

THE ANOKA HERALD

Affidavit of Publication

In re.....*Ditch # 54*.....

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Arthur H. Caswell
Auditor

by *C. D. Piper*
Deputy

The Anoka Herald

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State of Minnesota, }
County of Anoka, } SS

Sale of Ditching Job. Ditch 54.

Notice is hereby given, that on Thursday, the 4th day of March, 1915, at 11 o'clock a. m., at the office of the county auditor in the court house in the City of Anoka, Anoka County, Minnesota, the undersigned will sell the job of digging and constructing the main ditch and branches of that system of drainage ditches designated and known as county ditch No. 54 of said Anoka County, established by the Board of County Commissioners of Anoka County by their order bearing date the 6th day of January, 1915, and bids are invited for the work as one job, also for one or more linear sections thereof, each of which sections is 100 feet long, and to be known and numbered by the stakes as shown by the report of the engineer in said matter, commencing at the one including the source of each of the said main ditch and branches thereof and from thence successively down stream to the one including the outlet of said main ditch and branches thereof.

Said work must be completed within the time required and in the manner specified in said engineer's report, and no bid will be entertained which exceeds 30 per cent over and above the estimated cost as stated in said engineer's report.

The successful bidder will be required to give a satisfactory bond in the penal sum of not less than the contract price, with not less than two freehold sureties, payable to the County of Anoka, State of Minnesota, for the use of said county, and also for the use of all persons who may show themselves to be aggrieved or injured by any breach thereof or of the contract for which said bond is given; said bond shall be subject to the approval of the county auditor and conditioned that the contractor shall faithfully perform and fulfill his contract and pay all damages that may accrue by reason of his failure to complete the work in the manner and within the time required in his contract therefor, and otherwise conditioned as provided by law.

The said order and engineer's report, estimates and profiles are on file and may be seen at the county auditor's office in the court house in the City of Anoka.

The total length of main ditch and branches is about 6 miles, main ditch about 2.8 miles; bottom width main ditch 15 ft; deepest cut 8.9 ft; bottom width of branches 3 ft; total yardage 71,642; estimated cost of excavating \$10,787.34; estimated cost of culverts and tiling \$240, nearest shipping point Anoka, Minn., 3 miles; total cost of construction, estimated, \$11,027.34.

The sale of jobs shall be public and all bids must be accompanied by a certified check or its equivalent payable to the order of the County of Anoka for not less than 10 per cent of the amount of each bid. The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

Dated at Anoka, Minn., this 8th day of February, 1915.

ARTHUR A. CASWELL,
County Auditor,
Feb. 9-16-23.

R. P. CHASE being duly sworn, on oath says: That he knows of his own knowledge that the annexed printed.....

Sale of Ditching Job
hereto attached, was taken from the columns of the newspaper known as THE ANOKA HERALD, and was published in said newspaper for *3* successive weeks, first on Tuesday, the *7th* day of *February*, 1915, and thereafter on each successive Tuesday until and including Tuesday, the *23rd* day of *February*, 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, printed 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.

R. P. Chase

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *2nd* day of *March*, 1915

Carrie O. Piper
Deputy Auditor, Notary Public, Anoka County, Minnesota.

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My Commission expires.....191.....