

The Stuckey Ditch Improvement.

DITCH PETITION.

West Jefferson, Ohio, October 1st, A.D.1913, Petition for location, construction and tiling of a Ditch.

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

The undersigned owners of lots and land which will be drained or benefited by the improvement herein prayed for, hereby make application to your honorable body, and now file with the Auditor of said County, this, their petition, and now and hereby pray for the location, construction and tiling of a ditch on the route hereinafter set forth.

The necessity for and the benefits of the improvement so prayed for is that it will drain and reclaim the lands along the line thereof and adjacent thereto, and will promote the public health, convenience and welfare.

The following is the beginning, route and termini of said proposed improvement, to-wit; Commencing on the North side of the West Jefferson & Lilly Chapel Pike at Twin Street in Town of West Jefferson, thence in a south easterly direction through the lands of Martin Keuhner, Sr., Arabella Gregg, Minerva Jones and D.R. Sidner and terminating in what called the tail race next to Little Darby Creek.

Your petitioners also ask for the location, construction and tiling of all necessary laterals.

The Names of all Persons and Corporations, either public or private, who in the opinion of the petitioners are in any way affected or benefited thereby are as follows: D.R.Sidner, Frank Wright, Jacob High, Rebecca Alder, Hattie evans, Josephine Violet, T.C. Gregg, Frank Douglass, Wm. Booth, Missouri Culp, Ruth T. Stuckey, Arabella Gregg, M.Kuehner estate, Board of Education, Mrs. Owen Harbage, Geo. Ridgeway, Mrs. Delilah Truitt, Carrie Smith, Frank Olney, Asa Carter, Abigail Smith, Susan Lombard, Louisa Hann, Bruce Paul Jones, Village of West Jefferson, James Quinn.

FILED
OCT. 18, 1913,
H.M. CHANEY,
Auditor.

Ruth T. Stuckey
F. M. Douglass
T.C.Gregg, Atty.& Fact.)
J. W. Booth)
Petitioners.

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PETITIONER'S BOND.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That Ruth T. Stuckey as principal, and E.H. Stuckey andas sureties, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio in the penal sum of Two hundred Dollars, good and lawful money, for which we bind ourselves, and our heirs, executors and administrators.

Signed by us and dated this 1st day of October, A.D. 1913.

The condition of the above obligation is such, nevertheless, that, whereas, on the day of19...., the above bounden Ruth T. Stuckey et al., made application to the Commissioners of Madison County, and on said day filed with the Auditor of said County his petition for location, construction and tiling of a ditch in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, on the following route and termini, to-wit: Commencing on the north side of the West Jefferson and Lilly Chapel Pike at Twin Street in the village of West Jefferson; thence in a south easterly direction through the lands of Martin Kuehner, Sr., Arabella Gregg, Minerva Jones and D.R.Sidner, and terminating in what is called the Tail Race next to Little Darby Creek. Your petitioners also ask for the location, construction and tiling of all necessary laterals.

Now if the above bounden Ruth T. Stuckey shall pay all costs, if the prayer of said petition be not granted, or if for any other cause the same shall be dismissed, then this obligation shall be void.

The above bond and the sureties thereon are approved by me this 18th day of October, 1913.

H.M.Chaney,
County Auditor.

FILED
OCT. 18, 1913,
H.M. CHANEY,
Auditor.

Ruth T. Stuckey
E. H. Stuckey
M. S. Murray

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NOTICE TO COMMISSIONERS.

OF PETITION FILED AND TIME FOR HEARING.

Office of Auditor of Madison County, O., October 18, A.D. 1913.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of said County:

GENTLEMEN: You are hereby notified that a petition and bond for a ditch improvement has been filed in this office on the 18th day of October, 1913, a copy of which petition is attached below; and as required by law I have fixed the 11 day of Nov. 1913, at 10 o'clock A.M., at the beginning of said proposed ditch described in said petition, for your hearing of said matter.

H. M. Chaney, Auditor.

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COPY OF DITCH PETITION .

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

The undersigned owners of lots and land which will be drained or benefited by the improvement herein prayed for, hereby make application to your honorable body, and now file with the Auditor of said County, this, their petition, and now and hereby pray for the location, construction and tiling of a ditch on the route hereinafter set forth.

The necessity for and the benefits of the improvement so prayed for is that it will drain and reclaim the lands along the line thereof and adjacent thereto, and will promote the public health, convenience and welfare.

The following is the beginning, route and termini of said proposed improvement, to-wit: Commencing on the north side of the West Jefferson & Lilly Chapel Pike at Twin Street in the town of West Jefferson; thence in a south-easterly direction through the lands of Martin Keuhner, Sr., Arabella Gregg, Minerva Jones and D.R. Sidner and terminating in what is called the tail race next to Little Darby Creek.

Your petitioners also ask for the location, construction and tiling of all necessary laterals.

