

Drain: WHEELER BEALS Drain #: 8495
Improvement/Arm: JOHN WHEELER
Operator: JILL WILKINSON Date: 8-20-04
Drain Classification: Urban/Rural Year Installed: 1880

GIS Drain Input Checklist

- Pull Source Documents for Scanning
- Digitize & Attribute Tile Drains
- Digitize & Attribute Storm Drains
- Digitize & Attribute SSD
- Digitize & Attribute Open Ditch
- Stamp Plans
- Sum drain lengths & Validate
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June Term, 6th Day, 1876, Commissioners' Court.

J B Pettiford & No 169,
 Etal Grassy Branch Ditch No 3
 Report of Viewers.

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that the Auditor of said County on said report being filed, caused proper notice to be given for four consecutive weeks by publication in the Noblesville Ledger, a newspaper printed & published and of general circulation in the County, and printing three printed copies, of said notice in three public places, in the Township in which said Proposed Ditch is Located, and one at the Door of the Court House, in the Town of Noblesville in Hamilton County Indiana, of the Pendency & Prayers of said Petition, and the time set for the hearing thereon, which said notice contains a pertinent description of the terminus, of said proposed work its direction & course, from its source to its outlet, and the names of the owners of the lands, that will be affected thereby, a copy of which said notice is filed with the papers in this cause, and is in the words and figures following to wit (here insert.)

The time for the hearing of said Petition having arrived and the Board being fully advised, from the evidence adduced that the provisions of the second section of "An Act to enable the owners of wet lands to drain & reclaim them when the same cannot be done without affecting the lands of others, prescribing the powers of County Boards, and duties of the same and other officers in the premises, and to provide for the repairs of such drains." Approved March 9th 1875

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damages, by the construction of said proposed work and no objection being made to the petition or report of the viewers heretofore proceeded to hear and determine said petition, and being fully advised in the premises from the evidence adduced, said Board does say and find that the said proposed work is necessary and conducive to public health convenience & welfare and of public benefit and utility, and said Board do hereby establish the same as specified and described by and in the report of said viewers, it is further ordered by the said Board of Commissioners of Hamilton County State of Indiana, that said viewers to wit Valentine Heck, Jacob Eyer, & Elijah Cottingham heretofore appointed herein, proceed to make a just and fair estimate of the average cash value of the construction per lineal rod cubic yard or foot of earth and every section or allotment of said ditch and apportion the costs of the location thereof including Printers fees and award to each person or persons owning lands liable to be affected by the proposed work as shall be deemed by them to be just & right according to the benefits to be derived by constructing the same their proportionate share of said costs, and shall specify in their said report the time in which said costs and expenses shall be paid to the county Treasurer, and the time and manner in which said work shall be performed and they shall cause a stake or monument to be placed at the boundaries of each of the several portions which shall be numbered progressively down stream at each one hundred feet. And shall file their report with the Auditor of the County after having first subscribed and sworn to the same according to law.

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Oct 2^d Term, 2 Day, 1880, Commissioners' Court.

John Wheeler } Ditch Petition
Petition for Ditch Drain and Water
course

Comes now John Wheeler and prays the Board of Commissioners to establish course to be constructed and thereafter to be maintained the ditch drain and water course in said petition described and it appearing to the Board from the evidence adduced that the said petition filed herein on the 18 day of October 1880 and which is as follows to-wit (Densisist) is signed by one land owner whose lands will be affected by or be assessed for the expense of the construction of said ditch It is therefore ordered by the Board that Amos Garsom Henry Draney and J. H. Almond be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view said ditch drain and water course

Such appraisers or any two of them at the time mentioned in said notice shall meet at the point of beginning of said work and shall examine all lands in any way liable to be affected by said work and shall make out a list of the same and shall assess the amount of benefits or injury to each tract of land taking into consideration in making such assessment of benefits are assessed, the cost of construction and shall make out a schedule thereof with their assessment aforesaid and shall affix thereto their affidavits that the same is in all respects a true assessment to the best of their judgment and belief and cause the same to be filed in the recorder's office of the county in which the land is situated.

