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PROJECT STATUS

L/A CODE 90361 DES 000000 REF POST 73* 44 REF POST TO 73* 44
PROJECT NO. COUNTY LENGTH LOCATION
H-350 M361 PE TIPTON SEC 10 T21M R4E
CN TIPTON GARAGE SITE
ROAD PRIORITY STATUS
SR-28 NORMAL ACTIVE
RECEIVED PROJECT LETTING TURNKEY

10/21/1950 RECEIVED COMPLETED ESTIMATED COMPLETION REVISED COMPLETION

ABSTRACTING
ENGINEERING
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10/21/1950

PF3 RETURN PF10 GENERAL CLEAR=QUIT

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L/A CODE 90361 DES 000000 R/W PROJECT H-350

PARCEL BLDG GRANTOR ACTIVITY R/E STATUS
001 SHORTTE, HELEN S. 06/26/1992 - SECURED

PF3 RETURN
PF10 COST SUMMARY PF11 CONTRACTOR CLEAR=QUIT
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M-361
PARCEL 1

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THIS INDENTURE WITNESSETH

That Helen S. Shortle, ~~successor~~ and George Shortle, husband and wife of Tipton County, Indiana, for and in consideration of the sum of six hundred dollars (\$600.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, to her in hand paid by the State of Indiana, does hereby convey and warrant to the State of Indiana, its successors and assigns, forever real estate in the County of Tipton in the State of Indiana, thus bounded and described:

A part of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of section (10) ten township twenty one (21) north range four (4) east, described as follows to-wit:-
Beginning 794-3/10 feet west and 10 feet north of west end of coping on the south hand rail of the bridge on State Road No. 28 over Buck Creek in the northeast quarter (1/4) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of said section ten (10), said beginning point being in the center of road known as the Tipton, Tetersburg and Kempton gravel road, running thence west along the center line of said Highway 462 feet, thence southerly at right angles to said center line 616 feet, thence northeasterly along right of way line of State Road No. 28 to a point south from the beginning point and on a line perpendicular to the center line of the Tipton, Tetersburg and Kempton gravel road, and passing through said point; thence north 160 feet along said perpendicular to the place of beginning, containing four (4) acres more or less in Tipton County in the State of Indiana,

with all appurtenances.

M-321
PARCEL 1

THIS INSTRUMENT WITNESSETH

That Helen S. Shortle, ~~widow~~ and George Shortle, husband and wife, ~~of Tipson County, Indiana~~, for and in consideration of the sum of six hundred dollars (\$600.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, to her in hand paid by the State of Indiana, does hereby convey and warrant to the State of Indiana, its successors and assigns, forever real estate in the County of Tipson in the State of Indiana, thus bounded and described:

A part of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of section (10) township twenty one (21) north range four (4) east, described as follows to-wit:- Beginning 78'-10 feet west and 10 feet north of west end of coping on the south hand rail of the bridge on State Road No. 28 over Buck Creek in the northeast quarter (1/4) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of said section (10), said beginning point being in the center of road known as the Tipson, Tetersburg and Kempton gravel road, running thence west along the center line of said Highway 100 feet, thence southerly at right angles to said center line 612 feet, thence northerly along right of way line of State Road No. 28 to a point south from the beginning point and on a line perpendicular to the center line of the Tipson, Tetersburg and Kempton gravel road, and passing through said point; thence north 100 feet along said perpendicular to the place of beginning, containing four (4) acres more or less in Tipson County in the State of Indiana,

with all appurtenances.

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To have and to hold said real estate unto said grantee,
its successors and assigns, forever, IN WITNESS WHEREOF,
said grantor has ^{their} hereto set ~~his~~ hand and seal: this 21st
day of October, 1933.



Helen S. Shortle
George Shortle

STATE OF INDIANA }
COUNTY OF Tipton } SS:

Before me, Notary Public in and for said County and
State, on this 21st day of October, 1933, personally
George Shortle, husband and wife and
came Helen S. Shortle and duly acknowledged the execution
of the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal

C. A. Reynolds
Notary Public

My Commission Expires
January 6th, 1934

Recorded in Record 3
page 480
Noted C. Owen
sent to book

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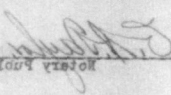
Entered for Taxation
October 25 - 1933
Ed Trumble, Auditor
Fee 10 ct

Noted for Record 25 day of
Oct 1933 at 2 o'clock P.M.
Wm. H. D. [unclear] F. E. Page 37
[unclear]
[unclear] 1933

COUNTY OF Tipton

Before me, Notary Public in and for said County and
State, on this 25th day of October, 1933, personally
George Shortie, husband and wife and
case Helen S. Shortie and duly acknowledged the execution
of the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal



Notary Public

January 24, 1934
My Commission Expires

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OF INDIANA
3rd FLOOR STATE HOUSE ANNEX
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

October 23, 19 33

To Helen S. Shortle,
Tipton, Indiana.

GENTLEMEN:

We enclose State Warrant No. 368901 10-23-19 33.,
in settlement of the following vouchers:

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
Garage Site at Tipton, Indiana	600 00

Yours truly,

.....
CONTROLLER

Received Payment:.....

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STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OF INDIANA
1st FLOOR STATE HOUSE ANNEX
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

October 23, 1933

To Messrs. S. Shortle,
Tippecanoe, Indiana.

GENTLEMEN:

We enclose State Warrant No. 10-23-1933, in settlement of the following vouchers:

AMOUNT	DESCRIPTION
500 00	Garage Site at Tippecanoe, Indiana

Yours truly,

COMMISSIONER

19

Received Payment:

INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46204-2249

INTER-DEPARTMENT COMMUNICATION

June 13, 1983

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mr. K. W. Mellinger, Chief
Division of Maintenance

THRU: Mr. D. W. Lucas, Deputy Director
Highway Operations

THRU: Mr. E. Wayne Walters, Deputy Director
Highway Development

FROM: Mr. John W. Brossart, Chief *JWB*
Division of Land Acquisition

SUBJECT: Tipton Subdistrict
Project: H-350
Parcel: #1
Road: S.R. 28
County: Tipton
Owner: John S. Shortle

As requested by your memorandum of April 4, 1983, contact has been made with the property owner in an effort to obtain an Option to Purchase. The property owner, Mr. John W. Shortle, has stated that he does not want to sell any of his land to the Indiana Department of Highways.

Please advise us if you desire any further action on this parcel.

JWB/WJG/pp

cc: Mr. C. Kramer
Mr. K. Saville
Control
Parcel ✓
File

INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS

INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46204
INTERDEPARTMENT COMMUNICATION

DATE: 10-1-58

MEMORANDUM

TO:	Mr. E. W. Wellington, Chief Division of Maintenance
FROM:	Mr. W. W. James, Deputy Director Highway Operations
DATE:	Mr. E. W. Wellington, Deputy Director Highway Development
RE:	Mr. Tom W. Greenleaf, Chief Division of Road Construction
SUBJECT:	Timing adjustment 1958-59 - 1-200 Project - 42 Road - 2-2-58 County - Tippecanoe District - 2-1-1958

It is requested that you advise me if you desire any further action on this matter.
 Mr. Tom W. Greenleaf has stated that he does not want to call on you for
 an order to obtain an order in Indiana. The project
 is being handled by your headquarters of April 1, 1958, should you wish.

WJW:lp

cc: Mr. E. W. Wellington
 Mr. W. W. James
 District
 Project
 File

BUYER'S REPORT

PROJECT NO. H. 350
COUNTY Tipton PARCEL NO. 1 CODE NO.
NAME & ADDRESS OF OWNER John S Skittle
121 N Franklin St Williams Ind 46006 PHONE 319-946-3583
NAME & ADDRESS OF PERSON CONTACTED _____

PHONE _____
(list other interested parties on reverse side including nature of their interest)
DATE ASSIGNED 4-18-83 DATE OF CONTACT 6-1-83 TIME OF CONTACT 6:30 PM

OFFER \$ 41817.⁰⁰ TYPE OF CONTACT: ()-PERSONAL VISIT, (X)-TELEPHONE CALL
Write, YES, NO or N/A (for Not Applicable), in each numbered blank space:

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|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> | Checked Abstract with owner? | 13. <input type="checkbox"/> | Sent Daily Notice to Relocation Section? |
| 2. <input type="checkbox"/> | Any affidavits taken? | 14. <input type="checkbox"/> | Written offer? |
| 3. <input type="checkbox"/> | Any mortgage(s)? | 15. <input type="checkbox"/> | Land Acquisition Brochure? |
| 4. <input type="checkbox"/> | Any other liens, judgments, etc.? | 16. <input type="checkbox"/> | Retention Letter? |
| 5. <input type="checkbox"/> | Showed plans? Explained take? | 17. <input type="checkbox"/> | Statement of Just Compensation? |
| 6. <input type="checkbox"/> | Explained about retentions? | 18. <input type="checkbox"/> | Tax memo (interim period)? |
| 7. <input type="checkbox"/> | Any major item retained? | 19. <input type="checkbox"/> | Receipt of Deed? |
| 8. <input type="checkbox"/> | Any minor items retained? | 20. <input type="checkbox"/> | Copy of Deed? |
| 9. <input type="checkbox"/> | Walked over property? | 21. <input type="checkbox"/> | Private appraisal letter? |
| 10. <input type="checkbox"/> | Arranged for owner to pay taxes? | 22. <input type="checkbox"/> | Brochure, "Relocation & You"? |
| 11. <input type="checkbox"/> | Secured Right-of-Entry? | | |
| 12. <input type="checkbox"/> | Secured driveway Right-of-Entry? | | |

REMARKS: I asked to see Mr Skittle by phone to see if he would be interested in selling 7.89 acres at 5300 per acre for extension of our maintenance site He said he had been a good help and said no and his feelings hadn't changed. I asked him if it was the money He said no that he just did not want to sell any land now. I asked if he would think I over. He said no but I call again but he would change his mind to turn parcel back to the Griffith

Status of Parcel: ()-Secured, ()-Condemned, ()-Other (Explain):

- Distribution Made
() Parcel (X) Weekly Summary
() Owner () Attorney
() Broker () Other, Specify

NA

D. J. Conway
(Signature)

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Case No. 100-100000-1
SUBJECT: [Handwritten Name]
[Handwritten Address]
[Handwritten City, State, Zip]

DATE OF CONTACT: [Handwritten Date]
TYPE OF CONTACT: [Handwritten Description]

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PROJECT NO. H-350

COUNTY Tipton PARCEL NO. 1 CODE NO.

