

and shall be paid by the person or persons in whose interest the ditch or canal may be opened.

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

Approved March 5, 1875.

CHAPTER CLVIII.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE LOWERING OF THE WATERS OF CERTAIN LAKES IN HENNEPIN COUNTY.

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

SECTION 1. Those persons who own lands upon the shores of "Mud Lake," situate on sections five and six, town one hundred and sixteen, and sections thirty-one and thirty-two, township one hundred and seventeen, range twenty-one, in the county of Hennepin, are hereby permitted to lower the water of said lake not to exceed four feet, by the cutting of a ditch connecting said lake with Nine Mile Creek, in said town and county; *Provided*, Before lowering the waters of said lake, consent in writing be obtained of all parties owning lands upon the shore of said lake and along the line of said ditch, and filed in the office of register of deeds of the county of Hennepin.

SEC. 2. This act shall be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 5, 1875.

CHAPTER CLIX.

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DRAINAGE OF CERTAIN LAKES IN THE COUNTIES OF MEEKER AND WRIGHT.

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

SECTION 1. Those citizens of the counties of Wright and Meeker, in this state, owning lands bordering or abutting upon Mud Lake and Beaver Dam Lake, in said counties, are hereby authorized and empowered to drain said lakes; *Provided*, That all persons affected by such drainage consent thereto, and file such consent in writing, in the office of the register of deeds in and for said counties.