

**Drain:** EMERY CLARK **Drain #:** 8495  
**Improvement/Arm:** SARAH COMPTON  
**Operator:** J. LIVINGSTON **Date:** 7-1-04  
**Drain Classification:** Urban/Rural **Year Installed:** 1890

### GIS Drain Input Checklist

- Pull Source Documents for Scanning JL
- Digitize & Attribute Tile Drains \_\_\_\_\_
- Digitize & Attribute Storm Drains \_\_\_\_\_
- Digitize & Attribute SSD \_\_\_\_\_
- Digitize & Attribute Open Ditch JL
- Stamp Plans \_\_\_\_\_
- Sum drain lengths & Validate JL
- Enter Improvements into Posse \_\_\_\_\_
- Enter Drain Age into Posse JL
- Sum drain length for Watershed in Posse JL
- Check Database entries for errors JL



State of Indiana, *[Signature]* County, ss:

We, the undersigned, Commissioners of Drainage, swear that we have each personally examined each tract of land assessed for benefits and damages and the whole route of the proposed work, and that such drain is of sufficient capacity to carry, without overflowing, all the water which flows or should flow along such route; that no other lands than those described in this report will be either benefited or damaged by the construction of the proposed work, and that all the statements therein are true and correct, and that all assessments of benefits and injuries set forth therein are correct, just, fair and equitable to all parties concerned, as we verily believe.

*Eli Stalker*

*James B. Baker*

*J. Cunningham*

Commissioners.

Subscribed and sworn to by said Commissioners, this 10 day of May, 1888, before me

*[Signature]*

Clerk Circuit Court.

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS.

FAVORABLE.

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and recorded in Work  
Record 10 Pages 142 & 145*

*J. P. Foster  
R. M. Co.*

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*[Signature]*  
CLERK OF THE HAMILTON CIRCUIT COURT,  
HAMILTON CO., IND.

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Wm. B. Burford, Printer, Indianapolis.

REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS.

To the Honorable Judge of the Hamilton Circuit Court:

The undersigned, Commissioners of Drainage, to whom was referred the petition of Sarah J. Compton et al for the drainage of North West Quarter of the North East Quarter, and the North East Quarter of the North East Quarter, and the North half of the South West Quarter of the North East & the North half of the South East Quarter of the North East Quarter of Section 15 Township 19 North Range 3 East. all

in Hamilton County, respectfully report that they have inspected personally all the lands described in said petition, and all other lands liable to be affected by the construction of the proposed work, and are of the opinion that the proposed drainage will be of public utility, a benefit to the health of the neighborhood, and will benefit six Public highways, and that the same can be accomplished at an expense less than the aggregate benefits to the lands to be affected thereby; and after making the necessary surveys and examinations, they are of the opinion, that the method of drainage should be as follows - to wit;

See 5<sup>th</sup> Page.

They estimate the cost of constructing the work at \$1110<sup>00</sup> dollars. They further report that they have estimated the benefits and injury to the

By the Construction of a ditch Commencing  
 about twenty rods South and twenty rods West  
 of the North East Corner of the South West quarter  
 of the North East Quarter of Section five  
 Township Nineteen North, Range Three East,  
 Thence South  $51^{\circ}$  West 685 feet  
 Thence South  $40^{\circ}$  West 65 feet  
 Thence South  $13^{\circ}$  West 150 feet  
 Thence South  $6^{\circ}30'$  East 360 feet  
 Thence South  $10^{\circ}$  West 640 feet  
 Thence South  $1^{\circ}$  West 290 feet  
 Thence South  $45^{\circ}30'$  East 240 feet  
 Thence South  $11^{\circ}30'$  East 220 feet  
 Thence South  $40^{\circ}$  West 270 feet  
 Thence South  $18^{\circ}30'$  East 70 feet  
 Thence South  $2^{\circ}30'$  East 250 feet  
 Thence South  $49^{\circ}$  East 140 feet  
 Thence South  $64^{\circ}$  East 500 feet  
 Thence North  $88^{\circ}30'$  East 610 feet  
 Thence South  $38^{\circ}30'$  East 290 feet  
 Thence South  $2^{\circ}30'$  East 480 feet  
 Thence South  $61^{\circ}$  East 400 feet  
 Thence South  $2^{\circ}30'$  East 620 feet  
 Thence North  $84^{\circ}30'$  East 550 feet  
 Thence South  $31^{\circ}$  East 740 feet  
 Thence South  $64^{\circ}30'$  West 320 feet  
 Thence South  $30^{\circ}$  West 340 feet  
 Thence South  $49^{\circ}$  West 260 feet  
 Thence South  $12^{\circ}$  East 1180 feet  
 Thence South  $6^{\circ}$  East 490 feet  
 Thence South  $8^{\circ}30'$  East 110 feet  
 Thence South  $9^{\circ}$  East 400 feet  
 Thence South  $33^{\circ}$  East 120 feet