NAME & ADDRESS OF OWNER John I. Shortle
125 N. Market St. Muncie 46906 PHONE

NAME & ADDRESS OF PERSON CONTACTED

PHONE
(List other interested parties on reverse side including nature of their interest)

DATE ASSIGNED 4-18-83 DATE OF CONTACT 5-4-83 TIME OF CONTACT 7:30 AM

OFFER \$ TYPE OF CONTACT: ()-PERSONAL VISIT, ()-TELEPHONE CALL
Write, YES, NO or N/A (for Not Applicable), as appropriate, in each numbered blank space:

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|---|--|
| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Checked Abstract with owner? | 13. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sent Daily Notice to Relocation Section? |
| 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Any affidavits taken? | LEFT FOLLOWING PAPERS WITH OWNERS: |
| 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Any mortgage(s)? | 14. <input type="checkbox"/> Written offer? |
| 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Any other liens, judgments, etc.? | 15. <input type="checkbox"/> Land Acquisition Brochure? |
| 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Showed plans? Explained take? | 16. <input type="checkbox"/> Retention letter? |
| 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Explained about retentions? | 17. <input type="checkbox"/> Statement of Just Compensation? |
| 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Any major items retained? | 18. <input type="checkbox"/> Tax memo (interim period)? |
| 8. <input type="checkbox"/> Any minor items retained? | 19. <input type="checkbox"/> Receipt of Deed? |
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| 11. <input type="checkbox"/> Secured Right-of-Entry? | 22. <input type="checkbox"/> Brochure, "Relocation & You"? |
| 12. <input type="checkbox"/> Secured driveway Right-of-Entry? | |

REMARKS:
During the project site to make an
on site inspection of the proposed
Munciana site hope contacting owner
and making offer to purchase
Go contact owner later, who lives
in Muncie

Status of Parcel: ()-Secured, ()-Condemned, ()-Other (Explain):
Distribution Made
 Parcel
 Owner
 Broker
 Weekly Summary
 Attorney
 Other, Specify
N/A
A. J. [Signature]
(Signature)

District Court of the United States

FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA

Indianapolis DIVISION

I, the undersigned, Clerk of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Indiana, do hereby certify that after diligent search I find no unsatisfied judgments upon the records of said Court at Indianapolis rendered within the last ten years against

Helen S. Shortle

WITNESS my hand and the seal of said District Court, this

16th day of October, 1933.

Albert C. Szymanski, Clerk

District Court of the United States

FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA

Indianapolis, Indiana

It is the order of the Court that the Plaintiff do file a bill of particulars of the charges hereinbefore set forth, and that the same be filed on or before the 15th day of October, 1933.

Walter S. Morris

WITNESSES my hand and the seal of said District Court, this

15th day of October, 1933.



United States District Court

SOUTH BEND DIVISION, NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA

October 17, 19 33

I, Margaret Congill, Clerk of the United States District Court for Northern District of Indiana, do hereby certify that after diligent search I find no

~~subpoenas, writs and other process, pending orders, judgments, and other proceedings~~
 against either of the following-named persons, from 13th day of October, 1923
 up to and including the 13th day of October, A. D. 19 33, namely,

Helen S. Shortle,

Witness my official signature and the seal of said Court, at South Bend
 in said district at 2:00 o'clock P. M., this 17th day
 of October, A. D. 19 33

MARGARET CONGILL
 Clerk, United States District Court.

Fees: \$

By Ruth E. Shind
 Deputy Clerk.

Strike out item for which search was not requested.

United States District Court

District of _____

Case No. _____

Plaintiff _____

vs.

Defendant _____

Comes now _____

and files heretofore _____

ABSTRACT OF TITLE.

TO

A PART OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER ($\frac{1}{4}$) OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER ($\frac{1}{4}$) OF SECTION TEN (10) TOWNSHIP TWENTY ONE (21) NORTH RANGE FOUR (4) EAST, DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS TO-WIT:-BEGINNING 794-8/10 FEET WEST AND 10 FEET NORTH OF WEST END OF COPING ON THE SOUTH HAND RAIL OF THE BRIDGE ON STATE ROAD NO. 28 OVER BUCK CREEK IN THE NORTHEAST QUARTER ($\frac{1}{4}$) OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER ($\frac{1}{4}$) OF SAID SECTION TEN (10), SAID BEGINNING POINT BEING IN THE CENTER OF ROAD KNOWN AS THE TIPTON, TETERSBURG AND KEMPTON GRAVEL ROAD, RUNNING THENCE WEST ALONG THE CENTER LINE OF SAID HIGHWAY 462 FEET, THENCE SOUTHERLY AT RIGHT ANGLE TO SAID CENTER LINE 616 FEET, THENCE NORTHEASTERLY ALONG RIGHT OF WAY LINE OF STATE ROAD NO. 28 TO A POINT SOUTH FROM THE BEGINNING POINT AND ON A LINE PERPENDICULAR TO THE CENTER LINE OF THE TIPTON, TETERSBURG AND KEMPTON GRAVEL ROAD, AND PASSING THROUGH SAID POINT; THENCE NORTH 160 FEET ALONG SAID PERPENDICULAR TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING, CONTAINING FOUR (4) ACRES MORE OR LESS IN TIPTON COUNTY IN THE STATE OF INDIANA.

PREPARED

FOR

HELEN S. SHORTLE

BY

TITLE GUARANTY & ABSTRACT COMPANY
TIPTON COUNTY INDIANA

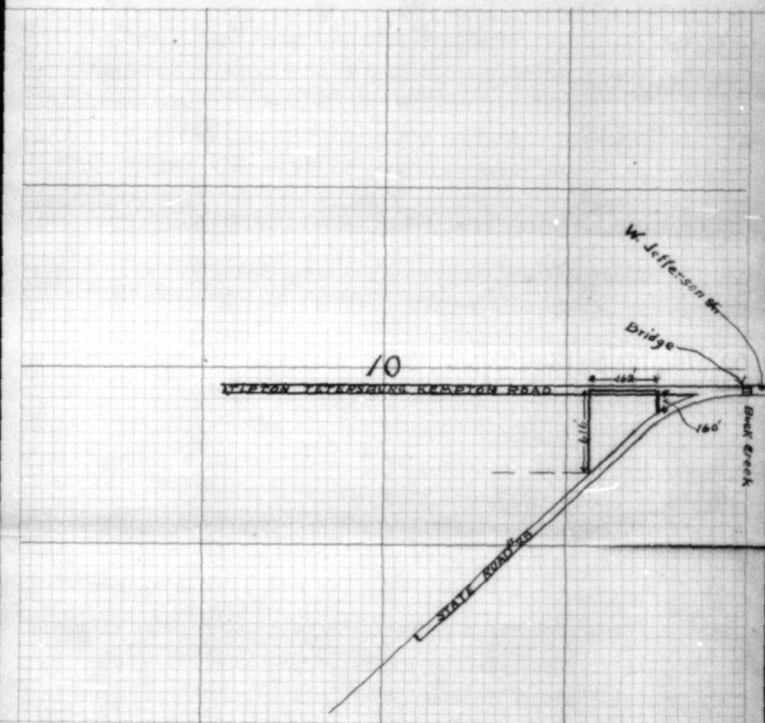
PLAT

Locating Land of *Helen S. Shortle*

in TIPTON County

Section 10 Township 21 Range 3 E.