The Names of all Persons and Corporations, either public or private, who in the opinion of the petitioners are in any way affected or benefited thereby are as follows:

D.R. Sidner, Frank Wright, Jacob High, Rebecca Alder, Hattie Evans, Josephine Violet, T.C. Gregg, Frank Douglass, Wm. Booth, Missouri Culp, Ruth T. Stuckey, Arabella Gregg, M. Kuehner estate, Board of Education, Mrs. Owen Harbage, Geo. Ridgeway, Mrs. Delilah Truitt, Carrie Smith, Frank Olney, Asa Carter, Abigail Smith, Susan Lombard, Louisa Hamm, Bruce Paul Jones, Village of West Jefferson, James Quinn.

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OCT. 18, 1913,
H.M. CHANEY,
Auditor.

Ruth T. Stuckey)
F. M. Douglass)
T.C. Gregg, Atty. in Fact) Petitioners.
J.W. Booth)

I Hereby Certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a Ditch Petition filed in my office on the 18th day of October, 1913, H.M. Chaney, County Auditor.

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See Commissioners' Journal entry, Vol. 12, page 258, Petition and Bond filed and time fixed for view . . .

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The Stuckey Ditch Improvement.

Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio.

October 20, A.D. 1913.

In the matter of Ditch Improvement No...)

Petitioned for by Ruth T. Stuckey, et al.) Notice to Lot or Land Owners.

To the Lot or Land Owners and to the Corporations, either Public or Private, affected by said Improvement:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that on the 18th day of October, 1913, Ruth T. Stuckey and others, filed a petition with the Auditor of Madison County, the prayer of which is for the location, construction and tiling of a Ditch on the following starting route and terminus, to-wit: Commencing on the North side of the West Jefferson & Lilly Chapel Pike at Twin Street in the town of West Jefferson; thence in a south-easterly direction through the lands of Martin Kuehner, Sr., Arabella Gregg, Minerva Jones and D.R. Sidner and terminating in what is called the tail race next to Little Darby Creek.

Your petitioners also ask for the location, construction and tiling of all necessary laterals.

You are also notified that the following time and place have been fixed when and where the Commissioners of said County will meet for the hearing of said petition, to-wit: Tuesday, November 11th, 1913, at 10 o'clock A.M., at the beginning of said proposed ditch improvement for the purpose of hearing any and all proof offered by any of the parties affected by said ditch improvement, whether the said ditch will be conducive to the public health, convenience and welfare; and whether the route described is the best route; and any and all objections to said proposed ditch improvement.

Any application for compensation or damage, or for any change of route, must be in writing and filed with the Commissioners on or before the day set for hearing.

No further notice of any proceedings in this matter will be given.

H.M.Chaney Auditor of Madison County.

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Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio.

October 27th, A.D. 1913.

THE STATE OF OHIO,)
Madison County, ss.)

PROOF OF PERSONAL NOTICE.

On this 27th day of October, 1913, personally came James Minshall who being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that on the days hereinafter named, he served the annexed notice on the persons hereinafter named, by delivering to each person opposite whose name appears "D" a true copy of the annexed notice; and on those opposite whose name appears "R" by leaving the same at their usual place of residence.

Name of person served	WHEN SERVED.	NAME OF PERSON SERVED.	WHEN SERVED.
D. R. Sidner	D Oct. 23 th , 1913.	By Howard Johnson, Clerk. Board of Education	D Oct. 23 th , 1913.
Frank Wright	D " " "	Mrs. Owen Harbage	D " " "
Jacob High	D " " "	Geo. Ridgeway	D " " "
Rebecca Alder	R " " "	Mrs. Delilah Truitt	D " " "
Hattie Evans	D " " "	Carrie Smith	D " " "
Josephine Violet	D " " "	Frank Olney	R " " "
T. C. Gregg	D " " "	Asa Carter	D " " "
Frank Douglass	D " " "	Susan Lombard	D " " "
Wm. Booth	D " " "	Louisa Hann	D " " "
Missouri Culp	D " " "	Bruce Paul Jones	D " " "
Ruth T. Stuckey	D " " "	By Howard Johnson, Clerk. Village of West Jefferson	D " " "
Arabella Gregg	D " " "	James Quinn	R " " "
By C.F. Kuehner, Exc. M. Kuehner estate.	D " " "		

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and further this deponent saith not.

James Minshall

Sworn to by James Minshall before me, and by him subscribed in my presence this 27th day of October, 1913.

Ella Blizzard, Deputy County Auditor.

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The State of Ohio, Madison County, ss:

I, R.K. SHAW, do solemnly swear that I am proprietor of THE LONDON TIMES, a newspaper printed and published and of general circulation throughout Madison County, Ohio, and that the original notice, a true copy of which is hereto annexed, was published in said newspaper on the 23rd day of October, A.D. 1913.

R.K. Shaw

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 28th day of Oct. A.D. 1913.

Filed Oct. 28th, 1913.

Ella Blizzard

H.M. Chaney,
County Auditor.

Deputy County Auditor.

Printer's Fees, \$....

DITCH NOTICE.

Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio.

October 20, 1913.

Notice to Non-resident Lot or Land Owners.

In the matter of Ditch Improvement petitioned for by Ruth T. Stuckey et al. To the Lot or Land Owners and to the Corporations, either Public or Private, affected by Improvement:

You, and each of you, are hereby notified that on the 18th day of October, 1913, Ruth T. Stuckey and others, filed a petition with the Auditor of Madison County, Ohio, the prayer of which is for the location, construction and tiling of a ditch on the following starting point, route and terminus, to-wit:

Commencing on the north side of the West Jefferson and Lilly Chapel pike at Twin street in the town of West Jefferson; thence in a southeasterly direction through the lands of Martin Keuhner, Sr., Arabella Gregg, Minerva Jones and D.F. Sidner and terminating in what is called the tail race next to Little Darby Creek.

Your petitioners also ask for the location, construction and tiling of all necessary laterals.

You are also notified that the following time and place have been fixed when and where the Commissioners of said county will meet for the hearing of said petition, to-wit: Tuesday, November 11, 1913, at 10 o'clock a.m. at the beginning of said proposed ditch improvement for the purpose of hearing any and all proof offered by any of the parties affected by said ditch improvement, whether the said ditch will be conducive to the public health, convenience and welfare; and whether the route described is the best route; and any and all objections to said proposed ditch improvement.

Any application for compensation or damage, or for any change of route, must be in writing and filed with the Commissioners on or before the day set for hearing.

No further notice of any proceedings in this matter will be given.

H. M. CHANEY

Oct. 23, 1913.

Auditor of Madison County.

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See Commissioners' Journal entry, Vol-12, page 275, Adjourned Hearing on Petition.

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See Commissioners' Journal entry, Vol.12,page 276 Commissioners' Finding on Petition.

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Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio.

Dec.16th, A.D.1913.

In the matter of Ditch Improvement No..)

Petitioned for by Ruth T. Stuckey .) Report and Schedules of Engineer.

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

The undersigned Engineer, in obedience to the direction of your Honorable Body, made on the 12th day of November, 1913, has proceeded in the above matter, and has made a level and survey of the line of said proposed ditch improvement, and set a stake at every hundred feet numbering down stream; and I have made a note of the intersections of lines and boundaries of lands, land marks, bench marks, and I herewith make report of the same, with profile, and plat and an estimate of the number of the cubic yards of earth or other substance to be removed, and the cost per cubic yard for each working section on said report indicated.

I have also made, and return herewith, a schedule of all the lots and lands, together with the name of the owners that will be benefited by said improvement; and an apportionment of the cost of location and construction, in money, to each lot and tract of land, according to the benefits which will result to each from the said improvement; and a specification of the manner in which the improvement shall be made and completed; and such other matters as the undersigned deems important. The said survey, level reports and schedules are hereunto attached and made a part hereof.

The following is an itemized cost bill, made by me, in the proper discharge of my duty, under your order.

H. L. McCafferty	Engineer	5 1/2 days, at	\$5.00 per day,	\$27.50
Gideon T. Clark, Jr.	"	5 "	\$5.00 " "	\$25.00
Jesse Paine, -	Chainman	1 "	\$2.00 " "	\$ 2.00
Seymour Murphy	"	1 "	\$2.00 " "	\$ 2.00
J. I. Goldsberry	Axman	1 "	\$2.00 " "	\$ 2.00
Fletcher Busick	"	1 "	\$2.00 " "	\$ 2.00
Other Expenses.				
H. L. McCafferty,	Expenses			4.65
William Baber,	Livery			1.50
J. H. Irwin,	Stakes			<u>1.89</u>
				\$68.54

The foregoing Cost Bill allowed by us19.....

) H.L. McCafferty, Engineer.

) County Commissioners.

