lake in St. Louis County.
- COLBY LAKE (not North Partridge Lake nor Upper Partridge Lake): Upper Partridge Lake and North Partridge Lake appear on maps, particularly older maps; but the name Colby has been used locally for many years. The name is derived from the railroad station Colby, which is on the northwest end of the lake.
- CRUISER LAKE (not Trout Lake): T.69, 70 N., R.19 W., secs. 5, 6; 31, 32. Trout Lake appears on some maps, but Cruiser Lake has been used on St. Louis County maps for 20 years, and is accepted locally. The adoption of Cruiser will reduce the number of Trout Lakes. The origin of Cruiser could not be determined locally.
- CUMMINGS LAKE (not Clear Lake for the east part): T.63 N., R.14 W., sec. 2; T.64 N., R.13, 14 W., secs. 31; 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36. The lake is generally known as Cummings Lake, but some county maps call the eastern part Clear Lake. The lake is one continuous body of water and should have but one name. Clear is applied to several other lakes in St. Louis County, and the adoption of Cummings as the name of the entire lake would reduce the number of duplications of Clear. The origin of Cummings could not be determined locally.
- DOVRE LAKE (not Echo Lake): T.67 N., R.16 W., secs. 17, 20. Echo Lake appears on some maps, but Dovre Lake is used on county maps and is in local usage. The name is for an early settler. A large lake about six miles south of this lake is generally known as Echo Lake, and the use of the name Echo on the smaller lake causes confusion; as the name Dovre is already in partial use, it is recommended for adoption.
- DRY LAKE (not Bass Lake, nor part of Bass Lake): T.63 N., R.12 W., secs. 4, 9. Dry Lake is used locally and on county maps. At one time this body of water was a part of Bass Lake. In 1927 the outlet of Bass Lake washed out, and there is now a distinct stream with a drop of about 30 feet between Dry and Bass Lakes, making Dry Lake a separate body of water. The water level of Bass Lake was lowered considerably by the washout, and land between Bass Lake and Dry Lake, which had been covered with

- water, became dry. This fact gave rise to the name Dry Lake. The body of water is now a distinct lake and should have an individual name.
- FRANKLIN LAKE** (not Little Namakan Lake): T.67 N.,R.18 W.,secs.11,14. Both names have been used somewhat for this lake, but Franklin is now in more general use. Little Namakan does not seem applicable, as the lake is some distance from Namakan Lake.
- HAY LAKE** (not Pike Lake nor Nett Lake): T.59 N.,R.16 W.,secs.28,29. The use of Nett causes confusion with another Nett Lake in St. Louis County, and Pike is much overworked as a lake name. Hay is used on most maps at present, and recommended for adoption. The lake is situated in a large wild marsh hay meadow.
- HERRIMAN LAKE** (not Bug Lake): T.66,67 N.,R.16 W.,secs.5;32. Both names are used on maps, and local usage varies. As the lake is relatively small and unimportant, no extensive use has been made of either name. Herriman Lake, for a logger reported to have worked in the vicinity of the lake years ago, is recommended to eliminate duplication of Bug.
- JORGENS LAKE** (not Beaver Lake): T.69 N.,R.20 W.,secs.1,2,11,12. Both names are used somewhat, but Jorgens is the preferred local name, and its adoption will eliminate one of the many Beaver Lakes in the state. No information could be obtained locally as to the origin of Jorgens.
- LOCATOR LAKE** (not Cranberry Lake): Both names are used, but Locator Lake is the local name and is rapidly becoming accepted generally. Its adoption will eliminate a duplication of the name Cranberry. The origin of Lacator could not be determined locally.
- MOOSECAMP LAKE** (not Moose Lake): T.65 N.,R.11,12 W.,secs.7,18;13. Moose Lake appears on most maps, but Moosecamp Lake is the local name. At one time there was a large moose-hunting camp maintained on the shores of this lake. There are at least three other Mosse lakes in St. Louis County, and two in Lake County. (This lake extends into Lake County).
- MORCOM LAKE** (not Paleface Lake): T.55 N.,R.16 W.,secs.9,10,15,16. There is little authentic use of the name Paleface for this lake. Morcom Lake appears on most maps, and is generally accepted.
- MUKOODA LAKE** (not Trout Lake): T.68 N.,R.17 W.,secs.26,27,35,36. Both names are used, but Trout is duplicated many times, and the adoption of Mukooda would aid in reducing the duplications. The name Mukooda is derived from the Chippewa Indian word meaning "black."
- O'LEARY LAKE** (not Hammer Lake): T.68,69 N.,R.17 W.,secs.4;32,33. Hammer Lake appears on some county maps, but O'Leary is used on most maps and it is the local name. The origin of O'Leary could not be determined locally.
- ONE PINE LAKE** (not Pine Lake): T.62 N.,R.12 W.,secs.28,32,33,34. Both names appear on maps, but One Pine Lake is the common local name. One Pine is derived from a large lone pine tree standing on an island in the lake. This tree is quite noticeable and provides a distinctive landmark. The name Pine is duplicated many times, and the adoption of One Pine for this lake will aid in eliminating this duplication.
- OSLO LAKE** (not Brown Lake): T.70 N.,R.19 W.,secs.29,30. Both names are used. Oslo Lake is used locally and on county maps. There is another Brown Lake in the county, and the use of Oslo would eliminate duplication. There are numerous people of Norwegian descent living in the vicinity of the lake, and apparently the lake was named by them for Oslo in Norway.
- OTTO LAKE** (not Greenwood Lake): T.56 N.,R.13 W.,secs.21,22. Greenwood Lake appears on some maps, but Otto Lake is in local use and on all St. Louis County maps. The use of Greenwood is confusing, as a large, well-known lake a short distance to the east bears that name.
- PFEIFFER LAKE** (not Clearwater Lake): T.61 N.,R.17 W.,secs.22,23. Clearwater Lake appears on some maps, but Pfeiffer Lake is in common local use. Pfeiffer was the name of an early homesteader near the lake. The adoption of Pfeiffer will eliminate one of the many Clearwater Lakes.

