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MURRAY COUNTY

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Arcatemie Lake: see Louisa, Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Avoca

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.106 N., R.40 W., sec.27,28,33,34.Lime Lake Township

Names

Comments

McCauley: Avoca. On C.St.P.M&O. r.r.

Minn.Flatbook,1916: Avoca.

Upham,364: Avoca. A r.r. village. Named in 1879 by Archbishop Ireland, who founded near it a Catholic colony of immigrant farmers. The name is taken from a river in County Wicklow, Ireland, about 40 miles south of Dublin, noted for the picturesque beauty of its valley, called "sweet vale of Avoca" in a poem by Thomas Moore.

Stennett,167: Avoca. Was named in 1879 by archbishop John Ireland who established a colony nearby. The name is an allusion to Thomas Moore's poem, "Sweet Vale of Avoca."

Walker, Village Law,108: Avoca. Incorp, N<sub>o</sub>.v.22,1881. Reincorp Apr.13,1913. Separated from township.

Co.map,1913: Avoca.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Avoca. \*

Laws,1881,ex.session,27: Avoca. Act to incorporate village of Avoca. Approved Nov.22,1881.

Leg.Manual Map,1887: Avoca.

Collier atlas,1914: Avoca.

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Minn. Commercial Directory, 1937-38: Avoca.

R.R. Com. Map, 1930: Avoca.

Badger Lake: see Badger Lakes, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Badger Lakes

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.105 N.,R.41 W.,sec.1,2,11,12. Iona Township.

Names

Badger Lake

Comments

McCauley: Badger Lakes (one of). Wet. Not meandered.  
Upham,369: Badger Lakes (one of). Named for badgers formerly  
found here.  
Minn.Platsbook,1916: Badger Lakes (one of).  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Badger Lake.  
Andreas: Badger Lake.

Approved name

Name in use Badger Lakes

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.105 N.,R.41 W.,sec.2.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Badger Lakes(one of). Wet. Not meandered. Two lakes named as one on the map.

Upham,369: Badger Lakes (one of). Named for badgers formerly found here.

Minn.Flatbook,1916: Badger Lakes (one of).

Bass Lake: see Bear Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Bear Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107,108 N.,R.42 W.,sec.3,4,5,8,9,10;33,34. Lowville; Skandia Townships.

**Names**

Bass Lake  
Bear Lakes

**Comments**

McCaughey: Bear Lake. Dry. Meandered.  
Upham,369: Bear Lake. One of the group of Bear lakes, 4 in number.  
Minn.Plattbook,1916: Bear Lake.  
Lake Gaz: Bear. 1,110.11 acres.  
Eddy(n.d.): Bass Lake. 3-22. 1,110.11 acres. Dry lake.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Bear Lakes.  
Andreas: Bear Lakes (one of). See Great Oasis Lake.  
Co.map,1913: Bear Lake.  
Legis.Manual,1887: Bear Lake.

Bear Lakes: see Bear Lake, Murray County

Bear Lakes: see Great Oasis Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Beauty, Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.41 W., sec.27,28,33,34. Mason Township.

Names

Beauty Lake

Comments

McCauley: Lake Beauty. Dry. Meandered.

Upham,369: Lake Beauty. So-called by Henry Edwards, a settler near  
it.

Minn.Platsbook,1916: Lake Beauty.

Lake Gaz: Beauty. 228.66 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Lake Beauty.

Andreas: Lake Beauty.

Co.map,1913: Lake Beauty.

Approved name

Name in use Belfast Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.105 N.,R.39 W.

**Names**

**Comments**

McCauley: Belfast Township.

Minn.Platsbook,1916: Belfast Township.

Upham,364: Belfast Township. Organized July 19 and Sept.3,1878.  
Bears the name of a large seaport city in Northern Ireland.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Belfast Township.

Co.map,1913: Belfast Township.

Approved name

Name in use Ben Franklin

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.39 W.,sec.14, s.w. Holly Township.

**Names**

Franklin

**Comments**

Andreas: Ben Franklin P.O.  
Leg.Manual Map, 1887: Franklin.

Approved name

Name in use Berry Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.105 N.,R.39 W.,sec.34,35. Belfast Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Unnamed. Dry. Meandered.

Lake Gaz: Berry. 43.16 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22. Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Blood Lake: see Bloody Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Bloody Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.40 W.,sec.20,29. Shetek Township.

**Names**

Blood Lake

**Comments**

McCauley: Bloody Lake. Wet. Meandered.  
Upham,369: Bloody Lake. Named for victims of the Sioux Massacre  
in 1862.  
Minn.Platabook,1916: Bloody Lake.  
Lake Gaz: Bloody. 199.25 acres.  
Eddy(n.d.): Bloody Lake. 3-13. 199.25 acres. Controlled by Lake  
Shetek. Outlet, none; inlet, Lake Shetek.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Unnamed.  
Co.map,1913: Blood Lake.

Approved name

Name in use Bondin

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location

T.105 N.,R.40 W.,sec.24, n.w.

Names

Comments

Upham,364: Bondin P.O. Established before 1874 at the home of William M. Davis, a pioneer farmer in the n.w. 1/4 of sec.24.

McCauley: Not shown.

Andreas: Bondin P.O.

Approved name Bondin Township

Name in use Bondin Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.105 N.,R.40 W.

**Names**  
Bowdin Township

**Comments**  
USGB, Sixth Report, 156: Bondin: township, Murray County, Minn.  
(Not Bowdin.)  
Upham, 364: Bondin Township. Organized Nov. 2, 1874. Named for  
the P.O. in sec. 24.  
McCauley: Bondin Township.  
Minn. Platbook, 1916: Bondin Township.  
Winchell, 1:pl.22: Bondin Township.  
Co. map, 1913: Bondin Township.

Bowdin Township: see Bondin Township, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Buffalo, Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.39, 40 W., sec.7, 18; 13. Dovray; Murray Townships.

**Names**

Buffalo Lake

**Comments**

McCauley: Lake Buffalo. Wet. Meandered.

Upham, 369: Lake Buffalo.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Lake Buffalo.

Short: Lake Buffalo.

Lake Gaz: Buffalo. 118.46 acres.

Winchell, 1: pl. 22: Buffalo Lake.

Andreas: Buffalo Lake.

Co. map, 1913: Lake Buffalo.

Buffalo Lake: see Julia, Lake, Murray, Cottonwood Counties.

Caldwell: see Conwell City, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Cameron

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.43 W. Cameron Township

Names

Comments

Mpls. Trib., April 14, 1880, p.2, c.2: Cameron. P.O. discontinued.

Approved name

Name in use Cameron Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.107 N.,R.43 W.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Cameron Township.  
Minn.Flatbook,1916: Cameron Township.  
Upham,365: Cameron Township. Organized Sept.10,1878. Named for  
Charles Cameron Cole, an early settler.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Cameron Township.  
Co.map,1913: Cameron Township.

Canwell City: see Conwell City, Murray County

Center Lake: see Central Lake, Murray County

Center Township: see Slayton Township, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Central Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.105 N., R.39 W., sec.15,16,21,22. Belfast Township.

Names

Center Lake

Centre Lake

Comments

McCauley: Central Lake. Dry. Meandered.

Upham,370: Central Lake; Center Lake.

Minn.Platbook,1916: Central Lake.

Lake Gaz: Central. 143.34 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Center Lake.

Andreas: Centre Lake.

Co.map,1913: Unnamed.

Centre Lake: see Central Lake, Murray County

Centre Township: see Slayton Township, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Chanarambie Township

Pronunciation

Feature named

Township

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.43 W.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Chanarambie Township.  
Minn.Flatbook,1916: Chanarambie Township.  
Upham,365: Chanarambie Township. Organized July 25,1879. Named  
for a creek,q.v.,whose headstreams drain it.  
Co.map,1913: Chanarambie Township.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Chanarambie Township.

Approved name

Name in use Chandler

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.105 N., R.42, 43 W., sec.6;1. Moulton, Leeds Township

Names

Comments

McCauley: Chandler. On C.M.&ST.P.R.R.

Minn.Platsbook,1916: Chandler.

Upham,365: Chandler. A r.r. village. Named for John Alonzo Chandler, an official for the C.M.&ST.P. R.R. CO. for more than 40 years, beginning in 1856. (Gives biog.sketch.)

Walker,Village Laws,110: Chandler. Incorp. Oct.6,1900. Sep. from township. April, 1, 1926.

Co.map,1913: Chandler

R.R.Com.Map,1930: Chandler.

Collier atlas,1914: Chandler.

Minn.Commercial Directory,1937-38: Chandler.

Chetak,Lake: see Shetek,Lake, Murray County

Chetek Lake: see Shetek, Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Clear Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N.,R.41 W.,sec.25,36. Mason Township.

Names

Clear Lakes

Comments

McCaughey: Clear Lake. Dry. Meandered.

Upham,369: Clear Lake. Described by its name.

Minn.Flatbook,1916: Clear Lake.

Lake Gaz: Clear. 71.39 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Clear Lakes (one of).(See Mud Lake,sec.25,35,36.

Andreas: Clear Lakes (one of). (

Approved name

Name in use Clear Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.40,41 W.,sec.6,7;1,12. Shetek Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Unnamed. Dry. Meandered.

Upham,369: Clear Lake.

Lake Gaz: Unnamed. 113.43 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Clear Lake.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Co.map,1913: Unnamed.

Clear Lakes: see Clear Lake, Murray County

Clear Lakes: see Mud Lake, Murray County

Connwell City: see Conwell City, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use      Conwell City

Pronunciation

Feature named

County      Murray

Location      T.106 N.,R.41 W.    Near Currie.

**Names**

Council City  
Connwell City  
Cornwall City  
Cornwell City  
Canwell City  
Caldwell

**Comments**

M.H., 14:250: Council City is a misspelling of Conwell City, a paper town established by legislative act near the present Currie. p.255: Ninety-one people living in sixteen dwellings are listed as inhabitants of "Cornwall City," Murray County, in the census of 1857. The chameleon-like changes that the name of this Murray County town site underwent are worthy of mention. At the outset the name of the project was "Conwell City" for the family name of Mrs. William Pitt Murray; but nowhere in contemporary sources is the name correctly spelled: Cornwall City; Canwell City; Council City; Caldwell.

MH,8:448: Connwell City never developed beyond the stage of a town project. It was planned by William Pitt Murray and was to be located on Lake Shetek, but the Sioux war and other factors prevented its development.

Pioneer & Democrat Weekly, Apr.28, 1859, p.1-4: List of counties and county seats: Cornwall ~~xxx~~ City, co. seat of Murray County

Walker, Village Laws, 103: Canwell City. Indorp. May 23, 1857. Present status, no trace.

Cora Belle, Lake: see Corabelle Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Corabelle Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.105 N.,R.41 W.,sec.19,20,29,30. Iona Township.

Names

Cora-Belle Lake

Cora Belle, Lake

Comments

McCauley: Cora-Belle Lake. Wet. Meandered.

Upham, 369: Lake Cora Belle. Named by the U.S. surveyors for a daughter of the proprietor of the principal hotel in Worthington.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Corabelle Lake.

Short: Corabelle Lake.

Lake Gaz: Corabelle. 107.65 acres.

Winchell, 1:pl. 22: Lake Cora Belle.

Andreas: Lake Cora Belle.

Co. map, 1913: Unnamed.

Cornwall City: see <sup>u</sup>onwell <sup>o</sup>City, Murray County

Cornwell City: see Conwell City, Murray County

Council City: see Conwell City, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Creswell

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.105 N., R.39 W., sec.34, s.w.

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Names

Comments

Andreas: Creswell P.O.

Approved name

Name in use Crooked Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N.,R.42 W.,sec.1,2,11,12. Lowville Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Crooked Lake. Dry. Meandered.

Upham,369: Crooked Lake. One of the group of Bear lakes, 4 in number.

Minn.Platsbook,1916: Crooked Lake.

Lake Gaz: Crooked. 283.61 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Co.map,1913: Unnamed.

Approved name

Name in use Currant Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.42,43 W.,sec.7,18;12,13. Skandia; Ellsborough Townships.

Names

Current Lake

Comments

McCauley: Current Lake. Wet. Meandered.  
Upham,368: Currant Lake. Named for its wild currants.  
Minn.Flatbook,1916: Currant Lake.  
Short: Current Lake.  
Lake Gaz: Currant. 376.72 acres.  
Eddy(n.d.): Currant Lake. 3-46.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Currant Lake.  
Andreas: Currant Lake.  
Co.map,1913: Currant Lake.  
Legis.Manual Map,1887: Currant Lake.

Current Lake: see Current Lake, Murray County

Approved name Current Lake

Name in use Current Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Village

County Murray

Location T.108 N., R.43 W., sec.24. Ellsborough Township.

**Names**  
Currant Lake

**Comments**  
USGB, Sixth Report, 249: Current Lake: village, Murray County, Minn. (Not Currant Lake.)  
Minn. Platbook, 1916: Current Lake.  
McCauley: Current Lake.  
Minn. Commercial Directory, 1937-38: Currant Lake. C. & N.W.r.r.  
R.R.Com. Map, 1930: Current Lake.  
Co.map, 1913: Currant Lake P.O.

Current Lake: see Currant Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Currie

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.40 W., sec.17,16,20. Murray Township.

Names  
Shetek

Comments

McCauley: Currie. On C.ST.P.M.&O. R.R.

Upham,365: Currie. A r.r. village. Named for Neil Currie and his father Archibald Currie, who built a flour mill here in 1872. Was first county seat 1872-1889 being succeeded by Slayton. (Biog.sketches given.)

Minn.Platabook,1916: Currie.

Co.map,1913: Currie.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Currie.

Andreas: Currie.

Leg.Manjal Map,1887: Currie.

Walker,Village Laws,111: Currie. Incorp. Sept.1,1900.

Co.atlas,1914: Currie.

Stennett,172: Currie. "Was named in 1872 by Neil Currie, the first settler, for the Currie family. It formerly was called Shetek from the nearby Lake Shetek, on the banks of which many settlers were massacred by the Sioux Indians in 1862. The name of this lake comes from an Indian word which has many forms of spelling."

Approved name

Name in use Des Moines River Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.39 W.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Des Moines River Township  
Upham, 365: Des Moines River Township. Organized May 31, 1878.  
Is crossed by the Des Moines river.  
Minn. Platbook, 1916: Des Moines River Township.  
Winchell, 1: pl. 22: Des Moines River Township.  
Co. map, 1913: Des Moines River Township.

Approved name

Name in use Dovray

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.39 W., sec.20. Dovray Township

Names

Comments

McCauley: Dovray. On C.ST.P.M.&O. R.R.

Upham, 365: Dovray. A r.r. village. Platted 1904 after the organization and naming of Dovray township, q.v.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Dovray.

Co. map, 1913: Dovray.

Stennett, 173: Dovray. This village was named in 1904 from the township.

Walker, Village Laws, 112: Dovray. Incorp Jan. 2, 1924.

Approved name

Name in use Dovray Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.107 N.,R.39 W.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Dovray Township.

Upham, 365: Dovray Township. Organized March 18 and April 22, 1879. Named for Dovre, a village in Norway, and for the Dovrefjeld, a high mountainous plateau of that country, this name being given by Nels S. Taarud, the county treasurer. Ten years earlier in 1869, a township in Kandiyohi was named Dovre, having the same derivation, for which reason the spelling was changed here, while retaining nearly the original pronunciation.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Dovray Township.

Stennett, 173: Dovray Township named by the early Norwegian settler from Doverfjeld, Norway.

Co. map, 1913: Dovray Township.

Winchell, 1: pl. 22: Dovray Township.

Approved name

Name in use Duck Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.39 W., sec.28,29. Dovray Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Duck Lake. Dry. Meandered.

Upham,370: Duck Lake.

Minn.Flatbook,1916: Duck Lake.

Lake Gaz: Duck. 39.61 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Duck Lake.

Co.map,1913: Unnamed.

Eliza, Lake: see Louisa, Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Ellsborough Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.108 N., R.43 W.

**Names**

**Comments**

McCauley: Ellsborough Township.

Upham, 365: Ellsborough Township. Organized March 21, 1874. Name adopted in honor of Knut Ellingson, one of its first settlers.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Ellsborough Township.

