

## DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

Office of Auditor of Madison County, Ohio,

October 15, 1923.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of said County:

Gentlemen: You are hereby notified that a petition and bond for a Single County Ditch improvement was filed in this office on the 11th day of October, 1923, a copy of which petition is attached below.

Lamar P. Wilson,  
Auditor.

## COPY OF PETITION

Petition for Location, Construction, Deepening and Widening the ditch known as The Dunkin Ditch, located in Range Township, Madison County, Ohio.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners, Madison County, Ohio:

The undersigned hereby petition your honorable body for the location, construction, deepening and widening the ditch known as the Dunkin Ditch, located in Range Township, Madison County, Ohio, on the course hereinafter set forth.

The construction of the improvement is necessary and will be conducive to the public welfare.

The following is the course and termini of said proposed improvement, to-wit: Commencing on the land of Burt Crawford, running thence in an easterly direction and terminating on the land of McCloud Dunkin.

The following is the nature of the work petitioned for: Cleaning said ditch and by widening and deepening same, so as to give proper fall and drainage to the lands benefitted.

Names and addresses, where known, of all owners of the land which the petitioner claims will be benefitted or damaged by the construction of the proposed improvement:

Burt Crawford	London
John Ellsworth	"
Benjamin F. Corson	"
Ernest Corson	"
E. J. Gillespie	"
I. H. Gillespie	"
Nathan Gillespie	"
Julia Christman	"
Michael Burns	Lilly Chapel
Catherine Burns	" "
Mrs. Alice Redman	London
John Mantle	"
E. B. Christman	"
Mary R. Christman	"
Frank Fullerton	Washington C. H., Ohio.
Clark Beale	Mt. Sterling,
McCloud Dunkin	Sandusky, Ohio, c/o Sloane House
P.R. Emery, Exec. Est. of Caroline Emery,	London, Ohio.

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Service of Notice of Filing the Petition shall be obtained by mailing notices and publication as provided in Section 6447.

Alice M. Redman, Petitioner.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a Single County Ditch Petition filed in my office on the 11th day of October, 1923.

Lamar P. Wilson,  
County Auditor.

## COPY OF BOND

Know all men by these presents, That we Alice Redman and P. R. Emery and J. Sherman Simpson are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, in the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars, to the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we do hereby jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators.

Signed by us and dated this 10th day of October, 1923.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, that, Whereas, on the 10th day of October, 1923, the above bound Alice Redman filed her petition with the County Auditor of Madison County, Ohio, making application to the County Commissioners, praying for the location, construction, deepening and widening of the Dunkin Ditch in Range township, Madison County, Ohio petitioned for by Alice Redman; the following is the course and termini of said proposed improvement, to-wit:

Commencing on the land of Burt Crawford and running thence in an easterly direction and terminating on the land of McCloud Dunkin.

Now, if the said Alice Redman will pay all costs, if the prayer of the petition is not granted or if said petition is for any cause dismissed, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Alice M. Redman

P. R. Emery

J. Sherman Simpson

The above bond is approved this 11th day of October, 1923.

Lamar P. Wilson,  
County Auditor.

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Office of the Board of County Commissioners, Madison County,  
Ohio, October, 15, 1923.

In the Matter of the )  
Dunkin Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Order Fixing Time of View and First Hearing.  
Alice M. Redman )

Mr. Foster moved the adoption of the following.

## RESOLUTION

Whereas, This 15th day of October, 1923, the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, being in regular session, members present G. A. Street, Charles Foster and W. S. Robison, the County Auditor gave notice to us of the filing with him of a petition signed by Alice M. Redman petitioner for the location, construction, deepening and widening of the ditch known as the Dunkin Ditch, located in Range Township, Madison County, Ohio; and

Whereas, It appears to us that the proper bond has been filed with the Auditor and by him approved, conditioned for the payment of all costs if the prayer of the petition is not granted, or if said petition is for any cause dismissed; therefore, be it

Resolved, By said Board of County Commissioners, that the 7th day of November, 1923, at ten o'clock A. M., at the upper terminus of the improvement, be and the same is hereby fixed as the time for the view thereon; and be it further

Resolved, That the 20th day of November, 1923, at ten o'clock A. M., at the office of the Board of County Commissioners of said County be and the same is hereby fixed as the time and place for the first hearing on the petition; and be it further

Resolved, That notice of said view and hearing be given as required by law.

Mr. Robison seconded the resolution and the roll being called upon its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Street, "Yes"; Mr. Foster, "Yes"; Mr. Robison, "Yes".

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County Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio, October 15, 1923.

In the Matter of the )  
Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Certificate of Mailing Notices of Time of View and First  
Alice M. Redman ) Hearing.

I hereby certify that on the 15th day of October, 1923, I prepared and mailed, in a five-day return addressed envelope to Burt Crawford, John Ellsworth, Benjamin F. Corson, Ernest Corson, E. J. Gillespie, I. H. Gillespie, Nathan Gillespie, James S. Gillespie, Julia Christman, Michael Burns, Catherine Burns, Mrs. Alice Redman, John Mantle, E. B. Christman, Mary R. Christman, Frank Fullerton, Clark Beale, McCloud Dunkin, and P. R. Emery, Executor of the estate of Caroline Emery, the following notice:

To the owners of land affected by the proposed improvement:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that on the 11th day of October, 1923, the above named petitioner Alice M. Redman filed a petition for the location, construction, deepening and widening the ditch known as the Dunkin Ditch, located in Range Township, Madison County, Ohio, with the County Auditor of said County, the substance and prayer of which said

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petition is, that the construction of the improvement is necessary and will be conducive to the public welfare, and prays for the making of such improvement on the following course and termini, to-wit:

Commencing on the land of Burt Crawford, running thence in an easterly direction and terminating on the land of McCloud Dunkin.

As it is claimed that the improvement will affect property owned by you, you are hereby notified that the Board of County Commissioners of said County have fixed the 7th day of November, 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the upper terminus of the improvement, as the time for the view thereon and also the 20th day of November, 1923, at ten o'clock A. M., at the office of said Board, as the time and place for the first hearing on the petition.

Lamar P. Wilson,

Auditor of Madison County, Ohio.

## PROOF OF NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

The State of Ohio, Madison County, ss:

I, L. C. Payton, do solemnly swear that I am publisher of the Madison Press, a newspaper printed and published and of general circulation throughout Madison County, Ohio, and that the original notice, the foregoing of which is a true copy, was published in said newspaper once a week for two consecutive times, commencing on the 18th day of October, A.D., 1923.

L. C. Payton.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 26th day of October, A.D., 1923.

Lamar P. Wilson,

Auditor Madison County.