4 Acres



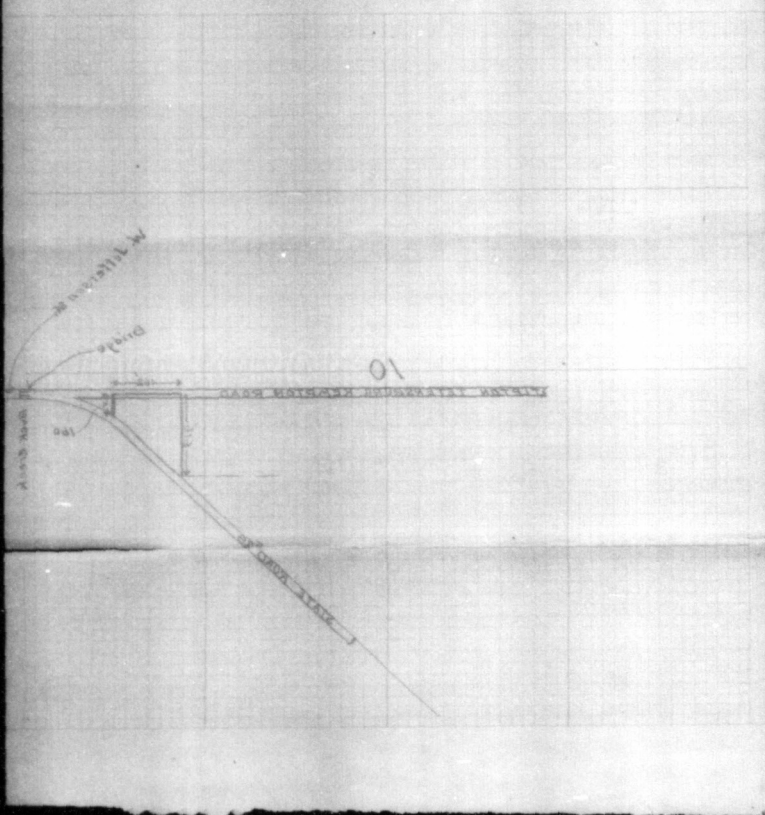
PLAT

Locating Land of *John S. Smith*

in Tipton County

Section 10 Township 21 Range 3 E.

H. Allen



GOVERNMENT ENTRY

The United States of America

1 TO

Benjamin Miller

Government Entry (South Boundary Line) to Fractional Section ten, township twenty one north range four east, containing 277.37 acres in Tipton County Indiana.

Dated August 24th, 1836 as shown by the Government Entry Book in the Office of the Abstractor hereof the same being certified to by James E. Baker, Land Clerk of the State of Indiana.

PATENT DEED

The United States of America

By, Martin VanBuren, President

By, A. VanBuren, Sec'y

2 TO

Benjamin Miller, his heirs and assigns forever

Patent Deed, Certificate #13747 to Fractional Section ten township twenty one north range four east in the District of lands subject to sale at Fort Wayne Indiana, containing 277.37 acres, according to the Official Plat of the survey of the said lands, returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General Dated August 5th, 1837, Recorded Oct. 29th, 1851 in Deed Record "C" page 247. (Same Patent also recorded June 7th, 1916 in Deed Record 65 at page 268)

GOVERNMENT ENTRY

The United States of America

TO

Benjamin Miller

Government Entry (South Boundary Line) to fractional Section ten, township
twenty one north range four east, containing 877.76 acres in Ripon County,
Indiana.

Deed August 24th, 1856 as shown by the Government Entry Book in the Office
of the Abstractor heretofore the same being certified to by James W. Baker, Land
Clerk of the State of Indiana.

WARRANT

The United States of America

By Martin VanBuren, President

By A. VanBuren, Sec'y

TO

Benjamin Miller, his heirs and assigns forever

Patent No. 15747 to fractional Section ten, township twenty one
north range four east in the District of lands subject to sale at Fort Wayne
Indiana, containing 877.76 acres, according to the Official Map of the survey
of the said lands, returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General
dated August 24th, 1857, recorded Oct. 29th, 1857 in Deed Record "C" page 447.
(Same Patent also recorded June 7th, 1858 in Deed Record 66 at page 468)

RECORDED AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF MISSOURI JASPER COUNTY SS:

John Wampler makes affirmation and says that Benjamin Miller died in about the year 1856 intestate leaving his widow Elizabeth Miller and the following children George Miller, Benjamin Miller, David Miller, Susan who was married to the affiant, Elizabeth who was married to Henry Klepinger and Margaret who was married to Daniel Stoner and further that the above named heirs were of legal age on 31 Oct. 1865 except David Miller who was of legal age on 18th of Aug. 1866 and unmarried, as was also Benjamin Miller on the 31st Oct. 1865 and further that the foregoing were all the heirs of the said Benjamin Miller, dec'd.

John Wampler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of January 1888.

Robt T. Stickney (SEAL)

My Com. Ex. July 27th, 1889.

Notary Public

Recorded Feb. 17th, 1888 in Misc. Record 3 page 329, Recorder's Office in Tipton County Indiana.

STATE OF MISSOURI

STATE OF MISSOURI, LAMAR COUNTY, SS:

John Wampler makes affirmation and says that Benjamin Miller died in about the year 1866 intestate leaving his widow Elizabeth Miller and the following children George Miller, Benjamin Miller, Lewis Miller, Susan who was married to the estate, Elizabeth who was married to Henry Kasperger and Mary who was married to Daniel Stearn and further that the above named heirs were of legal age on 31 Oct. 1866 except David Miller who was of legal age on 18th of Aug. 1866 and unmarried, as was also Benjamin Miller on the 31st Oct. 1866 and further that the foregoing were all the heirs of the said Benjamin Miller, dec'd.

John Wampler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of January 1868.

Robt T. Slickney (SEAL)

Notary Public

My Comm. Expires 27th 1869.

Recorded Feb. 12th, 1868 in Miss. Record 3 page 226, Recorder's Office in

Tipton County Indiana.

PARTITION

John Wampler
Susan Wampler
George Miller

VS

Daniel Miller
Elizabeth Miller
Benjamin Miller
Margaret Miller
David Miller.

Be it remembered that heretofore to-wit:-On the ninth day of October in the year of our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and fifty six, the plaintiffs filed in the Clerk's Office of the Tipton Court of Common Pleas, in the District composed of the Counties of Tipton, Hamilton and Howard, in the State of Indiana, by William Henderson their attorney, their complaint in writing against the defendants which is in the words and figures following to-wit:- In the Tipton Court of Common Pleas October Term 1856. The complaint of John Wampler, Susan Wampler, his wife late Susan Miller and George Miller children and heirs at law of Benjamin Miller, shows unto your honor, that one Benjamin Miller in his life time to-wit on the 8th day of October 1835, purchased of the United States the following premises situated in Wabash County in the State of Indiana to-wit:-section 19 in township 28 north of range 7 east, also section 30 township 28 range 7, all in the District of lands subject to sale at Fort Wayne Indiana and that on the day and year aforesaid the United States executed and delivered to the said Benjamin Miller a patent for said lands, which are here filed marked A & B and that on the 1st day of August 1837 the United States by two Patents of that date which are filed herewith and marked C & D conveyed to the said Benjamin Miller the following described lands situated in Tipton County Indiana to-wit:-The southeast quarter of section 22 township 21 north of range 4 east, and the southwest quarter of section 13 township 21 north range 4 east, and by Patent dated Aug. 5th, 1837, which are filed herewith marked E, F, G. & H. The United States

EXHIBITION

- John Wampler
- Swann Wampler
- George Miller
- VS
- Samuel Miller
- Elizabeth Miller
- Benjamin Miller
- Margaret Miller
- David Miller

It is remembered that heretofore to-wit: On the ninth day of October in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty six, the plaintiff filed in the Clerk's Office of the District Court of Common Pleas in the State of Indiana, by William Henderson their attorney, their complaint in writing against the defendants which is in the words and figures following to-wit: In the District Court of Common Pleas October Term 1856

The complaint of John Wampler, Swann Wampler, his wife Susan Miller and George Miller children and heirs at law of Benjamin Miller, shows unto your honor, that one Benjamin Miller in his life time to-wit on the 17th day of October 1835, purchased of the United States the following premises situated in Wayne County in the State of Indiana to-wit: section 12 in township 18 north of range 7 east, also section 30 township 18 range 7 east in the District of lands subject to sale at York Wayne Indiana and that on the day and year aforesaid the United States executed and delivered to the said Benjamin Miller a patent for said lands, which as here filed marked A & B and that on the 10th day of August 1837 the United States by two patents of that date which are filed herewith and marked C & D conveyed to the said Benjamin Miller the following described lands situated in Tipton County Indiana to-wit: The southeast quarter of section 22 township 21 north of range 4 east, and the southwest quarter of section 12 township 21 north range 4 east, and by patent dated Aug. 27th 1837, which are filed herewith marked N.Y. & H. The United States

conveyed to the said Benjamin Miller, the following premises in said County of Tipton to-wit:-The west half of the southwest quarter of section 26 in township 21 north range 4 east, "And the Fractional Section 10 in the same township and range", also the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 25, the west half of the southeast quarter of section 26 in the same township and range, and also the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 22, and the northwest quarter of section 23 in the same township and range, all in the District of land, subject to sale at Fort Wayne Indiana and on the ___ day of _____ the said Benjamin Miller conveyed to Absalom Angstadt the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 22 township 21 north range 4 east, being 40 acres, and to James Dailey the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 25 township 21 north range 4 east, being 40 acres and to James Wilson the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 25 township 21 north range 4 east being 40 acres, all in Tipton County.

Your complainants also state that on the ___ day of October 1855 the said Benjamin Miller departed this life at Montgomery County in the State of Ohio intestate leaving as his sole legal heirs at law your complainants and Daniel Miller, Elizabeth Miller, widow of said Benjamin Miller, deceased, Benjamin Miller Jr., Margaret Miller and David Miller. That said Benjamin Miller died seized of all the property heretofore described except that part conveyed by him to Abraham Angstadt, James Daily and James Wilson.