Andreas: Ellsborough Township.

Winshell, 1: pl. 22: Ellsborough Township.

Co. map. 1913: Ellsborough Township.

Approved name

Name in use Elsie, Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.41 W.,sec.10,15. Slayton Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Not shown.

Minn.Platsbook,1916: Lake Elsie.

Upham,369: Lake Elsie. Was named for a daughter of Arthur Simpson a settler beside it. (Gives biog sketch).

Approved name

Name in use Fairview

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.40 W.,sec.18, s.e. Lake Shetek.

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Names

Comments

Andreas: Fairview P.O.

Approved name

Name in use Fenton Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.105 N.,R.42 W.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Fenton Township.  
Upham, 365: Fenton Township. Organized March 19, 1886. Named for  
P.H.Fenton, a pioneer farmer, who removed to the state of Washington  
Minn.Platabook, 1916: Fenton Township.  
Co.map, 1913: Fenton Township.

Approved name

Name in use Field Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.105 N.,R.39 W.,sec.35. Belfast Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Field Lake. Dry. Meandered.

Lake Gaz: Field. 128.39 acres.

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Co.map, 1913: Unnamed.

Approved name

Name in use Fox Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N., R.40 W., sec.21,22,27,28. Shetek Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Fox Lake. Wet. Meandered.

Upham,369: Fox Lake.

Minn.Flatbook,1916: Fox Lake.

Lake Gaz: Fox. 190.56 acres.

Eddy(n.d.): Fox Lake. 3-12. 190.56 acres. No inlet.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Fox Lake.

Co.map,1913: Fox Lake.

Francis Siegal Lake; see Francis Siegel Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Francis Siegel Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.40 W.,sec.3,4. Shetek Township.

Names	Comments
Francis Siegal Lake Francis Sigel, Lake James Lake James, Lake	McCauley: Francis Siegal Lake. Dry. Meandered. Short: Francis Siegel Lake. Minn.Platabook,1916: Lake Francis Sigel. Upham,369: James Lake. Named for James P. Corbin and James W. Matthews, early settler beside it. Lake Gaz: Francis Siegel. 112.25 acres. Winchell,1:pl.22: James Lake. Andreas: Lake James. Co.map,1913: Unnamed.

Francis Sigel, Lake: see Francis Siegel Lake, Murray County

Franklin: see Ben Franklin, Murray County

Freemont Lake: see Fremont Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Fremont Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.40 W.,sec.18,19,20. Shetek Township.

**Names**

Fremont, Lake

Freemont Lake

**Comments**

McCauley: Fremont Lake. Wet. Meandered.

Upham,369: Lake Fremont. Commemorates John C. Fremont (1813-1890) who was here with Nicollet in 1838. (Gives biog. sketch).

Minn.Platbook,1916: Lake Fremont.

Short: Fremont Lake.

Lake Gaz: Freemont. 196.62 acres.

Eddy(n.d.): Freemont Lake. 3-52. 196.62 acres. Controlled by Lake Shetek. Outlet none.

Andreas: Fremont Lake.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Lake Fremont.

Co.map,1913: Lake Fremont.

Approved name

Name in use Fulda

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.105 N., R.40 W., sec.25,26. Bondin Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Fulda. On C.M.&ST.P. R.R.

Minn.Platsbook,1916: Fulda.

Upham,366: Fulda. A r.r. village. Named for an ancient city in central Germany, on the river Fulda.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Fulda.

Sp.Laws,1881,ex.session,p.33: Fulda. Act to incorporate village of Fulda. Approved Nov.21,1881.

Leg.Manual Map,1887: Fulda.

Walker,Village Laws,114: Fulda. Incorp Nov.21,1881.

Co.map,1913: Fulda.

Approved name

Name in use Fulda 1st Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.105 N.,R.40 W.,sec.35,36. Bondin Township.

**Names**

Seven Mile Lake  
Seven Mile Lakes  
7 Mile Lakes  
Fulda Lake

**Comments**

McCauley: Seven Mile Lake. Wet. Meandered  
Upham,370: Seven Mile Lake. Named for its distance on an old  
trail from the Graham lakes in Nobles Co.  
Short: Fulda 1st Lake.  
Minn.Platsbook,1916: Seven Mile Lake.  
Lake Gaz: Fulda 1st. 98.41 acres.  
Eddy(8-23-37): Fulda Lake (one of the 7 mile lakes). 3-28.  
98.41 acres. Less than 6' deep. No outlet nor inlet.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Seven Mile Lakes (one of).  
Andreas: 7 Mile Lakes (one of).  
Co.map,1913: Seven Mile Lake.

Fulda Lake: see Fulda 1st Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Fulda 2nd Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.105 N., R.40 W., sec.25,36. Bondin Township.

**Names**

Seven Mile Lake  
Seven Mile Lakes  
7 Mile Lakes

**Comments**

McCauley: Seven Mile Lake. Wet. Meandered.  
Short: Fulda 2nd Lake.  
Lake Gaz: Fulda 2d. 57.14 acres.  
Winchell, 1:pl.22. Seven Mile Lakes(one of).  
Andreas: 7 Mile Lakes (one of).  
Co.map, 1913: Unnamed.

Approved name

Name in use Great Oasis Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N.,R.42 W.,sec.8,9,10,11,14,15,16,17,21. Lowville Township.

**Names**

Tibbetts Lake  
Bear Lakes

**Comments**

McCauley: Great Oasis Lake. Dry. Meandered.  
Upham,369: Great Oasis Lake. So-called on recent maps, from this name applied by Nicollet to the adjoining grove, which had an area of more than 300 acres. Tibbetts Lake. A former name. One of the 4 Bear Lakes.  
Minn.Platbook,1916: Great Oasis Lake.  
Lake Gaz: Great Oasis. 1,534.10 acres.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Tibbetts Lake.  
Co.map,1913: Great Oasis Lake.  
R.R.Comm.Map,1930: Great Oasis Lake.  
Andreas: Bear Lakes (one of). See Bear Lake.

Approved name

Name in use Groswal

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.105 N., R.39 W.

Names

Comments

Leg. Manual Map, 1887: Groswal.

Approved name

Name in use Hadley

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.42 W.,sec.11. Leeds Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Hadley. C.ST.P.M.&O. R.R.  
Upham,366: Hadley. A r.r. village.  
Minn.Platbook,1916: Hadley.  
Co.map,1913: Hadley.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Hadley.  
Leg.Manual Map,1887: Hadley.  
Walker,Village Laws,115: Hadley. Incorp Sept.1,1903.  
Stennett,177: Hadley. Was named by L.L.Lucason for the family name  
of one of his relatives.

Hawk Lake: see Rush Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Holly Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.39 W.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Holly Township.

Minn.Platbook,1916: Holly Township

Upham,366: Holly Township. Organized June 17,1872. Chosen in honor of John L. Holly, one of its early pioneers, who after a few years returned to Illinois.

Andreas: Holly Township

Winchell,1:pl.22: Holly Township.

Co.map,1913: Holly Township.

Approved name

Name in use Iona

Pronunciation

Feature named Village

County Murray

Location T.105 N., R.41 W., sec.8,9. Inna Township.

**Names**

Ionia

Iona Lake

**Comments**

McCaughey: Iona. C.M.&ST.P. R.R.

Upham, 366: Iona. Platted 1878 by Rev. Martin McDonnell. A r.r. village. This is the name of a small island on the west coast of Scotland, celebrated for its ancient abbey; founded by St. Columba in the 6th century, and for a ruined cathedral founded in the 13th century. Rev. Martin McDonnell founded a Catholic industrial school for orphans here.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Iona.

Leg. Manual Map, 1887: Iona.

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Iona

Co. map, 1913: Iona.

Walker, Village Laws, 116: Iona. Incorp Jan. 22, 1896.

Collier atlas, 1914: Iona P.O.

Mpls. Trib, Feb. 18, 1880, p. 2, c. 4: Ionia PD established.

R.R. Com. Map, 1930: Iona Lake; Iona P.O.

Minn. Commercial Directory, 1937-38: Iona Lake; P.O. name Iona.

Iona Lake: see Iona, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Iona Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.105 N.,R.41 W.

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**Names**

**Comments**

McCauley: Iona Township.

Upham, 366: Iona Township. Organized March 17, 1880. Named after its railway village, Iona.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Iona Township.

Winchell, 1: pl. 22: Iona Township.

Co. map, 1913: Iona Township.

Ionia: see Iona, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Iron Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location

Names

Comments

Mpls. Trib, April 4, 1880, pc. 2, c. 2: Iron Lake P.O. discontinued.

Approved name

Name in use Iron Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.42 W.,sec.14,15. Skandia Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Iron Lake. Wet. Meandered.

Upham,368: Iron Lake.

Minn.Flatbook,1916: Iron Lake.

Lake Gaz: Iron. 316.80 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Iron Lake.

Andreas: Iron Lake.

Co.map,1913: Iron Lake.

Isabella Lake: see Round Lake, Murray County

Iva Delle,Lake: see Ivadelle,Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Ivadelle, Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.43 W.,sec.21,22,27,28. Ellsborough Township.

**Names**

Iverdale, Lake  
Iva Delle, Lake  
Ivedalle, Lake  
Ivadelle Lake

**Comments**

McCauley: Lake Iverdale. Dry. Meandered.  
Upham,369: Lake Iva Delle; Lake Ivedalle. Named by the U.S.surveyors in honor of a daughter of the proprietor of the principal hotel in Worthington.  
Minn.Flatbook,1916: Lake Ivedalle.  
Short: Lake Ivadelle.  
Lake Gaz: Ivadelle. 199.65 acres.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Lake Iva Delle.  
Andreas: Lake Iva Delle.  
Co.map,1913: Lake Ivedalle.

Ivedalle, Lake: see Ivadelle, Lake, Murray County

Iverdale, Lake: see Ivadelle, Lake: Murray County

James Lake: see Francis Siegel Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Julia, Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray, Cottonwood

Location T.107 N., R.38, 39 W., sec.19, 30; 24, 25. Westbrook, Dovray Townships.

Names

Buffalo Lake

Comments

McCauley: Lake Julia. Wet. Meandered.

Short: Buffalo Lake.

Lake Gaz: Buffalo. 112.82 acres. 101.97 in Murray; 10.85 in Cottonwood.

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Co.map, 1913: Unnamed.

Child, Waseca Co., 146: Buffalo Lake.

Approved name

Name in use Kelley

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.108 N., R.39 W., sec.29. Holly Township

**Names**

Kelly

**Comments**

McCauley: Not shown.  
Minn.Platabook, 1916: Kelley.  
Co.map, 1913: Kelly P.O.  
R.R.Com.Map, 1930: Kelley.

Kelly: see Kelley, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Lake Sarah Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.41 W.

**Names**

**Comments**

McCauley: Lake Sarah Township.  
Upham, 366: Lake Sarah Township. Organized March 11, 1873. Named  
for its largest lake.  
Minn. Platbook, 1916: Lake Sarah Township.  
Andreas: Lake Sarah Township.  
Winchell, 1: pl. 22: Lake Sarah Township.  
Co. map, 1913: Lake Sarah Township.

Lake Shetak Township: see Shetek Township, Murray County.

Approved name

Name in use

Lake Shetek State Park

Pronunciation

Feature named

County

Murray

Location T.107,108 N.,R.40,41 W.,sec.6;l;31;36.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Lake Shetek State Park.  
Laws, 1937, p.819: Lake Shetek State Park, act to establish.  
Approved Apr.26, 1937. 180.62 acres.

Lake Shetek Township: see Shetek Township, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Lake Wilson

Pronunciation

Feature named Village

County Murray

Location T.106 N., R.43 W., sec.12,13. Chanarambie Township

Names

Comments

McCauley: Lake Wilson. C.ST.P.M.&O. R.R.  
Upham,366: Lake Wilson. Platted 1883. A r.r. village. Named by  
Jonathan E. Wilson, formerly of Chicago Ill.  
Minn.Platbook,1916: Lake Wilson.  
Stennett,180: Lake Wilson. Was located in 1853 and was named  
by and for J.E.Wilson, formerly of Chicago, Ill. who also named the  
nearby lake for himself. He owned at one time, seventeen thousand  
acres of land in this vicinity.  
Walker,Village Laws,117: Lake Wilson. Incorp. July 21,1900.  
Co.map,1913: Lake Wilson.

Approved name

Name in use Leeds Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.42 W.

**Names**

**Comments**

McCauley: Leeds Township.

Minn.Flatbook,1916: Leeds Township.

Upham,366: Leeds Township. Organized March 11,1873. Named from Leeds Township and village in Columbia County,Wis. It is near Lowville in that county, whence the Low brothers came to Murray county.(See Lowville Twp.,Murray County)

Andreas: Leeds Township.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Leeds Township.

C.o.map,1913: Leeds Township.

Approved name

Name in use Lime Creek

Pronunciation

Feature named Village

County Murray

Location T.105 N.,R.39 W.,sec.20. Belfast Township.

**Names**

Limecreek

**Comments**

McCayley: Lime Creek. On C.ST.P.&O. R.R.  
Minn.Platabook,1916: Lime Creek.  
Upham,366: Lime Creek. A little r.r. village. Named from the creek  
Stennett,182: Lime Creek. Was established in1885 and was named  
from the nearby creek. The creek was named by the early settlers living  
along its course,from the limestone which underlaid its waters.  
Minn.Commercial Directory,1937-38: Lime Creek.  
Collier atlas,1914: Limecreek.  
R.R.Com.Map,1930: Lime Creek.  
Co.map,1913: Lime Creek Station.

Approved name

Name in use

Lime Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named P.O.

County

Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.40 W.,sec.28. Lime Lake Township.

Names

Comments

Andreas: Lime Lake P.O.

Approved name

Name in use Lime Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.40 W.,sec.28,29,32,33. Lime Lake Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Lime Lake. Wet. Meandered.

Upham,366: Lime Lake. Having plentiful boulders of limestone, especially abundant around the lake and pushed up by its ice into ridges along parts of its shores.

Minn.Platabook,1916: Lime Lake.

Lake Gaz: Lime. 338.81 acres.

Eddy(8-1-39): Lime Lake. 3-37. 338.81 acres. Depth 4'. Outlet, Lime Creek to Des Moines River; inlet, small creek, 10 miles long.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Lime Lake.

Andreas: Lime Lake.

Co.map,1913: Lime Lake.

Approved name

Name in use Lime Lake Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.40 W.

**Names**

**Comments**

McCauley: Lime Lake Township.  
Minn.Platsbook,1916: Lime Lake Township.  
Upham,366: Lime Lake Township. Organized Sept.24,1873. Named  
from the lake,q.v.  
Andreas: Lime Lake Township.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Lime Lake Township.  
Co.map,1913: Lime Lake Township.

Limecreek: see Lime Creek, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Limestone

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location

Names

Comments  
Winchell, 1:pl. 22: Limestone.

Approved name

Name in use Long Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N.,R.39 W.,sec.3,4,9,10. Dovray Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Long Lake. Dry. Meandered.

Upham,369: Long Lake.

Minn.Platbook,1916: Long Lake.

Lake Gaz: Long. 326.53 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Long Lake.

Andreas: Long Lake.

Co.map,1913: Long Lake.

Approved name

Name in use Long Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray, Lyon

Location T.108,109 N.,R.41 W.,sec.4,5;32,33. Lake Sarah; Custer Townships.

**Names**

Maria Lake

**Comments**

McCauley: Long Lake. Wet. Meandered. Not meandered in Murray Co.  
Upham,315: Long Lake. Outflows southeastward to Lake Shetek and  
the Des Moines River.  
Minn.Platbook,1916: Long Lake.  
Lake Gaz: Long.187.25 acres. (In Lyon County)  
Eddy(n.d.): Long Lake; Maria Lake. 3-2. 187.25 acres. Outlet,  
to Lake Shetek to Des Moines River; inlet, small creek 15 miles long.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Long Lake.  
Co.map,1913: Long Lake.

Lordville: see Lowville, Murray County

Lordville Township: see Lowville Township, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Louisa, Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.39 W.,sec.1,2,11,12. Des Moines River Township.

