## AUTHORITY FOR EXPENDITURE

E. D. No. 4

Requisition dated . January 15th,

1908

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mptroller's No. 32-0 X

From

Montana

Division

Operating

Department.

For

Sappington, 1550 ft. spur to proposed ice pond and chute for loading ice.

Amount, \$ 3,055.00

REMARKS AND RECOMMENDATIONS.

Work completed. (Right of way provided by contract with H. H. Sapping-ton, dated December 12th, 1907.)

Chief Engr., Mech. Supt. or Supt. Telgph.

General Manager.

DISTRIBUTION OF CHARGES.

Operating Expenses.

Improvements, Betterments and Additions

305600

INSTRUCTIONS AND APPROVAL.

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COMPTROLLER'S RECORD OF NOTICE OF APPROVAL AND OF COMPLETION.

Form 1345 issued

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Work commenced

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Work completed

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Authority is requested for an expenditure as per detailed estimate attached of \$ 3,056.00

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SAPPINGTON, MONT.

SPUR 1580 FT. LONG TO PROPORED ICE POND AND CHUTE FOR STREET MOLY DE ALTRIE SELECTION IN TO LOAD DIG 103. THE COURSE OF STREET

The location is shown by plan attached, and is on the company's property. To secure required. rights, it will be necessary

Charges are to be made against

The expenditure is recommended for the following reasons:

Ice pond located about one mile and a quarter from Sappington station, on Pony and Morris Branch, and Jefferson river, as per sketch attached. Work is all completed.

Ice pend involves about six acres of water,

sufficient for cutting ice.

Contract executed with Mr. H. H. Sappington for term of ten years, with exclusive right to cut ice at rate of 50% per car, and easement covering all ground for track and ice-loading chute, trestles, and any other structures that is necessary for handling ice crop.

In making the channel change the C M & St P Ry. was required to provide culverts under its line to serve irrigation to provide culverts under its line to serve irrigation ditches which were fed from the portion of the river cut off by the change. This formed a popt of live water, which being located in a district where the winters are uniformly cold, makes a very reliable ice pond. It is thought that two crops of ice can be cut from the pond without fail each year, and probably three. It seemed desirable to secure the rights to this ice pond in advance of the C M & St P Ry. We are short of places for securing ice supply in Montana.

will be required for construction, which should be commenced

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