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REPORT OF ENGINEER.				SLOPE.			CUBIC YARDS.		SCHEDULE "A".
Stationing down stream	Surface Elevation	Grade Elevation	Total fall from station 0	Entire Depth	width on Bottom	width on Top		Course and Distance.	
<u>Main Ditch.</u>									
B	100.00							Top.Sto.cor.Twin & Chapel Sts.	
0	96.91								
1	96.34	91.00		5.34				1 - 2 - S. 52° E.	
2	94.75	89.00	2.00	5.76				2 - 7 - S. 19° E.	
3	93.86	88.00		5.86					
4	93.96	87.00	4.00	6.96				4+37-Line of Kuehner's Add. and Minerva Jones.	
5	93.26	86.85		6.41					
+50	92.71	86.77		5.94					
6	92.46	86.70		5.76					
7	92.71	86.55		5.96				7- 15+30- S. 38° E. Burr Oak on Left.	
B	92.79								
8	94.26	86.40		7.86					
9	93.44	86.25		7.19					
10	92.49	86.10		6.39				10+15 = Line Between Minerva Jones and D.R. Sidner.	
+60	91.82	86.01		5.81					
11	91.56	85.95		5.61					
12	92.68	85.80		6.88					
13	92.76	85.65		7.11					
14	90.46	85.50	5.50	4.96					
15	87.05	82.75		4.30					
+30	86.95	81.93		5.02				15+30- 17+48 - S. 19° E.	
16	84.08	80.00	11.00	4.08					
17	81.64	77.64	13.36	4.00					
B	83.84	77.00	14.00	2.38				Concrete base of gate post on ^{Right}	
+48	79.38	76.00	15.00	3.38	2.00	12.14		17+48- 18- S. 10° E. End of Tile	
18	78.03	75.00		3.03	2.00	11.09	20	18- 18+55 - S. 22° E.	
+55	73.88	74.00	17.00	--	2.00	2.00	10	Ave. Cut = 5.75'	
<u>Lateral No. 1 @ Sta. 5+50 Right.</u>									
0	93.96	90.00		3.96				All on Minerva Jones.	
1+04	92.71	89.21	0.79	3.50				Ave. Cut = 3.73' - 0-1+04- S. 86° E.	
<u>Lateral No. 2 @ Sta. 8 Left.</u>									
0	98.86	94.00		4.46				0- 1+94 - S. 30' W.	
1	95.76	90.50	3.50	5.26					
+94	93.24	89.50	4.50	3.74				1+94- 4+03½ - S. 38° 30' W.	
3	93.33	89.30		4.03				2+38 = So. Line Gregg Add.	
4	94.13	89.10		5.03					
+03½	94.26	89.09	4.91	5.17				Ave. Cut = 4.61'	
<u>Lateral No. 1 of No. 2 @ Sta. 1+94 Left.</u>									
0	98.06	92.00		6.06				0-1- S. 35° W.	
1	93.24	89.75	2.25	3.49				Ave. Cut. 4.75'	

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REPORT OF ENGINEER.

SLOPE.

SCHEDULE "A"

Stake every 100 feet numbered down stream.	Surface Elevation.	Grade Elevation.	Total fall from station 0.	Entire Depth.	Course and Distances.
<u>Lateral No. 3 @ Sta. 10+60 Left.</u>					
0	98.44	94.00 -2.40		4.44	0- 4+82. - S. 3° E.
1	97.12	91.60 -0.20	2.40	5.52	
2	96.10	91.40		4.70	
3	96.20	91.20		5.00	3+78 = Line of Gregg & Sidner's Add.
B	97.30				Elm on Right.
4	95.59	91.00 -3.40	3.00	4.59	
+82	92.80	88.21		4.59	4+82 - 6+40 - S. 52° 30' W.
5	92.40	87.60 -0.20	6.40	4.80	
6	91.87	87.40		4.47	
+40	91.86	87.32		4.54	6+40- 6+68- S. 37° W.
+68	91.82	87.23	6.77	4.59	Ave. Cut = 4.72'

<u>Lateral No. 1 of No. 3 at Sta. 1 Left.</u>					
0	98.12				
1	99.54	94.00 -1.50		5.54	1- 2+06 - N. 3° W.
2+06	97.60	92.50 -0.50	1.50	5.10	2+06 - 3+30 - S. 87° W.
3	97.79	92.00		5.79	
+30	97.12	91.85	2.15	5.27	Ave. Cut = 5.40'

<u>Lateral No. 1 of No. 1 of No. 3 at Sta. 2+06 Left.</u>					
0	99.52	94.00 -0.75		5.52	0 - 1+35 = S. 3° E.
1	98.87	93.25		5.62	
+35	97.60	93.00	1.00	4.60	Ave. Cut = 5.15'

<u>Lateral No. 2 of No. 3 @ Sta. 4+82 Left.</u>					
0	97.17	92.00 -1.70		5.17	0 - 0+78 = S. 29° E.
+78	95.00	90.67		4.33	0+78 - 2+73½ = S. 72° W.
1	94.72	90.30		4.42	
2	92.10	88.60 -0.20	3.40	3.50	
+73½	92.80	88.40	3.60	4.40	Average Cut = 4.35'

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Specifications.

The Main Ditch from Sta. 17+48 to Sta. 1 is to be tiled with the following sized tile.

Sta. 17+48 to Sta. 10+60 --15" tile.

" 10+60 " " 2 --12" "

" 2 " " 1 --10" "

Lateral No. 1 to be tiled with 6" tile.

" " 2 " " " 10" " from Sta. 4+3 $\frac{1}{2}$ to Sta. 1+94; with 6" tile from Sta. 1+94 to Sta. 0.

Lat. No. 1 of No. 2 to be tiled with 6" tile.

" " 3 " " " 12" " from Sta. 6+68 to Sta. 4+82; with 10" tile from Sta. 4+82 to Sta. 1, and with 8" tile from Sta. 1 to Sta. 0.

Lateral No. -1 of No. 3 to be tiled with 8" tile.

" " 1 to No. 1 of No. 3 to be tiled with 8" tile.