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Office of the Board of County Commissioners,  
Madison County, Ohio, November 20, 1923.

In the Matter of the )  
Dunkin Ditch Petitioned for by ) Commissioners Finding for the Improvement.  
Alice M. Redman )

Mr. Robison moved the adoption of the following

## RESOLUTION

Whereas, This day the Board of County Commissioners being in special session, present Street, Foster and Robison and this being the day fixed by said Board in their order dated the 15th day of October, 1923, for the hearing on the petition in the above named improvement, the said Board met at their office, and conducted said hearing by causing the petition to be publicly read, together with all applications for and remonstrances against the improvement, and all applications for change or extension of the improvement, previously filed in writing; and

Whereas, Said Board has heard either in person or by counsel all evidence offered by any owner of land for or against the granting of the proposed improvement, or for or against the granting of any laterals, branches, or spurs, or change of route, course, termini, or manner of construction described in the petition, or in any application therefore; and

Whereas, After proper examination, said Board do find that due and legal notice has been given in the manner and for the length of time required by law, to all owners of land

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affected by said improvement; therefore be it resolved

Resolved, By the Board of County Commissioners that we do hereby find that the said proposed improvement petitioned for is necessary and will be conducive to the public welfare; and we are reasonably certain that the cost thereof will be less than the benefits, and the prayer of the petition is hereby granted; and we do further find that the following described route and termini of the proposed improvement and of the branches, spurs and laterals thereof, and the manner of constructing the same are the best and the same are hereby adopted and prescribed by us:

Commencing on the land of Burt Crawford, running thence in an easterly direction and terminating on the land of McCloud Dunkin; cleaning of said ditch and by deepening and widening same so as to give proper fall and drainage to the lands benefited; and also tiling said ditch with tile of sufficient size to drain all lands benefited, from the beginning to the Newport and Bloomingsburg road, being a distance of about forty rods; and joining on all tile branches; and be it further

Resolved, That the County Surveyor be and he is hereby directed to make the necessary survey for the proposed improvement, upon the foregoing plan and line, and suitable maps showing the location of the land proposed to be assessed, and profiles showing the cuttings and gradient of the improvement, together with an estimate of the cost of the construction of said improvement; and set proper construction stakes, beginning at the upper terminus of the improvement, and perform such other duties as required by law (G.C.6454); and be it further

Resolved, That the 19th day of December, 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M., be and the same is hereby fixed as the time for filing with the County Auditor all of said maps, profiles, schedules and reports prepared by said Surveyor; and be it further

Resolved, That further hearing on said improvement be and the same is hereby adjourned to the date above fixed for the filing of the reports and schedules by the Surveyor.

Mr. Foster seconded the resolution and the roll being called on its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Street, "Yes"; Mr. Foster, "Yes"; Mr. Robison, "Yes".

County Auditor's Office, November 20, 1923.

To the County Surveyor:

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of the record of the proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners.

Lamar P. Wilson,  
County Auditor.

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In the Matter of the )  
 Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Request for Permission to File Application for Change of  
 Alice M. Redman ) the Improvement.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners, Madison County, Ohio:

The undersigned respectfully requests your honorable body for permission to file an application for changing the improvement above the Newport and Bloomingsburg Road No.8 from an open ditch to a tile ditch.

Burton Crawford.

COPY OF APPLICATION

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners, Madison County, Ohio:

The undersigned hereby makes application to your honorable body for tiling said ditch from the beginning to the Newport and Bloomingsburg road, being a distance of about forty rods; and joining on all tile branches.

We further beg to represent that this portion of said ditch is continually kept filled by stock running and rooting therein, making it impossible to maintain an outlet for said tile drains.

Respectfully submitted,

Burton Crawford.

In the Matter of the )  
 Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Resolution Granting Request to File Application for  
 Alice M. Redman ) Change of the Improvement.

Mr. Foster moved the adoption of the following

RESOLUTION

Whereas, This day the Board of County Commissioners being in regular session, present Street, Foster and Robison, and Burton Crawford having filed a request to be permitted to file an application for tiling said ditch from the beginning to the Newport and Bloomingsburg road, being a distance of about forty rods; and joining on all tile branches; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said request for permission to file said application be and the same is hereby granted; and be it further

Resolved, That the 19th day of December, 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M., be and the same is hereby fixed for a hearing upon said application; and be it further

Resolved, That notice of said hearing on said application be given as required by law.

Mr. Robison seconded the resolution and the roll being called on its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Street, "Yes"; Mr. Foster, "Yes"; Mr. Robison, "Yes".

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In the Matter of the )  
 Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Certificate of Mailing Notices on Application for Change  
 Alice M. Redman ) of Improvement.

Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio, November 26, 1923.

I hereby certify that on the 26th day of November, 1923, I prepared and mailed, in a five-day return addressed envelope, to the names hereby attached the following notice:

## COPY OF NOTICE

To the owners of land affected by the proposed improvement:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that on the 26th day of November, 1923, Burton Crawford filed an application for changing the improvement above the Newport and Bloomingburg road No.8 from an open ditch to a tile ditch, with the County Auditor of said County, the substance and prayer of which said petition is, that the construction of the improvement is necessary and will be conducive to the public welfare, and prays for the making of such improvement on the following course and termini, to-wit:

Tiling said ditch from the beginning to the Newport and Bloomsburg road, being a distance of about forty rods; and joining on all tile branches.

Your petitioner further begs to represent that this portion of said ditch is continually kept filled by stock running and rooting therein, making it impossible to maintain an outlet for said tile drain.

As it is claimed that the improvement will affect property owned by you, you are hereby notified that the Board of County Commissioners of said County have fixed the 19th day of December, 1923, at ten o'clock A. M., at the office of said Board, as the time and place for the first hearing on the petition.

Lamar P. Wilson,

Auditor of Madison County, Ohio.

The persons thus notified are the following:

Nathan Gillespie, James Gillespie, Benj. Corson, John Ellsworth, Bert Crawford, Edward Gillespie, Harris Gillespie and Ernest Corson.

Lamar P. Wilson,

County Auditor.

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In the Matter of the )  
 Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Notice to Commissioners.  
 Alice M. Redman )

County Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio, Dec. 19, 1923.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio:

Gentlemen: You are hereby notified that the County Surveyor filed in this office on the 19th day of December, 1923, the maps, profiles, schedules and reports in the above named improvement, in accordance with your order of the 26th day of November, 1923.

Lamar P. Wilson,

County Auditor.

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In the Matter of the )  
 Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Report of County Surveyor.  
 Alice M. Redman )

County Surveyor's Office, Madison County, Ohio, Dec.19,1923.