That your complainants and the said defendants are tenants in common of said premises, that said Elizabeth Miller, widow of said Benjamin Miller, is entitled to her dower in said lands and your complainants John Wampler and his wife Susan Wampler, are entitled to one part of said premises and the said George Miller is entitled to one sixth part of said premises and the said Daniel, Benjamin Jr., Margaret and David Miller are each entitled to one sixth part of said premises said complainants therefore pray the Court to appoint three disinterested freeholders residents of said County, of Tipton to make partition of said premises and that they be ordered and directed to assign and set off the dower of the said Elizabeth Miller, in and to said premises and that they assign and set apart unto the said John Wampler and Susan Wampler one sixth of said premises and to the said George Miller one sixth part of said premises and to each of the defendants one sixth part of said premises

conveyed to the said Benjamin Miller, the following premises in said County of Tipton to-wit: The west half of the southeast quarter of section 26 in township 21 north range 4 east, and the fractional section 10 in the same township and range, also the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 26, the west half of the southeast quarter of section 26 in the same township and range, and also the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 26, and the northwest quarter of section 26 in the same township and range, all in the District of land, subject to sale at Fort Wayne Indiana and on the _____ day of _____ the said Benjamin Miller conveyed to Abraham Angstadt the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 26 township 21 north range 4 east, being 40 acres, and to James Wilson the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 26 township 21 north range 4 east, being 40 acres, and to James Wilson the southeast quarter of section 26 township 21 north range 4 east being 40 acres, all in Tipton County.

Your complainants also state that on the _____ day of October 1885 the said Benjamin Miller departed this life at Montgomery County in the State of Ohio intestate leaving as his sole legal heirs at law your complainants and David Miller, Elizabeth Miller, widow of said Benjamin Miller, deceased, Benjamin Miller, Margaret Miller and David Miller. That said Benjamin Miller died seized of all the property herebefore described except that part conveyed by him to Abraham Angstadt, James Wiley and James Wilson.

That your complainants and the said defendants are tenants in common of said premises, that said Elizabeth Miller, widow of said Benjamin Miller, is entitled to her dower in said lands and your complainants John Wampler and the said wife Susan Wampler are entitled to one part of said premises and the said George Miller is entitled to one sixth part of said premises and the said Daniel, Benjamin, Jr., Margaret and David Miller are each entitled to one sixth part of said premises said complainants therefore pray the Court to appoint three disinterested freeholders residents of said County of Tipton to make partition of said premises and that they be ordered and directed to return and set out the dower of the said Elizabeth Miller, in and to said premises and that they be ordered and set apart into the said John Wampler and Susan Wampler one sixth of said premises and to the said George Miller one sixth part of said premises and to each of the defendants one sixth part of said premises

and to make each further order in the premises as equity may require.

W.Henderson
Pliff's Atty.

And at the same time to-wit:- the ninth day of October in the year of our Lord 1856 the plaintiffs filed in said Clerk's Office an affidavit of the non-resident of the defendants to-wit:-

ART. OF NON-RESIDENCE

STATE OF INDIANA MARION COUNTY SS:

Personally appeared before me C.B.Davis, a Notary Public in and for said County aforesaid William Henderson, attorney for said plaintiffs makes and says that he is informed and believes that the defendants to this bill of complaint are all non residents of the State of Indiana.

W.Henderson

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of July A.D.1856
Witness my hand and Notarial seal.

C.B.Davis, Notary Public

And afterwards to-wit:-On Tuesday the 21st day of April in 1857, the same being the 2nd Judicial Day of the April Term of the Tipton Court of Common Pleas holden before the Judge thereof, the following proceedings were had in said cause to-wit:-The plaintiffs by William Henderson their attorney come and on motion plaintiff has leave and now publishes the depositions in this behalf taken.

And afterwards to-wit:-On Thursday the 23rd day of April 1857, the same being the 4th Judicial Day of the April Term of the Tipton Court of Common Pleas holden before the Judge thereof the following proceedings were had in said cause to-wit:-The plaintiffs come and on motion this cause is continued until the next term of this Court for publication.

And afterwards to-wit:- On Tuesday the 21st day of July in the year 1857 the same being the 2nd Judicial Day of the July Term of the Court of Common Pleas holden before the Honorable Nathaniel K.Lindsay, Judge of said Court the following proceedings were had in said cause to-wit:-At this time come the plaintiffs by Wm.Henderson and J.W.Gordon, their attorneys, and John Green Esq. is now appointed Guardian ad litem of Benjamin Miller, Jr., Margaret Miller and David Miller, the infant defendants named in the said complaint and now

and to make each further order in the premises as aforesaid.

W. Henderson
 Plaintiff's Atty.

And at the same time to-wit: the sixth day of October in the year of our Lord 1888 the plaintiff filed in said Clerk's Office an affidavit of the non-residence of the defendant to-wit:

STATE OF INDIANA, MARSH COUNTY SS:
 Personally appeared before me C. S. Lewis, a Notary Public in and for said County aforesaid William Henderson, attorney for said plaintiff, and says that he is informed and believes that the defendant to this bill of complaint are all non-residents of the State of Indiana.

W. Henderson
 Defendant to and undersigned before me this first day of July A.D. 1888.

Witness my hand and Notarial seal.
 C. S. Lewis, Notary Public

And afterwards to-wit: on Tuesday the first day of April in 1887, the same being the last judicial day of the April term of the Tipton Court of Common Pleas holden before the Judge thereof, the following proceedings were had in said cause to-wit: The plaintiff by William Henderson their attorney came and on motion plaintiff has leave and now publishes the deposition in this behalf taken.

And afterwards to-wit: on Thursday the third day of April 1887, the same being the last judicial day of the April term of the Tipton Court of Common Pleas holden before the Judge thereof the following proceedings were had in said cause to-wit: The plaintiff's cause came on motion this cause is continued until the next term of this Court for publication.

And afterwards to-wit: on Tuesday the first day of July in the year 1887 the same being the last judicial day of the July term of the Court of Common Pleas holden before the Honorable Nathaniel K. Lindsay, Judge of said Court the following proceedings were had in said cause to-wit: At this time some of the plaintiffs by W. Henderson and J. W. Gordon, their attorneys, and John Greenfield, now appointed Guardian ad litem of Benjamin Miller, Jr., deceased, Miller and David Miller, the infant herein named in the said complaint and now

files his answer herein as such guardian in the words and figures following:-

ANSWER OF GUARD. AD LITEM

Wampler and others

VS

Complaint for Partition

Miller and others

John Green, guardian ad litem for Benjamin Miller Jr., Margaret Miller and David Miller, infant heirs of Benjamin Miller, deceased, for answer to said complaint says that he denies the facts states in said complaint so far as they may be or as any conclusion thereof, or therefrom, may be adverse to their interest and requires strict proof thereof.

John Green, Guardian Ad Litem.

And the rest of said defendants being severally three times called and come not but herein wholly make default and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that said defendants have been duly notified of the pendency of this suit by printed notices thereof printed and published in the Western Dominion a weekly newspaper printed and published in Tipton County in the State of Indiana, and of general circulation therein for three weeks successively the last of which was more than 60 days prior to the first day of the present term of this Court.

NOTICE.

Tipton Common Pleas Court, July Term 1857

John Wampler

Susan Wampler

George Miller

VS

Daniel Miller

Elizabeth Miller

Benj. Miller

Margaret Miller and

David Miller

For Partition

Now on the 9th day of October 1856 came the plaintiffs by William Henderson their attorney and file their petition in the above entitled cause together with the affidavit of a proper person that defendants are all non-residents

These are answer herein as each herein in the words and phrases following:-

MEMORANDUM ON CHARGES AND DEFENSE

Wagoner and others

VS

Complainant for partition

Miller and others

John Green, Complainant as filer for Benjamin Miller Jr., Margaret Miller and David Miller, Inters heirs of Benjamin Miller, deceased, for answer to said complainant says that he denies the facts stated in said complaint so far as they may be or as any complaint thereof, or restriction, may be adverse to their interest and requires strict proof thereof.

John Green, Complainant as filer. And the rest of said defendants being severally three times called and come not but herein wholly make default and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that said defendants have been duly notified of the pendency of this suit by printed notices thereof printed and published in the Western Dominion a weekly newspaper printed and published in Tipton County in the State of Indiana, and of general circulation therein for three weeks successively the last of which was more than 60 days prior to the first day of the present term of this Court.

DEFENSE.

Tipton Common Pleas Court, July Term 1887

John Wagoner

Samuel Wagoner

George Miller

VS

David Miller

Elizabeth Miller

David Miller

For partition

Margaret Miller and

David Miller

Now on the 9th day of October 1886 came the plaintiffs by William Henderson their attorney and the defendants in the above entitled cause together with the affidavits of a proper person that defendants are all non-residents

of the State of Indiana, and said defendants are therefore hereby notified of the filing and pendency of said petition and that unless they appear in said Court at said term thereof to be holden at the Court House in the town of Tipton, Tipton County Indiana on the 3rd Monday in July 1857, and plead, answer or demur to-wit:-on or before the calling of this cause the same will be heard and determined in their absence.

May 18, 1857

Attest:- S. Turpen, Clerk.