" " 2 of No. 3 to be tiled with 10" tile, from Sta. 2+73 $\frac{1}{2}$ to Sta. 1; and with 8" tile from Sta. 1 to Sta. 0.

The Main Ditch from Sta. 17+48 to Sta. 18+55 to be made an open ditch 2' wide in the bottom with side slopes of 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1. The excavated material therefrom to be used above the bulkhead in filling over the tile so far as may be necessary.

Tile.

All tile to be first class, cylindrical, well burned drain tile, to be delivered upon the line of the ditch 100' of tile to each 100' of ditch, each size in its proper place and to be delivered in lots as needed. Any time lost by the contractor for construction, caused by delay in delivering or improper delivery of tile, will be estimated and allowed to the contractor so delayed and charged to the tile contract at the time of settlement. There will be furnished by the tile contractor:

17- 8" Ys; 14-10" Ys; 10- 12" Ys and 2- 15" Ys to be first class vitrified sewer pipe and each Y to be delivered at its proper location on the ditch; and failure to do so at the proper time will be cause for damages against the tile contract by the contractor for construction provided he be delayed in the prosecution of his work.

Construction.

The ditches must be cut fully down to grade line and be made to conform to the gradients shown on the profile. All tile to be carefully laid and jointed within $\frac{1}{4}$ " inch. No dirt to be placed over the tile until after they have been inspected by the Engineer unless otherwise ordered. The contractor to put in place all Ys, connect all laterals either old or new, deaden all green timber standing nearer than 20' of any of said ditches and to fill the trenches with all excavated material therefrom.

Bulkhead.

At Sta. 17+48 there will be constructed a concrete bulkhead 30' long 8' high and 2' wide at bottom and 1' wide on top, to have spillway of size to be indicated by the Engineer. Also a concrete apron 6' X 4' X 1' and two side protection walls 6' X 3' X 1', all of said concrete to be composed of 1 part Portland Cement and 5 parts clean, sharp, medium coarse gravel, mixed and deposited as the Engineer will direct at the time of doing the work.

The contractors for all parts of this work to be held responsible for loss or damage to persons or property and are required to safeguard themselves as well as the public by the erection of suitable barricades and danger signals.

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Report of Engineer.

Schedule AA.

Statement of Working Sections of the Ruth T. Stuckey Ditch.

No. of Working Sections	No. of Stakes From.	To.	No. of Lined Feet.		Price Per Yard	Amount.
1	18.55	1	1755.			
	1 to 2		6.06 rods 10" tile		\$1.20	\$ 7.27
	2 "	10.60	52.12 " 12" "		1.60	83.39
	10.60"	17.48	41.70 " 15" "		2.65	110.50
	99.87 rods Exc. (5.75)	@			2.00	199.74
	30 CU. Yds.		open ditch		.20	6.00
	16 "		Bulkhead			98.00
			Hauling dirt to cover tile			7.50
						\$512.40
	<u>Lateral No. 1.</u>					
			6.30 rods 6" tile		.50¢	3.15
	6.30 rods Exc. (3.73)				.50¢	3.15
						6.30
	<u>Lateral No. 2.</u>					
	11.76 rods		6 inch tile		.50	5.88
	12.69 "	10 "	" "		1.20	15.23
	24.45 "		Exc. (4.61)		1.00	24.45
						\$45.56
	<u>Lateral No. 1 of No. 2.</u>					
	6.06 rods		6 inch tile		.50	3.03
	6.06 "		Exc. (4.25)		1.00	6.06
						\$ 9.09
	<u>Lateral No. 3.</u>					
	6.06 rods		8 inch tile		.75	4.54
	23.15 "	10 "	" "		1.20	27.78
	11.27 "	12 "	" "		1.60	18.03
	40.48 "		Exc. (4.72)			40.48
						\$90.83
	<u>Lateral No. 1 of 3.</u>					
	20 rods.		8 inch tile		.75	15.00
	20 "		Exc. (5.40)		1.25	25.00
						40.00
	<u>Lateral No. 1 of 1 of 3.</u>					
	8.20 rods		8 inch tile		.75	6.15
	8.20 "		Exc. (5.15)		1.25	10.25
						\$16.40

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Report of Engineer..

Schedule AA.

Statement of Working Sections of the Stuckey Ditch.

	Price per yard.	Amount.
<u>Lateral No. 2 of 3.</u>		
6.06 rods 8 inch tile	\$.75	\$ 4.54
10.51 " 10 " "	1.20	12.61
16.57 " Exc. (4.35)	1.00	<u>16.57</u>
		\$33.72
Ys.		35.64
Added for Engineering and		
incidentals		<u>200.00</u>
<u>Total.</u>		\$990.00

Recapitulation.