It shall be the duty of such appraisers to set forth in said report whether such ditch or drain is of sufficient capacity to carry off without overflowing all the water which annually flows or should flow along such route in case the same should be drained thereon and if not of ample and sufficient capacity that they set forth what capacity it should have its depth width and the

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Clarksville Corporation } Trustees Settlement
P. Whitesell, Treasr

Comes now P. Whitesell, Treasurer of the Board of School Trustees of Clarksville Corporation and submits his report of the Receipts and expenditures of the various funds in his hands and said report is in the words and figures following to-wit: (hereinsert) and said report shows that he has received the sum of 462.56 and expended the sum of 304.05 leaving a Balance in his hands of 158.51 And the Board upon due examination of the matter accept and approve said report as being in all respects a good and sufficient report as required by law and ordered that the same be filed and entered in the proper record record of Trustees Settlements

Read and described in open court this the 19 day of October 1880

The Board now adjourns to meet tomorrow morning at 9 O'clock

Elijah S. Phillips }
Henry H. Hedgcock } Coms
Wm Kearney }

Whuler Ditch Assessment.

1 Report of Appraisers

State of Indiana }
Hamilton County } Sect:

We the undersigned Appraisers
Appointed by the board of Commissioners of
Hamilton County Ind. to assess the benefits
or damages that would accrue to the owners
of land through which or near a certain ditch
will run when constructed, make the following
report:

Said ditch commences at a stake marked
O, at a point 2 rods north & 1 rod east of the
SW corner, of the NW 1/4 of Sect 86 Tp 19 Range 3
and terminates at a stake marked 158, at
a point 6 1/2 rods east & 84 rods south of the
South East Corner of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of
Sect 80 Tp 19 Range 4. A full description of
which will be found in the petition filed
by John Whuler, on the 18th day of October 1880.
We assess benefits to the following lands as
follows:

- The NE 1/4 of Sec 85 & the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4
of Sec 86 both in Tp 19 Range 3, owned by Isaac
Roberts. Benefits \$161.05
- The South 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sect 20 Tp 19 Range 3
owned by Levi Kendall. Benefits \$30.00
- The NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 Sect 20 Tp 19 Range 3
owned by Eli Duffey. Benefits \$45.00
- The SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Sect 25 Tp 19 Range 3
owned by O. W. Brown. Benefits \$84.00
- The NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 & the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Sect
25, Tp 19, Range 3, owned by Geo W. Baker
Benefits \$84.00

The NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 and the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4
of Sect 25 Twp 19 Range 3.

owned by Geo. H. Baker Benefits \$161.45

A part of the E 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Sect 36.

Twp 19 Range 3. Described as follows, begin
at the South West corner of said East 1/2

and run north 74 ⁸⁸/₁₀₀ rods thence East 53 ⁸⁸/₁₀₀

rods, thence South 74 ⁸⁸/₁₀₀ rods thence, thence West
to place of beginning owned by Isaac Punnington
Benefits \$16.80

A part of the NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 and a part of
the NE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Sect 36. Twp 19, Range

3. Described as follows, begin at the NW corner
of the East 1/2 of the NW 1/4, run thence East,

74 rods, & 20 links thence South 39 ¹/₂ degrees,
East 59 rods, & 15 links thence West 58 rods &

15 links thence South 5 rods and 4 feet
thence West 75 rods, & 7 links thence North

51 rods & 12 feet, to beginning owned by Amos
Dike. Benefits \$28.00

A part of the NW 1/4 of Sect 25. Twp 19 Range 3.
Described as follows, begin at South East corner

run thence North 110 rods, West 88 rods,
South 110, East 88 rods owned by Joseph Keen
Benefits \$56.00

A part of the NW 1/4 of Sect 25. Twp 19
Range 3. Described as follows, begin

20 rods East of the South West corner thence East
52 rods, & 12 feet, North 110 rods West 82 rods