Wm. Henderson, Atty for Fifth

PROOF OF PUBLICATION

Oliver L. Baird, Editor, of the Western Dominion being first duly sworn deposes and says that he is Editor of the Western Dominion a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Tipton, Tipton County Indiana and that the above annexed notice taken from said newspaper has been printed and published in said paper for more than 60 days consecutively prior to the 1st day of the July Term, of Tipton Common Pleas Court 1857.

Oliver L. Baird

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of July 1857

S. Turpen, Clerk

By, S. W. Taylor, Deputy

It is therefore considered by the Court that the said complaint and the matters and things therein set forth are true in manner and form as the same are herein alleged, and pleaded as against the said defendants and the evidence being adduced and all things well understood by the Court it is further ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the parties plaintiffs and defendants are tenants in common of the lands described in the said complaint and hold the same by title derived to them as the heirs of the said Benjamin Miller, deceased, except the said Elizabeth Miller whose title and right therein accrues to her in virtue of her relation to said decedent as his widow, to-wit:-The southeast quarter of section 22 in township 21 north range 4 east, and the southwest quarter of section 18 in township 21 north range 4 east, the west half of the southwest quarter of section 26 township 21 north range 4 east, and the Fractional Section 10 in the same township and range, also the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 25, the west half of the southeast quarter,

of the State of Indiana, and said defendants are therefore hereby notified of the filing and pendency of said petition and that unless they appear in said court at said term thereof to be held at the Court House in the town of Tippecanoe County Indiana on the 2nd Monday in July 1887, and plead answer or demur to-wit: on or before the calling of this cause the case will be heard and determined in their absence.

Attest: - E. Tupper, Clerk
Wm. Henderson, Atty for Mills
May 18, 1887

PROOF BY PUBLICATION

Oliver I. Babin, Editor of the Western Dominion being first duly sworn deposes and says that he is Editor of the Western Dominion a newspaper of general circulation printed and published in Tippecanoe County Indiana and that the above annexed notice taken from said newspaper has been printed and published in said paper for more than 60 days consecutively prior to the 1st day of the 1st Term of Tippecanoe County Court 1887.

Oliver I. Babin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July 1887

E. Tupper, Clerk

By E. W. Taylor, Deputy

It is therefore considered by the Court that the said complaint and the matters and things therein set forth are true in manner and form as the same are herein alleged, and pleased so against the said defendants and the evidence being adduced and all things well understood by the Court it is further ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the parties plaintiff and defendant are tenants in common of the lands described in the said complaint and hold the same by title derived to them as the heirs of the said Benjamin Miller, deceased, except the said Elizabeth Miller whose title and right therein accrued to her in virtue of her relation to said decedent as his widow, to-wit: The southeast quarter of section 12 in township 21 north range 4 east, and the southwest quarter of section 12 in township 21 north range 4 east, the west half of the southeast quarter of section 12 in township 21 north range 4 east, and the fractional section 10 in the same township and range, also the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 12 in township 21 north range 4 east, and the

and the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 20 in the same township and range, and also the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 22 and the northwest quarter of section 33 in the same township and range all in the said Tipton County and the State of Indiana, except the following portions of said lands which said Benjamin Miller, deceased, sold and conveyed in his lifetime and which are part and parcel of the above described lands to-wit:-The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 22 township 21 north range 4 east, being 40 acres, and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 25 township 21 north range 4 east being 40 acres and the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 26 township 21 north range 4 east, being 40 acres, and also the following lands situated in the County of Wabash in the said State of Indiana to-wit:-Section 19 township 28 north range 7, also section 20 township 28 north range 7 east.

And the Court do further say and find that the value of said lands in the aggregate is the sum of \$21,900.65 dollars.

It is therefore further ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that partition of said premises be made as follows to-wit:-That after setting off to the said Elizabeth Miller the said widow of said Benjamin Miller, deceased, the one full and equal fifth part in value of the said lands and to the said Daniel Miller, Benjamin Miller Jr., Margaret Miller, and David Miller, four sixths of the four fifths of said land remaining after said widows one fifth aforesaid to the said widow and the said Daniel Miller, Benjamin Miller Jr., Margaret Miller and David Miller to be by them held as tenants in common the remaining two sixths of the four fifths in value of said lands to be set off to the said Susan Wampler, and John Wampler, her husband and the said George Miller, plaintiffs in this suit in severalty that is to say so that the said Susan Wampler wife of the said John Wampler and the said George Miller, shall each have set off to them the one full and equal sixth part of the said four fifths of said lands after the deduction therefrom of the said Elizabeth Miller's one fifth thereof as aforesaid.

It is further ordered adjudged and decreed that William Dickey, Joseph A. Lewis and Marion P. Evans be and they are hereby appointed, Commissioners to make

and the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 20 in the same township and range, and also the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 22 and the northwest quarter of section 23 in the same township and range all in the said Tipton County and the State of Indiana, except the following portions of said lands which said Benjamin Miller, deceased, sold and conveyed in his lifetime and which are part and parcel of the above described lands to-wit: The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 22 township 21 north range 4 east, being 40 acres, and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 22 township 21 north range 4 east being 40 acres and the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 22 township 21 north range 4 east, being 40 acres, and also the following lands situated in the County of Wabash in the said State of Indiana to-wit: Section 19 township 23 north range 7 east section 20 township 23 north range 7 east.

And the Court do further say and find that the value of said lands in the aggregate is the sum of \$21,000.00 dollars.

It is therefore further ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that partition of said premises be made as follows to-wit: That after setting off to the said Elizabeth Miller the said widow of said Benjamin Miller, deceased, the one full and equal fifth part in value of the said lands and to the said Daniel Miller, Benjamin Miller, Jr., Lawrence Miller, and David Miller, four sixths of the four fifths of said land remaining after said widow one fifth thereof to the said widow and the said Daniel Miller, Benjamin Miller, Jr., Lawrence Miller and David Miller to be by them held as tenants in common the remaining two sixths of the four fifths in value of said lands to be set off to the said Susan Wampler, and John Wampler, her husband and the said George Miller, Plaintiff in this suit in severally that is to say so that the said Susan Wampler wife of the said John Wampler and the said George Miller, shall each have set off to them the one full and equal sixth part of the said four fifths of said lands after the deduction therefrom of the said Elizabeth Miller's one fifth thereof as aforesaid.

It is further ordered adjudged and decreed that William Dickel, Joseph A. Lewis and Barton T. Evans be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to make

partition of said lands in pursuance of this order and decree and that before proceeding to discharge their duties under this appointment and order they take an oath faithfully and impartially to discharge and perform the duties and trusts of their said trust, which oath shall be endorsed on the warrant issued to them to make such partition.

It is further ordered adjudged and decreed by the Court that the Clerk of this Court within ten days from the rendition of this decree issue a copy thereof to said commissioners duly authenticated under his hand and the seal of this Court which shall be their sufficient warrant and upon receiving the said copy of this decree it is hereby made the duty of said commissioners within a reasonable time to make such partition and that they make report of their proceedings herein at the next term of this Court, to which term this cause is continued.

And afterwards to-wit:-On Tuesday the 20th day of October 1857 the same being the End Judicial day of the October Term of the Tipton County Common Pleas holden before the Honorable Nathaniel R. Lindsay, Judge of said Court, the following proceedings were had in said cause to-wit:-

The plaintiffs by William Henderson their attorney come and file the consent of all the defendants that partition be made among them as well as among the plaintiffs, which consent is in the words and figures following to-wit

CONSENT FOR PARTITION

In the Tipton Court of Common Pleas, July Term 1857

John Wampler, Susan Wampler and George Wampler

VS

Daniel Miller, Elizabeth Miller and others

The undersigned defendants to the petition for partition in the above cause desire and request that the premises described in said petition be divided by the commissioners appointed for that purpose between the plaintiffs and defendants alike assigning to each of us our just and proper proportions of said land by proper metes and bounds.

Daniel W. Miller, Elizabeth Miller, Margaret Miller
her
Benjamin Miller, David Miller, minors, by Elizabeth x Miller
mark
Guardian appointed by Probate Court Montgomery Co. Ohio

Attest:-
E. W. Davis

partition of said lands in pursuance of this order and decree and that before proceeding to discharge their duties under this appointment and order they take an oath faithfully and impartially to discharge and perform the duties and trusts of their said trust, which oath shall be endorsed on the warrant issued to them to make such partition.

It is further ordered adjured and decreed by the Court that the Clerk of this Court within ten days from the rendition of this decree issue a copy thereof to said commissioners duly authenticated under his hand and the seal of this Court which shall be their sufficient warrant and upon receiving the said copy of this decree it is hereby made the duty of said commissioners within a reasonable time to make such partition and that they make report of their proceedings herein at the next term of this Court, to which term this case is continued.

And afterwards to-wit: On Tuesday the 20th day of October 1867 the same being the last judicial day of the October Term of the Tipton County Common Pleas holden before the Honorable Nathaniel M. Lindsay, Judge of said Court, the following proceedings were had in said cause to-wit:-

The plaintiff by William Henderson their attorney came and file the consent of all the defendants that partition be made among them as well as among the plaintiffs, which consent is in the words and figures following to-wit:

CONSENT FOR PARTITION

In the Tipton Court of Common Pleas, July Term 1867

John Wampler, Green Wampler and George Wampler

vs

David Miller, Elizabeth Miller and others

The undersigned defendants to the petition for partition in the above cases desire and request that the premises described in said petition be divided by the commissioners appointed for that purpose between the plaintiffs and defendants alike assigning to each of us our just and proper proportion of said land by proper notes and bounds.