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- RICE BAY (not Rice Lake): T.63 N.,R.15 W.,secs.34,35, Vermilion Lake. This feature has been known both as Rice Lake and Rice Bay. The common local use is Rice Bay. It is connected with and is a part of Vermilion Lake, and should be named as a bay rather than a lake. There is a large wild rice bed in the bay.
- ROCHGHE LAKE (not Picketts Lake): Rochghe Lake is used locally, although it has never appeared on published maps. Rochghe was the name of an Indian, now dead, who formerly lived on the lake. Picketts Lake is not used locally, and might be confused with Picket Lake, which is the established name of a lake about six miles north of this lake.
- SINNEEG LAKE (not Thunder Lake): T.65,66 N.,R.12 W.,secs.2;35. Sinneeg Lake selected as the most authentic name at a joint meeting of forest service and state conservation officials and local residents. Thunder Lake for this lake is probably an error, for that name rightfully belongs to a lake just west of Sinneeg Lake.
- WHITewater LAKE (not South Partridge Lake nor Lower Partridge Lake): T.58 N.,R.14,15 W.,secs.7,18;13,24. Whitewater Lake is in extensive local use, although South Partridge and Lower Partridge are used on some maps. The lake has very clear water, which under certain conditions, appears to be almost white.
- WINCHESTER LAKE (not Eight Lake): T.64 N.,R.17,18 W.,secs.7,8;12. Winchester is the common local name, and appears more frequently on maps than does Eight. Winchester was the name of an early homesteader in the vicinity.
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any W. B. ...

December 17, 1940

Mr. James A. Stuart,
Duluth Herald & News-Tribune,
Duluth, Minnesota.

Dear Mr. Stuart: Re: State Map.

Thank you very much for your letter of
December 11, inviting our attention to the correct
spelling of Stuart Lake.

As a matter of explanation, please permit
me to advise you that the authorized spelling of names
for lakes, streams and historical places is usually
obtained from the State Geographic Board, whose office
is located in the Historical Society Building.

We are advising the State Geographic Board
in regard to the proper spelling of the name of this lake
and will so note it on the 1941 edition of the trunk
highway condition map.

Yours very truly,

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

MJH:LA
CC: P. J. McCauley
Mr. Larson ✓

Commissioner of Highways.

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107 - No. 25th av. W.,
Duluth, Minn.

February 11, 1946.