Names

Eliza, Lake

Arcatemie Lake

Comments

McCauley: Lake Louisa. Wet. Meandered.

Upham,370: Lake Louisa.

Minn.Platbook,1916: Lake Louisa.

Lake Gaz: Louisa. 297.83 acres.

Short: Lake Louisa.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Lake Eliza.

Andreas: Arcatemie Lake.

Co.map,1913: Lake Louisa.

Low Ville: see Lowville, Murray County

Approved name Lowville

Name in use Lowville

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.107 N.,R.42 W.,sec.8. Lowville Township.

**Names**

Lordville  
Low Ville  
Stowville

**Comments**

USGB, Sixth Report, 478: Lowville: village, Murray County, Minn.  
(Not Lordville.)  
Minn. Platbook, 1916: Lowville.  
McCauley: Not shown.  
R.R. Com. Map, 1930: Lowville.  
Mpls. Trib, Jan. 21, 1880, p.2, c.4: Lowville P.O.  
Andreas: Low Ville P.O. sec. 4.  
Co.map, 1913: Stowville P.O. sec. 4.

Approved name Lowville Township

Name in use Lowville Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.42 W., sec.8.

Names	Comments
Lordville Township	<p>USGB, Sixth Report, 478: Lowville: township, Murray County, Minn. (Not Lordville.)</p> <p>Upham, 366: Lowville Township. Pronounced lkie "how," "now". Organized Sept. 2, 1873. Named for John H. and Bartlett M. Low, brother who came here from New York and Wisconsin. Took land claims in the vicinity in 1866 (Biog. sketches given.)</p> <p>McCauley: Lowville Township.</p> <p>Minn. Platbook, 1916: Lowville Township.</p> <p>Winchell, 1:pl.22: Lowville Township.</p> <p>Andreas: Low Ville Township.</p> <p>Co.map, 1913: Lowville Township.</p>

Approved name

Name in use Maria, Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.41 W.,sec.5,6,7,8,17. Lake Sarah Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Lake Maria. Wet. Meandered.  
Upham,366: Lake Maria. Probably commemorates the wife or daughter of one of the government land surveyors or of a pioneer settler. Surname remains to be learned.  
Minn.Platbook,1916: Lake Maria.  
Lake Gaz: Maria. 456.41 acres.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Lake Maria.  
Andreas: Unnamed.  
Co.map,1913: Lake Maria.  
R.R.Comm.Map,1930: Lake Maria.

Maria Lake: see Long Lake, Murray, Lyon Counties.

Approved name

Name in use **Mason**

Pronunciation

Feature named

County **Murray**

Location **T.107 N.,R.41 W.,sec.11. Mason Township**

**Names**

**Comments**

McCauley: Not shown.  
Minn.Platsbook,1916: Mason.  
R.R.Com.Map,1930: Mason.  
Co.map,1913: Mason P.O.

Approved name

Name in use      Mason Township

Pronunciation

Feature named      Township

County      Murray

Location      T.107 N.,R.41 W.

**Names**  
Okcheeda Township  
Okachuda Township.  
Oksida Township

**Comments**  
Upham, 367: Mason Township. Called Okcheeda at first. Renamed in 1879 for Milo S. Mason, a pioneer settler, who was a mail carrier between Currie and Pipestone. Organized July 20, 1872.  
McCauley: Mason Township.  
Minn. Platbook, 1916: Mason Township.  
Laws, 1879, p.410.; Act to change name of Okachuda to Mason. Approved Feb. 27, 1879.  
Winchell, 1:pl.22: Mason Township.  
Co. map, 1913: Mason Township.  
Mpls. Trib., June 24, 1878, p.3,c.2: Oksida Township  
Andreas: Oksida Township.

Approved name

Name in use Moulton Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.105 N., R.43 W.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Moulton Township.

Upham, 367: Moulton Township. Organized October 28 and Nov. 18, 1879.

Named for Justin P. Moulton, of Worthington. (Gives biog. sketch)

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Moulton Township.

Winchell, 1:pl. 22: Moulton Township.

Co. map, 1913: Moulton Township.

Approved name

Name in use Mud Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.41 W., sec.25,35,36. Mason Township.

Names

Clear Lakes

Comments

McCauley: Mud Lake. Dry. Meandered.

Upham,369: Mud Lake. Described by its name.

Minn.Flatbook,1916: Mud Lake.

Lake Gaz: Mud. 97.64 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Clear Lakes (one of). (See Clear Lake, sec.25,36.

Andreas: Clear Lakes (one of).

Co.map,1913: Mud Lake.

Approved name

Name in use Murray Centre

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.41 W., sec.34, s.e.

Names

Comments

Andreas: Murray Centre P.O.

Leg. Manual Map, 1887: Murray Centre.

St. Paul Press, Dec. 21, 1873, p.4, c.2: Murray Centre.

Approved name

Name in use Murray Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.40 W.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Murray Township.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Murray Township.

Upham, 367: Murray Township. Organized July 20, 1872. Named like the county, for William Pitt Murray, of St. Paul.

Co. map, 1913: Murray Township.

Andreas: Murray Township.

Winchell, 1: pl. 22: Murray Township.

Oaks, Lake of the: see Shetek, Lake, Murray County

Okachuda Township: see Mason Township, Murray County

Okcheeda Township; Msee Mason Township, Murray County

Oksida Township: see Mason Township, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Oscar, Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.42 W.,sec.20,21,22,28. Skandia Township.

**Names**

Oscar Lake

**Comments**

McCauley: Lake Oscar. Dry. Meandered.

Upham,368: Lake Oscar.

Minn.Platsbook,1916: Lake Oscar.

Short: Oscar Lake.

Lake Gaz: Oscar. 545.66 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Co.map,1913: Lake Oscar.

R.R.Comm.Map,1930: Lake Oscar.

Approved name

Name in use Owanka

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.108 N., R.40 W., sec.29,30. Shetek Township. Lake Shetek, n.e.

**Names**

Tepeeota

**Comments**

Upham, 367: Owanka. The name of grounds platted for summer homes. A Dakota word meaning a camping place. Part of it in the s.w. 1/4 of sec.29 had the earlier name Tepeeota, meaning a place of Sioux tents or tepees.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Owanka.

McCauley: Not shown.

R.R. Com. Map, 1930: Owanka.

Approved name

Name in use Round Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.40 W.,sec.16,17,20,21. Shetek Township.

**Names**

Isabella Lake  
Isabella, Lake

**Comments**

McCaulley: Round Lake. Wet. Meandered.  
Upham,369: Isabella Lake; Round Lake.  
Minn.Platsbook,1916: Round Lake.  
Lake Gaz: Round. 186.52 acres.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Lake Isabella; Round Lake.  
Andreas: Lake Isabella.  
Co.map,1913: Round Lake.

Approved name

Name in use Rush Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.39 W., sec.15. Dovray Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Rush Lake. Dry. Meandered.

Upham, 369: Rush Lake.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Rush Lake.

Lake Gaz: Rush. 96.17 acres.

Winchell, 1: pl. 22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Co. map, 1913: Unnamed.

Approved name

Name in use Rush Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107,108 N.,R.42 W.,sec.2,3;27,34,35. Lowville; Skandia Townships.

Names

Hawk Lake

Comments

McCauley: Hawk Lake (Rush Lake). Dry. Meandered.  
Upham,369: Rush Lake; Hawk Lake. Most northeastern of the group  
of Bear lakes, 4 in number.  
Minn.Flatbook,1916: Rush Lake.  
Lake Gaz: Rush. 849.21 adres.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Unnamed.  
Andreas: Unnamed.  
Co.map,1913: Hawk Lake.

Sand Lake: see Wilson, Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Sarah, Lake ✓

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.41 W.,sec.8,9,15,16,17,21,22. Lake Sarah Township.

Names

Sarah Lake

Comments

McCauley: Lake Sarah. Wet. Meandered.

Upham,366: Lake Sarah. Probably commemorates the wife or daughter of one of the land surveyors or of a pioneer settler. The surname remains to be learned.

Minn.Platbook,1916: Lake Sarah.

Lake Gaz: Sarah. 1,173.54 acres.

Eddy(n.d.): Sarah Lake. 3-50. 1,173.54 acres. Outlet, Lake Shetek to Des Moines River; inlet, from Lake Maria, or Long Lake (3-2).

Winchell,1:pl.22: Lake Sarah.

Andreas: Lake Sarah.

Co.map,1913: Lake Sarah.

R.R.Comm.Map,1930: Lake Sarah.

Scandia: See Skandia, Murray County.

Sevan Mile Lake: see Fulda 1st.Lake, Murray County

Seven Mile Lake: see Fulda 2nd Lake, Murray County

Seven Mile Lakes: see Fulda 1st Lake; Murray County

Seven Mile Lakes: see Fulda 2nd.Lake, Murray County

Shetak Lake: see Shetek, Lake; Murray County

Sheteck, Lake: see Shetek, Lake, Murray County

Shetek: see Currie, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Shetek, Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107,108 N.,R.40,41 W. Shetek; Mason; Murray; Lake Sarah Townships.

Names

Oaks, Lake of the  
Shetak Lake  
Shetak, Lake  
Chetak, Lake  
Shetek, Lake  
Chetek, Lake

Comments

McCauley: Lake Shetek. Wet. Meandered.  
Upham, 367: Lake Shetek. Nicollet wrote of his visit in 1838:  
"This name belongs to the language of the Chippewas and has been given to them by the voyageurs. The Sioux call this group of lakes the Rabechy, meaning the place where the pelicans nestle." Shetek is thus noted as an Ojibway word, meaning a pelican, but it differs somewhat from the original form. It is spelled Shada in Longfellow's "Song of Hiawatha," Shede (each vowel being pronounced like long a) by Gilfillan and Jede (nearly the same as each of the preceding in pronunciation) by Verwyst. Capt. James Allen explored the Des Moines Valley in 1844 from its junction with the Mississippi to Lake Shetek; which, not having Nicollet's report and map, he called "Lake of the Oaks."  
Minn. Platbook, 1916: Lake Shetek.  
Short: Lake Shetek.  
Lake Gaz: Shetak. 3,536.51 acres.  
Winchell, 1:pl.22: Lake Shetek.  
Andreas: Lake Shetak  
Co. map, 1913: Lake Shetek.

R.R. Comm. Map, 1930: Lake Shetek.  
Child, Waseca Co., 133: Lake Shetek.  
Laws, ex. session, 1857, p. 36: Chetek Lake  
Legis. Manual Map, 1887: Lake Shetek  
Sp. Laws, 1875, p. 420: Lake Shetek.  
M.H.S. Bull, 5:135: Lake Chetek.

Approved name

Name in use Shetek Township

Pronunciation

Feature named

Township

County Murray

Location T.108 N., R.40 W.

**Names**

Lake Shetek Township  
Lake Shetak Township

**Comments**

McCauley: Shetek Township.  
Upham, 367: Shetek Township. Organized July 20, 1872. Named for its large lake. Called Lake Shetek at first.  
Minn. Platbook, 1916: Shetek Township.  
Andreas: Lake Shetak Township  
Winchell, 1:pl. 22: Shetek Township.  
Co. map, 1913: Shetek Township.

Show Lake: see Snow Lake, Murray, Cottonwood Counties.

Approved name Skandia

Name in use Skandia Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.42 W.

Names

Scandia

Comments

McCauley: Skandia Township.  
Upham, 367: Skandia Township. First settled 1870. Organized January 7, 1873. Bears the ancient name of southern Sweden, whence a longer form of the same name Scandinavia, is used to designate the great peninsula of Sweden and Norway, or, in a wider sense, to include also Denmark and Iceland.  
Minn. Platbook, 1916: Skandia Township.  
o. map, 1913: Skandia Township.  
Winchell, 1: pl. 22: Skandia Township.  
Andreas: Skandia Township.  
  
USGB: Sixth Report, 698: Skandia: township, Murray County, Minn. (Not Scandia.)

Skow Lake: see Snow Lake, Murray, Cottonwood Counties

Approved name

Name in use Slayton

Pronunciation

Feature named

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.41 W.,sec.15. Slayton Township.

**Names**

**Comments**

Upham, 367: Slayton. A r.r. village platted in 1881 by Charles W. Slayton. For name origin, see Slayton Township. Made county seat June 11, 1889.

McCauley: Slayton. C.St.P.M.& O.r.r.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Slayton.

R.R.com. map, 1930: Slayton.

Co.map, 1913: Slayton.

Mpls.Trib., Nov.2, 1881: Slayton is one of the newest of new towns.

Walker, Village Laws, 123: Slayton. Incorp. Feb.26, 1883; reincorp., Sept.30, 1918.

Stennett, 192: Slayton. Named in 1882 for C.W.Slayton, one of the first settlers locating here.

Approved name

Name in use Slayton Township

Pronunciation

Feature named Township

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.41 W.

Names	Comments
Center Township	Upham, 367: Slayton Township. Organized July 20, 1872. Called Center Township at first for its central position in the county. Re-named Slayton in 1882, for Charles W. Slayton, founder and chief proprietor of its village. (Gives biog sketch.)
Centre Township	Laws, 1883, p.424: Act to change the name of Center to Slayton. Approved Feb. 5, 1883.
	Co. map, 1913: Slayton Township.
	Winchell, 1:pl.22: Center Township.
	Andreas: Centre Township.

Approved name

Name in use Smith Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N.,R.40 W.,sec.5,6,7,8. Murray Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Unnamed. Dry. Meandered.

Upham,369: Smith Lake. Named for Henry Watson Smith, a pioneer farmer, at its west side.

Minn.Platsbook,1916: Smith Lake.

Eddy(n.d.): Smith Lake. 3-53.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Smith Lake.

Co.map,1913: Unnamed.

Approved name

Name in use Snow Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray, Cottonwood

Location T.107 N., R.38, 39 W., sec.6,7;1,12. Dovray; Westbrook Townships.

**Names**

Show Lake

Skow Lake

**Comments**

McCauley: Snow Lake. Dry. Meandered.

Upham, 369: Skow Lake.

Minn. Platbook, 1916: Show Lake; Skow Lake.

Lake Gaz: Snow. 97.67 acres. 80.95 in Murray; 16.72 in Cottonwood.

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Co. map, 1913: Unnamed.

Approved name

Name in use Star Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.106,107 N.,R.39 W.,sec.3,4;33,34. Dovray; Des Moines River Townships.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Unnamed. Wet. Meandered.

Upham,370: Star Lake.

Lake Gaz: Star. 78.90 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Star Lake.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Co.map,1913: Unnamed.

Stowville: see Lowville, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Summit Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.42 W.,sec.11. Leeds Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Summit Lake. Wet. Meandered.  
Upham,369: Summit Lake. Whence the railway descends both to the east and west.  
Minn.Flatbook,1916: Summit Lake.  
Lake Gaz: Summit. 77.35 acres.  
Eddy(6-21-39): Summit Lake. 3-95. 77.3 acres. Max. depth 6.1'.  
No outlet nor inlet.  
Andreas: Unnamed.  
Co.map,1913: Summit Lake.

Talcot Lake: see Talcott Lake, Murray, Cottonwood Counties.

Approved name

Name in use Talcott Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray, Cottonwood

Location T.105 N., R.38, 39 W., sec.19, 30; 24, 25. Belfast; Southbrook Townships.

Names

Talcot Lake

Comments

McCauley: Talcott Lake. Wet. Meandered.

Upham, 370: Talcott Lake. Named by Nicollet for Andrew Talcott (1797-1883).

Lake Gaz: Talcot. 678.29 acres. 16.34 in Murray; 661.95 in Cottonwood.

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Talcott Lake.

Tepeeota: see Owanka, Murray County

Tibbetts Lake: see Great Oasis Lake, Murray County

Approved name

Name in use Willow Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.40 W.,sec.26. Shetek Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Unnamed. Dry. Meandered.

Lake Gaz: Willow. 51.87 acres.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Willow Lake.

Approved name

Name in use Wilson, Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.106 N.,R.42,43, W.,sec.7,18;12,13. Leeds; Chanarambie Townships.

Names

Sand Lake

Wilson Lake

Comments

McCauley: Lake Wilson. Wet. Meandered.