& 12 feet, South 80 rods, East 20 rods
South 80 rods, owned by Wm. Emory

Benefits \$15.00

1 The N²/₄ of the N²/₄ of Sect 25 T¹⁹ R¹⁹ Range
 2 3 owned by Allen Fomlinans Benefits \$85.00
 3 30 acres off of the North East of the East
 4 1/2 of the South East 1/4 Sect 38 T¹⁹ R¹⁹ Range
 5 3. owned by Asa Ellis Benefits \$2.80
 6 The S²/₄ of the S²/₄ of Sec 25 T¹⁹ R¹⁹ Range
 7 3. owned by James Scott Benefits \$3.00
 8 The W¹/₂ of the NW¹/₄ of the S²/₄ & the
 9 W¹/₂ of the SW¹/₄ of the N²/₄ of Sect 25
 10 T¹⁹ R¹⁹ Range 3. owned James Knott
 11 Benefits \$33.00
 12 The N²/₄ of the SW¹/₄ and the following
 13 described tract of land, begin at
 14 the N.E. Corner, of the W¹/₂ of the SW¹/₄ min
 15 thence west to the west line of Sec. 25
 16 64²/₁₀ rods. Thence East 50¹/₁₀ rods. south
 17 12 rods. East 297⁶/₁₀ rods. thence
 18 north to place of beginning all in
 19 Sect 30 T¹⁹ R¹⁹ Range 4. owned
 20 by Calvin Hunt. Benefits \$70.00
 21 The N²/₄ of the NW¹/₄ of Sect 30 Township
 22 T¹⁹ Range 4. and the following described land Begin
 23 at the North East Corner, of the South East 1/4
 24 thence west 41 rods, to grassy branch ditch
 25 down along said ditch on north bank to
 26 East line of said 1/4 North on said line 42
 27 rods, to begin owned by Riley Moore
 28 Benefits \$61.00
 29 The W¹/₂ of the NW¹/₄ except 2 acres off of
 30 the North East corner also the S²/₄ of the NW¹/₄
 31 except 4 acres & 150 rods off the North East
 32 Corner, of said tract, owned by John Paulman
 33 Benefits \$105.00

1 The NW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 & ceph 10 acres off of the
 2 South End Sec 30. Tp. 19. Range 4. Owned by
 3 John Morris Benefits \$22.40
 4 The NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 Sec. 30. Tp. 19. Range
 5 3 & ceph 15 acres off of the South End of the
 6 NW 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec 30. Township 19. Range
 7 Owned by Lydia Howard Benefits \$27.00
 8 The SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 Sec 24. Tp. 19. Range 3
 9 Owned by Levi Thompson Benefits \$20.00
 10 The South West 1/4 of the SE 1/4 & the SE 1/4 of the
 11 SW 1/4 & ceph 8. acres in the North West Corner
 12 of the last described track & ceph being
 13 25 rods East & West, 40 to 1/2 rods North & South
 14 All Sec. 30 Township 19. Range 4.
 15 Owned by John Beals Benefits \$20.00
 16 A part of the NW 1/4 of Sec 25 - Tp. 19. Range 3
 17 described as follows begin at the North East Corner
 18 thence South 61 rods, 167 3/4 links West 107 rods 187 1/4
 19 links thence North to Sec line thence East to
 20 begin Owned by Peter Rich Benefits \$10.00
 21 A part of the NW 1/4 of Sec 20. Tp. 19. Range 3.
 22 described as follows begin at the South West Corner
 23 thence North 80 rods, East 20 rods South 80
 24 rods, West 20 rods also the SE 1/4 of Sec 26.
 25 Township 19. Range 3. Owned by Abner Davis
 26 Benefits \$8.00
 27 N & S access Washington Township for ceph
 28 of Public Highway running through the
 29 Center of Sec 25 & 26. Tp. 19. Range 3. Sec. 30.
 30 Tp. 19. Range 4. East & West Benefits \$30.00
 31 A part of the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 and part of the
 32 NW 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec 26. Tp. 19. Range 3.

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Described as follows, begin at 7 rods & 6 links
west of the South East Corner, of the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4
Thence west 80 rods, west 60 rods, north 18 rods East
70 rods, north 18 rods, East 48 rods, South 98
rods owned by Levi J Remington benefit \$8.00

The SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 & 15 acres off of the south
End of the SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 36, Township 19
Range 3, Owned by Delilah Wheeler John
Wheeler & Joseph Wheeler, benefit \$100.00
being \$4.75 to John & \$5.25 to Joseph Wheeler,

We would further report that we were
at the Commencement point of said ditch
at Stake O. on the 15 day of November 1880,
at 10 o'clock A.M. the same being the time
mentioned in the notice which was duly
given the parties on the day of November 1880,
as is shown by the Affidavit of the Petitioner
now on file in the Office of the Auditor
of said County, All of said lands are
situate in the County of Hamilton State of Ind.,
and no lands are damaged by said
proposed ditch

We think the Estimate of the Engineer is
Sufficient to construct said ditch

Engineer's Estimate is	\$1225.50
Contingent Expenses	
Auditors fee	76.00
Rendered "	3.70
Attorneys "	104.00
Engineer "	8.00
Armenac	5.00
Recessing ditch	5.00

Appraisers fees	\$13,00
Expenses of John Wheeler & Co. 500	\$55,70
Total	\$12,81,20

It is further reported that said ditch as surveyed will be of sufficient capacity to carry all the water that will annually flow along such route, & will be conducive to the Public Health and Convenience of the Neighborhood and of Public Utility and it shall be the duty of Each of the Parties named herein to keep the Channel when open free and open upon the lands respectively owned by each.

