

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS

DISTRICT COURT
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

I, J. P. Johnson, Clerk of the District Court, St. Louis County, and State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing papers writing with the original *Stipulation and Order*

in the action therein entitled, now remaining of record in my office, and that the same is a true and correct copy and transcript of said original, *Stipulation and Order* and the whole thereof.

WITNESS, My hand and seal of said Court, at Duluth, this *30th* day of *September* A. D. 192*0*

J. P. JOHNSON, Clerk of District Court,

By *B. G. Relling* Deputy Clerk.

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No.

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS

IN DISTRICT COURT
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

*In re Contest of
The Nominations
of Hans B. Haroldson*
Plaintiff
Date
-AGAINST-

Defendant

Clerk's Certificate

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STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Julius A. Schmahl,
Secretary of State

State of Minnesota)
Carlton County } ss.

District Court
11th Judicial District.

Hans B. Haroldson, Petitioner,

vs

August R. Norman, as county auditor of
Carlton County, Minnesota, et al.,
Respondents.

State of Minnesota)
Carlton County. } ss.

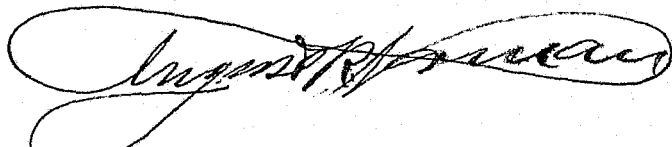
August R. Norman being first duly sworn upon his oath states that he one of the respondents above named herein and is County auditor of said Carlton County; that on the 24th day of June 1920 he, as one of the county canvassing board of said county, signed the completed report and canvass of the votes cast at the primary election of June 21st 1920; and the other members of said board also on said day signed said report and completed canvass, and the said canvassing board on said 24th day of June, having finished its duties and labors, ^{finally} adjourned; and thereafter on said day this deponent as auditor certified the result of said canvass as required by law to the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota and on said 24th day of June 1920 mailed said ~~aid~~ certified result of such ~~can-~~ vass, postage prepaid, to the said secretary of State at his address at St Paul, Minnesota; that on the following day, to wit, on June 25th 1920, this deponent re-examined the said report so signed by said county canvassing board and discovered that the tabulated figures of the votes cast for Hans B. Haroldson when added up amounted to a total of 400 votes; whereas the total certified in said report and also certified to the Secretary of State as aforesaid had in words and accompanying figures been put at 338 and no more; that said mistake arose from a faulty adding machine whose ~~totals~~ were taken but it had dropped some figures, properly listed but not properly added; that said mistake was discovered after 10 O'clock A. M. on said June 25th 1920; and thereupon deponent conferred with Mr. Thompson Clerk of the district court of Carlton County and one of the said canvass-

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ing board and it was determined to reconvene the members of said ~~board~~ and ^{and} board and make a correction in the canvass as declared, completed, ^{and} filed the day previous; the county attorney of Carlton county was absent from the village of Carlton and his advice could not be obtained and was not had.

Thereafter and ~~shortly~~ shortly before noon on said 25th of June 1920 the members of said board came together and made and attached to their former report a new certificate, and filed same with their signatures attached thereto under said date; that ~~they~~ before signing ~~at~~ same at said time they changed the words and figures of their former report by substituting the figures "400" instead of the former figures "338", and by substituting the words "Four Hundred" in place of the former words "Three hundred Thirty-eight", thus making said report and declared result to give said Hans B. Haroldson ~~338~~ 400 votes instead of 338 as per the original report and canvass.

Affiant further states that as member of said canvassing board and as county auditor having custody of the tally sheets and returns of said election coming from the various precincts of the county ~~that~~ he observed numerous irregularities and failures of the judges and clerks of election to comply with the laws in making their returns; that such irregularities were of many kinds, failures to report the total number of votes cast; failure to have numbers of votes stated in writing; often mere figures, and figures difficult to make out, making it a difficult task for the board to make an accurate and certain canvass, requiring often the comparison of separate documents, where the returns should have ^{been} complete in one document; that, ^{of course,} in every case the board did the best it could under the circumstances to get things right.



Subscribed and sworn to before me this

22nd day of July 1920.

Victor P. Richardson
Notary Public, Carlton Co., Minn.
My commission expires Apr 3-1926.

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DISTRICT COURT
ELEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

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In the Matter of the Contest of the
Nomination of HANS B. HAROLDSON,
as District Judge of the Eleventh
Judicial District.

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STIPULATION.

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED, by and between John B.
Richards, the Contestant in the above entitled proceedings, and
Hans B. Haroldson, the Contestee, that said proceedings and
contest may be, and the same hereby are, dismissed.

John B. Richards
Contestant

Hans B. Haroldson
Contestee

Dated September 30-1920.

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS)

DISTRICT COURT
NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

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In the Matter of the Contest of the
Nomination of HANS B. THORLSON,
as District Judge of the Eleventh
Judicial District.

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ORDER.

Upon the foregoing and attached stipulation,
IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the above entitled pro-
ceedings and contest be, and they hereby are, dismissed.

ORDERED FURTHER, that a certified copy of said
stipulation and this order be served upon Julius A. Schmahl, as
Secretary of State, by mailing a copy of the same, addressed to
Julius A. Schmahl, Secretary of State, at St. Paul, Minnesota,
by registered mail.

H. A. Dancer

Judge.

Dated September 30-1920.

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