Tile. 41.70 rods 15 inch .@	2.65	110.50
63.39 " 12 " .@	1.60	101.42
52.41 " 10 " "	1.20	62.89
40.32 " 8 " "	.75¢	30.23
24.12 " 6 " "	.50¢	12.06
Ys.		<u>35.64</u>
<u>Total Tile.</u>		\$352.74
221.94 rods Exc.		325.76
Open ditch and covering tile		13.50
Bulkhead		98.00
Added for Engineering, Incidentals, &c.		<u>200.00</u>
<u>Total.</u>		\$990.00

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The Stuckey Ditch Improvement.

REPORT OF ENGINEER.						SCHEDULE "B".	
OWNER'S NAME AS FOUND ON DUPLICATE.		Description.	Acres Owned.	Acres Benefited.	Estimated Cost of Construction.	Estimated Cost of Location.	Total Cost Apportioned.
			Lots.				
M. Kuehner, Sr. (Est.)	Kuehner's Add.	1	1		\$10.	\$.90	\$10.90
" " " "	" "	3	3		20.	.90	20.90
" " " "	" "	4	4		20.	.90	20.90
" " " "	" "	5	5		15.	.90	15.90
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" " " "	" "	21	21		5.	.90	5.90
Frank L. Olney	" "	2	2		15.	.90	15.90
Geo. W. Ridgeway	Gregg's 1st Add.	4	4		10.	.90	10.90
" " " "	" " "	5	5		20.	.90	20.90
Delilah J. Truitt	" " "	6	6		25.	.90	25.90
Ruth T. Stuckey	" " "	7	7		25.	.90	25.90
" " " "	" " "	8	8		25.	.90	25.90
Minerva Jones	" " "	9	9		25.	.90	25.90
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P.M. Gregg et al.	" " "	12	12		25.	.90	25.90
" " " "	" " "	13	13		25.	.90	25.90
" " " "	" " "	14	14		25.	.90	25.90
" " " "	" " "	15	15		25.	.90	25.90
E.M. & E.M. Douglass	" " "	16	16		20.	.90	20.90
" " " "	" " "	(Part) 17	17		5.	.90	5.90
J.W. Booth (Est.)	" " "	17	17		20.	.90	20.90
" " " "	" " "	18	18		15.	.90	15.90
Josephine Beckholz	" " "	25	25		20.	.90	20.90
Susan A. Lombard	" " "	26	26		20.	.90	20.90
Hattie Evans	" " "	27	27		20.	.90	20.90
Rebecca Alder	" " "	28	28		20.	.90	20.90
" " " "	" " "	30	30		20.	.90	20.90
Louisa Hann	" " "	29	29		20.	.90	20.90
Fannie High	Sidner's	1	1		20.	.90	20.90
" " " "	" " "	(Part) 2	2		10.	.90	10.90

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REPORT OF ENGINEER.		SCHEDULE "B".				
OWNER'S NAME AS FOUND ON DUPLICATE.	<i>Survey</i> Description.	<i>Area Owned</i> Lots.	<i>Acres Assessed</i>	<i>Estimated Cost of Construction</i>	<i>Estimated Cost of Location</i>	<i>Total Cost apportioned.</i>
Francis E. & V.V. Wright	Sidner's Add.	2	2	\$10.00	\$.90	\$10.90
" " " " "	" "	3	3	20.	.90	20.90
D. R. Sidner	" "	4	4	20.	.90	20.90
" "	" "	9	9	25.	.90	25.90
" "	" "	10	10	20.	.90	20.90
" "	" "	11	11	15.	.90	15.90
	Parcel "A".					
Arabella Gregg	2836 Jefferson Corporation	1.71	1.71	15.	3.00	18.00
Minerva Jones	" " "	4.83	4.83	25.	5.00	30.00
D. R. Sidner	" " "	17.30	5.00	25.	5.00	30.00
Madison County	Chapel St.			15.	5.00	20.00
Jefferson Corporation	Streets & Alleys			65.	4.64	69.64
Total				990.00	68.54	<u>1058.54</u>

London, Ohio, Dec. 16th, 1913.

The Commissioners ordered that an open ditch be constructed from station 18.55 to Little Darby Creek at a cost not to exceed \$56.00 and that the sum of \$1.00 be added to each of the foregoing assessments to pay for the same. With this charge the engineer's report is hereby approved and confirmed and the engineer is ordered to sell the work on January 6th, 1914, at 10 o'clock A.M.

E. E. Willard) Commissioners
 Geo. Fitzgerald) of
 P. M. Gregg) Madison County, Ohio.

 See Commissioners' Journal entry, Vol. 12, page 298, Commissioners' Finding and Report of Engineer.

DITCH SALE.
 NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The undersigned County Surveyor will sell at public outcry to the lowest and best bidder on Tuesday, January 6, 1914, at 10 o'clock a.m., at the County Surveyor's office in the court house, at London, the labor of constructing and furnishing all necessary materials for The Stuckey Ditch Improvement, located in Jefferson Township, Madison County, Ohio.

Open Ditch Construction.

Section 1. From Station --- to Station 17+48.
 300 cubic yards at 20c \$ 60.00

Tile Ditch Construction.

