CHAPTER 297.

AN ACT to appropriate money build a bridge across the east branch of the Blue Earth river, Faribault county.

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

Section 1. That the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300), or so much thereof as is necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the internal improvement fund in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated, or which may hereafter come into the State treasury to the credit of said internal improvement fund, for the purpose of building a substantial bridge across the east branch of the Blue Earth river on or near the west quarter (1) line of section thirty-five (35), in the town of Brush Creek, in the county of Faribault, and State of Minnesota, where the river crosses said line on said section.

SEC. 2. Said bridge shall be built under the direction of the board of county commissioners of said county of Faribault, and no part of said appropriation shall be paid until said bridge is com-

pleted and ready for use.

Sec. 3. A. A. Lathorn, John Emerson, and C. F. Bessett, of said county of Faribault, are hereby appointed a committee, on the part of the State, to view said bridge when completed, and examine all contracts, vouchers and accounts relating thereto, and the cost thereof, and to ascertain the cost of building said bridge and make a report of such cost to the State auditor. That any two (2) of said committee may act, and in case two (2) of said committee cannot be found to act the county auditor of Faribault county shall notify the governor of the State of the fact who shall, by appointment, fill any vacancy in said committee.

That upon the receipt of said report by the State auditor he shall, upon demand of the treasurer of Faribault county, draw his order or orders, in favor of said county treasurer, on the State treasurer for moneys belonging to said fund for the cost of said bridge as reported by said committee in amount not [to] exceed three hundred dollars (\$300), and the State treasurer shall pay over such money to the treasurer of Faribault county upon such order or orders, and such money shall be distributed by such county treasurer upon the order of said board of county commis-

sioners in payment of the cost of said bridge.

SEC. 4. That the said bridge, when erected, shall be kept in repair by the town of Brush Creek, in said county of Faribault.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 3, 1881.