Upham,366: Lake Wilson; Sand Lake (an earlier name). Named by Jonathan E. Wilson, formerly of Chicago, Illinois, who at one time owned 17,000 acres of land in this vicinity.

Minn.Platbook,1916: Lake Wilson.

Lake Gaz: Wilson. 171.15 acres.

Eddy(n.d.): Wilson Lake. 3-61. 171.15 acres. Outlet, to Rock River; inlet, small creek about 10 miles long running in from the north.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Sand Lake.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Co.map,1913: Unnamed.

Approved name

Name in use **Wirock**

Pronunciation

Feature named

County **Murray**

Location **T.105 N., R.41 W., sec.24. Iona Township**

**Names**

**Comments**

**McCaughey:** Wirock. C.M.&ST.P. R.R.  
Minn.Flatbook,1916: Wirock.  
R.R.Com.Map,1930: Wirock.  
Minn.Com.Directory,1937-38: Wirock.

MURRAY COUNTY

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MURRAY COUNTY

6. SOURCE MOUTH  
COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY ? COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
STREAM \_\_\_\_\_

NAME DES MOINES RIVER REF Upham 365  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_ ?

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED crossed township of this name (Des Moines)  
leaves Co. from T105R 39 enters Cottonwood Co.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description & Name Origin ... has its sources in the west edge of this country.

4-2-40 Hall

NAME Des Moines River (stream) CO MURRAY

PLACE NAMES STUDY MAP No. 3

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF RR Commissioners Map 1930  
(page)

OTHER  
NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY 7 MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC T 108 N R 44 24 TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flowing southeast, leaving Jackson Co. T 101 N R 34 24  
into State of Iowa

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin  
& Remarks

4-9-1941 - Walter C. Hunt

6.

NAME Des Moines River (stream) CO Murray <sup>Sub. of Minn.</sup>

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF Winchell's Vol. 1 - 1877 (page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY Murray MOUTH COUNTY ? MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE Long Lake SEC 4 T 108 N R 41 W TWP Lake Sarah

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flowing southeast through Lake Sarah, continues southeast, leaving Co. in Sec. 1, T 105 N R 39 W Belfast Sub. for Cottonwood Co.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin & Remarks:

4-18-1921 - Walter C. Hunt

6. SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY ? COUNTY MURRAY  
STREAM

NAME DES MOINES RIVER REF Upham 365  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE Lake Shetek (?) SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Murray (?)

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Leaves Co. from T 105 R 39 enters Cottonwood Co.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_ ?

Description &  
Name Origin

4-2-40 Hall

6. SOURCE MOUTH  
COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY ? COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
STREAM \_\_\_\_\_

NAME DES MOINES RIVER REF Upham 367  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE Lake Shetek (?) SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Shetek (?)

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED leaves Co. from T 105 R 39

MOUTH Mississippi river SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_ ?

Description & Name Origin ..... Captain James Allen, with a company of dragoons, explored the Des Moines valley in August and September, 1844, from its junction with the Mississippi to Lake Shetek..... "the highest source of the (river) that is worth noticing as such."

4-2-40 Hall

6. SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE OF IOWA

NAME DES MOINES RIVER REF MMS-1 <sup>quarterly</sup> Vol. XI 351  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Leaves Co. from T 105 R 39 enters Cottonwood Co.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description & Name Origin "In 1838 Nicollet found a post of the American Fur Co. between two lakes that he designated 'Tchan Hassan Lakes'. These are apparently in Emmet County, Iowa."

6. SOURCE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY MURRAY.  
STREAM \_\_\_\_\_ *The Great Western Map Co.*  
NAME DES MOINES RIVER REF Murray Co. MAP.  
PLACE NAMES STUDY MAP No. 31

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED flows east through central part of Murray Co.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
Description & Name Origin

T105-R40

Approved name

Name in use Unnamed Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.105 N., R.40 W., sec.8,17. Bondin Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Shown as swamp.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Approved name

Name in use Unnamed Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray, Nobles

Location T.105 N., R.40, 41 W., sec.31. Bondin Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Not shown.

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Unnamed. This lake extends into Nobles Co.

6.

NAME

Lime Creek  
(stream)

CO

Murray

Geol. of Minn.

PRON

REF

Winchell's Geol. Surv  
(page)OTHER  
NAMESSOURCE  
COUNTY

Murray

MOUTH  
COUNTY

Nobles

MILES

SOURCE

?

SEC

20

T

105N R 40W

TWP

Bondin

DIRECTION &  
AREA DRAINED

Flows southeast

MOUTH

Jack Creek

SEC

24

T

104N R 40W

TWP

Seward (Nobles Co.)

Name Origin  
& Remarks:

4-18-1941 - State Exhibit

6.

NAME

Lime Creek  
(stream)

CO

MURRAY

PRON

REF

Minn. Map Pub. Co.  
1913 Standard Co. Map.  
(page)OTHER  
NAMESSOURCE  
COUNTY

MURRAY

MOUTH  
COUNTY

2

MILES

SOURCE

SEC

34

T

105

R

41

TWP

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DIRECTION &  
AREA DRAINEDflows N.E. + S.E., and leaves Co. from sec. 34,  
T. 105 N., R. 40 W.

MOUTH

2

SEC

T

R

TWP

Name Origin  
& Remarks

10-2-41 Hall

6.

NAME LIME CREEK CO MURRAY  
(stream)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF 23rd Session 354 YR. 1883  
Apr 7 avo (page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin & Remarks: Act to appropriate money to build bridge across this creek. locality Sec. 24, T. 105; R. 40. Effective on passage approved March 6, 1883

6.

STREAM SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY ? COUNTY MURRAY.

NAME Lime Creek. REF UPHAM, 365.  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_ ?

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_ ?

Description &  
Name Origin

Has plenty boulders of limestone.  
Gives its name to Lime Creek village.

4-2-40, Hall

NAME OF THE  
PERSON OR FIRM

KOCH SEC A B LMB

VEHICULAR  
DESCRIPTION

FORMER SEC A B LMB

NUMBER  
OWNER

LOCAL NUMBER

DATE (REV. 5)

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T105-R41

INDF 3-

T105-R42

T105-R43

6. SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY ? COUNTY Murray  
STREAM

NAME CHANARAMBIE CREEK REF Upham 368  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES [CHAN NARAMBIE] [HIDDEN WOOD CREEK] \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Chanarambie (?)

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Leave Co. from Sec. 18 T 105 R 43 enter Pipestone Co.  
?

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description &  
Name Origin

The foregoing pages have noticed the .... (above creek). (see page 365, Upham does not give the above name to this creek, and only mentions it incidentally on page 368).

4-3-40 Hall

6.

NAME Chanarambie Creek (stream) CO Murray Geol. of Minn.

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF Winc. L. 121-601-112 (page) 7

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY Murray MOUTH COUNTY 7 MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE Sand Lake SEC 18 T 106N R 44W TWP Needs

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flowing southwest leaving Cu. from Sec. 18. T. 105. R. 43 W  
Monkton Imp. for Pipestone Co.

MOUTH 7 SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin & Remarks:

4-18-1941 - Wm. T. Shuck

6.

NAME Chanpepedan Creek  
(stream)

CO MURRAY

PLACE NAMES STUDY MAP No. 3

REF RR Commissioners Map 1930  
(page) 7

PRON \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY Murray

MOUTH COUNTY Rock

MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_

SEC \_\_\_\_\_

T 105 R 43 TWP

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED

Flowing southwest leaves co. from sec. 36 T105R43  
enters Noble Co.

MOUTH Rock River

SEC \_\_\_\_\_

T 103 R 44 TWP

Name Origin  
& Remarks

4-9-1941 - Hall C. Hunt

6.

NAME Champeadan Creek (stream) CO Murray <sup>Seot. of Minn.</sup>PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF Winchell's Geol. Surv (page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY Murray MOUTH COUNTY ? MILES \_\_\_\_\_SOURCE ? SEC 12 T 105 N R 43 W TWP MoultonDIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows southwest into Nobles Co. leaving Nobles Co. in Sec. 36  
105 N R 43 W, Lismore Twp.MOUTH ? SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_Name Origin  
& Remarks:4-18-1941 - Walter C. Hunt

6. SOURCE MOUTH  
COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY Rock? COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_

NAME CHAMPEPADAN CREEK REF Upham 368  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES Its Sioux or Dakota name given by McCollet, with translation, as  
"TCHAN PEPEPAN RIVER" or "THORNY WOOD RIVER" was derived from  
its thorn bushes and small trees.

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Moulton

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED S.E. part of Moulton, southward into  
Hobbes and Rock counties leaves from T10S R43

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP ?

Description &  
Name Origin

4-3-40 Hall

6. SOURCE MOUTH  
COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY ? COUNTY ?  
STREAM

NAME HIDDEN WOOD CREEK REF Upham 365  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES TCHAN NARAMBE CREEK on Nicollet's map of 1843

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Chanarambie

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED its head streams drain Chanarambie township  
leaves Co. from sec. 18 T 10 S R 43 enters Pipestone Co.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP ?

Description &  
Name Origin

(Upham refers to a Chanarambie creek on p 368  
which is no doubt the same stream and its current name)

4-2-40 Hall

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STREAM

SOURCE  
COUNTYMOUTH  
COUNTY

MURRAY

NAME

TCHAN NARAMBE CREEK

REF

UPHAM 365  
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PRON

MILES

OTHER  
NAMES

HIDDEN WOOD CREEK

[Lost Timber Creek]

SOURCE

SEC

T

R

TWP

CHANARAMBE.

DIRECTION &amp;

AREA DRAINED

leaves Co. from sec. 18 T105R43 enters Pipestone Co.

MOUTH

SEC

T

R

TWP

Description &  
Name Origin

As it is named on Nicollet's map, Published in 1843.  
This Sioux name referred to trees or a grove in its  
valley concealed from any distant view.

4-2-40. Hall,

ИВНО ОЛГЕН  
Директор

НОМЕР \_\_\_\_\_ СЕК \_\_\_\_\_ Д \_\_\_\_\_ Б \_\_\_\_\_ ИМП \_\_\_\_\_

ВРЕМЯ ПРИВЕДЕНА  
ДИРЕКТОРА \_\_\_\_\_

СОДЕРЖАНИЕ \_\_\_\_\_ СЕК \_\_\_\_\_ Д \_\_\_\_\_ Б \_\_\_\_\_ ИМП \_\_\_\_\_

ИВНО ОЛГЕН \_\_\_\_\_

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ИМП \_\_\_\_\_ ИМП \_\_\_\_\_ (ИМП)

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STREAM COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY 3 COUNTY Murray

NAME ACHAN NARAMBE CREEK REF Upham 365  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES HIDDEN WOOD CREEK CHANARAMBIE CREEK

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Chanarambie

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED its head streams drain Chanarambie township  
Leaves Co. from Sec. 18 T105 R 43 enters Pipeston Co.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description & Name Origin as it is named on Nicollet's map, published in 1843.

(Upham refers to a Chanarambie creek on p 368, which is no doubt the same stream and its current name).

4-2-40 Hall

S. SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY ROCK (?) COUNTY

STREAM NAME "TCHAN PEPEDAN RIVER" REF Upham 368 (page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES CHAMPEPADAN CREEK

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Moulton

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED S.E. part of Moulton, southward into Nobles and Rock counties leaves Co. from T105 R43

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP ?

Description & Name Origin Its Sioux of Dakota name given by McCollet with translation, as "Tchan Pepedan river or Thorny Wood river", was derived from its thorn bushes and small trees.

4-3-40 Hall

6. SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY ROCK (?) COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_

STREAM NAME "THORNY WOOD RIVER" REF Upham 368 (page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES CHAMPEPADAN CREEK "TCHAN PEPEPAN RIVER"

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Moulton

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED S.E. part of Moulton Northward into Nobles and Rock Counties leaves Co. from T105 R 43

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP ?

Description & Name Origin Its Sioux or Dakota name given by Nicolle with translation, as "Tchan Pepedan river or Thorny Wood river", was derived from its thorn bushes and small trees.

4-3-40 Hall

6. STREAM SOURCE COUNTY Murray MOUTH COUNTY 7 COUNTY Murray

NAME ? REF Geol. of Minn. Minch. Hills, Vol. 1, p. 22 (page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE 7 SEC 6 T 106N R 43W TWP Chanarambie

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows southeast and southwest

MOUTH Chanarambie Creek SEC 8 T 105N R 43W TWP Monlton

Description &  
Name Origin

4-18-1941 - Walter C. Shurt

T106-R39

5.

NAME

• Unnamed Lake

(lake)

CO

Murray

• McCauley map Murray 3

PRON

REF

• Highway List

(page)

OTHER  
NAMES

EXACT  
SITE

• Sec. 12, 13 ✓

T

• 106 ✓

R

• 39 ✓

TWP

• Des Moines River

AREA &  
DIMENS

GEN  
LOC

STATUS

• Dry • Not Meandered ✓

Name Origin  
& Remark:

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Unnamed.



5.

NAME

• Unnamed Lake

CO

Murray

(lake)

• McCauley Map Murray 3

PRON

REF

• Highway List

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OTHER  
NAMESEXACT  
SITE

• Sec. 2 ✓

T

• 106 ✓

R

• 39 ✓

TWP

• Des Moines River

AREA &  
DIMENSGEN  
LOC

STATUS

• Dry ✓ • Meandered ✓

Name Origin  
& Remark:

Lake Gaz: Not given. Acreage of this lake may be included in Lake Louisa.  
 Winchell, 1:pl.22: Unnamed.  
 Andreas: Unnamed.  
 Do. map, 1913: Unnamed.

NAME Lime Creek, CO MURRAY,  
 (stream) Mim. Map Pub. Co.  
 PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF 1913 Standard Co. Map.  
 (page)  
 OTHER  
 NAMES \_\_\_\_\_  
 SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY MURRAY, MILES \_\_\_\_\_  
 SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC 12 T 105 R 42 TWP FENTON.  
 DIRECTION &  
 AREA DRAINED flows N.E. then S.E. + N.E.  
 MOUTH Des Moines River SEC 27 T 106 R 39 TWP Des Moines River,  
 Name Origin  
 & Remarks

10-2-41 Hall



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NAME 7 (stream) CO MurrayPRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF Stinchelli, G. O. - Prov  
West. of Minn.  
(page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY Murray MOUTH COUNTY Murray NILES \_\_\_\_\_SOURCE 7 SEC 22 T 105N R 40W TWP BondinDIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows east and northeastMOUTH Des Moines River SEC 22 T 106N R 39W TWP Des Moines River  
Name Origin  
& Remarks:4-18-1941 - Walter C. Lust

T106-R40

Approved name

Name in use Unnamed Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.106 N., R.40 W., sec.29,30,31,32. Lime Lake Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Unnamed. Dry. Not meandered.

Short: Not shown.

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

6. SOURCE MOUTH COUNTY  
STREAM COUNTY Murray ? COUNTY Murray

NAME LIME CREEK REF <sup>Eddy's</sup> Lake Survey (3-37)(8-1-1939)  
(page)

FROM Fulda Quadrangle MILES about 10 miles

OTHER NAMES

SOURCE Lime Lake SEC 28 ? T 106 R 40 TWP Lime Lake

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED

MOUTH Des Moines SEC T R TWP  
Description & Name Origin

1/14/41

Rox

6.

NAME ? (stream) CO MURRAY

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF Winchells <sup>Map of Minn.</sup> Vol. 10-12 (page) 7

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY MURRAY MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC 30 T 106N R 41W TWP Center

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows east

MOUTH Limo Lake SEC 29 T 106N R 40W TWP Limo Lake

Name Origin  
& Remarks:

4-18-1941 - Natl. C. List

6. SOURCE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY Murray

NAME ?? (CREEK) REF <sup>Eddy's</sup> Lake Survey (3-37) (8-1-1939)  
(page)

~~FROM~~ Fulda Quadrangle MILES app. 10 miles long

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE ? SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH Lime Lake SEC 28? T 106 R 40 TWP Lime Lake

Description &  
Name Origin

1/14/41

Rose

11.