To the Honorable, the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

The undersigned County Surveyor, in obedience to the order of your Honorable Body, made on the 20th day of November, 1923, proceeded in the above matter, and visited the proposed location of said improvement and made the necessary survey for the proposed improvement, as found by the Commissioners, and suitable maps showing the location of the land proposed to be assessed, and profiles showing the cuttings and gradient of the improvement, and an estimate of the cost of the construction of said improvement; and set proper construction stakes, beginning at the upper terminus of the improvement, and noted the intersection of the line of the improvement with the land boundaries of separate owners, township and county lines, natural land marks, road crossings, or other lines or marks; and took and noted necessary levels off the lines of the improvement for contour purposes, to determine the area of the land subject to drainage, and to determine the land that will be specially benefited by the construction of the improvement.

I also established, at intervals of not less than one in each mile, in the most practical, permanent forms, and in locations where destruction or disturbance is improbable, bench marks from which the original levels of the improvement can be established.

I also made a schedule of the work proposed to be done, showing the fall, the depth, the excavating to be done, the location of the permanent bench marks and their actual elevation above or below the base elevation used, the nature of the excavation, and the location of quicksand or rock, etc.

I also prepared a schedule containing the name of each owner of land, with a description of the land which I believe to be benefited by the proposed improvement, taken from the tax duplicates of the county, and have entered in said schedule the proximate number of acres benefited by the proposed improvement, and the amount that said land, in my opinion, ought to be assessed, according to benefits.

I also prepared proper working specifications for the construction of the improvement, including catch basins, retaining walls, size and kind of tile, etc.

I made estimates of the cost of excavating and of the cost of material and divided the construction of said improvement into such working sections as were deemed expedient.

The said survey, maps, profiles, schedules, and reports are hereto attached and made a part hereof. My estimate of the cost of the construction of said improvement is as follows:

For construction ----- \$ 4084.50  
 For unforeseen work --- 145.10

The following fences, flood gates, culverts and bridges will be removed in constructing said improvement:

One bridge on the lands of Mary R. Chrisman and one bridge on lands of Clark Beale and flood gates at all farm lines.

I estimate the cost of inspecting the work as it progresses to be \$ 62.00

The following is an itemized bill of the costs and expenses incurred in the discharge of the aforesaid duties:

L. B. Harvey, Deputy, 8 days, a-----	\$ 48.00	
Wayne Tyler, Rodman, 4 "	12.00	
Burton Crawford, Chainman, 1 day, -----	3.00	
Dinners and auto -----	3.00	\$66.00

Respectfully submitted,  
 E. E. Harvey, County Surveyor.

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## LOCATION

Main Ditch--

Sta. 0.00	S. 49 deg.30.' E	on lands of Jas. S. Gillespie.
1.50		" " " Nathan Gillespie.
2.80	N. 67 deg. "	
3.90		on lands of Jas. S. Gillespie.
6.00	N. 75 deg.30' E	
7.80		on Road No.8
8.40	N. 82 deg. E	on lands of Caroline Emery
12.00	S. 77 deg.30' E	
13.55	S. 86 deg. "	
15.87	N. 85 deg.15' E	
20.50	N. 86 deg. E	
24.62	N. 57 deg. E	
30.00	N. 52 deg. E	
33.56	N. 75 deg.30' E	
35.00	S. 50 deg. E	
37.00	S. 88 deg.30' E	
38.00	N. 71 deg.15' E	
39.50	N. 59 deg.30' E	
40.66	N. 54 deg.45' E	
42.50	N. 72 deg. E	
44.00	N. 67 deg. E	
46.00	N. 66 deg. E	
49.00	N. 67 deg.30' E	
53.52	N.	on lands of E. B. Chrisman.
58.53	N. 65 deg. E	
59.88	N. 9 deg.30' W	
61.30		on lands of Mary R. Chrisman.
68.50	N. $\frac{1}{2}$ deg. W	
70.80	N. 36 deg.15' E	
74.70		on lands of James Redman, Jr.
77.50	N. 81 deg. E	
84.20	S. 54 deg.30' E	
87.48	S. 41 deg. E	
89.70	S. 47 deg. E	on lands of Mary R. Chrisman
93.00	S. 39 deg. E	
97.00	S. 26 deg. E	
100.50	S. 50 deg.45' E	
101.30		on road No.74
101.80		on lands of Clark Beale
105.80	N. 45 deg.30' E	
108.80	N. 76 deg.15' E	
110.30		on lands of Frank Fullerton
116.70	N. 60 deg.30' E	
118.50	N. 59 deg.30' E	

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Sta. 128.00	N. 80 deg.	E	
132.00	S. 40 deg.	E	
135.00	S. 39 deg.	E	
137.00	S. 25 deg.	E	
138.50	S. 26 deg.30'	E	
139.85			on lands of Clark Beale
141.80	S. 46 deg.30'	E	
143.80	S. 61 deg.30'	E	
144.50	S. 51 deg.	E	
146.50	S. 89 deg.	E	
148.30	S. 89 deg.	E	
153.90			on lands of McCloud Dunkin.
155.60	N. 82 deg.	E	
158.20			End at line of Frank Fullerton

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Sta. 0.00                      N. 42 deg.                      S                      to Sta. 3.42 Main Ditch.  
 All on lands of Nathan Gillespie.

ESTIMATE NO.790

Open Ditch--

Said ditch shall be constructed along the line as located by the stakes and the center shall be about 16 feet therefrom.

The ditch shall be excavated to the depth at each stake as indicated by the profile and the bottom shall be 2 feet wide true and smooth and have an even grade.

The banks shall have a slope of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  to 1 as nearly as possible to fit the new improvement in the old banks.

All loose dirt, overhanging or loose sod or stumps or debris of any kind must be removed from the ditch banks even if they do not come within the bounds therein specified.

The excavated earth to be removed back five feet from the bank slopes and spread, leaving the surface in fair condition.

The right of way shall be fifty feet on each side of the ditch; timber and other valuable property shall be preserved uninjured as far as possible.

The Surveyor and the Commissioners reserve the right to make any changes in said work they may desire and a corresponding change in the amount paid will be made according to the purchase bid. The County Surveyor shall have power when so ordered by the Commissioners to place laborers on this work at the expense of the contractor whenever the work is not properly progressing.

All old stumps on the bottom of the ditch or on the bank slopes shall be excavated and removed; and all brush and bushes shall be grubbed six inches under the completed surface of the ditch.

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SPECIFICATIONS

Said ditch and laterals shall be constructed along the line as located by the stakes and the center shall be two feet to the right thereof, except at the angles which shall be made in easy rounding curves.

The trench shall be excavated to the depth at each stake as shown by the profiles; and the bottom must be true and smooth and have a regular grade.

