CHAPTER 171.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE ACROSS THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER AT AITKIN, IN AITKIN COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

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

SECTION 1. That the county commissioners of Aitkin county, and such comimissioners, if any, as may be appointed in behalf of the state for the purpose, are hereby authorized to erect a bridge across the Mississippi river, on or near the section line between section twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24), town forty-seven (47), range twenty-seven (27) in said Aitkin county. Provided, That such bridge shall have therein placed a draw of not less than fifty (50) feet in length, and suitable for the passage of such steam boats as may be used on that portion of the said Mississippi river, and the piers of said bridge shall be, as nearly as practicable, parallel with the current of said river.

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

its passage.

Approved March 7, 1885.