State of Indiana
Hamilton County 3 Oct;

Amos Carson Henry Deane
& David A. Almond the above named Appraisers being duly sworn & affirmed say that the above is a true assessment to the best of their judgment & belief

Henry Deane
D. A. Almond
Amos Carson

Subscribed and affirmed to before me this
18th day of Nov. 1850.

W. M. Manwright
Notary Public

1 State of Indiana

2 Hamilton County 3831

3 I James K Fisher Recorder
4 of Hamilton County Indiana, do
5 hereby certify that the above and
6 foregoing is a true full & complete copy of
7 the above entitled case "Report of the appraisers
8 on the Whicker ditch assessment case" as
9 found and recorded in Record 2, pages
10 351 to 356, of the Recorder office recorded
11 on Dec 28 1880,

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13 Witness my hand & official seal
14 this the 18th day of Dec 1880,

15 James K Fisher
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Wheler Ditch Assessment.

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3 Hamilton County } Sec:

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7 or damages that would accrue to the owners
8 of land through which or near a certain ditch
9 will run when constructed, make the following
10 report.

11 Said ditch Commences at a Stake marked
12 O. at a point 2 rods north & 1 rod east of the
13 SW Corner, of the NW 1/4 of Sect 36 Twp 19 Range 3
14 and terminates at a Stake marked 158. at
15 a point 6 1/2 rods East & 84 rods South of the
16 South East Corner of the NE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of
17 Sect 30 Twp 19 Range 4. a full description of
18 which will be found in the petition filed
19 by John Wheeler, on the 18th day of October 1850.
20 We assess benefits to the following lands as
21 follows.

22 The NE 1/4 of Sect 35. & the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4
23 of Sect 36. both in Twp 19 Range 3. owned by Isaac
24 Roberts. Benefits \$161.05

25 The South 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sect 26 Twp 19 Range 3
26 owned by Levi Kendall. Benefits \$30.00

27 The NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 Sect 26 Twp 19 Range 3
28 owned by Eli Duffey. Benefits \$45.00

29 The SE 1/2 of the SW 1/4 of Sect 25 Twp 19 Range 3
30 owned by O. W. Brown. Benefits \$84.00

31 The 1/2 of the SW 1/4 & the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Sect
32 25. Twp 19. Range 3. owned by Geo. W. Baker
Benefits \$84.00

The NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 and the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4
of Sect 25 Twp 19 Range 3.

owned by Geo & Baker benefits \$161 25

A part of the E 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Sect 36 Twp 19 Range 3. Described as follows, begin
at the South West corner of said East 1/2
and run north 94 ⁸⁸/₁₀₀ rods thence East 53 ⁹⁶/₁₀₀
rods, thence South 94 ⁸⁸/₁₀₀ rods thence, thence West
to place of beginning owned by Isaac Pennington
Benefits \$16 80

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the SE 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Sect 36 Twp 19 Range
3. Described as follows, begin at the NW corner
of the East 1/2 of the NW 1/4, run thence East,
94 rods, & 20 links thence South 29 1/2 degrees,
East 39 rods, & 15 links thence West 58 rods &
15 links thence South 8 rods and 4 feet
thence West 75 rods & 7 links thence North
51 rods & 12 feet, to beginning owned by Amos
Pike. Benefits \$28 00

A part of the NW 1/4 of Sect 25 Twp 19 Range 3.
described as follows, begin at South East corner
run thence North 110 rods, West 88 rods,
South 110, East 88 rods owned by Joseph Wood
Benefits \$56 00

A part of the NW 1/4 of Sect 25 Twp 19
Range 3. Described as follows, begin
20 rods East of the South West corner thence East
52 rods, & 12 feet, North 110 rods West 72 rods
& 12 feet, South 30 rods, East 20 rods
South 80 rods, owned by Mrs Henry
Benefits \$15 00