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FEB 17 1941
DRAINAGE & WATERS

State Geographic Board,
State Capital
St Paul, Minn.
Dear Sir: -

I saw a listing one of our Duluth papers on proposed changes in lake names. One proposed change is Picketts Lake to Rock Lake. Where is Picketts Lake located? Why I ask is that in 1906 I worked with a surveying crew on what is now The Duluth, Winnipeg & Pacific Ry. from Virginia to within about thirty miles of the Canadian border and the last "residency" where we were located was a little north of Ash Lake (next residency north of the Ash Lake residency).

One day our engineers decided to make a trip to a small lake which they called Mud Lake and we went to a point on the right of way and then following the compass in a westerly direction, ^{blazed} a tree now and then as we went along so if any of us got separated it would help in finding our way back to camp.

Upon reaching the lake I blazed the side of a tree at a number of different points around the lake and wrote Lake Pickett on it with blue keel (crayon), the kind surveyors use for writing on grade stakes.

There were deer or moose trails around the lake and there was a rocky ridge near it with an old Indian trail along its crest.

None of the auto maps nor maps in the County Sheriff's office where I made inquiry, show a lake by either the name of Mud Lake or Lake Pickett or Pickett's Lake in the vicinity on the map where we located this lake, altho there is a Pearl Lake in about that locality, so I have become curious as to the location of the lake referred to in the list as Pickett's Lake.

If by any possibility this is the lake I named, and very few these days have the opportunity to name a lake, I would at least offer an objection to the name being changed.

Any information about the lake I named and about the Pickett's Lake referred to in the list and how it got its name will be appreciated by me.

Respectfully yours,
Allan Lee Pickett.

February 25, 1941

Mr. Allan L. Pickett
107 - No. 26th Avenue W.
Duluth, Minnesota

My dear Mr. Pickett:

In the list of proposed names for geographic features in St. Louis County, to which you refer in your letter of February 11 to the State Geographic Board, Rochghe, or Picketts, Lake is a small lake of about twenty-eight acres in T.63 N., R.12 W., sec.12, just northwest of Cedar Lake.

Rochghe Lake, for an Indian who formerly lived on the lake, is the name in common local use. While the lake is named Picketts on the Ely Quadrangle sheet of the U. S. Geological Survey, the name does not appear elsewhere for this lake, and it is not used by local residents. Moreover, the name Picketts might be confused with Picket Lake, which is the established name of a lake about six miles north of this lake. There is still another Picket Lake in St. Louis County -- in T.65 N., R.16 W., secs.21,22, 27,28,29.

It seems unlikely that Rochghe Lake is the lake that you describe in your letter as Pickett Lake, which you locate northwest of Ash Lake. Ash Lake is some distance west of Rochghe Lake. The only lake in the general location that you describe is Pearl Lake, in T.67 N., R.21 W., secs.17,20.

I am enclosing a very rough tracing to show the relative positions of the lakes mentioned above.

If this has not answered your questions, or if you desire any further information, please do not hesitate to write us.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary,
State Geographic Board

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Mary B.

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINNESOTA

Duluth, Minnesota
April 21, 1941

Mr. Arthur J. Larsen, Secretary,
State Geographic Board,
St. Paul, Minnesota.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith are 2 certified copies of resolutions adopted by the County Board of
St. Louis County, on April 8, 1941, renaming certain lakes in St. Louis
County.

Yours very truly,

W. H. BORGAN, County Auditor,

By W. A. Newman
Deputy.

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Encls.

BY COM'R HULTSTRAND:

WHEREAS, The State Geographic Board has filed a petition with this Board on February 6, 1941, requesting that certain lakes in the County of St. Louis be named or re-named as therein designated and for the reasons therein set forth; and

WHEREAS, In accordance with Chapter 35, Laws of 1937, this Board set April 8, 1941, at 2:00 o'clock P.M. in the County Board Room, Court House, Duluth, Minnesota, as the time and place at which a hearing upon said petition would be held; and

WHEREAS, Said hearing as above set, was held on said date, and all persons desiring to be heard in connection with the naming or re-naming of said lakes were heard.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the following lakes and/or bodies of water in the County of St. Louis are hereby permanently named as follows:

AMUNDSEN LAKE (not Knox Lake) Secs. 23, 24, 25, 26, T.68 N., R. 19 W.
BEAST LAKE (not Wilson Lake) Secs. 28, 33, 34, T. 70 N, R.19 W.
BUCK LAKE (not Long Lake nor Lone Lake) Sec. 6, T. 63 N., R. 14 W., Secs. 1,2,11,T.63 N.,R.15 W., Sec.31, T.64 N.,R.14 W.
COLBY LAKE (not North Partridge Lake nor Upper Partridge Lake) Secs.5,6,7,8,T.58 N.,R.14 W.
CRUISER LAKE (not Trout Lake) Secs.5,6,T.69 N.,R.19 W., Secs. 31,32,T.70 N., R.19 W.
CUMMINGS LAKE (not Clear Lake for the east part) Sec.2, T.63 N., R.14 W.; Sec.31, T.64N.,R.13 W.; Secs.24,25,26,27,28,32,33,34,35, 36,T.64 N., R.14W.
DOVRE LAKE (not Echo Lake) Secs.17,20, T.67 N.,R. 16 W.
DRY LAKE (not Bass Lake, nor part of Bass Lake) Secs.4,9,T.63 N., R.12 W.
FRANKLIN LAKE (not Little Namakan Lake) Secs.11,14,T.67 N., R.18 W.
HAY LAKE (not Pike Lake nor Nett Lake) Secs.28,29,T. 59 N., R.16 W.
HERRIMAN LAKE (not Bug Lake) Sec.5, T.66 N., R.16 W.; Sec.32, T. 67 N., R. 16 W.
JORGENS LAKE (not Beaver Lake) Secs.1,2,11,12, T.69 N., R.20 W.
LOCATOR LAKE (not Cranberry Lake) Secs.22,23,T.70 N.,R.21 W.
MOOSECAMP LAKE (not Moose Lake) Secs.7,18,T.65 N., R.11 W. Sec.13, T.65 N., R.12 W.
MORCOM LAKE (not Paleface Lake) Sec.9,10,15,16, T.55 N.,R.16 W.
MUKOODA LAKE (not Trout Lake) Secs.26,27,35,36,T. 68 N.,R.17 W.
O'LEARY LAKE (not Hammer Lake) Sec.4,T. 68 N., R.17 W.; Secs. 32,33,T.69 N.,R.17 W.
ONE PINE LAKE (not Pine Lake) Secs.28,32,33,34,T.62 N.,R.12 W.
OSLO LAKE (not Brown Lake) Secs.29,30,T.70 N.,R.19 W.
OTTO LAKE (not Greenwood Lake) Secs.21,22,T. 56 N., R.13 W.
PFEIFFER LAKE (not Clearwater Lake) Secs.22,23, T.61 N., R.17 W.
RICE BAY (not Rice Lake) Secs.34,35,T.63 N.,R.15 W.
ROCHGHE LAKE (Not Picketts Lake) Sec.12,T.63 N.,R.12 W.
SINNEEG LAKE (not Thunder Lake) Sec.2,65-12; Sec.35,66-12.
WHITEWATER LAKE (not South Partridge Lake nor Lower Partridge Lake) Secs.7,18,T.58 N.,R.14 W.; Secs.13,24,T.58 N.,R.15 W.
WINCHESTER LAKE (not Eight Lake) Secs.7,8,T.64 N.,R.17 W.; Sec.12,T.64 N.,R.18 W.

Commissioner Hultstrand moved the adoption of the resolution and it was declared adopted upon the following vote:

Yeas--Commissioners Flynn, Schadewald, Anderson, Pete, Kraker, Hultstrand and Chairman Eklund--7.

Nays--None.

Adopted April 8, 1941.

COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS)

)SS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA)

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR

I, W.H. Borgen, Auditor of the County of St. Louis, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing with the original resolution filed in my office on the 8th day of April, A.D. 1941, and that the same is a true and correct copy of the whole thereof.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL of Office at Duluth, Minnesota, this 15th day of April, A.D. 1941.

W.H. BORGES, COUNTY AUDITOR

By *W. H. Borgen* Deputy.

BY COM'R HULTSTRAND:

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COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS)

)SS.

STATE OF MINNESOTA)

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W. H. BORGES, COUNTY AUDITOR

By *W. H. Borgen* Deputy.

APR 23 1941

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR
ST. LOUIS COUNTY, MINNESOTA

Mr. Couley ✓
Sent to Mr. Larson
(1)

Duluth, Minnesota

April 16, 1941

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Commissioner of Highways
State of Minnesota
1246 University Avenue
St. Paul, Minnesota

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CITY OF BOSTON
OFFICE OF THE HEALTH COMMISSIONER
75 STATE STREET, BOSTON, MASS.