CO MURRAY

MISCELLANEOUS Colony

MUN

NAME AVCA COLONY

St. Paul Daily Globe  
REF Minn. Annals P. 263 July 29, 1878  
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FROM ----- EST -----

OTHER NAMES ----- GEN LOC -----

EXACT SITE ----- T 106 R 40 TWP -----

Description &  
Name Origin:

In the Avco Colony, 14,860 acres of  
land have been sold since last April.

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T106-R41

4.

VILLAGE

Co MURRAY *Walker's V.L. P. 8*

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NAME

CANWELL CITY

REF

*CH III SEC. 7*  
8<sup>TH</sup> TERREX SESSION 1867. P 36  
(page)

PRON

PO  
HISTOTHER  
NAMESCO  
ST?EXACT  
SITET 106 R 41 TWPGEN  
LOCFIRST  
SETTLED

PLAT

INCORP MAY 23, 1857Description &  
Name Origin*That one section of land at the outlet of Chuteb  
Lake, and between said Lake and the said outlet, (the Des  
Moines River).**Jergalla 1/27/41*

6.

T 106. R 41

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NAME LIME CREEK (stream) ----- CO MURRAY -----

PRON ----- REF 24<sup>TH</sup> SESSION 1885: P. 201 (page)

OTHER NAMES -----

SOURCE COUNTY ----- MOUTH COUNTY ----- MILES -----

SOURCE ----- SEC ----- T ----- R ----- TWP -----

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED -----

MOUTH ----- SEC ----- T ----- R ----- TWP -----

Name Origin & Remarks:

*Act to appropriate money to aid in building roads and bridges in Slayton town, between SEC. 34 & 36: Approved March 9<sup>th</sup>, 1885.*

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*Jurgath 2/26/41*

T106-R42

5.

NAME

• Unnamed Lake

CO

Murray

(lake)

• M & Caudy map Murray ✓

PRON

REF

• Highway List

(page)

OTHER  
NAMES

EXACT  
SITE

• Sec. 30 ✓

T

• 106 ✓

R

• 42 ✓

TWP

• Leeds

AREA &  
DIMENS

GEN  
LOC

STATUS

• Wet • Not meandered ✓

Name Origin  
& Remark:

5.

NAME

• Unnamed Lake ✓

(Lake)

CO

Murray ✓

PRON

REF

• Mc Cully Map Murray ✓

• Highway List

(page)

OTHER  
NAMES

EXACT  
SITE

• Sec. 31 ✓

T

• 106 ✓

R

• 42 ✓

TWP

• Leeds

AREA &  
DIMENS

GEN  
LOC

STATUS

• Wet • Not meandered ✓

Name Origin  
& Remark:

6. STREAM SOURCE COUNTY ? MOUTH COUNTY Murray Murray  
COUNTY COUNTY Murray  
NAME ?? (CREEK) REF Eddy's Lake Survey (3-61) (N.D.)  
(page)  
~~FROM~~ Sona Quadrangle MILES app. 10 miles long  
OTHER NAMES  
SOURCE ? SEC T R TWP  
DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED South  
MOUTH Wilson Lake SEC 18? T 106 R 42 TWP Leeds  
Description & Name Origin

1/16/41

Rose

T106-R43

7. NATURAL FEATURE Ridge Co. MURRAY  
Geol. of Minn.

NAME BUFFALO Ridge REF Kimchelly vol I  
(page) 523

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ AREA & DIMENS \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

EXACT SITE SEC 21, 28 T 106 N R 43 W TWP CHANARAMBIE

GEN LOC About 1/4 SW of Limestone village  
Description & Name Origin 1950 feet above the sea & is highest point in county.

6-5-41 E. Kavanaugh

NAME "buffalo ridge" CO Murray

NATURAL  
FEATURE REF Winchell's Aborigines -p106-7  
(page)

PRON AREA & DIMENS 2 miles long; altitude 1,950.

OTHER  
NAMES

EXACT  
SITE 16 (and 21) T 106 R 43 TWP Chanarambie

GEN  
LOC In western part of county

Name Origin Boulder Outline of a Buffalo, sec. 16, T 106--43. The following description & Remarks: cription was written by Mr. T.H. Lewis, and published in the American Anthropologist, July, 1890: ". . . there is a series of conspicuous hills, knolls, and ridges, which are irregularly grouped, and the highest points of which rise some 200 feet above the lowest surrounding valleys. That portion . . . lying south of the Pipestone branch of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad was known to the Indians as 'buffalo ridge,' and it still retains the name. The top of this ridge is some two miles in length,\* running in a general course from NW to  
(over)

SE through sections 16 and 21 . . . finally terminating on all sides in lower spurs and terraces, the base of the whole ridge covering perhaps three square miles.

"On the highest knoll there is a series of boulder outlines, mostly formed of small stones. The best preserved of these figures apparently represents a buffalo, as shown in the accompanying diagram. It heads to the northeast, and its greatest length is nearly 12 feet. . . ." Other apparent effigies of this type are also described, etc. as being in the immediate vicinity.

\* The ridge . . . rises to 1,950 feet above the sea, being one of the highest knobs of the terminal moraine composing the Coteau des Prairies. ---N.H.W.

matson 10/31/40

7.

NATURAL  
FEATURE

Ridge

Co Murray

NAME

Buffalo Ridge

REF

Upham 370

PRON

AREA &  
DIMENSHighest land in this county. (page)  
It rises 100 to 200 feet above the lowest  
adjoining valleys.OTHER  
NAMESTRACT  
SITE

Central part of trap

T

R

TWP

Chanarambie

OWN

LOC

Extending about two miles along the Crest of the Coteau des Prairies

Description &amp;

Name Origin

Is a translation of its Sioux name. On its highest knoll the Sioux had delineated various animals by "a series of boulder outlines, mostly formed of small stones. The best preserved of these figures apparently represents a buffalo.... It heads to the Northeast and its greatest length is nearly 12 feet." (over)

Not shown on map

(J. H. Lewis, in the American Anthropologist, July 1890,  
quoted in "The Aborigines of Minnesota," 1911, pages 106-108  
with a diagram of the buffalo outline.)

W. L. Kew

7.

NAME Coteau des Prairies CO Murray

NATURAL  
FEATURE REF Winchell's Aborigines - p107  
(page)

PRON AREA &  
DIMENS 1,950 alt., at this point.

OTHER  
NAMES

EXACT  
SITE T 106 R 43 TWP

GEN  
LOC

Name Origin  
& Remarks: "Buffalo ridge" . . . "is in Chanarambie township, and rises to 1,950 feet above the sea, being one of the highest knobs of the terminal moraine composing the Coteau des Prairies. ---N.H.W."

matson 10/31/40

7. NATURAL FEATURE = grove Co MURRAY

NAME "LOST TIMBER" REF Upham 365  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ AREA & DIMENS \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

EXACT SITE \_\_\_\_\_ T 106 R 43 TWP Chanarambie

GEN LOC In the valley of Chanarambie township

Description & Name Origin This Sioux name (Chanarambie) referred to trees or a grove in its valley concealed from any distant view, called as above by the early settlers.

4-2-40 Hall

6. SOURCE COUNTY Murray MOUTH COUNTY Rock COUNTY Murray  
STREAM Champepeadan Creek REF McCauley map Murray, Rock  
NAME Champepeadan Creek (page) Upham 368

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_  
OTHER NAMES TCHAN PEPE DAN RIVER } Its Sioux or Dakota name given by Nicolle<sup>with</sup>  
THORNY WOOD RIVER } its translation, was derived from its thorn bushes and  
CHANPEPE DAN CREEK } small trees.

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC. 17 T. 106 R. 43 TWP. Moulton

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Drains Moulton Twp. flows south into Nobles and Rock Counties

MOUTH Rock river SEC. 29 T. 103 R. 44 TWP. Vienna

Description &  
Name Origin

W. H. Keena

T107-R39

Approved name

Name in use Unnamed Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.39 W., sec.20,21,28,29. Dovray Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Not shown.

Short: Not shown.

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

T107-R40

6. STREAM SOURCE COUNTY Murray MOUTH COUNTY Murray COUNTY Murray  
NAME Des Moines River REF Geol Survey, 1919  
Upham 365 - n<sup>o</sup> caudex map Murray  
(page)

FROM \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER  
NAMES

West edge of Lake Okobuck  
SOURCE Murray County SEC 7 T 107N R 40W TWP Murray  
DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows East, South + North  
Crosses Des Moines River twp, Murray County

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description &  
Name Origin

Flows thru Cottonwood and Jackson Counties  
into Iowa

W. Keena

6. SOURCE MOUTH  
COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY MURRAY

NAME OKSIDA CREEK. REF UPHAM. 368.  
(page)

FROM ----- MILES -----

OTHER NAMES [OKSHIDA creek] BEAVER CREEK. -----

SOURCE ----- SEC ----- T ----- R ----- TWP Mason? -----

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED -----

MOUTH Des Moines river. SEC ----- T ----- R ----- TWP ? -----

Description & Name Origin

No called on later maps

called on later maps.

4-3-40. Hall.

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6. SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
STREAM \_\_\_\_\_

NAME [OKSHIDA CREEK] REF Upham 368  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES OKSIDA or BEAVER CREEK

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Mason ?

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH Des Moines river SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_ ?

Description & Name Origin as named on Nicolet's map, .... being the head stream of Des Moines river, .... gave its name in the early years to Okcheeda now Mason twp. This is evidently the same Sioux word that in Nobles County is applied to Lake Ocheeda and Ocheyedan creek or river, south of Worthington. Its meaning is indicated by Nicolet on his map, which, in the belt of morainic drift hills that is intersected by this lake and its outflowing stream, has "Ocheyedan Hellock or  
-over-



6.

NAME Okida Creek (stream) CO Murray

FROM \_\_\_\_\_ REF Winchell's Geol. of Minn. Vol. 1 - Pl. 7 (page)

OTHER NAMES Beaver Creek

SOURCE COUNTY Murray MOUTH COUNTY Murray MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC 6 T 107N R 43W TWP Cameron

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows southeast and northeast

MOUTH Des Moines River SEC 18 T 107N R 40W TWP Murray

Name Origin & Remarks:

4-18-1941 - Walter C. G. Hunt

6. SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY MURRAY  
STREAM

NAME OKSIDA CREEK REF ANDREAS <sup>1874 atlas</sup>  
(page) 84

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC 31 T 108 R 43W TWP ELLSBOROUGH

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC 18 T 107 R 40W TWP MURRAY

Description &  
Name Origin

Its the head stream of the Des Moines river  
as far as 1 miles S.E. of Gabe Shetak. Then  
called Des Moines River.

6.

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NAME BEAVER CREEK (stream) CO MURRAY  
CHAPTER 103 TITLE 75

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF 30TH SESSION 1897 166  
(page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH Des Moines River SEC 18 T 107 R 40 TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin & Remarks:

An Act to appropriate money for the purpose to build a bridge across the creek north of the village of Slayton. TWP. 106. R. 41

Approved April 9. 1897

3-5-41 A.A.F

NAME (mirrored) -----

RES (mirrored) -----

OTHER NAMES -----

COUNTY SOURCE -----

NO. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED -----

NO. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

6.

NAME Beaver Creek (stream) ----- CO Murray -----  
Geol. of Minn.PRON ----- REF Winchell's Vol. 1 - Pl. 11 -----  
(page)OTHER NAMES OKsida Creek -----SOURCE COUNTY Murray ----- MOUTH COUNTY Murray ----- MILES -----  
?SOURCE ----- SEC 6 T 102N R 43W TWP Cameron -----DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows southeast and northeast. -----MOUTH Des Moines River ----- SEC 18 T 102N R 40W TWP Murray -----  
Name Origin

&amp; Remarks:

4-18-1941 - Walter C. Shuck

6.

STREAM SOURCE COUNTY

MOUTH COUNTY

COUNTY Murray

NAME BEAVER CREEK

Eddy's REF Lake Survey 3-11 (N.D.)  
(page)

~~TRACY~~ Tracy Quadrangle

MILES

OTHER NAMES

SOURCE

SEC

T

R

TWP

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED

MOUTH Des Moines River SEC 18 T 107 R 40 TWP

Description & Name Origin

Diversion of Lake Shetek - near Currie in Sec. 18 and 7, Twp. 107 N., R. 40 W. Shetek Twp

1/14/41

Roe

6. SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY MURRAY  
STREAM

NAME BEAVER CREEK REF UPHAM 368  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES [OKSHIDA, creek] OKSIDA CREEK

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Mason ?

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH Des Moines river SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP ?

Description &  
Name Origin

So called on later maps

4-3-40, Hall,



6. SOURCE MOUTH  
STREAM COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY MURRAY ?

NAME BEAVER CREEK REF MINN. SCENT V-9-990  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH Des Moines River SEC 18 T 107 R 40 TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description & Name Origin

Jugallo 4/19/40

NAME BEAVER CREEK (stream) CO MURRAY

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF 24<sup>TH</sup> SESSION 1884 P 201  
S.P. LAWS, CH. 69, TITLE B.  
 (page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH Des Moines River SEC 18 T 107 R 40 TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin  
& Remarks:

Act to appropriate money to aid in building roads and bridges in Leeds town.

Approved March 9<sup>th</sup>, 1885.

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August 2/26/11

6.

NAME BEAVER CREEK CO MURRAY  
(stream) *chapter 210*

PRON ----- REF *23rd Session* 346 YR. 1883  
*Sp. Laws* (page)

OTHER NAMES -----

SOURCE MOUTH COUNTY COUNTY MILES -----

SOURCE SEC T R TWP -----

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED -----

MOUTH Des Moines River SEC 18 T 107 R 40 TWP -----

Name Origin

& Remarks:

*act to appropriate money to build bridge  
across Beaver creek at Sec, 10. T. 106, R. 41.  
effective on passage*

*Approved March 6, 1883.*

*2/24/41 F. Bienhoff*

6.

STREAM

SOURCE

COUNTY

MURRAY

MOUTH

COUNTY

COUNTY

MURRAY

1909-12 Report Water resources invest.

NAME

BEAVER CREEK

STATE DRAINAGE COMM.

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FROM

MILES

OTHER

NAMES

SOURCE

N.W. Part of County

SEC

T

R

TWP

DIRECTION &

AREA DRAINED

Flows Eastward

just Below Lake Shetek

MOUTH

DES MOINES

SEC

18

T

107

R

40

TWP

Description &

RIVER

Name Origin

(Mississippi River Drainage)

2-15-41

*A. Rasmussen*

6.

NAME PLUM CREEK (stream) CO MURRAY

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF <sup>addy's</sup> SEE LAKE <sup>Survey</sup> MAP (page) (2/25-38)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY 2 MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE LAKE SHETEK SEC 2 T 127.108 R 40-41 TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED flows E when leaving LAKE SHETEK on E central part

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T 2 R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin & Remarks:

R ✓ 2/19-41 S.W. Zastrow

T107-R41

5.

NAME

• *Unnamed Lake* ✓  
(lake)

CO

*Murray*

• *McCawley Map Murray* ✓

PRON

REF

• *Highway List*

(page)

OTHER  
NAMES

EXACT  
SITE

• *Sec. 17, 18* ✓

T

• *107* ✓

R

• *41* ✓

TWP

• *Mason*

AREA &  
DIMENS

• *99.87 acres*

GEN  
LOC

STATUS

• *Dry* ✓ • *Meandered* ✓

Name Origin  
& Remark:

Lake Gaz: Unnamed. 99.87 acres.  
Winchell, 1:pl. 22: Unnamed.  
Andreas: Unnamed.  
Co. map, 1913: Unnamed.

7.  
NAME LOON ISLAND CO MURRAY

NATURAL FEATURE ISLAND REF Eddy's CCC LAKE MAP (page) (2/25-38)  
Survey

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ AREA & DIMENS \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

EXACT SITE \_\_\_\_\_ T 107 R 41 TWP \_\_\_\_\_

GEN LOC South In central part of LAKE SHETEK

Name Origin & Remarks: Location of LAKE SHETEK T.107-108 R. 40-41.