Section 2. From Station 17+48 to Station 1.
 41.70 rods 15-inch tile construction
 52.12 rods 12-inch tile construction.
6.06 rods 10-inch tile construction.
 99.88 rods tile construction (5.75) at \$2.00 \$199.76

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Laterals.

Lateral No. 1.		
6.30 rods 6-inch tile construction (3.75') at 50c		\$ 3.15
Lateral No. 2.		
11.76 rods 6-inch tile construction.		
12.69 rods 10-inch tile construction.		
24.45 rods tile construction (4.61') at \$1.00		24.45
Lateral No. 1 of No. 2.		
6.06 rods 6-inch tile construction (4.75') at \$1.00		6.06
Lateral No. 3.		
6.06 rods 8-inch tile construction.		
23.15 rods 10-inch tile construction.		
11.27 rods 12-inch tile construction.		
40.48 rods tile construction (4.72') at \$1.00		40.48
Lateral No. 1 of No. 3.		
20.00 rods 8-inch tile construction (5.40') at \$1.25		25.00
Lateral No. 1 of No. 1 of No. 3.		
8.20 rods 8-inch tile construction (5.15') at \$1.25		10.25
Lateral No. 2 of No. 3.		
6.06 rods 8-inch tile construction.		
10.51 rods 10-inch tile construction.		
16.57 rods tile construction (4.35') at \$1.00		16.57
Hauling dirt to cover tile		7.50
Total construction		\$393.22

Tile.

41.70 rods 15-inch tile at \$2.65	\$110.50
63.39 rods 12-inch tile at \$1.60	101.42
52.41 rods 10-inch tile at \$1.20	62.89
40.32 rods 8-inch tile at 75c	30.23
24.12 rods 6-inch tile at 50c	12.06
Y's	<u>35.64</u>

Total Tile \$352.74

Bidders are required to deposit \$25 cash --no checks taken-- before any bid will be considered. Contract and bond must be entered into within five days from date of sale.

Persons desiring to view the ditch should do so prior to time of sale.

Specifications now on file in the Auditor's office at London, Ohio.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

By order County Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

H.M. CHANEY, Auditor.

H.L. McCAFFERTY, County Surveyor.

PLEASE POST.

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Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio.

In the matter of Co. Ditch Improvement) January 6th, A.D. 1914.

No..Petitioned for by Ruth T. Stuckey .) Report of Sale of the Labor of Construction.

To the Honorable Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio:

Gentlemen: In obedience to your direction and also in pursuance of the notice, duly given by the Auditor of the sale of the work of constructing the above styled improvement, at the time and place therein specified, I offered the said several working sections for sale to the lowest responsible bidder at public out-cry and sold the same to the persons hereinafter named, at the prices herein stated, and took their contracts and bonds respectively conditioned according to law, and return the same herewith for your approval.

No. of Working Sections	TO WHOM SOLD.	Amount	Amount	WHEN TO BE COMPLETED.
		for which it was sold.	for which it was estimated.	
	Open Work.			
1.	D.R. Sidner West Jefferson, Ohio.	\$60.00	\$60.00	June 1st, 1914.
1.	Tile Ditch Construction. Ben Mason London, Ohio.	333.22	333.22	" " "
1.	Tile. The Madison Tile Co. London, Ohio.	352.74	352.74	" " "

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CONTRACT FOR DRAIN TILE.

Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio.

In the matter of Ditch Improvement) - January 6th, A.D.1914.
No...Petitioned for by Ruth T.Stuckey.) CONTRACT FOR DRAIN TILE.

WHEREAS, The above styled improvement has been duly ordered and advertised for sale according to law, and the construction of Working Section No. 1 of 1648 feet sold by the County Surveyor, on the 6th day of January, 1914, to The Madison Tile Co. Now, in consideration of the premises, it is agreed by me, to and with whomsoever may be interested therein, that I will furnish 41.70 rods of 15 inch Drain Tile from Station...to Station..; and 63.39 rods of 12 inch Drain Tile from Station...to Station...; 52.41 rds.10"; 40.32 rds.8"; 24.12 rds.6"; Y's---delivered on line of above styled improvement in lots as needed, the same to be delivered on or before the 1st day of June, 1914, provided this contract shall be of no force and effect until approved by the Board of Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

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County Surveyor.

Madison Tile Co.
Contractor.

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CONTRACTOR'S BOND FOR DRAIN TILE.

Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio.

In the matter of Ditch Improvement) January 6th, A.D.1914.
No...Petitioned for by Ruth T.Stuckey.)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That The Madison Tile Co. as principal and..... andas sureties are firmly held and bound unto the State of Ohio, in the penal sum of seven hundred five and 48/100 Dollars, good and lawful money.

Signed and dated this 6th day of January, 1914.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION is such, however, that whereas, the above bounden principal contractor has bid off the furnishing and delivering the Drain Tile for constructing Working Section No. 1, has duly entered into the annexed contract, subject to the condition that the same shall be approved by the Commissioners of said County.