TO: THE BOARD OF HEALTH
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FROM: THE BOARD OF HEALTH
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SUBJECT: [Illegible]

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Cloquet River

April 22, 1941

Mr. W. H. Borden
Auditor of St. Louis County
Duluth, Minnesota

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Sincerely yours,

AJL/U

Secretary, State
Geographic Board

cc Mr. McCauley

APR 17 1941

ST. LOUIS COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

AFFILIATED WITH THE STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

415 COURT HOUSE, DULUTH

*Mary Pa.
what are you find?*

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DULUTH, MINN.,

April 16, 1941

Dr. Arthur J. Larsen, Sup't.,
Minnesota Historical Society,
St. Paul, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Larsen:

Mr. Bertrand, President of the Thunder Bay Historical Society, called on me yesterday after he had spoken before the Rotary Club, of Cloquet. He asked as to the origin of the name Cloquet. Of course, I told him that the city was named after the river, or possibly after the earlier town platted in 1857, at the mouth of the Cloquet River. He was desirous, however, of going back of that and ascertaining just how the river got its name. I showed him the statement in Minnesota Collections XVII, Page 74, that Long's map of 1823 called the stream Rapid River, but that Nicollet's map of 1843 called it the Cloquet River; but it is still no indication as to where Nicollet got the name Cloquet. On the page cited above, there is a statement to the effect that the name Cloquet has also been given to an island in the Mississippi River, in Sec. 10, Dayton Township, Hennepin County, although there is no mention of this name in the geographical names of Hennepin County in this volume. The only other mention of the name Cloquet that I find in our library is in Vol. VII, of Wisconsin Historical Collections, Page 22, mentioning "Facsimile letters of M'Jules Cloquet, of his recollections of the private life of General Lafayette." If you have any other information as to the origin of this name, will you kindly advise?

I expect to be in St. Paul to attend the meeting on the 22nd inst., of which I have received notice.

Sincerely yours,

Otto E. Wieland

President,
St. Louis County Historical Society

OEW/GRG

Ans. verbally

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR
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Duluth, Minnesota

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Victor A. Johnston, Director,
Minnesota Tourist Bureau
State Office Building
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By *W. H. Borgen* Deputy.

St. Louis Co

9 Glenwood Ave

Dayton Ohio

Nov. 2 1946

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State of Minnesota
Dept. of Highways
Marshall Ave
St. Paul Minn.

Dear Sirs:

I have before me, the official road map (issued in 1940) of the state of Minnesota. On it, in Superior National Forest, approximately 80 miles north of Duluth, and about 10 miles due north of Ely lies a lake marked "Hegman Lake".

Is it possible to send us any information regarding the origin of this name, or the reason why the lake was so named?

If your department has no data on this, would you be kind enough to forward this letter to the appropriate dept. in your State Office, probably the Historical Dept or some such similar division.

May we hear from you!

Very Truly Yours

Robert L. Hegman



MWB
for Reg. Affs
M. J. HOFFMANN
COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS

O. L. KIPP
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER
AND CHIEF ENGINEER

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DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS NOV 7 1946
1246 UNIVERSITY AVENUE
SAINT PAUL 4, MINN.

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November 6, 1946

Dr. A. J. Larson
Superintendent
State Historical Society
St. Paul 1, Minnesota

Dear Dr. Larson:

We will appreciate it if you will answer the enclosed letter from Robert L. Hegman, 9 Glenwood Avenue, Dayton, Ohio asking for information about the origin of the name of "Hegman Lake" in St. Louis county.

Very truly yours,

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

H. E. Samuelson

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Director of Public Information

HES/hg
Enc.

EAGLE-A
ACCEPTANCE BOND
COTTON CONTENT USA
November 15, 1946

Mr. Robert L. Hegman
9 Glenwood Avenue
Dayton, Ohio

My dear Mr. Hegman:

Your letter of November 2 to the Minnesota Department of Highways, requesting information about the origin of the name of Hegman Lake in St. Louis County, has been referred to the State Geographic Board.

Unfortunately the records of neither the Geographic Board nor the Minnesota Historical Society give any information about the origin of the name.

May I suggest that you write to the County Commissioner of the Fourth District of St. Louis County at Ely. He may be able, through inquiry of local persons, to give you the desired information.

Sincerely yours,

ARTHUR J. LARSEN, secretary

By
Deputy to the secretary

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