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Affidavit of Publication

State of Minnesota, County of Anoka,

Notice of Pendency of Petition, Repairs Ditch 25.

State of Minnesota, County of Anoka, ss.—Whereas, a petition signed by J. L. Fitch and others, bearing date the 15th day of July, 1915, a true copy of which follows below, praying for the repairs of County Ditch No. 25, has been filed in my office: Now, therefore, Notice of the pendency of said petition is hereby given and that the same will be heard and considered by and before the Board of County Commissioners of Anoka County at its special session to be held at the auditor's office in the City of Anoka, county aforesaid, on Tuesday the 31st day of August, A. D. 1915, at 10:30 o'clock a. m.,

ARTHUR A, CASWELL,

Auditor of Anoka County, Minn.

COPY OF PETITION.

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To the County Board of Anoka County, Minnesota: The undersigned petitioners respectfully represent and state: That they are the owners of lands that have been heretofore assessed for the construction of County Ditch No. 25 of Anoka County: That said ditch is in need of repairs and that its usefulness for the purpose for which it was constructed has become greatly impaired by reason of the following facts: That said ditch has become obstructed by the deposit of sediment therein and by the growth of weeds and grastes upon and along the bottom, sides, banks and right of way thereof; that by reason of the construction of side and lateral ditches emptying into said ditch the volume of water to be taken care of by said county ditch No. 25 has been increased beyond the capacity thereof. Wherefore your petitioners pray that you will appoint a civil engineer to ascertain and report to you the necessity therefor, and the cost of making such repairs, and when such report is filed such other and further proceedings may be had as may be necessary for the repair of said ditch.

Dated at Centerville this 15th day of July, 1915.

J. L. Fitch, E. H. Erickson, P. O. Seabloom, H. Anderson, Andrew P. Hanson, Chas, Asplund, John Hughes, H. Speiser, Albert Asplund, Oscar Asplund.

August. 10-17-24.

R. P. CHASE being duly sworn, on oath says: That he knows of his own knowledge that the annexed printed Notice of Pateting known as THE ANOKA HERALD, and was published in said newspaper for 3 successive weeks, first on Tuesday, the day of Gangard, 1915, and thereafter on each successive Tuesday until and including Tuesday, the day of Gangard, 1915. That during the whole time of said publication affiant was the secretary of the Anoka Herald Publishing Company, which was during said time, and still is, a corporation under the Laws of the State of Minnesota, and the proprietor, printer and publisher of said newspaper. That for more than one year prior to the commencement of said publication therein, said newspaper has been, and still is, a weekly newspaper, issued, priated and published on Tuesday of each week, in the English language, in column and sheet form, equivalent in space to more than four pages with five columns of at least seventeen and three-quarters inches length to each page, from a known office, established in such place of publication, equipped with skilled workmen and the necessary material for preparing and printing the same, and located and printed in the City of Anoka, County of Anoka and State of Minnesota, from whence it purported to be, was and is, issued; and that during all said time it contained, and still contains, general and local news, comment and miscellany, not wholly duplicating any other publication, and not entirely made up of patents, plate matter and advertisements, and that during all said time it has been, and still is, circulated in and near its place of issue and publication to the extent of more than two hundred and forty copies, regularly delivered to paying subscribers. That on the Ninth day of August, 1911, the affidavit of R. P. Chase, Secretary of said corporation, publisher of said newspaper, was filed in the office of the County Auditor of said Anoka County, for the purpose of complying with Section 5516 of the Revised Laws, 1905.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this_____ Notary Public, Anoka County, Minnesota. My Commission expires Printer's Fees \$_____