

OFFICIAL. Auditor's Notice of Hearing on Petition in Ditch Proceedings.

State of Minnesota, County of Anoka ss. In the matter of the petition of C. J. Swanson and others, for a public ditch in the County of Anoka, State of Minnesota.

Notice is Herby Given, That a petition has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of said county, praying for the construction of a public ditch beginning at a point near the center, 40 rods east of the center of section thirty-three (33) in the town of Blaine, running thence through the following described lands, to-wit: Main line running west between nw 1/4 of ne 1/4 and sw 1/4 of ne 1/4, thence running northerly through ne 1/4 of nw 1/4 of section 23, town 31, range 23, between sections 20 and 21, 17 and 16, to ne 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 17, thence westerly through n 1/2 of ne 1/4, n 1/2 of nw 1/4, section 17, n 1/2 of ne 1/4, section 7, town 31, range 23, se 1/4 of se 1/4, section 12, ne 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 13, sw 1/4 of se 1/4, se 1/4 of sw 1/4, ne 1/4 of sw 1/4 and into nw 1/4 of sw 1/4, section 12, town 31, range 23, Branch No. 1 commencing in se 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 32, town 31, range 23, thence running northerly and easterly through ne 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 32, nw 1/4 of nw 1/4, section 33; sw 1/4 of sw 1/4, section 28, and between n 1/2 of sw 1/4 and s 1/2 of sw 1/4, section 28, into Main Ditch in e 1/4 of sw 1/4, of section 28, town 31, range 23. Branch No. 2 commencing in nw 1/4 of se 1/4, section 29, town 31, range 23, thence running northerly and easterly through sw 1/4 of ne 1/4, se 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 29, into Main Ditch between ne 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 29, and ne 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 29, town 31, range 23. Branch No. 3, commencing between sw 1/4 of nw 1/4, section 22, and se 1/4 of section 21, town 31, range 23, thence running northerly and westerly through nw 1/4 of nw 1/4, section 22, se 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 18, ne 1/4 of se 1/4, se 1/4 of ne 1/4, sw 1/4 of ne 1/4, se 1/4 of nw 1/4, and n 1/2 of nw 1/4, section 16, into Main Ditch in ne 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 11, town 31, range 23. Branch No. 4 commencing at Main street road on north side of ne 1/4 of nw 1/4, section 10, town 31, range 23, thence running southerly and westerly through e 1/2 of nw 1/4, w 1/2 of se 1/4, section 10, se 1/4 of ne 1/4, sw 1/4 of se 1/4, town 31, range 23, into Branch No. 3, in ne 1/4 of nw 1/4, section 16, town 31, range 23. Branch No. 5, commencing at northwest corner of ne 1/4, section 15, town 31, range 23, thence running westerly between se 1/4 of sw 1/4, section 10, and ne 1/4 of nw 1/4, section 15, and through sw 1/4 of sw 1/4 of section 10, into branch No. 4, in se 1/4 of se 1/4, section 9, town 31, range 23. Branch No. 6, commencing at center of section 11, town 31, range 23, thence running west between nw 1/4 and se 1/4 of nw 1/4, and ne 1/4 of section 10, in nw 1/4 and ne 1/4 of sw 1/4 of section 10, town 31, range 23, into Branch No. 4, in northeast corner of nw 1/4 of sw 1/4, section 10, town 31, range 23. Branch No. 7, commencing on north side of nw 1/4 of ne 1/4 of section 9, town 31, range 23, thence running southerly through nw 1/4 of ne 1/4, sw 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 9, and nw 1/4 of ne 1/4, section 10, into branch No. 4 in sw 1/4 of sw 1/4, section 10, town 31, range 23. Branch No. 8, commencing between the sw 1/4 of ne 1/4 and the nw 1/4 of se 1/4, section 8, town 31, range 23, thence running westerly and southerly through sw 1/4 of ne 1/4, se 1/4 of nw 1/4 and e 1/2 of sw 1/4, section 8, town 31, range 23, into Main Ditch in the ne 1/4 of nw 1/4, section 17, town 31, range 23, and terminating at a point in nw 1/4 of sw 1/4, section 12, town 31, range 23, and that the names of the owners of the lands that will be affected by the construction of said ditch areas follows, to-wit: I. W. Smith et al., E. F. Nelson, Charles Woody, James T. Knapp, Parker & Johnson, M. J. & L. O. Peppard, L. O. Lindstrom, V. Neilson, F. E. James, O. G. & A. B. Wanless, Olive G. Pratt, George H. Elwell, W. J. McGrath, A. M. Walker, Mattie L. Elwell, John Devine, Thomas Peebles, Timothy W. Keavy, L. Paulle, Robert Murrell, Alfred Murrell, Nelson & Reddel, C. J. Swanson, George Wall, Katherine Pohl, S. Harrah, Chas. Ote, Casper Reine, Patrick Lyons, C. A. Nelson, Michael Majerus, P. T. Sullivan, Julia Matushak, John Matushak, Joe Ingenshult, Katherine W. Lovell, J. A. Sorteburg, Ideal Land & Loan Company, Centerville road in town of Blaine, and that the engineer appointed by the Board of County Commissioners of said County to make a survey of the route of said ditch has completed his work and made due report thereon and filed the same in the office of said County Auditor, and that the Viewers appointed by said Board of County Commissioners to view the same have completed their work and filed their report thereon in the office of said County Auditor. And that therefore, the Board of County Commissioners of Anoka County, State of Minnesota, will hold a special meeting on Tuesday, the 31st day of May A. D. 1904, at the Courthouse in the city of Anoka, in said county, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day for hearing and consideration of said petition and of said surveyors and viewers' reports thereon, and that all persons interested in the construction of said ditch are invited to appear and be heard by and before said Board of County Commissioners at said time, for or against the construction of said ditch.