There are three other islands in this lake, one, much larger than this one, but no name shown.

7/19-41. S.H. Gastrow.

R

T107-R42

4.

election precinct

NAME Oasis (village) CO Murray

PRON REF M.H.S. Quarterly Vol. XIV 250 (page)

OTHER NAMES PO HIST

EXACT SITE T 107 R 42 TWP

GEN CO LOC ST?

FIRST SETTLED Before 1857

PLAT INCORP

Name Origin

& Remarks: "rec'd its name from the town-site of Great Oasis."

*M. Schwitzer* 9/11/40

7. NATURAL  
FEATURE

Co. MURRAY

NAME GREAT OASIS REF M.H.S. Quarterly Vol. VII 84-85  
1 (page)

PRON AREA &  
DIMENS

OTHER  
NAMES

EXACT  
SITE T 107 R 42 TWP

GEN  
LOC

Description &  
Name Origin

The Great Oasis trading post " was  
not situated in the woods that properly  
form the Oasis, or Bear Lakes timber, as it  
is now locally known but close by the  
east, overlooking Tubbette Lake."

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4.

NAME Great Oasis TRADING Post CO Murray  
(village) quarterly

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF M.A.S. 7 Vol. XIV 85  
(page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_ PO HIST \_\_\_\_\_

EXACT SITE \_\_\_\_\_ T 107 R 42 TWP Lowville

GEN LOC N.E. quarter sec. #10 Lowville Twp. CO ST? \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST SETTLED Before 1837

PLAT \_\_\_\_\_ INCORP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin & Remarks: Early trading-post - Am. Fur Co.

*Delbert J. ... 9/11/40*

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7.

NATURAL  
FEATURE• Grove  
~~OASIS~~

Co

Murray

NAME

The GREAT OASIS

REF

• M<sup>r</sup> Cauley map Murray 1

• Upham 366

(page)

PRON

AREA &  
DIMENSOTHER  
NAMESEXACT  
SIZE

T

R

TWP

GEN  
LOC

Description &amp;

Name Origin

• An extensive grove beside Bear lakes, was so named on Nicollite's map, in allusion to the surrounding region of treeless prairie.

• Not shown on map

W. H. Keenan

5.

NAME

• Unnamed Lake  
(lake)

CO

Murray

• W.C. Cauley map Murray ✓

PRON

REF

• Highway List  
(page)OTHER  
NAMESEXACT  
SITE

• Sec. 2, 3, 10, 11 ✓

T

• 107 ✓

R

• 42 ✓

TWP

• Lowville

AREA &  
DIMENS

• 38.26 Acres

GEN  
LOC

STATUS

• Dry ✓ • Meandered ✓

Name Origin  
& Remark:

Lake Gaz: Unnamed. 38.26 acres.

Winchell, 1:pl. 22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Co. map, 1913: Unnamed.

Approved name

Name in use Unnamed Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.107 N., R.142 W., sec.2,11. Lowville Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Unnamed. Dry. Meandered.

Lake Gaz: Not given.

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

T107-R43

T108-R39

6. STREAM SOURCE COUNTY Murray MOUTH COUNTY Redwood COUNTY Murray  
NAME Plum Creek REF Uphan 368  
M. Cauley Map Murray 5 page Redwood 3

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC 18 T 108N R 40W TWP Holly 39W

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows East, North & South  
Flows Northeast thru Holly twp., Murray Co.

MOUTH Cottonwood river SEC 7 T 109N R 38W TWP North Hero

Description &  
Name Origin

Named from its wild plum trees.

W. Stearns

6.

STREAM

SOURCE

COUNTY

MURRAY

~~MOUTH~~

COUNTY

MURRAY

NAME

PLUM CREEK.

REF

UPHAM. 368.  
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PRON

MILES

OTHER

NAMES

SOURCE

SEC

T

R

TWP

HOLLY.

DIRECTION &amp;

AREA DRAINED

flowing northeast Leath Co. from T 108 R 39.

MOUTH

Boltonwood river.

SEC

T

R

TWP

Description &  
Name Origin

Received its name from its wild plum trees.

4-3-40. Hall.



6. SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY(?) MOUTH COUNTY ? COUNTY

NAME PLUM CREEK REF Upham 369 (page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE James lake (?) SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Shetek (?)

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED leaves to. from T 108 R 39 enters Redwood Co.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP ?

Description & Name Origin

... James lake ... outflowing eastward to above named creek.

4-3-40 Hall

6.

NAME PLUM CREEK (stream) CO MURRAY  
1909-12 Report Water resources invent.

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REE STATE DRAINAGE COMM.  
(page) 583

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY REDWOOD MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T 108N R 39W TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows northeast leaves Co. T108 R39 into Redwood Co.

MOUTH COTTONWOOD RIVER SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T 109N R 38W TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin  
& Remarks:

(Mississippi River Drainage)

5-20-41

A. Rasmussen

6.

NAME Plum Creek (stream) ----- CO MURRAY  
PLACE NAMES STUDY MAP No. 3

PRON ----- REF RR Commissioners' Map 1930  
(page)

OTHER NAMES -----

SOURCE COUNTY Murray ----- MOUTH COUNTY Redwood ----- MILES -----

SOURCE Lake Shetek ----- SEC ----- T 108 N R 40 W TWP -----

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flowing northeast -----

MOUTH Cottonwood River ----- SEC ----- T 109 N R 38 W TWP -----

Name Origin  
& Remarks

4-9-1941 - Walter C. Hunt

6. SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY ? COUNTY MURRAY  
STREAM

NAME PLUM CR. REF ANDREAS 1874 acres  
(page) 85

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC 18 T 108N R 39W TWP HOLLY

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED FLOWS <sup>N</sup> EAST THROUGH SEC 19-20 THENCE NE

LEAVES MURRAY CO IN SEC 2 T108N R 39W

MOUTH 2 SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description &  
Name Origin

8/19/40 Fagan

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BIRMINGHAM COUNTY  
MONTGOMERY COUNTY  
YONKERS COUNTY

JAN 1917

PAGE

THREE

SIX

DIVISION 2  
AREA DRAINED

SEVEN

YOUTH  
Description of  
Land Owned

6.

NAME Plum Creek (stream) ----- CO Murray -----

PRON ----- REF Winchell's Geol. of Minn. Vol. 1-Pluv (page)

OTHER NAMES -----

SOURCE COUNTY Murray ----- MOUTH COUNTY ? ----- MILES -----

SOURCE ? ----- SEC 30 T 108 NR 39 SW TWP Horry -----

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows northeast, leaving Co. in Sec. 7, T. 108 NR 39 SW  
Horry Twp. for Redwood Co. -----

MOUTH ----- SEC ----- T ----- R ----- TWP -----

Name Origin  
& Remarks:

4-18-1941 - Walker (ghost)

6.

NAME PLUM CREEK (stream) CO MURRAY

REF Mim. map Pub. Co. 1913 Standard Co. map  
(page)

OTHER NAMES

SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY 2 MILES

SOURCE LAKE FREMONT SEC 20 T 108 R 40 TWP SHetek

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED flows E. through Round lake and N.E. and leaves Co. from sec. 2 T. 108 N. R. 39 W.

MOUTH 2 SEC T R TWP

Name Origin & Remarks

10-2-41 Hall

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6. SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY MURRAY  
STREAM COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY MURRAY

NAME 9 REF The Great Western map Co. Murray Co. maps  
PLACE NAMES STUDY MAP No. 31

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC 21 T 107 R 39 TWP DOVRA

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED NORTH NORTHEAST

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description &  
Name Origin

this rivule flows north thru Holly Twp with many tributaries and leaves Murray county in sec 2 T108 Range 39.

CBP 6-6-40

T108-R40

Approved name

Name in use Unnamed Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.40 W.,sec.23. Shetek Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Not shown.

Winchell,1:pl.22: Unnamed.

6.

NAME T.H.C. INLET CO MURRAY  
(stream) *Mini-Map Pub. Co.*  
PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF 1913 Standard Co. Map  
(page)

OTHER  
NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY MURRAY MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE LONG LAKE SEC 4 T 108 R 41 TWP LAKE SARAH.

DIRECTION &  
AREA DRAINED flows S.E.

MOUTH LAKE SHetek SEC 19 T 108 R 40 TWP SHetek.  
Name Origin  
& Remarks

10-2-41 Hall.

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NATURAL  
FEATURE

PENINSULA

Co MURRAY CO

PLACE NAMES STUDY MAP No. 31

The Great Western Map Co.

NAME

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REF MURRAY CO MAP

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PRON

AREA &  
DIMENSOTHER  
NAMESEXACT  
SITE

SEC 20-29-30

T 108

R 40

TWP SHELTER

GEN  
LOC

extends into the NE section of Lake sketch.

Description &  
Name Origin

OBR 6-6-40

7.

NATURAL  
FEATURE

ISLAND

Co MURRAY

The Great Western Map Co.

NAME

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REF

MURRAY CO MAP

PLACE NAMES STUDY MAP No. 31

PRON

AREA &  
DIMENSOTHER  
NAMES

EXACT SEC 36 LAKE SARAH TWP 108 H1 LAKE SARAH  
 SITE SEC 31 SHETEK TWP T 108 R 40 TWP SHETEK

GEN

LOC

South western sec of Shetek Twp and SE corner of Lake Sarah Twp.

Description &amp;

Name Origin

one of three islands in Lake Shetek.

OBR 6-6-40

7.

NAME 2 CO MURRAY,NATURAL  
FEATURE ISLAND, REF 1913 Standard Co. Map,  
(page)PRON \_\_\_\_\_ AREA &  
DIMENS \_\_\_\_\_OTHER  
NAMES \_\_\_\_\_EXACT sec. 36 108 41 LAKE SARAH,  
SITE sec. 31 T 108 R 40 TWP SHetek,GEN  
LOC In central part of Lake Shetek,  
Name Origin  
& Remarks:

10-1-41 Hall.

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NAME LAKE SHETEK CO MURRAY  
(village) *Twp 3*PRON MINN ANNALS  
REF St. P. D. Press, P. 2, Col. 4, Aug. 28, 1873  
Thursday (page)OTHER NAMES PO  
HISTEXACT SITE T 108 R 40 TWPGEN CO  
LOC STFIRST SETTLED PLAT INCORPName Origin "MURRAY COUNTY - Prospects of the new and promising county, etc.,  
& Remarks: LAKE SHETEK, MURRAY CO., Aug. 22, 1873.

..."We would like to call attention of the people within 40 miles of us, and also of people within the eastern part of Dakota territory, that we have now our flour mill in running order and have one of the finest water powers in the state, using Lake Shetek (which covers nearly seven square miles) as a reservoir. ...It is the only town started in the county and although it was only laid out last month it contains a store and post office, etc., We are only 12 miles from the Winona & St. Peter RR. This county was only organized about a year ago..."

BPC 7/14/41.

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NAME

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REF

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(page)

PRON

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OTHER  
NAMES

GEN  
LOC

North end of Lake Shetek

EXACT  
SITE

T 108 R 40 TWP

Description &  
Name Origin

6. ARTIFICIAL  
FEATURE

ROAD

Co Murray

NAME

Bloody Fox Road

Eddy's

REF

Lake Survey 3-13A (N.D.)  
(page)

DEGN

Tracy Quadrangle

AREA &  
DIMENS

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OTHER  
NAMES

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EXACT  
SITE

Sec. 28

T 108 N. R 40 W

TWP

Shetek

GEN  
LOC

near Currie

Description &  
Name Origin

(May only be a part location)

1/14/41

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T108-R41

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NATURAL  
FEATURE

ISLAND

Co MURRAY

NAME

LOON ISLAND

Chap. 474  
REF 50<sup>th</sup> Session 820 - YR. 1937  
(page)

PRON

AREA &  
DIMENS

OTHER  
NAMES

EXACT  
SITE

Sec. 31.

T 108 R 41 TWP

GEN  
LOC

Description &  
Name Origin

3/12/41 F. Bienhoff

4.

VILLAGE

Co. MURRAY

NAME LAKE SARAH P.O.

REF ANDREAS 1874 atlas  
(page) 84

PRON

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OTHER  
NAMES

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ST?

EXACT SITE SW 1/4 IN SEC. 201 T 108N R 41W TWP LAKE SARAH

GEN  
LOC

FIRST  
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INCORP

Description &  
Name Origin

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6. SOURCE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MOUTH COUNTY Murray COUNTY Murray  
STREAM \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_ ?? REF Eddy's Lake Survey 3-2 (no date)  
(page)

~~FROM~~ Balaton Quadrangle MILES 15

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH Maria Lake SEC 4? T 108 N R 41 W TWP Lake Sarah

Description &  
Name Origin

This 15 mile creek is the inlet to above Lake.

1/14/41

Rose

6.

NAME 7 (stream) CO MurrayPRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF Winchell, Vol. 1 - 1st <sup>Yell. of Minn.</sup>  
(page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY Murray MOUTH COUNTY Murray MILES \_\_\_\_\_SOURCE 7 SEC 1 T 107N R 42W TWP HowellDIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows northeastMOUTH Lake Maria SEC 17 T 108N R 41W TWP Lake SarahName Origin  
& Remarks:4-18-1941 - Wm. C. Shurt

6. SOURCE MOUTH  
STREAM COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY MURRAY COUNTY MURRAY

NAME 9 REF *The Great Western Map Co.*  
MURRAY CO MAP  
PLACE NAMES STUDY MAP No. 31

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC 6 T 107 R 41 TWP MASON

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED NORTH NORTHEAST

MOUTH LAKE MARIA SEC 17 T 108 R 41 TWP LAKE SARAH

Description &  
Name Origin

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NATURAL  
FEATURE

ISLAND

Co. MURRAY

The Great Western Map Co.  
PLACE NAMES STUDY MAP No. 31

NAME

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REF

MURRAY CO MAP

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AREA &  
DIMENS

PRON

OTHER  
NAMES

EXACT  
SITE

SW 1/4 SEC 13 - NE 1/4 SEC 24 T 108 R 41 TWP LAKE SARAH

GEN

LOC

this Island lies in "THE INLET"

Description &

Name Origin

T108-R42

6.

NAME

Cottonwood River  
(stream)

CO

MURRAY

PRON

REF

Winchell's <sup>Geol. of Minn.</sup> ~~101-111~~  
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OTHER

NAMES

SOURCE

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MURRAY

MOUTH

COUNTY

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TWP

SKANDIA

DIRECTION &

Flows northeast and leaves Co. in Sec. 4. T108N. R47W

AREA DRAINED

Skandia SW into Lyon Co.

MOUTH

7

SEC

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TWP

Name Origin

& Remarks:

4-18-1941 - Walter C. Hunt

6.

NAME Cottonwood River  
(stream)

CO Murray

PLACE NAMES STUDY MAP No. 3

PRON \_\_\_\_\_

REF RR Commissioners Map 1930  
(page) 7

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY Murray

MOUTH COUNTY Brown

MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE Lake Oscar

SEC \_\_\_\_\_

T 108N R 24

TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flowing northeast, then southeast & leaves Co.

MOUTH Minnesota River

SEC \_\_\_\_\_

T 110N R 30W

TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin & Remarks

4-9-1941 Walter C. Hunt

11.

CO MURRAY

MISCELLANEOUS

SCHOOL

MUN

NAME

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REF

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1913 Standard Co. Maps  
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*Minn. Map Pub. Co.*

NAME 7

REF 1913 Standard Co. Map  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ EST \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_ GEN LOC \_\_\_\_\_

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Name Origin:

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MISCELLANEOUS SCHOOL

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*Minn. Map Pub. Co.*

NAME 2

REF 1913 Standard Co. Map  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ EST \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_ GEN LOC \_\_\_\_\_

EXACT SITE N.E. 1/4 in sec. 27, T 108 R 42 TWP SKANDIA,

Description &  
Name Origin:

11.

CO 10-1-41 Hall

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NAME OF SITE  
DESCRIPTION

STATE  
COUNTY

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OF SHEETS

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CO MURRAY

MISCELLANEOUS

SCHOOL

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NAME

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REF

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LOC

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SITE

N.W. 1/4 in sec. 29.