1 The N^e/₄ of the N^e/₄ of Sect 25 T^p 19 Range
2 3 owned by Allen Tomlinson Benefits \$85.00

3 30 acres off of the North End of the East
4 1/2 of the South East 1/4 Sect 35 T^p 19 Range
5 3, owned by Asa Ellis Benefits \$2.80

6 The SW¹/₄ of the S^e/₄ of Sect 25 T^p 19 Range
7 3, owned by James Scott Benefits \$3.00

8 The W¹/₂ of the NW¹/₄ of the S^e/₄ & the
9 W¹/₂ of the SW¹/₄ of the N^e/₄, of Sect 25,
10 T^p 19 Range 3, owned by Jim Kinnett
11 Benefits \$33.60

12 The N^e/₄ of the SW¹/₄ and the following
13 described tract of land, begin at
14 the N.E. Corner, of the W¹/₂ of the SW¹/₄ and
15 thence west to the west line of Sec, South
16 64⁸/₁₀ rods, thence East 50¹⁹/₂₅ rods, South
17 12 rods, East 29⁶/₂₅ rods, thence
18 North to place of beginning all in
19 Sect 30 T^p 19 Range 4, owned
20 by Calvin Hunt, Benefits \$70.00

21 The N^e/₄ of the NW¹/₄ of Sect 30 Township
22 19, Range 4, and the following described land Begin
23 at the North East Corner, of the South East 1/4
24 thence west 41 rods, to passy branch ditch
25 down along said ditch on north bank to
26 East line of said 1/4 North on said line 42
27 rods, to begin owned by Riley Moon
28 Benefits \$61.00

29 The W¹/₂ of the NW¹/₄, except 2 acres off of
30 the North East corner also the S^e/₄ of the NW¹/₄
31 except 4 acres & 150 rods off the North East
32 Corner, of said tract, owned by John Tomlinson
Benefits \$105.00

1 The NW 1/2 of the NE 1/4 except 10 acres off of the
2 South end Sec 30. Twp. 19, Range 4 owned by
3 John Morris Benefits \$22.40

4 The NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 Sec. 30 Twp. 19 Range
5 3 except 15 acres off of the South End of the
6 NW 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec 30, Township 19, Range
7 owned by Lydia Gause Benefits \$39.00

8 The SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 Sec 24, Twp. 19 Range 3
9 owned by Levi Tompkinson Benefits \$20.00.

10 The South West 1/4 of the SE 1/4 & the SE 1/4 of the
11 SW 1/4 except 8. acres in the North West Corner,
12 of the last described tract & sections being
13 25 rods East & West, & 1 1/2 rods North & South
14 All Sec. 30 Township 19, Range 4.

15 Owned by John Beals, Benefits \$20.00

16 A part of the NW 1/4 of Sec 25 Twp. 19, Range 3.
17 described as follows begin at the North East Corner
18 thence South 61 rods, 16 2/3 links West 107 rods 18 3/4
19 links thence North to sec line thence East to
20 begin Owned by Peter Rich Benefits \$10.00

21 A part of the NW 1/4 of Sect 25 Twp. 19, Range 3.
22 described as follows begin at the South West Corner
23 thence North 80 rods, East 20 rods South 80
24 rods, West 20 rods, also the SE 1/4 of Sec 26.
25 Township 19 Range 3. Owned by Abner Davis
26 Benefits \$8.00

27 N & assess Washington Township for benefit
28 of Public Highway running through the
29 Center of Sect 25 & 26. Twp. 19 Range 3, Sec. 30.
30 Twp. 19, Range 4. East & West benefit \$30.00

31 A part of the E 1/2 of the NW 1/4 and a part of the
32 NW 1/2 of the NE 1/4 of Sec 36 Twp. 19, Range 3.

5 Described as follows, begin 47 rods & 5 links
west of the South East Corner, of the W¹/₂ of the N¹/₄
Thence west 80 rods, West 60 rods, North 18 rods East
70 rods North 18 rods, East 48 rods, South 98
rods owned by Levi J Pennington benefits \$8⁴⁰.