SELDEN MCGAFFEY County Auditor of Anoka County, Minn. Dated May 2nd, 1904.

State of Minnesota,

ss.

County of Anoka

Came personally before me, W. P. Olsen and being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he now is and during all the time herein mentioned has been the manager and printer of the Anoka Free Press a weekly newspaper printed and published in Anoka in said County, on Thursdays of each week. That he knows of his own knowledge that the printed notice of ditch hearings hereto attached, cut from the columns of said newspaper, was inserted, printed and published in said newspaper once in each week for last successive weeks, and that all of said publications were made in the English language, that said notice was first inserted, printed and published in said newspaper on Thursday the 1st day of May 1904, and was printed and published therein on each and every Thursday thereafter until and including Thursday the 19th day of May 1904, that during all the time aforesaid said newspaper was a collection of general and local news, arguments and miscellaneous literary items, and regularly issued and published on Thursdays of each week from a known office of publication, said office being equipped with the necessary materials.

and skilled workmen for producing the same, and has consisted of not less than four pages, of five columns or more to each page, each column not less than seventeen and three-fourths inches in length, and never made up wholly of patents, plates and advertisements, or either or any of them, and has not been substantially a duplicate of any other newspaper, and has been regularly printed, published and delivered at each regular issue each week to more than two hundred and forty paid subscribers, and that said newspaper, composed and consisting as above set forth, was printed and published in the English language, wholly and generally circulated in Anoka County for more than one year next preceding the date of the first publication of said notice. And said newspaper is now admitted, and for more than one year last past has been admitted to the United States mail, as second-class matter. That the publisher of said newspaper prior to the date of the publication of said notice fled with the County Auditor of said Anoka County, Chapter 33, of the laws of the State of Minnesota, for the year 1893.

County an affidavit setting forth the facts required by Section 2, Chapter 33, of the laws of the State of Minnesota, for the year 1893. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of May 1904. Selden M. McGaffey and Mary Public, Anoka County, Minn.

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not been out in her robe de nuit.

Then Aunt Phoebe stood Sarah and Sarah indignantly denied having left her room during the night and promptly handed in her notice.

It took time, even for Aunt Phoebe to nerve herself to move on Mary, the cook. In two minutes it was all over and Mary was packing up.

"I've given notice," said Sarah, Mary, red and perspiring, stamped the back stair.

"I've given them a chance to fill the place," said Mary.

Aunt Phoebe, baffled and alarmed, called Mrs. Deering, who, after much diplomacy, succeeded in establishing truce between her sister and the servants.

"It's all very well for them to deride it," said Aunt Phoebe when her sister chided her, "but I saw a hussy come up the river path and pass around the rear of the house just as you entered my room last night."

Mrs. Deering stared at her sister. It was Sarah's night out that night and with the consent of Mrs. Deering Jeanette went with her.

It was midnight when the two girls entered the lower gate and hurried along the driveway.

"There's where the dreadful man hid," said Jeanette, "to photograph Mr. Atwood in the swimming pool. Isn't Mr. Atwood?"

Jeanette stopped short, grasped Sarah's arm and stared in the direction of the pool. Out of the shadow of the big birch a white figure faded, crossed an open star-lit space and disappeared over the shoulder of the hill in the direction of the river.

The girls caught hands and raced for the house.

A few nights after Louis, the eldest of the Deering boys, returned late from a banquet. While he was hunting the keyhole he heard footsteps and of a man running along the driveway.

Turning, he saw a woman running straight for the front door. As she came near she fell forward and he caught her in his arms.

As he lifted the falling woman he only