Now, if the said The Madison Tile Co. shall well and truly perform all the obligations of his said contract and complete the same within the time fixed by said contract and pay all damage which may occur by reason of a failure to complete the same within the time agreed upon in said contract, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to be in full force and effect in law.

Madison Tile Co.
By S.S.Van Cleve

Eber W. Bidwell

This Contract and Bond, and Sureties on said Bond approved this 6 day of January, 1914.

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County Surveyor.

E. E. Willard
President of Board of Commissioners.

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Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio.

In the matter of County Ditch Improvement,) January 6th, A.D. 1914.

No...Petitioned for by Ruth T. Stuckey.) Contract for Labor of Construction.

WHEREAS, The above styled improvement has been duly ordered, and advertised for sale according to law, and the construction of Working Section No. 1 of 1648 feet was sold by the County Surveyor, on the 6th day of January, 1914, to the undersigned, for three hundred thirty three 22/100 Dollars, pursuant to said order and notice. Now, in consideration of the premises, it is agreed by me, to and with whomsoever may be interested therein, that I will do and perform all the labor of constructing said improvement in accordance with the specifications for constructing the same, as shown in the record of the proceedings thereof, the same to be completed on or before the 1st day of June, 1914; Provided, however, this contract shall be of no force and effect until approved by the Board of Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio.

..... County Surveyor.

Ben Mason Contractor.

Auditor's Office, Madison County, Ohio.

In the matter of County Ditch Improvement) January 6th, 1914.

No...Petitioned for by Ruth T. Stuckey.) Contractor's Bond.

. Know all Men by these Presents, That Ben Mason as principal, and and as sureties are firmly held and bound unto the STATE OF OHIO, in the penal sum of six hundred sixty six and 44/100 Dollars, good and lawful money.

Signed and dated this 6th day of January, 1914.

The Condition of the Above Obligation is such, however, that whereas, the above bounden principal contractor has bid off the labor of constructing Working Section No. 1, has duly entered into the annexed account, subject to the condition that the same shall be approved by the Commissioners of said Madison County, and has agreed to fully do and perform all labor of constructing said improvement in accordance with the plans and specifications of said improvement, as shown on the record of said proceedings, on or before the 1st day of June, 1914.

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

Ben Mason
Madison Tile Co.
By S.S. Van Cleve.

This Contract and Bond, and Sureties on said Bond approved this 6 day of January, 1914.

..... County Surveyor. E.E. Willard President of Board of Com'rs.

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CONTRACT.

This agreement made and entered into this 6th day of January, A.D. 1914, by and between the Commissioners of Madison County, Ohio, party of the first part, and David R. Sidner Contractor, party of the second part, witnesseth:

That the party of the second part hereby agrees with the party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of sixty and no/100 Dollars, hereafter to be paid and under the penalty expressed in a bond bearing even date with these presents and hereto attached, to

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furnish at his own expense all the necessary materials, labor and tools to build, construct and complete, in a good, substantial and workmanlike manner, and in accordance with the plans and specifications hereto attached, the following:
300 cu. yds. open work on the Stuckey Ditch, Jefferson Twp., Madison Co., Ohio.

The Contractor shall erect suitable railing about the work, and shall place sufficient light on or near the work for the safety of the public.

The Contractor shall be responsible for injury to persons and property inflicted during the prosecution of the work, and the County shall in nowise be liable therefor.

The Contractor agrees to conform to the direction of said Commissioners, or other persons appointed by them to take charge of the work, and any increase or decrease in material or labor ordered by them shall be calculated at the same rate as required in original plans and specifications.

The party of the first part agrees, upon the completion of said work as above specified, that they will cause an order to be drawn by the Auditor of said County on the Treasurer of said County payable to the party of the second part, for such sum as may be due him upon the actual measurement of the work.

If it becomes necessary to increase or diminish the amount of work stipulated in this contract, then the amount of such increase or reduction will be estimated at the same rate of the contract and allowed or deducted as the case may be.

Work to begin at once, and to be fully completed on or before

D. R. Sidner
Contractor.

E. E. Willard

P. M. Gregg
Commissioners Madison County, Ohio.

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BOND.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we David R. Sidner are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio for the use of Madison County in the sum of one hundred twenty Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, by these presents.

Subscribed with our hands and sealed with our seals this 6th day of January, 1914.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION is such that whereas the above bound David R. Sidner has this day taken of the Commissioners of Madison County the work of constructing open work (300 cu. yds.) of the Stuckey Ditch and agrees to fully complete the work on or before the dates above set forth.

Now, if the said David R. Sidner shall well and truly perform said work, agreeably to the above stipulations and conditions, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

The above bond is approved:

January 6, 1914.

E. E. Willard

D. R. Sidner (Seal)

D. S. Busick (Seal)

P. M. Gregg
Commissioners Madison County, Ohio.

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See Commissioners' Journal entry, Vol. 12, page 309, Approval of Contracts and Bonds of Ben Mason, D.R. Sidner and Madison Tile Co.

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