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Name Origin:

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T108-R43

Approved name

Name in use Unnamed Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N., R.43 W., sec.2. Ellsborough Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Not shown.

Winchell, 1:pl.22: Unnamed.

Andreas: Unnamed.

Approved name

Name in use Unnamed Lake

Pronunciation

Feature named Lake

County Murray

Location T.108 N.,R.43 W.,sec.1,2,11,12. Ellsborough Township.

Names

Comments

McCauley: Shown as swamp.  
Winchell,1:pl.22: Unnamed.  
Andreas: Unnamed.

6. SOURCE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY Murray  
STREAM \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME Line Creek REF McCauley map Murray 2  
Upham 366 (page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows thru Lime Lake trap in Murray Co.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description & Name Origin Having plentiful boulders of limestone along its shores

Not shown on map

W. H. Keenan

6. SOURCE COUNTY MOUTH COUNTY COUNTY Murray  
STREAM COUNTY COUNTY COUNTY  
NAME OKSIDA Creek REF *McCauley map Murray*  
*Upham 368* (page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_  
OTHER NAMES *BEAVER CREEK - An alternate name*  
*OKSHIDA CREEK - so named on Nicollet's map*

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED *the headstreams of the Des Moines river*

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description & Name Origin *This is evidently the same Sioux word that in Nobles County is applied to Lake Ocheeda and Ocheyedan Creek or river, south of Worthington. Its meaning is indicated by Nicollet on his map, which, in the belt of morainic drift hills that is intersected by this lake and its outflowing stream, has "Ocheyedan Hillock or mourning ground". In the*  
*Not shown on map (over)*

Dakota dictionary by Riggs, 1852, acheya and akicheya are verbs meaning to mourn, as for a dead relative, these words being allied closely with the names cited in Nobles County, and with Okshida, variously spelled, in Murray County. Here the name commemorates the mourning for two boys killed by a war party of enemies.

B. Keenan

5.

LAKE

Co. Cottonwood Murray -----

*7112 Cauley map Murray 1.*

NAME S H E T E K (LAKE SHETEK) REF Upham, 153 ----- (page) -----

PRON ----- STATUS -----

OTHER NAMES LAKE OF THE OAKS - by Capt. James Allin, who explored the upper Des Moines river and adjoining region in 1844 -----

EXACT SITE ----- T ----- R -----

TWP ----- AREA & DIMENS -----

GEN. LOC. 16 mi. up the Des Moines R. from Oaks Lake -----

Description & Name Origin Is this another Lake Shetek other than the large lake of this name in the County?



6. SOURCE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY Murray

NAME CHANARAMBIE CREEK REF W<sup>o</sup> Caudy map Murray  
Upham 365 368+  
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(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP Chanarambie

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description & Name Origin • On Nicoll's map, 1843, named "Hidden Wood creek or Tchan Narambe creek." This Sioux name referred to trees or a grove in its valley concealed from any distant view, called "Lost Timber" by the early settlers.  
• Not shown on map

NAME ° COTTONWOOD RIVER CO Murray  
 (stream) Map Murray

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF Geol. Survey Bull 14, map. (1919)  
 (page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY ° Murray MOUTH COUNTY ° Brown MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC ° 108 T ° 108 R ° 42 TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED ° North - West - East - South

MOUTH ° Minnesota River SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T ° 110 R ° 30 TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin

& Remarks: ° Not shown on map

*W. Thayer*

6.

NAME Redwood River (stream) CO Murray

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF Minch. Vol. 1 - 1911 <sup>Geol. of Minn.</sup> (page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY ? MOUTH COUNTY ? MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE ? SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Enters Co. from Pipestone Co. in Sec. 7, T108 N. R. 43 N. Ellsborough sup. flowing east and north, leaving Co. from Sec. 3, T108 N. R. 43 N. Ellsborough sup. for Lyon Co.

MOUTH ? SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin & Remarks:

4-18-1941 - Walter C. Smith

NAME REDWOOD RIVER (stream) CO MURRAY  
 Minn. Map Pub. Co.  
 PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF 1913 Standard Co. Map  
 (page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY 7 MILES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC 7 T 108 R 43 TWP ELLSBOROUGH

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED flows E + N. and leaves Co. from sec. 3  
T. 108 N. R. 43 W.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ 2 SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin  
& Remarks:

10-2-41 Hall.

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6.      SOURCE      MOUTH  
 STREAM      COUNTY      COUNTY      COUNTY

PIPESTONE      ?      MURRAY

NAME      REDWOOD River      REF      ANDREA S1874 atlas  
 (page) 85

PRON      MILES

OTHER NAMES

SOURCE      SEC 29 N T 108 N R 44 W TWP ?

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED      FLOWS NE IN TWP 108 THEN SOUTH IN SEC 7 T 108 R 43 W  
 THEN EAST IN SEC 18-19-20 THEN NORTH IN SEC 10-11-3 LEAVES MURRAY CO  
 IN SEC 3 T 108 N R 43 W

MOUTH      2      SEC      T      R      TWP

Description & Name Origin

8/15/40 Fagun



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9. PARK

State Park

Co. Mower

NAME • Horace Austin State Park

REF • Upham, 363  
(page)

PROP

AREA & DIMENS

• covers 50 acres

OTHER NAMES

{ Acquired by the state in 1914 }  
{ ~~EST~~ as a public park. }

EXACT SITE

T R T.P

GEN

LOC

Description & Name Origin

• In the northern part of the city of Austin.  
• Consists of a tract of 50 acres, including "water of the Red Cedar river and a number of deeply wooded islands."

Named for Horace Austin, the sixth governor of Minnesota. He was born in Canterbury, Conn., Oct. 15, 1831, and died in Minneapolis, Nov. 7, 1905. He settled in St. Peter, Minn., in 1854; served in the Indian war, 1863, as captain of cavalry;

• Not on map

was judge of the sixth judicial district, 1865-9; governor of Minnesota, 1870-4; later was third auditor of the U.S. Treasury, and afterward was connected with the Dept. of the Interior seven years. In 1887-9 he was chairman of the railroad commissioners of Minnesota. He resided at Lake Minnetonka, and during his last years engaged in mining in California.

An expedition of 3 companies of the First U.S. Dragoons, under Lt. Col. Stephen W. Kearny, whose route was sketched by Albert M. Lea, camped here in 1835. Later the site of this park was a camping ground of parties of hunters and trappers in 1836, 1841, and 1846, including Major Taliaferro, Henry H. Sibley, Alexander Faribault, William H. Forber, and others prominent in the history of Fort Snelling and of the fur trade within the area that afterward was Minnesota.

Park

9. PARK state Park Co Mower

NAME Horace Austin S. P. REF 38<sup>th</sup> Session 1913 509  
Chap 361. (page)

AREA &  
DIMENS

PRON \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_ EST \_\_\_\_\_

EXACT SITE part NE 1/4 Sec 3 T 102 R 18 TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
" S 1/2 " 34 103 18

GEN LOC City of Austin

Description &  
Name Origin

Act to establish & create a public  
park & to maintain it.  
Approved April 19, 1913

B. P. C 3/6/41



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NATURAL  
FEATURE

Bluff

Co

Murray

McCauley map Murray

NAME

Ball's Bluff

REF

Wpham 367

(page)

PRON

AREA &  
DIMENSOTHER  
NAMESEXACT  
SITECenter and Southwest  
part of Sec. 32

T

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TWP

Shetek

GEN  
LOC

about 1 mile southward of Owanka on Lake Shetek

Description &  
Name Origin

a high shore is so called, named for Ezra Ball, a pioneer settler there, on whose land a party of state Cavalrymen camped as rangers thru this region after the Sioux Massacre in 1862

• Not shown on map

W. H. Keenan

4.

VILLAGE COLONY

Co MOWER

quarterly

NAME BEAR CREEK COLONY REF M.H.S. Vol. XII 269 (page)

PRON PO HIST

OTHER NAMES NORWEGIAN GROVE CO ST?

EXACT SITE 103 } 14 T 104 } R 15 TWP Grand Meadow, Racine & Frankford townships.

GEN LOC Northeast part of Mower County FIRST SETTLED 1854

PLAT Description & Name Origin INCORP Norwegian settlement - 1854

4.

VILLAGE

Co Murray

NAME Buell

REF Serial Dir 1937-38

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PRON

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Name Origin

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6. SOURCE COUNTY MOWER COUNTY COUNTY Mower  
STREAM COUNTY MOWER COUNTY MOWER COUNTY  
NAME Cedar river REF. Mc Carley map Mower, 1, 2  
Upsham, 362-3  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES  
OTHER NAMES Red Cedar river (So called on Nicollet's  
map in 1843.)

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows through the west part of Mower county.  
Also through Austin and Nordic Austin State Park.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
Description & Name Origin. Its tributaries received in Mower county from the east,  
in order from north to south, are Wolf, Dobbin's, Ross, and Otter  
creeks. From the west, in this county it receives Turtle, Orchard,  
and Woodbury creeks.  
Flows thru County Paul

7. NATURAL  
FEATURE

----- valley -----

Co MURRAY (?)

NAME DES MOINES VALLEY

REF Upham 367 (page)

AREA &  
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Description &  
Name Origin

..... Captain James Allen, with a company of dragoons,  
explored this valley in August and September, 1844, from its junction  
with the Mississippi to Lake Shetek..... the highest

4-2-40 Hall

6. STREAM SOURCE MOUTH COUNTY  
COUNTY Manner Manner

NAME • Dobbin's creek REF. Mc Carley map  
Upham, 362 (page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED • Tributary to Cedar river from the east.

MOUTH • Cedar river SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description &  
Name Origin

• Not shown on map

Paul

4.

NAME EAST DES MOINES CO Murray JACKSON  
(village)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF Jackson County Plat 11-28-40  
(page)

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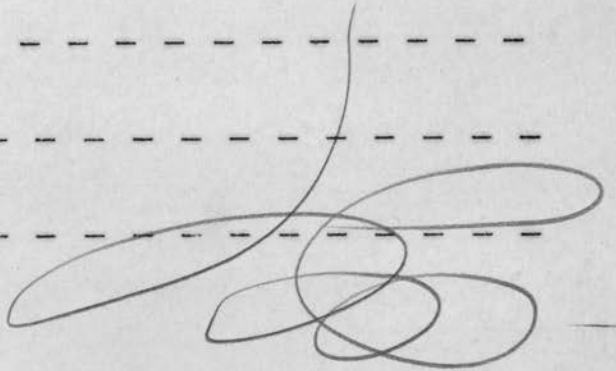
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LOC \_\_\_\_\_ ST? \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST SETTLED \_\_\_\_\_

PLAT \_\_\_\_\_ INCORP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin  
& Remarks:

*U.O. Teigen*



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NAME\_ \_ \_ \_ \_ EAST DES MOINES\_ \_ \_ \_ \_ CO\_ \_ MURRAY\_ \_ \_ \_ \_  
(village)

PRON\_ \_ \_ \_ \_ REF\_ MINN ANNALS\_ Mpls. Trib. P. 2, Col. 4, Jan. 21, 1880\_ \_  
Wednesday PM (page)

OTHER NAMES\_ \_ \_ \_ \_ PO HIST\_ discontinued\_ \_ \_ \_ \_

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GEN LOC\_ \_ \_ \_ \_ CO ST\_ \_ \_ \_ \_

FIRST SETTLED\_ \_ \_ \_ \_ PLAT\_ \_ \_ \_ \_ INCORP\_ \_ \_ \_ \_

Name Origin

& Remarks: "The following post office changes are reported in Minnesota during the week ending Jan. 17: ... Discontinued - East Des Moines, Murray county;...."

BPC 7/31/41.

ITEM 874 WESTRUM

6. SOURCE COUNTY MOUTH COUNTY COUNTY Mower

STREAM COUNTY MOUTH COUNTY COUNTY  
NAME Hokah river REF M.E. Carley map  
Upham, 361  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_  
OTHER NAMES Root river (alternate name.)

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Receives tributaries from Racine twp., Mower Co.

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description &  
Name Origin

Not shown on map

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7.

NATURAL  
FEATURE

ISLAND

Co. MURRAY

chap. 474

NAME

KEELEY ISLAND

REF

50<sup>th</sup> Session

820 - YR. 1937

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PRON

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Name Origin

3/12/41 F. Bienhoff

NAME LEEDS P.O. MURRAY  
 (village)

PRON Annals Mpls. Tribune  
7-2-79 3-1  
 REF established  
 (page)

OTHER NAMES PO 6-28-79 wek ending.  
HIST

EXACT SITE T 108 R 47 TWP Leeds?

GEN CO  
 LOC ST?

FIRST SETTLED PLAT INCORP

Name Origin  
 & Remarks:

Hans Jacobson P.M.

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NAME \_ \_ LIME STONE P.O. (village) \_ \_ \_ \_ CO \_ \_ MURRAY \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

PRON \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ REF St. Paul Daily Globe, Page 3 Col. 2-Oct. 7, 1879 (page) \_ \_ \_

OTHER NAMES \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ PO HIST \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

EXACT SITE \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ T \_ \_ \_ \_ R \_ \_ \_ \_ TWP \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

GEN LOC \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ GO ST \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

FIRST SETTLED \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ PLAT \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ INCORP \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

Name Origin  
& Remarks:

"Currie Pioneer: A Post Office was duly established the other day at the residence of W.N. Luce, near the southwest corner of the (Murray) county. It is to be known as Lime Stone."

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NAME Lost Timber CO Murray  
(village)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ REF Worthington Globe Aug 13, 1939, p. 1, c 6  
(page)

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_ PO \_\_\_\_\_  
HIST \_\_\_\_\_

EXACT SITE \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

GEN \_\_\_\_\_ CO \_\_\_\_\_  
LOC near Chandler ST? \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST SETTLED \_\_\_\_\_ PLAT \_\_\_\_\_ INCORP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin  
& Remarks:

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NATURAL  
FEATURE

Hill

Co

Murray ?  
Nobles

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MOURNING GROUND

REF

McCaughey map Murray

Nobles 368

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LOCDescription &  
Name Origin

See Okside Creek - Murray Co.

Not shown on map

W. Keenan

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NAME W. H. OFFICER'S MILL CO MOWER  
(village) Dept. of Minn.

FROM \_\_\_\_\_ REF Winchells vol. I  
(page) 348

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_ PO HIST \_\_\_\_\_

EXACT SITE ? T 10 N (?) R 18 W (?) TWP AUSTIN ?

GEN "live mi below Austin" CO \_\_\_\_\_  
LOC \_\_\_\_\_ ST ? \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST SETTLED \_\_\_\_\_ PLAT \_\_\_\_\_ INCORP \_\_\_\_\_

Name Origin & Remarks: 60 HP.; 2 sets of rollers & three run of stone.

6-3-41 S. Kavanaugh

6. SOURCE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
STREAM \_\_\_\_\_

NAME • Orchard creek \_\_\_\_\_ REF. <sup>• The Conley map</sup> Upham, 363 \_\_\_\_\_  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED • Tributary to Cedar river from the west. \_\_\_\_\_

MOUTH • Cedar river \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

Description & Name Origin • Not shown on map

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NAME Pheland

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(MITS Co.)

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PLAT

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Description &  
Name OriginSite of Methodist Mission.  
"Now Austin."J. Morgan  
3-1-40

6. SOURCE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY Howler  
STREAM \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME Red Cedar River ✓ REF Miss. Platbook 1911 Upland 36 v. 3  
(page)

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES CEDAR RIVER

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows nearly straight south, thru Udolpho, Lansing,  
Austin, and Lyle tramps. ✓ Flows thru County

MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
Description & Name Origin Enters Howler county 2 1/2 mi. east of its N.W.  
corner, passes out of Howler county 2 1/2 east of its S.W.  
corner.