The tile shall be of first class and of full capacity, and laid in the bottom of the ditch in a workman like manner to make close joints; any joints large enough to let the dirt through must be covered with broken pieces of tile.

The tile shall be examined and approved by the engineer before being laid, and after being laid and fastened, they shall be left until the laying and grade is examined and approved by the Surveyor, after which the excavated earth shall be replaced over the tile.

The tile shall be of the following sizes:

Main Ditch--

Sta. 0 to Sta. 3      300 feet of 12" tile  
 "   3 "      "   8      500 " " 16" "

Lateral--

Sta. 0 to Sta. 1.5      150 feet of 10" tile

The Surveyor and Commissioners reserve the right to place material and laborers on the line of said work whenever the work is not properly progressing, and their decisions and directions on all matters pertaining to the ditch shall be final.

They further reserve the right to make any changes in labor or material and a corresponding change will be made in the amount paid for the same at the rate of the purchase bid.

E. E. Harvey, County Surveyor.  
 L. B. Harvey, Deputy.

Station	Elevation	Grade	Cut	Cu.Yds.	Remarks
0	101.25	96.00	5.25	40	Beginning 100' above outlet of 12" tile
1	101.25	95.40	5.85	40	
2	101.50	95.20	6.30	40	
3	100.89	95.00	5.89	50	
4	99.82	94.80	5.02	50	
5	97.82	94.60	3.22	40	
6	98.25	94.40	5.85	30	
7	97.50	94.20	3.30	25	
8	94.63	92.70	1.93		
8	94.63	94.00	.63	25	101.00 Elm root and nail 50' N. Sta. 8
9	98.20	92.35	5.85	50	
10	97.18	92.00	5.18	55	
11	95.92	91.65	4.27	55	
12	95.12	91.30	3.82	55	
13	95.95	90.95	5.10	50	
14	94.67	90.60	4.07	50	
15	94.44	90.25	4.19	55	
16	94.06	89.90	4.16	55	

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Station	Elevation	Grade	Cut	Cu.Yds.	Remarks
17	93.76	89.55	4.21	40	
18	92.46	89.20	3.26	40	
19	92.63	88.85	3.78	40	
20	92.66	88.50	4.16	45	
21	92.17	88.15	4.02	45	
22	90.92	87.80	3.12	50	
23	92.42	87.45	4.97	55	
24	90.78	87.10	3.78	55	94002 Nail - End Post - L
25	90.26	86.75	3.51	55	
26	90.21	86.40	3.81	55	
27	89.60	86.05	3.55	55	
28	89.17	85.70	3.47	55	
29	89.05	85.35	3.70	55	
30	88.96	85.46	3.50	50	
31	89.09	85.06	4.03	40	
32	88.99	84.66	4.33	40	
33	87.92	84.26	3.66	45	
34	89.12	83.86	5.26	50	
35	87.86	83.46	4.40	50	
36	85.80	83.06	2.74	50	
37	85.72	82.66	3.06	55	
38	87.47	82.26	5.21	55	
B	89.08			55	Top of Pin Bottom gate hinge
39	85.99	81.86	4.13	50	
40	86.44	81.46	4.98	50	
41	85.56	81.06	4.50	55	
42	85.49	80.66	4.82	55	
43	84.97	80.26	4.71	40	
44	84.73	79.86	4.87	40	
45	83.95	79.46	4.49	40	
46	83.47	<del>79.24</del>	<del>4.23</del>	45	
47	83.30	79.02	4.23	45	
48	82.97	78.90	4.07	50	
49	83.28	78.68	4.60	55	
50	83.16	78.46	4.70	55	
51	83.42	78.24	5.18	55	
52	82.47	78.02	4.45	55	
53	81.94	77.80	4.14	55	
54	80.86	77.58	3.28	55	
55	81.14	77.36	3.78	55	
56	82.81	77.14	5.67	55	
57	81.51	76.92	4.59	55	
58	79.52	76.70	2.82	55	
59	79.58	76.48	3.10	55	
60	80.00	76.26	3.74	55	
61	79.08	76.04	3.04		
B					81.59 Top of pin bottom hinge gate - R

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Station	Elevation	Grade	Cut	Cu.yds.	Remarks
62	79.43	75.82	3.61	40	
63	78.84	75.60	3.24	40	
64	78.87	75.38	3.49	40	
65	79.01	75.16	3.85	40	
66	78.81	74.94	3.87	40	
67	79.16	74.72	4.44	40	
68	78.91	74.50	4.41	40	
69	79.39	74.28	5.11	40	
70	78.22	74.06	4.16	40	
71	78.33	73.84	4.49	40	
72	78.36	73.62	4.74	40	
73	78.30	73.40	4.90	40	
74	77.17	73.18	3.99	40	
75	76.74	72.96	3.78	45	
76	76.99	72.74	4.25	55	
77	78.21	72.52	5.69	60	
78	77.08	72.36	4.72	70	
79	77.11	72.20	4.91	70	
80	75.69	72.04	3.65	70	
81	76.54	71.88	4.66	70	
82	76.87	71.72	5.15	70	
B					78.21 Nail - F. Post 30' R.
83	76.21	71.56	4.65	70	
84	76.25	71.40	4.85	75	
85	75.73	71.24	4.49	75	
86	75.31	71.08	4.23	75	
87	75.57	70.92	4.65	75	
88	75.23	70.76	4.47	70	
89	75.11	70.60	4.51	55	
90	76.19	70.44	5.75	50	
91	75.56	70.28	5.28	50	
92	75.56	70.12	5.44	50	
93	75.14	69.96	5.18	45	
94	75.86	69.80	6.06		
95	74.16	69.64	4.50	60	
96	75.19	69.48	5.71	70	
97	75.27	69.32	5.95	70	
98	74.96	69.16	5.80	70	
99	75.02	69.00	6.02	70	
100	74.02	68.84	5.18	60	
101	74.09	68.68	5.41	80	
102	72.58	68.52	4.06	60	
B				70	77.47 S.E. Wing Bridge
B					77.42 Redman road Floor.
103	73.92	68.36	5.56	70	
104	74.12	68.20	5.92	75	
105	74.38	68.04	6.34	80	

## DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

Station	Elevation	Grade	Cut	Cu.Yds.	Remarks
106	74.47	67.88	6.59	75	
107	72.76	67.72	5.04	60	
108	73.55	67.56	5.99	50	
109	73.39	67.40	5.99	50	
110	72.89	67.24	5.65	40	
111	71.61	67.08	4.53	40	
112	71.34	66.92	4.42	40	
113	70.91	66.72	4.19		
B				35	74.17 (New) B. Oak 100' L.
114	70.51	66.52	3.99	35	
115	72.08	66.32	5.76	30	
116	69.26	66.12	3.14	30	
117	70.35	65.92	4.43	30	
118	71.54	65.72	5.82	30	
119	70.40	65.52	4.88	30	
120	70.34	65.32	5.11	30	
121	70.74	65.12	5.62	45	
122	69.77	64.92	4.85	40	
123	68.69	64.72	3.97	30	
124	68.48	64.52	3.96	40	
125	67.92	64.32	3.60	40	
126	67.81	64.20	3.61	40	
127	67.93	64.00	3.93	45	
128	66.90	63.87	3.03	45	
129	68.03	63.75	4.28	45	
130	66.43	63.62	2.81	45	
131	67.26	63.50	3.76	45	
132	66.43	63.37	3.06	40	
133	66.35	63.25	3.10	40	
134	67.22	63.12	4.10	40	
135	65.83	63.00	2.83	35	
136	66.44	62.87	3.57	35	
137	66.14	62.75	3.39	35	
138	65.72	62.62	3.10	35	
139	66.25	62.50	3.75	40	
140	66.05	62.37	3.63	40	
141	66.10	62.25	3.85	40	
142	66.19	62.12	4.07	35	
143	65.70	62.00	3.70	35	
144	65.07	61.87	3.20	30	
145	64.67	61.75	2.92	30	
146	65.28	61.62	3.66	30	
147	64.54	61.50	3.04	30	
148	64.54	61.37	3.17	30	
149	64.09	61.25	2.84	30	
150	63.52	61.13	2.39	30	
151	63.27	61.00	2.27	30	

DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

Station	Elevation	Grade	Cut	Cu.Yds.	Remarks
152	62.62	59.87	2.75	20	
153	61.80	59.75	2.05	20	
154	61.58	59.62	1.86	20	
155	62.02	59.50	2.52	20	
156	61.24	59.37	1.87	20	
157	62.61	59.25	3.36	20	
158	62.87	59.12	3.75		63.57 Nail end post L.

WORKING SECTIONS

Station No.	Feet	Cu.Yd.	Blasting-Grubbing	@	Estimated Cost
-- Section No.1 --					
108 to 158	5000	1695		40¢	678.00
			Grubbing		<u>176.00</u>
			Total		\$ 854.00
-- Section No.2 --					
58 to 108	5000	2875		40¢	1150.00
			Grubbing		<u>388.00</u>
			Total		\$ 1538.00
-- Section No.3 --					
8 to 58	5000	2305		40¢	922.00
			Grubbing		<u>207.00</u>
			Total		\$ 1129.00
-- Section No.4 --					
0 to 8	800	285	Main ditch	50¢	142.50
0 to 2.42	242	65	Lateral	40¢	26.00
			Grubbing		<u>3.00</u>
			Total		\$ 171.50
-- Section No.5 --					
Furnishing tile on line of ditch		200' 10"	@ \$20		44.00
		300' 12"	25		75.00
		500' 16"	40 & one 16"x12" Y		<u>200.00</u>
			Total		\$ 319.00
-- Section No.6 --					
Building concrete head wall and apron		3.65 cu.yd.	@ \$20		<u>73.00</u>
			Grand Total		\$ 4084.50

## DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

Total cost and Assessments on each tract with Interest for five years at six percent added to pay interest on the bonds.

TOTAL COST

Section No.1, selling price	728.00
Section No.2, " "	1300.00
Section No.3 " "	1000.00
Section No.4, " "	146.00
Section No.5, " "	313.00
Section No.6, " "	65.00
Engineering, advertising, etc. paid	49.26
Engineering and expenses, not paid	<u>28.74</u>
Total -----	\$ 3630.00
Face of Bonds -----	4781.29
Interest per coupons -----	<u>742.88</u>
Total -----	\$5524.17
Amount remaining in fund -----	1202.50
Amount remaining to be paid -----	<u>102.50</u>
Balance in the fund -----	1100.00
Deducting for safety -----	<u>100.00</u>
Remainder in this fund -----	1000.00
Total amount to be raised per bonds -----	5524.17
Less surplus from bond sale -----	<u>1000.00</u>
Leaves to be raised from lands -----	\$4524.17

## DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

Owners Name	Survey	Acres Owned	Total Apportionment.
Beale Clark	7948etc	159.72	176.63
" "	"	75.86	36.37
" "	"	75.86	36.37
Burns Michael & Catherine		100.00	99.74
Chrisman Edward B.	7997 262.	262.00	263.91
Chrisman Mary R.	7948etc	75.00	563.14
Chrisman Julia	7997	165.86	465.47
" "	7948etc	6.00	14.96
" "	5889	25.00	24.94
" "	"	4.00	9.98
Corson Benjamin E.	6070	68.35	113.46
" "	13189	31.50	91.64
Crawford Burton	6070	123.00	123.64
Corson Earnest	6070	19.00	6.23
Dunkin McCloud	7467	14.00	1.25
" "	7948etc	130.00	1.66
Ellsworth John	8879	40.65	16.62
Ellsworth John	6392	135.00	112.21
" "	5899	6.82	3.74
Emery Caroline	7997	177.38	498.72
" "	7997	65.83	66.50
Fullerton Frank	7948etc	83.87	396.48
" "	"	89.00	39.07
Gillespie Edward J.	8045etc	60.78	41.56
Gillespie J. Harris	8045etc	7.20	4.16
" " "	6070	4.00	2.08
Gillespie Nathan	8824	58.00	228.58
" "	7997	14.00	9.97
Shepherd Francis M.etal	8824	46.30	194.50
" " " "	5899	15.50	51.53
" " " "	"	34.65	113.04
Mantle John	6111	54.94	14.96
" "	"	75.27	19.94
Redman James, Jr.	7984	116.75	99.74
" " "	"	112.45	467.34
Madison County			117.40
Total cost -----			\$ 4527.53

DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

In the Matter of the )  
 Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Order Fixing Time of Final Hearing on Surveyor's Reports.  
 Alice M. Redman )

Office of the Board of County Commissioners,  
 Madison County, Ohio, December 19, 1923.

Mr. Foster moved the adoption of the following

RESOLUTION

Whereas, This 19th day of December, 1923, the Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, being in special session, members present, Mr. Street, Mr. Foster and Mr. Robison, the County Auditor has given notice to us of the filing with him by the County Surveyor of the maps, profiles, schedules, and reports in the above named improvement, in accordance with our order of the 11th day of January, 1924; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the 11th day of January, 1924, at 10 o'clock A. M., be and the same is hereby fixed as the time for the final hearing on said reports and schedules, on estimated assessments, on the proceedings for the improvement, and on claims for compensation or damages which claims must be filed with the County Auditor on or before said date; and be it further

Resolved, That notice of said hearing be given as required by law.