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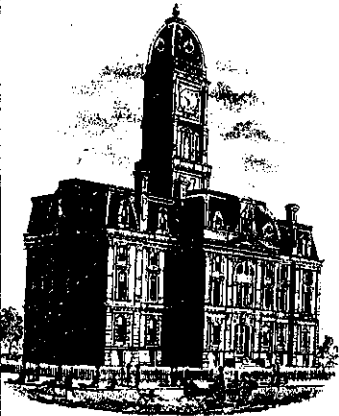
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1 Thence South  $15^{\circ}$  East 80 feet.  
 2 Thence South  $11^{\circ}$  East 150 feet.  
 3 Thence South  $55^{\circ}$  West 490 feet  
 4 Thence South  $35^{\circ} 30'$  West 700 feet  
 5 Thence South  $72^{\circ}$  West 490 feet  
 6 Thence South  $55^{\circ}$  West 200 feet.  
 7 Thence South  $77^{\circ} 30'$  West 180 feet.  
 8 Thence South  $68^{\circ}$  West 120 feet.  
 9 Thence South  $49^{\circ}$  West 150 feet.  
 10 Thence South  $58^{\circ}$  West 450 feet  
 11 Thence South  $37^{\circ} 30'$  West 200 feet.  
 12 Thence South  $21^{\circ} 30'$  West 580 feet.  
 13 Thence South  $2^{\circ}$  East 520 feet.  
 14 Thence South  $7^{\circ}$  West 100 feet  
 15 Thence South  $35^{\circ} 30'$  West 500 feet.  
 16 Thence South  $24^{\circ}$  West 250 feet.  
 17 Thence South  $19^{\circ}$  West 130 feet.  
 18 Thence South  $12^{\circ}$  East 510 feet  
 19 Thence South  $20^{\circ} 30'$  East 350 feet  
 20 Thence South  $35^{\circ}$  East 160 feet  
 21 Thence South  $4^{\circ} 30'$  East 690 feet  
 22 Thence South  $18^{\circ}$  West 120 feet  
 23 Thence South  $1^{\circ} 30'$  East 490 feet

24 Terminating about twenty-five rods west  
 25 and five rods south of the North East corner  
 26 of the North West Quarter of the South West  
 27 Quarter.

28 This is in the Channel of the old ditch  
 29 known as Finley Run from Stake 19 to  
 30 terminus. With exception of small change  
 31 on the lands of Ed. Thistlethwait.  
 32 The entire ditch to be an open ditch.  
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SURVEYOR'S OFFICE  
**Hamilton County**

Kenton C. Ward, Surveyor

773-6112 Ext. 19

Noblesville, Ind. 46060 April 15, 1983

To: Hamilton County Drainage Board

Re: Walter Stephenson, Clark Millikan,  
John Bell and Sarah Compton Drains.  
(Stephenson-Compton Drainage Area)

Attached is a drain map showing the Walter Stephenson, Clark Millikan, John Bell and Sarah Compton Drains. At present the Walter Stephenson and Clark Millikan Drains are on a maintenance program.

The Sarah Compton Drain was constructed in 1890 as an open ditch. In 1919 a portion of the Compton, 5270 feet, was tiled as the Walter Stephenson Drain. The Clark Millikan Drain was constructed in 1898 and consists of 2625 feet of tile drain outletting into the Compton Drain at Sta 76+00. In ~~1912~~ <sup>1930</sup> the John Bell Drain was constructed and it consists of 987 feet of open ditch outletting into the Compton from the West at 221st Street.

I have found that some dredging is needed in order to free the outlets of the Millikan and Stephenson Drains. This is needed in order to relieve this pressure within the tile which is causing repeated failures of the system. A survey was run from 226th Street to 216th Street and it was discovered that very little fall occurs within this distance. Since reconstruction of the Compton is out of the question at this time as it is presently number 19 on the reconstruction classification list. I have sent out work orders to the Drainage Board Contractor which call for dredging 400' of open ditch

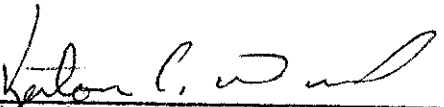
at the Stephenson and 650' at the Clark Millikan. Along with this he is to clear brush along the banks in these sections and install silt basins in front of both tiles. The cost estimate for this work is \$600.00 for the Stephenson and \$975.00 for the Millikan.

At present the maintenance fund for the Millikan Drain has a balance of \$537.66. The collections for 1983 will total \$180.76 for an aggregate amount of \$718.42. The fund for the Stephenson has a balance of \$39.22. This years collections will total \$488.45 for an aggregate amount of \$527.70. Both drains are being assessed at \$1.00 per acre, \$3.00 minimum.

Because of the work needed on the open channel for the Millikan and Stephenson I believe a drainage shed should be created combining these drains. This drainage shed should include the Walter Stephenson Drain, Clark Millikan Drian, John Bell Drain and approximately 4000' of the Sarah Compton Drain to 221st Street. This would also mean the elimination of the individual maintenance funds for the Millikan and Stephenson Drains.

The drainage shed map for the drain is attached. There are 1042.717 acres and 6 lots in the shed. Assessed at \$2.00 per acre, \$6.00 minimum, the total yearly collection will be \$2181.22.

I recommend a hearing be set for the above proposal on July 5, 1983 at 1:40 P.M.

  
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Kenton C. Ward,  
Hamilton County Surveyor

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