David W. Miller, Elizabeth Miller, Margaret Miller
Benjamin Miller, David Miller, minors, by Elizabeth x Miller
W.W. Davis
Commissioner appointed by Probate Court Montgomery Co. Ohio

Thereupon comes into open Court, William Dickey and Marion P. Evans, two of the commissioners heretofore appointed to make partition herein and acknowledge and file in open Court their report and certificate to make partition having the proper oath endorsed thereon, which report is in the words and figures following to-wit:-

REPORT

Common Pleas Court of Tipton County, Oct. Term 1887

John Wampler

Partition

Susan Wampler

George Miller

VS

Daniel Miller

Elizabeth Miller

Benjamin Miller

Margaret Miller

David Miller

William Dickey and Marion P. Evans, two of the commissioners heretofore appointed by this Court to make partition among those entitled in the above named cause having been duly sworn in accordance with law and having examined the lands of which partition is made as hereinafter set forth do make the following report to-wit:-

That we set off and assign to the said Elizabeth Miller one equal fifth part as follows the north half of section 19 township 28 range 7 east, in Wabash County Indiana, also the north half of the southwest quarter of section 19 aforesaid.

And to Daniel Miller, the southeast quarter of section 19 township 28 range 7 also the south half of the southwest quarter of the aforesaid section 19, also the west half of the southeast quarter of section 26 township 21 range 4 east Tipton County

To Benjamin Miller, the northwest quarter of section 30 township 28 range 7 Wabash County, also the north half of the northeast quarter of the aforesaid section 30 same township and range, also the west half of the southwest quarter of section 26 township 21 range 4.

Thereupon comes into open Court, William Dixon and Martin P. Wynn, two of the commissioners heretofore appointed to make partition herein and acknowledge and file in open Court their report and certificate to make partition herein in the proper and endorsed thereon, which report is in the words and figures following to-wit:-

REPORT

Common Pleas Court of Wagon County, California 1887

John Wampler
 Cassin Wampler
 George Miller
 VS
 Daniel Miller
 Elizabeth Miller
 Benjamin Miller
 Margaret Miller
 David Miller

William Dixon and Martin P. Wynn, two of the commissioners heretofore appointed by this Court to make partition among those entitled in the above named cases having been duly sworn in accordance with law and having examined the lands of which partition is made as hereinafter set forth do make the following report to-wit:-

That we set off and assign to the said Elizabeth Miller one equal fifth part as follows the north half of section 19 township 38 range 7 east, in Wagon County Indiana, also the north half of the southwest quarter of section 19

also to Daniel Miller, the southeast quarter of section 19 township 38 range 7 also the south half of the southwest quarter of the aforesaid section 19, also the west half of the southeast quarter of section 28 township 38 range 7 east Wagon County

To Benjamin Miller, the northwest quarter of section 30 township 38 range 7 Wagon County, also the north half of the northeast quarter of the aforesaid section 30 east township and range, also the west half of the southwest quarter of section 28 township 38 range 7.

To Margaret Miller, the southwest quarter of section 30 township 28 range 7, also the north half of the southwest quarter of section 13 township 21 range 4

To David Miller, the southeast quarter of section 30 township 28 range 7, Wabash County, also the south half of the northeast quarter section 30 the same township and range, also the east half of the southwest quarter of section 22 township 21 range 4.

To John Wampler and Susan Wampler, the east half of Fractional Section 10 township 21 range 4 east, South of the Reserve Line, and also the northwest quarter of section 23 township 21 range 4, and

To George Miller, the west half of Fractional Section 10 township 21 range 4 also the west half of the southwest quarter of section 22, and the south half of the southwest quarter of section 13, same township and range.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Wm. Dickey

M. P. Evans

The Court upon due deliberation do confirm the report so made, and order, adjudge and decree that the several shares as therein set forth be held by the respective partitioners in severalty in full and ample a manner, as the same was held jointly by the parties herein. Ordered that William Dickey, commissioner be allowed the sum of \$83.50 for his services as such and that Marion P. Evans be allowed the sum of \$41.50 for his services as such commissioner.

Ordered that the costs of this proceedings be paid 1/5 by Elizabeth Miller and the balance by the other partitioners equally. And it is further ordered that a complete record hereof be made.

COSTS PAID

Witness Sylvester Turpen, Clerk, C.C.P. Tipton County, Ky, S.W. Taylor, Deputy
See Partition Record 1 page 42, Clerk's Office Tipton County Indiana.

To Margaret Miller, the northwest quarter of section 30 township 22 range 7
 also the north half of the northwest quarter of section 12 township 22 range 4
 To David Miller, the southeast quarter of section 30 township 22 range 7
 Wabash County, also the south half of the northeast quarter section 30 the
 same township and range, also the east half of the southeast quarter of section
 22 township 22 range 4.
 To John Campbell and Susan Campbell, the east half of fractional section 10
 township 22 range 4 east, south of the Reserve line, and also the northwest
 quarter of section 12 township 22 range 4, and
 To George Miller, the west half of fractional section 10 township 22 range 4
 also the west half of the northwest quarter of section 12 and the south half
 of the southeast quarter of section 12, same township and range.
 All of which is respectively exhibited.

Wm. Dixon
 M. J. Evans

The Court upon due deliberation do confirm the report so made, and order
 judges and jurors that the several shares as therein set forth be held by the
 respective partitioners in severalty in full and entire a manner, as the same
 was held jointly by the parties herein. Ordered that William Dixon, commissioner
 be allowed the sum of \$42.50 for his services as such and that James J. Evans
 be allowed the sum of \$41.50 for his services as such commissioner.
 Ordered that the costs of this proceedings be paid by Margaret Miller
 and the balance by the other partitioners equally, and if in further ordered
 that a complete record thereof be made.
 Witness Elizabeth Taylor, Clerk of the Peace, Wabash County, Ky., this 21st day of
 See partition record 1 page 48, Clerk's Office Wabash County, Indiana.

TRANSFERS

Elizabeth Miller (daughter of Ben. & Elizabeth Miller)

5 TO

John Wampler and Susan Wampler, their heirs and assigns forever
W.D.\$1.00 to the east half of Fractional Section 10 township 21 range 4,
(South of Reserve Line), (and other real estate not herein abstracted), all
in Tipton County Indiana.

Dated Nov. 24th, 1857, acknowledged regularly Nov. 26th, 1857 before Jacob L. Lowe
N.P. Montgomery Co. Ohio, Recorded Nov. 2nd, 1857 in Deed Record "H" page 418
REMARKS:-Being the share and proportion of said Susan and John Wampler,
partitioned to them in the case of John Wampler and others VS David Miller
and others in the Court of Common Pleas of Tipton County Indiana at the
October Term of said Court 1857.

Abstracters NOTE:-General Index of Deeds in the Office of the Recorder of
Tipton County Indiana shows the above deed to have been filed for record
December 2nd, 1857.

John Wampler and wife Susan.

6 TO

George VanBuskirk, his heirs and assigns forever
W.D.\$2355.00 to the east half of Fractional Section 10 township 21 north
range 4 east, (South of the Reserve Line) containing 157 acres, more or less
in Tipton County Indiana.

Dated Dec. 22nd, 1859, acknowledged regularly Dec. 30th, 1859 before John Scott,
N.P. Montgomery Co. Ohio, Recorded Jan. 12th, 1860 in Deed Record "K" page 198

EXHIBITS

Elizabeth Miller (daughter of Ben. A. Elizabeth Miller)

TO

John Wampler and Susan Wampler, their heirs and assigns forever
 W.D. \$1.00 to the east half of Fractional Section 10 Township 21 Range 4
 (South of Reserve Line), (and other parcels not herein described), all
 in Tipton County Indiana.
 Dated Nov. 24th, 1887, acknowledged regularly Nov. 26th, 1887 before Jacob L. Low
 J. P. Montgomery Co. Ohio, Recorded Nov. 2nd, 1887 in Deed Record "A" page 418
 RETURN-Being the share and proportion of said Susan and John Wampler,
 partitioned to them in the case of John Wampler and others vs David Miller
 and others in the Court of Common Pleas of Tipton County Indiana at the
 October Term of said Court 1887.

Abstractors Note-General Index of Deeds in the Office of the Recorder of
 Tipton County Indiana shows the above deed to have been filed for record
 December 2nd, 1887.

John Wampler and wife Susan.