Mr. Robison seconded the resolution and the roll being called upon its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Street, "Yes"; Mr. Foster, "Yes"; Mr. Robison, "Yes".

In the Matter of the )  
 Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Certificate of Mailing Notices.  
 Alice M. Redman )

County Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio, December 19, 1923.

I hereby certify that on the 19th day of December, 1923, I prepared and mailed, in a five-day return addressed envelope, to Clark Beale, Michael & Catherine Burns, Edward B. Chrisman, Mary R. Chrisman, Julia Chrisman, Benjamin C. Corson, Burton Crawford, Earnest Corson, McCloud Dunkin, John Ellsworth, Caroline Emery, Frank Fullerton, Edward J. Gillespie, J. Harris Gillespie, Nathan Gillespie, Francis M. Shepherd et al, John Mantle, James Redman, Jr. the following notice.

You are hereby notified that the County Surveyor filed in this office on the 19th day of December, 1923, the maps, profiles, schedules and reports in the above named improvement, and that the assessment on each tract of land owned by you, as estimated and described in said schedule, is as follows:

(See Assessment Sheet)

and you are further notified that the Board of County Commissioners of said County have fixed the 11th day of January, 1924, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of said Board, as the time and place of the final hearing by the Commissioners on the report of the Surveyor, and on the proceedings for the improvement, and that all claims for compensation or damages must be filed with the Auditor before that date.

Lamar P. Wilson,  
 Auditor of Madison County, Ohio.

In the Matter of the )  
 Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Objections to Assessments; Claims for Damages.  
 Alice M. Redman )

London, Ohio, January, 9, 1924.

To the Board of Commissioners, Madison County, Ohio:

Now comes Clark Beale and asks your board to allow him damages in the sum of \$100.00 for injury to land and land taken in the matter of the cleaning, widening and repairing of the Dunkin Ditch.

Clark Beale,

By John R. Tanner, his Attorney.

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London, Ohio, January, 11, 1924.

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

Gentlemen:

In the Matter of the assessments of the costs of the Dunkin ditch, I find my assessments are \$119.00 which I think is too high and unreasonable for the benefits received.

My lands lay at the head of the improvement and are high and rolling and not needing any special outlet further than cleaning out the dirt at the end of the tile.

Furthermore in the proposed cleanout of this ditch in 1922 I find Mr. Asher only assessed me \$37.60 which I think is about correct.

I therefore ask that you correct my assessments according to the benefits received.

Respectfully submitted,

Burton Crawford

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London, Ohio, January 11, 1923.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio:

Gentlemen:-

In the Matter of the Assessments on the Dunkin ditch, as filed by the County Surveyor and filed with the county Auditor I find I am assessed on my 31.50 acre tract \$88.20 which perhaps is not entirely unreasonable, tho very high as compared to other lands similarly situated.

But on my 68.35 acre tract which is high and rolling and not specially needing any more improvement save on a very few acres in one corner thereof I am assessed \$109.20 which I think is entirely too high, unjust and not according to the benefits derived.

On these same lands Mr. Asher assessed me \$35.00 on the 1922 proposed improvement.

I am perfectly willing to pay my full share and ask you to reduce the assessments on my lands the limits of benefits. Respectfully submitted, B. F. Corson.

## DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

In the Matter of the )  
 Single County Ditch Petitioned for by )  
 Alice M. Redman ) Commissioners' Finding Affirming Former Order, Confirming  
 the Assessments, and Ordering the Letting of the Contracts.

Office of the Board of County Commissioners,  
 Madison County, Ohio, January 11, 1924.

Mr. Foster moved the adoption of the following

## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, This day the Board of County Commissioners being in special session, present Mr. Street, Mr. Foster, and Mr. Robison, and this being the day fixed by said Board, in their order dated the 20th day of November, 1923, for the final hearing on the Reports and Schedules of the County Surveyor, on the estimated assessments, on claims for compensation or damages and on the proceedings for the improvement, and on application filed for change of route or change in the nature, kind and extent of the work proposed to be done; and

WHEREAS, We find that due and legal notice of this final hearing has been given as required by law; and

WHEREAS, Said Board has heard all the evidence offered in the proceedings and received and considered all the schedules and reports filed by the Surveyor; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That said Board review and reconsider the former order made by us dated the 20th day of November, 1923, in favor of said improvement; and be it further

RESOLVED, That we do hereby approve the maps, profiles, schedules and reports prepared by the County Surveyor; and

WHEREAS, This Board has considered the cost of location and construction, the compensation for land taken, the damages to land along or in the vicinity of the route of the improvement, the damages to land below the lower terminus of the improvement which may be caused by constructing the improvement, the sufficiency of the outlet, the benefits to the public welfare, and the special benefits to land needing the improvement, etc.; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the former order finding in favor of said improvement made by us at the first hearing on the 20th day of November, 1923, be and the same is hereby affirmed; and

WHEREAS, Objections to the proposed assessment having been filed by Clark Beale by John R. Tanner, his attorney, Burton Crawford and B. F. Corson, and the Board having heard said objections and all evidence offered for or against the assessment proposed to be levied against any owner or on any land, as shown by the schedule of assessments filed by the Surveyor and any competent evidence on the question of benefits, and from an actual view of the premises; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the assessments be and the same are hereby amended and corrected as follows, to-wit:

No damages or reductions allowed, and no changes in the assessments made; and be it further

RESOLVED, That said Surveyor's assessments as so amended and corrected be and the same are hereby approved and confirmed; and be it further

RESOLVED, That \$113.00 be and the same is hereby assessed by benefits to the general public by reason of the improvement being conducive to the public welfare, against the County and \$113.00 found to benefit State or County Roads or Highways be and the same is hereby assessed against the County, and the following sums found to benefit the following political subdivisions of the State be and the same are hereby assessed against such political subdivisions respectively; Madison County; and be it further

## DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

RESOLVED; That five years shall be the period of time, in semi-annual installments, as taxes, are paid, given the owners of land benefited, to pay the assessments that may be made for the improvement; and that bonds of said County shall be issued and sold in anticipation of the collection of said assessments bearing the rate of six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually (G.C.6460); \$4781.29 of said bonds shall be sold upon popular subscription; and be it further,

RESOLVED, Interest shall be added to said installments of assessments at the same rate as is drawn by the bonds issued to pay for said improvement; provided any owner may pay the assessment on his land in cash within thirty days after the contracts are approved; and such assessments are levied, without paying any interest thereon; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the 19th day of February, 1924, at 10 o'clock A. M., be and the same is hereby fixed as the time for letting the contracts for the construction of the proposed improvement, and that the County Surveyor be and he is hereby directed to let the contracts for the construction of the proposed improvement; and be it further

