Provided, That all persons owning lands bordering upon the shores of said lake, shall first have given their consent in writing and filed the same in the office of the register of deeds of said county.

SEC. 2. Upon filing consent aforesaid, such persons or either of them, shall have power and they or any of them are authorized to ditch through any lands which may be necessary to drain said

lake.

SEC. 3. The board of supervisors of the town of Helen of said county are hereby authorized to assess the damage to the owners of any lands through which such ditch may be made, in the same manner as damages are assessed in laying out highways by town supervisors, and persons aggrieved thereby shall have the same right of appeal, and appeal from the decision of said board of supervisors shall be taken in the same manner as appeals are taken from the assessment of damages in laying out highways by town supervisors.

SEC. 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after

its passage.

Approved March 7, 1878.

CHAPTER 139.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF LEWISTON, IN THE COUNTY OF WINONA, TO EXPEND MONEY FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

SEC. 1. The trustees of the village of Lewiston, in the county of Winona, are hereby authorized to expend money from the general funds of said village for the purpose of building and repairing roads and bridges on highways without said village of Lewiston, and leading to said village, not to exceed two hundred dollar (\$200) in any one year. Such expenditure shall be confined to such roads and bridges as are within five miles of said village of Lewiston.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after

its passage.

Approved March 7, 1878.