TO

George VanBuren, his heirs and assigns forever
 W.D. \$250.00 to the east half of Fractional Section 10 Township 21 Range 4
 and east (South of the Reserve Line) containing 167 acres, more or less
 in Tipton County Indiana.
 Dated Dec 22nd, 1889, acknowledged regularly Dec. 30th, 1889 before John Scott,
 J. P. Montgomery Co. Ohio, Recorded Jan. 12th, 1890 in Deed Record "A" page 138

George VanBuskirk and wife Nancy

TO

William H. Evans

W.D.\$6200.00 to all that part of Fractional Section 10,(South of the Reserve Line) in township 21 north range 4 east,which lies south of the Road as at present located and established running west from the western terminus of Jefferson Street to the town of Tipton in said County which includes the whole of said Fractional Section 10,(South of the Reserve Line),except two parcels on the north side of said Road heretofore conveyed by grantors herein to Harrison A.Woodruff and to Marion P.& Wm.H.Evans;acres hereby conveyed estimated to be 265 more or less in Tipton County Indiana

Dated Feb.24th,1860,acknowledged regularly same date before Jehu VanBuskirk Surveyor,Tipton Co.Ind.Recorded March 13th,1860 in Deed Record "K" page 203

George Vandenberg and wife Nancy

TO

William H. Evans

W.C. \$2500.00 to all that part of fractional Section 13, South of the Reserve
line) in Township 21 north range 4 east, which lies south of the road as at
present located and established running west from the western terminus of
Jefferson Street to the town of Tipton in said County which includes the
whole of said fractional Section 13, South of the Reserve line, except two
parcels on the north side of said road heretofore conveyed by grantors herein
to Harrison A. Woodcraft and to Marion L. & Wm. H. Evans; same hereby conveyed
estimated to be less more or less in Tipton County Indiana
dated Feb. 22, 1860, acknowledged regularly same date before John Vandenberg
Surveyor, Tipton Co. Ind. Recorded March 12th, 1860 in Book Record "E" page 100

NOTE:-The following two (2) Transfers are shown herein for Reference only.

TRANSFERS

George VanBuskirk and wife Nancy

810 TO

Marion P. Evans and William N. Evans

W.D. \$20.00 to beginning at the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section 10 township 21 north range 4 east, on the Reserve Line, thence south 7 rods, thence west on a straight line 61 rods more or less to a stone on the Reserve Line, thence easterly along the Reserve Line to the place of beginning containing one acre more or less, in Tipton County Indiana

Dated Feb. 14th, 1860, acknowledged regularly same date before Jehu VanBuskirk Surveyor Tipton Co. Ind. Recorded Feb. 17th, 1860 in Deed Record "K" page 261

George VanBuskirk and wife Nancy

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TO
Harrison A. Woodruff

W.D. \$206.00 to beginning on the Reserve Line at the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section 10 township 21 north range 4 east, containing 100 acres more or less in Tipton County Indiana. acknowledged regularly same date before James Waugh, S.P.
W.D. \$206.00 to beginning on the Reserve Line at the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section 10 township 21 north range 4 east and thence southerly along the section line divided sections 10 and 11; 29 rods to the center of the Road leading west through Jefferson Street of the town of Tipton, commonly called the Tetersburg Road, thence west on a straight line to a point 7 rods south of the northwest--of said southeast quarter, thence north 7 rods to said northwest corner of said southeast quarter thence easterly along the Reserve Line to the point of the place of beginning, containing 16 acres more or less in Tipton County Indiana.

Dated Jan. 28th, 1860, acknowledged regularly same date before Geo. H. Gifford, N.P. Tipton Co. Ind. Recorded March 19th, 1860 in Deed Record "K" page 216

TRANSMITS

William H. Evans and wife Mary T.

to

Abraham Kemp

W.D. \$3000.00 to the fractional southeast quarter of section 10 township 21 north range 4 east, containing 100 acres more or less in Tipton County Indiana. Dated May 13th 1873 acknowledged regularly same date before Geo H. Willford.

Tipton Co. Ind. recorded April 23rd 1873 in deed record 77 at page 408

Abraham Kemp and wife Rebecca A.

to

Mary T. Evans

W.D. \$3000.00 to the fractional southeast quarter of section 10 township 21 north range 4 east, containing 100 acres more or less in Tipton County Indiana. Dated May 13th 1873 acknowledged regularly same date before Geo H. Willford.

Tipton Co. Ind. recorded May 21st 1873 in deed record 82 at page 408

Mary T. Evans unmarried

to

John Urston and wife O. Urston, husband and wife

W.D. \$1000.00 and love and affection to all that part of the southeast quarter of section 10 township 21 north range 4 east, that lies south of the line and Petersburg Road, containing 100 acres more or less in Tipton County Indiana. Dated April 23rd 1864 acknowledged regularly same date before Geo H. Willford.

Tipton Co. Ind. recorded April 23rd 1864 in deed record 17 at page 403

J.C.Urmston and wife Omer E. (acknowledgment shows Joel C.Urmston)

13 TO

Nannie R.Shirk

W.D.\$8500.00 to 100 acres off the east side of that portion of the southeast quarter of section 10 township 21 north range 4 east, which lies south of the Tipton, Tetersburg Road, in Tipton County Indiana.

Dated Nov. 12th, 1891, acknowledged regularly same date before George H. Gifford, N.P. Tipton Co. Ind. Recorded May 3rd, 1891 in Deed Record 21 at page 424

Nannie R. Shirk, unmarried and over 21 years of age

14 TO

Helen S. Shortle

W.D. \$1.00 and other considerations, to all that part of section 10 township 21 north range 4 east, lying south of the center of the Tipton and Tetersburg Road, and containing 265 acres more or less in Tipton County Indiana.

Dated May 5th, 1924, acknowledged regularly same date before Glen J. Gifford, N.P. Tipton Co. Ind. Recorded May 9th, 1924 in Deed Record 75 at page 49

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L.D. Denson and wife Gene H. (acknowledgment shows Joel C. Denson)

TO

Hannie R. Shirk

N.T. 18800.00 to 100 acres off the east side of the southeast
quarter of section 10 township 21 north range 4 east within 1/2 mile south of the
Tipton, Tipton Road, in Tipton County, Indiana.
Dated Nov. 12th, 1924, acknowledged regularly same date before George W. Gifford,
N.T. Tipton Co. Ind. Recorded May 2nd, 1924 in deed records 21 at page 424

Hannie R. Shirk, unmarried and over 21 years of age

TO

Helen E. Shirk

N.T. 18800.00 and other considerations, to all that part of section 10 township
21 north range 4 east, lying south of the center of the Tipton and Tipton
Road, and containing 222 acres more or less in Tipton County, Indiana.
Dated May 2nd, 1924, acknowledged regularly same date before George W. Gifford,
N.T. Tipton Co. Ind. Recorded May 2nd, 1924 in deed records 21 at page 424

MORTGAGES.

15 NONE.

TAXES.

16 County & State Dup. #2476 levy 1932 due 1933---1st installment \$140.26. PAID.
End installment \$140.26.
Includes other realstate not herein abstracted
Tax levy 1932 due 1934 not yet on the Duplicate.

CERTIFICATE.

The Title Guaranty & Abstract Company abstractor of land title in and for Tipton County Indiana hereby certifies that it has carefully examined the Deed, Mortgage, Lis Penden & Mechanic Lien Records, Tax Duplicate Register of Tax Sales & Judgment Dockets of said County and that the foregoing abstract of title contains all the transfers, liens and unsatisfied incumbrances affecting the realstate described in the caption hereof and for the period of time to September 27th, 1933 at eight o'clock A.M.

Title Guaranty & Abstract Co.

C. A. Dwyer
Abstractor

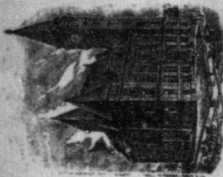
ABSTRACT OF TITLE

TO

Good Northern quarter of the
South West quarter of Sec. 16, Twp. 36 N.,
R. 12 E., Co. 10 W., Range 10 West, 36
North in Tipton County, Indiana

PREPARED FOR

Allen S. Howell



Title Guaranty & Abstract Co.

C. A. TAYLOR, Abstractor

MAKES AND GUARANTEES ABSTRACTS
TITLES PERFECTED

Complete Abstracts of Tipton County

COMPANY'S LOCATION
NORTH SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE
TIPTON, INDIANA

FRANCIS PERRY & CO. PRINTERS

of line to September 27th, 1923 at eight o'clock A.M.
reflecting the residue described in the caption hereof and for the period
of five months all the transfers, liens and unperfected mortgages
and other matters which in this county and that the foregoing entries

Allen S. Howell
Title Guaranty & Abstract Co.

Miss Kemmer

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described real estate in Tipton County and the State of Indiana, to-wit:

All that portion of section 10 township 21 north range 4 east, lying south of the following described line, and north of the northwesterly right of way line of State road No. 28. Description of above line is as follows:- Beginning 200 feet west of the intersection of the south line of the Tipton, Tetersburg and Kempton Gravel road, and the northwesterly line of the said State Road No 28, thence running westerly along the south line of said gravel road a distance of 450 feet. { four acres }{.

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option at any time within 60 days from this date and agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate. Upon the execution of said deed, we shall be paid \$150.00 per acre or \$600.00, however this tract of land shall not be less than three acres nor more than five. I waive all claims for damages for failure to close this option within the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of September 1933.

Helen S. Shurtle

1st Choice
County
J.

Handwritten scribble at the top of the page.

...in consideration of \$1.00, the receipt where is hereby acknowledged, I have
to the State of Indiana to pay the following described tax
...of Indiana, dated...

...of Indiana to pay the following described tax
...of Indiana, dated...

...of Indiana to pay the following described tax
...of Indiana, dated...

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10th day of October, 1912.

John J. [illegible]

John J. [illegible]

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION
OF INDIANA

STATE HOUSE ANNEX
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA.

COMMISSION
JAMES D. ADAMS, CHAIRMAN
FRANK B. STOTENBURG, MEMBER
JOHN W. WHEELER, MEMBER

H. H. REEPE, CHIEF ENGINEER

October 11, 1933.