RESOLVED, That, the County Surveyor be and he is hereby directed to give at least two weeks' public notice as required by law of the time when and the place where bids will be received for furnishing any material for the improvement, or for the construction of the improvement, or any part thereof, and in case manufactured material is required for the construction of the improvement, the Surveyor is hereby directed to send copies of the notice by mail to dealers and manufacturers, and all bids shall be received at the office of the County Auditor; and be it further

RESOLVED, That, whereas the estimated cost of the construction and material required in said improvement exceeds one thousand dollars, the notice of said letting be given by posting at the front door of the county court house, and by advertising; and be it further

RESOLVED, That said County Surveyor be and he is hereby directed to attend at said time and place so advertised by him and receive all bids submitted; and be it further

RESOLVED, That authority be and the same is hereby given to said County Surveyor to receive bids by public outcry, instead of sealed bids, such bids being taken separately for work and for material, and in accordance with the requirements of Sec.6481G.C.

Mr. Robison seconded the resolution and the roll being called on its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Street, "Yes"; Mr. Foster, "Yes"; Mr. Robison, "Yes".

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Resolution to issue bonds in the sum of \$4781.29 recorded in Journal 16, page 154 under date of January 11, 1924.

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## DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

In the Matter of the )  
 Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Contracts Awarded.  
 Alice M. Redman )

County Surveyor's Office, February 19, 1924.

To the Board of County Commissioners:

The following is the tabulated results of the sealed bids received on the Dunkin Ditch:

I recommend that you accept the following bids:

Section No.1	John Geer	\$728.00
Section No.2	John Geer	1300.00
Section No.3	John Geer	1000.00
Section No.4	Allen Alexander	146.50
Section No.5	Madison Tile Co.	313.00
Section No.6	C. R. Alkire	65.00

Respectfully,

E. E. Harvey,

County Surveyor.

It was moved by Mr. Robison and seconded by Mr. Foster that the contracts be and the same are hereby awarded as recommended above.

The roll being called, the vote resulted as follows:

G. A. Street, "Yes"; Charles Foster, "Yes"; W. S. Robison, "Yes".

DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

Commissioners' Office, March 24, 1924.

In the Matter of the )  
 Single County Ditch Petitioned for by ) Commissioners' Order Approving Contracts and Bonds and  
 Alice M. Redman ) Levying Assessments.

CONTRACT AND BOND OF JOHN GEER

It is hereby certified by Elmer E. Harvey the duly appointed Engineer, of said improvement, that after legal notice of sale, he has this day sold to John Geer Contractor the work of Constructing Sections Nos.1,2 & 3 of said Ditch for the sum of (\$3028.00) Three Thousand and Twenty-eight Dollars, which work the said contractor hereby agrees to complete according to SPECIFICATIONS of the same under the supervision of the Engineer and to the acceptance of said Engineer and the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, on or before the 1st day of July, 1924.

And it is further agreed and expressly understood that in case the said Contractor shall fail to complete said work by the time hereinbefore named, then the said work may be re-estimated and re-sold by the Engineer or completed by said Engineer at the expense of the Contractor and Bondsmen according to law.

And the said Contractor shall further be liable for all delays after the expiration of the time named above for the completion of the work and for the payment of all damages which may accrue by reason of the failure to complete the work within the time aforesaid.

The Contractor will be required to give the work personal attention, and shall make no Sub-contracts which shall transfer the Supervision of any part of the work of constructing said Ditch Improvement, without the written consent of the Engineer.

Provided this contract shall be of no force or effect until approved by the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

E. E. Harvey, Engineer. John Geer, Contractor.

BOND

Know all men by these presents: That John Geer as principal and James Geer and R. E. Willard as sureties, are held and bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Madison County in the penal sum of (\$3521.00) Thirty-five Hundred Twenty-one Dollars, for the payment of which we jointly and severally bind ourselves by these presents this 20th day of February, 1924.

The condition of this obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Geer has this day bid off the work of constructing Sections Nos.1,2 & 3 of the Dunkin Ditch No.790, and has entered into the above contract, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

Now, if the said Contractor shall well and truly perform the obligations of said contract, and complete the work within the time fixed therein, and pay all damages which may occur by reason of a failure to complete the same as agreed upon in said contract, and pay for all labor and material and for all debts incurred for these Sections, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to be in full force and effect in law.

This bond approved as to form,  
 H. H. Crabbe, Prosecuting Attorney. John Geer  
 James Geer

This Contract and Bond are hereby approved this 17th day of March, 1924.

G. A. Street ) Commissioners  
 Chas. Foster ) of  
 W.S. Robison ) Madison County.

## DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

## CONTRACT OF ALLEN ALEXANDER

It is hereby certified by Elmer E. Harvey the County Surveyor of said County, that after legal notice of sale, he has this day sold to Allen Alexander Contractor the work of constructing Section No.4 of said Ditch for the sum of (\$146.50) One Hundred Forty-six & 50/100 Dollars, which work the said Contractor hereby agrees to complete according to SPECIFICATIONS of the same under the supervision of the County Surveyor and to the acceptance of said Surveyor and the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, on or before the 1st day of May, 1924.

And it is further agreed and expressly understood that in case the said Contractor shall fail to complete said work by the time herein before named, then the said work may be re-established and resold by the Surveyor or completed by said Surveyor as ordered by the County Commissioners at the expense of the contractor and bonds men, according to law.

And the said Contractor shall further be liable for all delays after the expiration of the time named above for the completion of the work and for the payment of all damages which may accrue by reason of the failure to complete the work within the time aforesaid.

The Contractor will be required to give the work personal attention and shall make no Sub-contracts which shall transfer the Supervision of any part of the work of constructing said Ditch Improvement, without the written consent of the Surveyor.

Provided this contract shall be of no force or effect until approved by the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

E. E. Harvey,  
County Surveyor.

Allen Alexander,  
Contractor.

## BOND

Know all men by these presents: That Allen Alexander as principal and James Ford, O. J. Glaze and Elmer E. Baughn as sureties, are held and bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Madison County, in the penal sum of (\$171.50) One Hundred Seventy-one & 50/100 Dollars, for the payment of which we jointly and severally bind ourselves by these presents this 19th day of February, 1924.

The condition of this obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Allen Alexander has this day bid off the work of constructing Section No.4 of the Dunkin Ditch No.790 and has entered into the above contract, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

Now, if said Contractor shall well and truly perform the obligations of said contract, and complete the work within the time fixed therein and pay all damages which may occur by reason of a failure to complete the same as agreed upon in said contract, and pay for all labor and material and for all debts incurred for this Section, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to be in full force and effect in law.