The SW¹/₄ of the NW¹/₄ & 15 acres off of the west
End of the SW¹/₄ of the NW¹/₄ of Sec. 36. Township, 19
Range 3. Owned by Delilah Wheeler John
Wheeler & Joseph Wheeler, benefits \$100⁰⁰,
being \$47⁶⁶ to John & \$53²⁰ to Joseph Wheeler,

We would further report that we met
at the Commencement point of said ditch
at Sloke O. on the 15 day of November 1880,
at 10 o'clock A.M. the same being the time
mentioned in the notice which was duly
given the parties on the day of November 1880,
as is shown by the Affidavit of the Petitioner
now on file in the Office of the Auditor
of said County, All of said lands are
situate on the County of Hamilton Sloke of Ind,
and no lands are damaged by said
proposed ditch

We think the Estimate of the Engineer is
Sufficient to Construct said Ditch
Engineer Estimate is \$1225⁵⁰
Contingent Expenses

Auditors fees	\$6 ⁰⁰
Reveries "	3 ⁷⁰
Atty fees "	10 ⁰⁰
Engineer "	8 ⁰⁰
Agency	5 ⁰⁰
Recurring Ditch	5 ⁰⁰

Appraisers fees \$13,00

Expenses of John Wheelwright notice 500 \$55,70

Total \$12,81,20

It is further report that said ditch as surveyed will be of sufficient capacity to carry all the water that will annually flow along such route, & will be conducive to the public health and convenience of the neighborhood and of public utility and it shall be the duty of each of the parties named herein to keep the channel when open free and open upon the lands respectively owned by such

State of Indiana

And it is further certified

Amos Carson Henry Davaney & David H. Almond the above named appraisers being duly sworn & affirmed say that the above is a true assessment to the best of their judgment & belief

Henry Davaney

D. H. Almond

Amos Carson

Subscribed and affirmed to before me this the 18th day of Nov. 1850,

W. C. Mannwright
Notary Public

1 State of Indiana }
2 Hamilton County } 381

3 I James K Fisher Recorder
4 of Hamilton County Indiana, do
5 hereby Certify that the above and
6 foregoing is a true full & complete copy of
7 the above entitled Case "Report of the appraisers
8 in the Wheeler Ditch assessment case" as
9 found & recorded in Record 2, pages
10 381, to 386, of the Recorder's office Recorded
11 in Book No. 28 1880,

12 Witness my hand & official Seal
13 this the 18th day of Dec 1880,
14 James K Fisher
15 R. H. C.

RECORD OF WHEELER AND BEALS DRAIN

1876 - March 30, J. B. Pettijohn, et al, filed petition for the construction of the Grassy Branch ditch. Petition approved and cause referred to viewers.

Commissioner's Record P, page 23

1876 - May 2, Report of viewers filed.

1876 - June 8, Proof of notices - report approved. Drain established as specified in report of viewers.

Commissioner's Record P, page 118

1876 - Sept. 2, Report of viewers relating to expense of drain.

Commissioner's Record P, page 163

Report of viewers on Grassy Branch Drain is on file in Surveyor's office and shows width in bottom as follows:

Stations	
0 to 47	- 10 inches
47 to 99	- 12 inches
99 to 232	- 2 feet
232 to 283	- 4 feet
283 to end	- 5 feet

JOHN WHEELER DITCH

1880 - Oct. ___ John Wheeler filed petition for repair or reconstruction of ditch.

Commissioner's Record R, page 501

The surveyor's ditch repair record No. 1, page 200 gives a description of the John Wheeler ditch and provides that the ditch shall be of the original width at bottom and reads as follows:

From Station 0 to 158 "original width at bottom".

JOHN BEALS DITCH

1881 - Sept. ___ Petition filed and cause referred to viewers.

Commissioner's Record S, page 240

1881 - Dec. 5, Remonstrance filed.

Commissioner's Record S, page 311

1882 - March 15, Report of viewers filed.

Commissioner's Record S, page 486

The Surveyor's ditch repair record No. 1, at page 5, gives a description of the John Beals-Grassy Branch-Ditch and provides that from Station 0 to Station 123 it was 3 ft. wide in bottom and from Station 123 to end of ditch 6 ft. wide in bottom.

Said Station 0 on the Beals ditch is the same as Station 159 on the Wheeler ditch, which means that from Station 159 to Station 282 it should be 3 ft. wide in the bottom and from Station 282 to end of ditch it should be 6 ft. wide in bottom.