6. SOURCE COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
STREAM \_\_\_\_\_

NAME Middle branch of Root river REF Upham, 362  
*M=Cauley map Fillmore 1 (page)*

PRON \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES MIDWAY BRANCH OF ROOT RIVER

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED It through Bear and Deer creeks, its head streams, this river drains a part of the northeast part of Mower county.

MOUTH Root river SEC 16 T 104 R 11 TWP Sargent

Description &  
Name Origin

Cannot trace source on map

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6. SOURCE COUNTY MOUTH COUNTY  
STREAM COUNTY Mower Mower

NAME • Wolf creek REF • Mc Cauley map  
Upsham 362 (page)

FROM \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_

OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED • Tributary to Cedar river from the east.

MOUTH • Cedar river SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_

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7.

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Inlet

Co Murray

McCaughey map Murray!

NAME

The Inlet ✓

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Upham 369 • Minn Plat, 1916  
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Northwestern corner or branchLOCAL  
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of Lake Shetek

T 108N R 40, 41W TWP

Shetek, Lake Sarah

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LOC

Juts out of Lake Shetek at its N.W. corner, a part of Lake Shetek

Receives a tributary creek from Long lake

Description &amp;

Name Origin

Shown and named as part of Lake Shetek on map.

W. P. Keenan

11.  
MISCELLANEOUS

COUNTY

Co. MURRAY

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Est. May 23, 1857 and

organized June 17, 1872

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Description &  
Name Origin

named in honor of William Pitt Murray, who was born in Hamilton, Ohio, June 21, 1825, and died in St. Paul, June 20, 1910. . . . came to Minnesota (in 1849), settling in St. Paul; was a member of the territorial legislature in 1852-3 and in 1857, and the council, 1854-5, being its president in 1855; was a member of the state constitutional convention, 1857; a representative in the state legislature in 1863 and 1868; and a state senator, 1866-7 and 1875-6. He was a member of the St. Paul city council, 1861-8 and 1870-79, being 6 years its president; and for 13 years was the city attorney, 1876-89. He contributed a paper, "Recollections of Early Territorial Days and Legislation," in the M.H.S. Collections (vol. XI, 1908, pages 103-130); was a member of the board of editors of "Minnesota in Three Centuries" . . .

4-2-40 Hall

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Description &  
Name Origin

Act declaring Murray organized  
comm. to be elected at next annual town  
meeting to choose 3 commissioners who  
shall select county seat, attached to Watouwan  
for judicial purposes now.

B.P.E. 2/10/41

11.  
MISCELLANEOUS

*County*

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NAME

*MURRAY*

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*Stennett 162*  
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Description &  
Name Origin

*was named for Hon. W. P. Murray, a member of the Territorial Legislature and a pioneer of St. Paul, Minnesota. County seat, Slayton; was named for J. B. Slayton, the earliest settler in the county.*

*1/30/41 Jay Abernold*

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MISCELLANEOUS COUNTY -----

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NAME MURRAY ----- REF MINN = 9 = CENT = V = 2 = 459 = 60  
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Description & Name Origin *William P. Murray an attorney was born at Hamilton, Ohio, June 21, 1827. He was elected to the Minnesota Legislature in 1851. The County of Murray is named in his honor.*

*Jugallo 8/29/40*



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Name Origin*Named by L. L. Lucason for the family name of  
one of his relatives**A. Stennett 3/28*

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Co

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On Minn. + Black Hills Ry.

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about 1880

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Name Origin

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W. L. Keenan 2/27/40

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Winona + St Peter R.R.

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*H. Keenan* 2/27/40

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Name Origin

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*Murray*

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Name Origin

*W. L. Keenan 3/1*

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MURRAY

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Drake, Southern Minnesota

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LOC

Description &  
Name Origin

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*Ed. Thomas*

6.

STREAM

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SOURCE  
COUNTY

Murray

MOUTH  
COUNTY

NAME

Lime Creek

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Description &  
Name Origin

Named by the early settlers living along its course,  
from the limestone which underlaid its waters.

J. H. Keenan 3/28

5.

LAKE

Co

MURRAY

NAME

LIME LAKE

REF

Drake, Southern Minnesota

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NAMES

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AREA &  
DIMENS

TWP

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LOC

Description &  
Name Origin

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*E. J. Johnson*

4.

VILLAGE

Co

Murray

NAME

Lime Creek

REF

Stennett

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SETTLED

Established in 1885

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Description &  
Name Origin

Named from the nearby creek. The creek was named by the early settlers living along its course, from the limestone which underlaid its waters.

W. L. Keenan 3/28

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~~TOWNSHIP~~ COUNTY

Co

Murray

NAME

MURRAY

REF

Stennett

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ORGAN-  
IZEDDescription of  
Name Origin

Named for Hon. W. P. Murray, a member of the  
Territorial Legislature and a pioneer of St. Paul, Minn.

W. P. Murray 3/27

VILLAGE

Co

Murray

NAME

MURRAY CENTER

REF

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Description &amp;

Name Origin

W. Keenan 2/27/40

4.

VILLAGE

Co Murray -----NAME LAKE Wilson ----- REF Stennett ----- 180  
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----- ST? -----

EXACT SITE ----- T ----- R ----- TWP -----

GEN LOC ----- FIRST SETTLED Located in 1883 -----

PLAT ----- INCORP -----

Description &  
Name Origin

*Named by and for J. E. Wilson formerly of Chicago, Ill. who also named the nearby lake for himself. He owned at one time 17000 acres of land in this vicinity.*

*J. E. Wilson* → 3/28

4.

VILLAGE

Co

*Murray*

NAME

*LAKE Wilson*

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PLAT

INCORP

Description &

Name Origin

*W. S. Keenan 3/1*

4.

VILLAGE

Co

*Murray*

NAME

*AVOCA*

REF

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*on Minn. + Black Hills Ry.*

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*about 1880*

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Name Origin

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*R. Keenan 2/27/40*

VILLAGE

Co

Murray

NAME

AVOCA

REF

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Description &  
Name Origin

*W. L. Keenan* 3/11

4.

VILLAGE

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MURRAY

NAME

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SETTLED

PLAT

Description &

Name Origin

INCORP

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Ed. H. Brown

5.

LAKE

Co.

MURRAY

BEAUTY

NAME

→ (LAKE BEAUTY)

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TWP

GEN

LOC

Description &  
Name Origin

3-5-80

Ed. Thomas

5.

LAKE

Co

MURRAY

NAME

BEAUTY (LAKE BEAUTY)

REF

Chapman, Southwestern Miner.

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NAMES

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DIMENS

TWP

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LOC

Description &  
Name Origin

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5.

LAKE

Co

Murray  
Ed. of Immigration,

NAME

Lake Beauty (Lake Beauty)

REF

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NAMES

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AREA &  
DIMENS

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Description &  
Name Origin

Jaen Fano  
3/19/60

5.

LAKE

Co

MURRAY

NAME

BEAR LAKEE

REF

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NAMES

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AREA &

DIMENS

TWP

GEN

LOC

Description &  
Name Origin

3-8-40

Ed. Moran

5.

LAKE

Co

*Murray*

*Ed. J. Immigration*

NAME

*Bear Lake*

REF

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AREA &  
DIMENS

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Name Origin

*Jaenstun*  
*3/19/40.*

5.

LAKE

Co. MURRAY

NAME BEAR LAKES REF Snake Southern Minnesota 73  
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TWP \_\_\_\_\_ AREA & DIMENS \_\_\_\_\_

GEN LOC \_\_\_\_\_

Description &  
Name Origin

3-5-40

*Ed. Thorsen*

6.

STREAM

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TOWNSHIP  
COUNTY

NAME

CHANARAMBIE

REF

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DIRECTION &  
AREA DRAINEDRises in the w. part of the county and flows s.w. to the  
Missouri.

TOWNSHIP

SEC

T

R

TWP

Description &  
Name Origin

3-5-40

Ed. Thayer

6.

STREAM SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
 NAME CHANARAMBIE REF Chapman, Southwestern Minn  
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 FROM \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_  
 OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_  
 SOURCE Westerly part of county SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
 DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Flows southeast to the Missouri  
 MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
 Description & Name Origin

3-8-40

Ed. Benson



4.

VILLAGE

Co Murray -----

NAME CHANDLER ----- REF Mimby Counties <sup>1918.</sup> ----- 105  
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Description of  
Name Origin

*B. Keenan* 3/11

4.

VILLAGE

Co Murray

NAME Chetek (Farmer)

REF Stennett

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OTHER NAMES Currie (Present)

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SITE

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GEN  
LOC

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SETTLED

PLAT

INCORP

Description &  
Name Origin

*Stennett* 4/1

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VILLAGE

Co MurrayWinona & St Peter R.R.NAME Conwell CityREF Guide 188022  
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LOCFIRST  
SETTLEDLaid out  
about 1850, or a few years later

PLAT

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Description &  
Name Originafterwards people driven out by Indians. Resettled in 1865.H. Keenan 2/27/40

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HISTOTHER  
NAMESShetek (Former)CO  
ST?EXACT  
SITE

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GEN  
LOCFIRST  
SETTLED

PLAT

INCORP

Description &  
Name Origin

Named in 1872 by Neil Currie, the first settler, for the Currie family. It was formerly called Shetek from the nearby Lake Shetek, on the banks of which, many settlers were massacred by the Sioux Indians in 1862.

W. Steiman 3/28

3.

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Co

MURRAY

NAME

CURRIE

REF

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yes

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NAMES

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LOC

On the Des Moines River

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SETTLED

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PLAT

INCORP

CHART

Description &  
Name Origin

3-5-40

Ed Hoover

4.

VILLAGE

Co Murray

NAME CURRIE

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COUNTY  
SEAT yes May, 23, 1857 later moved to Clayton

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SITE

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SETTLED

PLAT  
Description of  
Name Origin

I. CORP

*H. K. Newman* 3/1

4.

VILLAGE

Co MurrayWinona + St. Peter R.R.NAME CURRIEREF Guide 188022-23  
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SETTLED

PLAT

I-CORP

Description &  
Name Origin

Information given about Murray County is signed "Neil Currie". Was the village named for him, or for a member of his family?

R. Keenan 2/27/40

4.

VILLAGE

Co MURRAY COUNTYNAME CURRIE REF GANNETT, PLACE NAMES 87"  
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Name Origin NAMED FOR A PARISH IN SCOTLAND

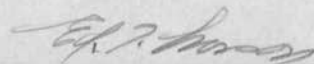
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Edward Thayer

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STREAM SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
 NAME DES MOINES RIVER REF Snake, Southern Minnesota 93  
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 FROM \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_  
 OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_  
 SOURCE \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
 DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Rises in n.w. township of the county, flows toward the s.w. on its way to the Mississippi  
 MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
 Description & Name Origin \_\_\_\_\_

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6.

STREAM SOURCE COUNTY MURRAY MOUTH COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_  
 NAME DES MOINES RIVER REF Chapman, Southwestern Minn.  
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 FROM \_\_\_\_\_ MILES \_\_\_\_\_  
 OTHER \_\_\_\_\_  
 NAMES \_\_\_\_\_  
 SOURCE in the northwest SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
townships of county  
 DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED Forward  
The southeast on its way to the Mississippi  
 MOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ SEC \_\_\_\_\_ T \_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ TWP \_\_\_\_\_  
 Description &  
 Name Origin

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Ed. Johnson

6.

STREAM

SOURCE COUNTY

*Murray*

MOUTH COUNTY

*Bd. of Immigration,*

NAME

*DES MOINES RIVER*

REF

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OTHER NAMES

SOURCE

*In the northwest township*

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TWP

DIRECTION & AREA DRAINED

*Flows southeast*

MOUTH

SEC

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TWP

Description & Name Origin

*Jacobson  
3/19/60*

7. NATURAL  
FEATURE

Valley

Co Murray

NAME Des Moines Valley

REF

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DIMENS

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NAMES

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LOC

Description &  
Name Origin

W. Kewan 2/27/40

4.

VILLAGE

Co

*Murray*

NAME

*DOV RAY*

REF

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SITE

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LOC

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SETTLED

PLAT

INCORP

Description &  
Name Origin

*Named in 1904 from the township, which was named by the early Norwegian settlers from DOVERFIELD in Norway.*

*W. H. Kenna**3/28*

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Murray

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DOVRAY

REF

Stennett

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SETTLEDORGAN-  
IZEDDescription of  
Name Origin

Named by the early Norwegian settlers from  
DOVERFJELD in Norway.

W. L. Keenan 3/28

5.

LAKE

Co.

Murray

NAME

Wilson (Lake Wilson)

REF

Stennett

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NAMESEXACT  
SITE

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AREA &  
DIMENS

TWP

GEN  
LOC

Near the town of the same name.

Description &  
Name Origin

Named by and for J. E. Wilson formerly of Chicago, Ill.

W. Keenan 3/28

VILLAGE

Co

Murray

NAME

SUMMIT

REF

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Description &amp;

Name Origin

W. Keenan 2/27/40

4.

VILLAGE

Co Murray -----

NAME SLAYTON ----- REF Stennett ----- 192  
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HIST -----

OTHER NAMES ----- CO  
ST? -----

EXACT SITE ----- T ----- R ----- TWP -----

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SETTLED -----

PLAT ----- INCORP -----

Description & Name Origin Named in 1882 for C. W. Slayton, who was one of the first settlers to locate here.

W. Keenan 3/29

4.

VILLAGE

Co

*Murray*

NAME

*SLAYTON*

REF

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*yes*

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SITE

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TWP

GEN  
LOC

FIRST  
SETTLED

PLAT

INCORP

Description &  
Name Origin

*B. L. Keenan* 3/11

3.

CITY

Co Murray -----

NAME

SLAYTON -----

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ST? -----OTHER  
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LOC -----FIRST  
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PLAT

INCORP -----

CHART -----

Description &  
Name Origin

Was named for J. B. Slayton, the earliest settler  
in the county.

W. Keenan → 3/27

4.

VILLAGE

Co

Murray

NAME

Shetek (James)

REF

Stennett

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CURRIE (Present)

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PLAT

INCORP

Description &  
Name Origin

Named from the nearby Lake Shetek.

W. S. Keenan 3/28

5.

LAKE

Co MURRAY

NAME SHETEK REF Chapman, Southeastern Minn.  
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GEN  
LOC \_\_\_\_\_  
Description &  
Name Origin

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*Ed. Norton*

5.

LAKE

Co

Murray

Bd. Immigration,

NAME

Shetek

REF

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NAMES

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SITE

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TWP

AREA &  
DIMENS

GEN

LOC

Description &  
Name Origin

Jackson  
3/19/40.

5.

LAKE

Co.

Murray

NAME

Shetek (Lake Shetek)

REF

Stennett

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Description &  
Name Origin

On the banks of this lake many settlers were massacred by the Sioux Indians in 1862. The name of this lake comes from an Indian word that has many forms of spelling. The name of an Indian chief whose name by various writers was spelled Chetek Shetek Shetack

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5.

LAKE

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MURRAY

NAME

SHETEK (LAKE SHETEK)

REF

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DIMENS

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Name Origin

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Ed. Chapman

5.

LAKE

Co. MURRAY

NAME SHETEK (Lake Shetek) REF Drake, Southern Minnesota 93  
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OTHER NAMES \_\_\_\_\_

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TWP \_\_\_\_\_ AREA & DIMENS \_\_\_\_\_

GEN LOC \_\_\_\_\_

Description &  
Name Origin

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*Ed Thomas*

5.

LAKE

Co.

*Murray*

NAME

*Shetek (Lake Shetek)*

REF

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NAMES

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SITE

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AREA &  
DIMENS

TWP

GEN

LOC

Description &  
Name Origin

*H. L. Keenan* 2/27/40

5.

LAKE

Co

MURRAY

NAME

SARAH (LAKE SARAH)

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DIMENS

TWP

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Name Origin

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G. H. Chapman

5.

LAKE

Co Murray -----

*Bd. of Immigration,*

NAME Lake Sarah (Lake Sarah) REF Minn. 1885 115  
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Description & Name Origin

*Jaen Row*  
*7/19/40.*

5.

LAKE

Co.

MURRAY

NAME

SARAH

(LAKE SARAH)

REF

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DIMENS

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Name Origin

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