Allen Alexander,

This bond approved as to form,

James Ford

H. H. Crabbe, Prosecuting Attorney,

O. J. Glaze,

Elmer E. Baughn

This contract and bond are hereby approved this 17th day of March, 1924.

G. A. Street ) Commissioners  
Charles Foster } of  
W. S. Robison } Madison County, Ohio.

## DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

## CONTRACT OF THE MADISON TILE CO.

It is hereby certified by E. E. Harvey the County Surveyor of said County, that after legal notice of sale, he has this day sold to The Madison Tile Co., Contractor the work of constructing Section No.5 of said Ditch for the sum of (\$313.00) Three Hundred Thirteen Dollars, which work the said contractor hereby agrees to complete according to SPECIFICATIONS of the same under the supervision of the County Surveyor and to the acceptance of said Surveyor and the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, on or before the 1st of April, 1924.

And it is further agreed and expressly understood that in case the said Contractor shall fail to complete said work by the time herein before named, then the said work may be re-established and resold by the Surveyor or completed by said Surveyor as ordered by the County Commissioners at the expense of the contractor and bondsmen, according to law.

And the said Contractor shall further be liable for all delays after the expiration of the time named above for the completion of the work and for the payment of all damages which may accrue by reason of the failure to complete the work within the time aforesaid.

The Contractor will be required to give the work personal attention and shall make no Sub-contracts which shall transfer the Supervision of any part of the work of constructing said Ditch Improvement, without the written consent of the Surveyor.

Provided this contract shall be of no force or effect until approved by the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

E. E. Harvey,  
County Surveyor.

The Madison Tile Co., per Harry Van Cleve,  
Contractor.

## BOND

Know all men by these presents: That The Madison Tile Co. as principal and Harry Van Cleve and H. B. Welsh as sureties, are held and bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Madison County, in the penal sum of (\$318.00) Three Hundred Eighteen Dollars, for the payment of which we jointly and severally bind ourselves by these presents this 19th day of February, 1924.

The condition of this obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Madison Tile Co. has this day bid off the work of constructing Section No.5 of the Dunkin Ditch No.790, and has entered into the above contract, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

Now, if said Contractor shall well and truly perform the obligations of said contract, and complete the work within the time fixed therein and pay all damages which may occur by reason of a failure to complete the same as agreed upon in said contract, and pay for all labor and material and for all debts incurred for this Section, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to be in full force and effect in law.

The Madison Tile Co., per H.V.C.

Harry Van Cleve

H. B. Welsh

This bond approved as to form, H. H. Crabbe, Prosecuting Attorney.

This contract and bond are hereby approved this 17th day of March, 1924.

G. A. Street, )  
Charles Foster ) Commissioners  
W. S. Robison ) of  
Madison County, Ohio.

## DUNKIN DITCH IMPROVEMENT

## CONTRACT OF C. R. ALKIRE

It is hereby certified by Elmer E. Harvey the County Surveyor of said County, that after legal notice of sale, he has this day sold to C. R. Alkire Contractor the work of constructing Section No.6 of said Ditch for the sum of (\$65.00) Sixty-five Dollars, which work the said contractor hereby agrees to complete according to SPECIFICATIONS of the same under the supervision of the County Surveyor and to the acceptance of said Surveyor and the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, on or before the 1st day of July, 1924.

And it is further agreed and expressly understood that in case the said Contractor shall fail to complete said work by the time herein before named, then the said work may be re-established and resold by the Surveyor or completed by said Surveyor as ordered by the County Commissioners at the expense of the contractor and bondsmen, according to law.

And the said Contractor shall further be liable for all delays after the expiration of the time named above for the completion of the work and for the payment of all damages which may accrue by reason of the failure to complete the work within the time aforesaid.

The Contractor will be required to give the work personal attention and shall make no Sub-contracts which shall transfer the Supervision of any part of the work of constructing said Ditch Improvement, without the written consent of the Surveyor.

Provided this contract shall be of no force or effect until approved by the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

E. E. Harvey,  
County Surveyor.

C. R. Alkire,  
Contractor.

## BOND

Know all men by these presents: That C. R. Alkire as principal and Emma E. Alkire and Henry Smith as sureties, are held and bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Madison County, in the penal sum of (\$73.00) Seventy-three Dollars, for the payment of which we jointly and severally bind ourselves by these presents this 19th day of February, 1924.

The condition of this obligation is such, that whereas the above bound C.R. Alkire has this day bid off the work of constructing Section No.6 of the Dunkin Ditch No.790 and has entered into the above contract, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

Now, if said Contractor shall well and truly perform the obligations of said contract, and complete the work within the time fixed therein and pay all damages which may occur by reason of a failure to complete the same as agreed upon in said contract, and pay for all labor and material and for all debts incurred for this Section, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to be in full force and effect in law.

C. R. Alkire  
Emma E. Alkire  
Henry Smith

This bond approved as to form, H. H. Crabbe, Prosecuting Attorney.

This contract and bond are hereby approved this 17th day of March, 1924.

G. A. Street, ) Commissioners  
Charles Foster, ) of  
W.S. Robison ) Madison County, Ohio.

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Mr. Foster moved the adoption of the following

## RESOLUTION

Whereas, This day the Board of County Commissioners being in regular session, present, Street, Foster and Robison, and the County Surveyor has filed with this Board the contracts and bonds for the work of construction and furnishing material in the above named improvement petitioned for by Alice Redman and others; therefore be it

Resolved, That said contracts and bonds be and the same are hereby approved; and be it further

Resolved, That the County Auditor be and he is hereby directed to record said contracts and bonds in the Commissioners' Journal; and be it further

Resolved, That the County Auditor be and he is hereby directed to reduce pro rata the assessments previously confirmed by this Board, by the difference between the estimated cost of the construction and the contract price; and be it further

Resolved, that the assessments so reduced, but with the cost of the location included therein, be and the same are hereby levied upon each parcel of land stated in the schedules as of the date of this order; and be it further

Resolved, That the County Auditor be and he is hereby directed to place said assessments so levied upon the Duplicates of the County, making and furnishing the Treasurer of said County a special Duplicate with the assessments arranged thereon in semi-annual installments as provided in our former order adopted the 11th day of January, 1924.

Mr. Robison seconded the Resolution and the roll being called upon its adoption, the vote resulted as follows:

Mr. Street, "Yes"; Mr. Foster, "Yes"; Mr. Robison, "Yes".

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Bonds in the sum of \$4781.29 sold to London Exchange Bank, and recorded on Journal Volume 16, page 236, under date of April 15, 1924.

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