Hon. Olen J. Gifford,
Judge, Circuit Court,
Tipton County,
Tipton, Indiana.

Dear Judge Gifford:

Enclosed I am returning to you the Abstract for the Shortle property.

The Attorney General requests that a certificate be attached that an examination has been made of the judgment docket of the Federal Court and that there are no judgments that would be a lien against the property. The certificate should apply not only as to the particular division of the Court in which Tipton County is assigned, but also to the Indianapolis and South Bend United States Courts. The Abstract is otherwise approved.

We are enclosing a deed for Mrs. Shortle to execute. If she is married, the deed will have to be re-written and her husband's name inserted as grantor. We are also enclosing a voucher for Mrs. Shortle to execute in the two places indicated. Have her execute the deed and return it with the executed voucher and the certificate.

We are assuming that these papers will all be properly executed and returned before the day of advertisement for the construction of the garage.

Yours very truly,

Evan B. Stotsenburg
Evan B. Stotsenburg,
Commissioner.

EBS:ME
Encl.

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION
OF INDIANA

STATE HOUSE CHAMBER
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

COMMISSIONER
STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION
STATE HOUSE CHAMBER
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

October 11, 1937.

Hon. Glen J. Gilford,
Judge, Circuit Court,
Tipton County,
Tipton, Indiana.

Dear Judge Gilford:

Enclosed I am returning to you the abstract for the Bourlie property.

The Attorney General requests that a certificate be attached to the abstract and that there be no judgment as to the validity of the property. The certificate should apply not only to the particular division of the Court in which Tipton County is assigned, but also to the Indianapolis and South West State Courts. The abstract is otherwise approved.

We are enclosing a deed for Mrs. Bourlie to execute. If she is married, the deed will have to be re-written and her husband's name inserted as grantor. We are also enclosing a voucher for Mrs. Bourlie to execute in the two places indicated. Have her execute the deed and return it with the executed voucher and the certificate.

We are assuming that these papers will all be properly executed and returned before the day of advertisement for the construction of the estate.

Yours very truly,

Evan B. Stotemphor
Evan B. Stotemphor,
Commissioner.

ESB:MK
Encl.

October 19, 1933.

Hon. Glen J. Gifford,
Judge, Circuit Court,
Tipton County,
Tipton, Indiana.

Dear Judge Gifford:

We are anxiously waiting for the deed for the Tipton ground.

It will not be necessary to hold up this contract to get the certificate from the Federal Courts that there are no liens. This can follow later.

If the delay continues, it will be impossible to do anything further on the project this fall.

The project is advertised for letting next Monday, October 23.

Yours very truly,

Evan B. Stotsenburg,
Commissioner.

EBS:MK

October 19, 1954

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Federal Bureau of Investigation
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:
I am writing to you regarding the matter of the

subject of the above captioned matter. I have been advised that the

information you are seeking is contained in the files of the

Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management.

I am enclosing herewith a copy of the

information requested.

Sincerely,
[Signature]

October 16, 1933.

Hon. Glen J. Cliford,
Judge, Circuit Court,
Tipton County,
Tipton, Indiana.

Dear Judge Cliford:

I am returning to you herewith the bill of
Title Guaranty & Abstract Company.

I regret very much that the Commission will
not be able to pay this bill as this is an expense that
should be borne by the seller of the real estate, and not
by the purchaser.

We have not yet received the deed and the
voucher, and would like to have this at once as we are
advertising for bids on this garage.

Yours very truly,

Evan B. Stotsenburg,
Commissioner.

EBS:MK
Encl.

SECRET

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover
Director
FBI
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

As you are aware, the Bureau is currently conducting an investigation into the activities of the Communist Party, USA, and its various fronts.

I am sure that you will find this information of interest, particularly in view of the fact that the CP has been active in the area of labor relations and the promotion of racial harmony.

I have not had occasion to meet with you personally, but would like to have a meeting with you at your convenience to discuss this matter in more detail.

Sincerely,
John Edgar Hoover

John W. [Name]
[Address]

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,
I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following
described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lots 46, 50, 52 and 54 in Roosevelt Park Addition to the
City of Tipton.

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option at
any time within 60 days from this date and I agree to execute to it,
or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said
real estate and to furnish therefor an abstract showing good merchantable
title and free from all liens. Upon the execution of said deed and the
delivery of said abstract, we shall be paid the sum of \$1500 in
full of the purchase price of said real estate. I waive all claims for
damages for failure to close this option within the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16
day of Sept, 1935.

THE OAKES MANUFACTURING CO., INC.

BY H. A. Zala

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,
I hereby give to the State of Indiana the right to buy the following
described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lot 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

to which said State of Indiana shall have the right to take this option as
the time of the exercise of said option shall be determined by the
said State of Indiana. I agree to execute to the
said State of Indiana a good and sufficient warranty deed for said
real estate and to furnish therefor an abstract showing good and
marketable title and free from all liens. Upon the execution of said deed and the
payment of said purchase price, as shall be held by the State of Indiana, I
will deliver to said State of Indiana all the said real estate and
will do all the things which may be necessary to give full effect to
the provisions hereof. I have executed this deed and will give
it to the State of Indiana.

THE STATE OF INDIANA, COUNTY OF TIPTON



In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,
I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following
described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lots 260, 261, 262, 263, 264 in W. H. Markers Second Addition
to the City of Tipton.

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option at any
time within 60 days from this date and I agree to execute to it, or any
person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate
and to furnish therefor an abstract showing good merchantable title and free
from all liens. Upon the execution of said deed and the delivery of said
abstract, we shall be paid the sum of \$300.00 in full of the purchase price
of said real estate. I waive all claims for damages for failure to close
this option within the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th
Day of Sept, 1935.

THE OAKS MANUFACTURING CO., INC.

BY H. Zalawdek
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In consideration of \$100, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged,

I have given to the State of Indiana the within and by the following

described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lot 10, Block 10, Subdivision 10, in the City of Tipton,

in the County of Tipton,

and the State of Indiana shall have the right to cause this deed to be

recorded in the office of the County Clerk of Tipton County, Indiana, on or

before the expiration of the term herein expressed, and I agree to execute in due

time and to furnish to the County Clerk of Tipton County, Indiana, a deed

in conformity with the above description of said real estate, and to

execute the same in full of the purchase price of said real estate, and to

execute the same in full of the purchase price of said real estate, and to

execute the same in full of the purchase price of said real estate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this

10th day of _____, 19__.

THE COUNTY CLERK OF TIPTON COUNTY, INDIANA.

[Handwritten signature]

Tipton

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lot 1 in ~~W. H. Marker's~~
~~Subdiv. Addition~~ to the city of Tipton

EAST PARK PLACE ADDITION

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option at any time within 60 days from this date and I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate and to furnish therefor an abstract showing good merchantable title and free from all liens. Upon the execution of said deed and the delivery of said abstract, I shall be paid the sum of \$ 50.00 in full of the purchase price of said real estate. I waive all claims for damages for failure to close this option within the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 11 day of September, 1923.

Nannie Grishaw

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is
hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the
option to buy the following described real estate in Marion

County and State of Indiana, to-wit:
EAST PARK PLACE ADDITION
in 17-1/2 blocks
of the city of Marion

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to exercise
this option at any time within 60 days from this date and
I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good
and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate and to furnish
therefor an abstract showing good marketable title and the
true oil lease. Upon the execution of said deed and the delivery
of said abstract, I shall be paid the sum of \$20.00 in
full of the purchase price of said real estate. I shall also
waive for damages for failure to close this option within the
above period.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and
the day of October 1922.
Thomas B. ...

Chas B Gray

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lot 5 47 in Roosevelt Park
Addition to the city of Tipton.

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option ^{at} any time within 60 days from this date and I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate and to furnish therefor an abstract showing good merchantable title and free from all liens. Upon the execution of said deed and the delivery of said abstract, I shall be paid the sum of \$50⁰⁰ in full of the purchase price of said real estate. I waive all claims for damages for failure to close this option with ~~me~~ in the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of September, 1933.

Chas B Gray

the copy

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana, for the purpose of paying the following described real estate in Tipton

County a certain lot of land, to-wit: Lot 47 in Block 2 in Recessed Part of the city of Tipton.

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close

this option any time within 60 days from this date and

I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a deed and sufficient returns hereon to said land entered and for taxing

thereon an amount showing good worth of said land and the balance from all taxes. Upon the execution of said deed and the delivery

of said deed, I shall be held the sum of \$50.00 in

full of the purchase price of said real estate. I will not

claim any interest in said real estate until the said

sum is paid.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of March, 1923.

W. R. R. R.

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lot 46 in Roosevelt Park
Addition to the city of Tipton.

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option ^{at} any time within 60 days from this date and I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate and to furnish therefor an abstract showing good merchantable title and free from all liens. Upon the execution of said deed and the delivery of said abstract, I shall be paid the sum of \$ 25⁰⁰ in full of the purchase price of said real estate. I waive all claims for damages for failure to close this option with me in the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 11 day of Sept, 1933.

Thos. H. Mitchell.

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the portion to my the following described real estate in Indiana

County and State of Indiana to-wit: Madison in the County of Madison Indiana to the use of John

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to cause this instrument to be recorded in the public records of the County of Madison Indiana

I agree to execute to it, if, or any person named be it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate and to execute

hereto an abstract showing good recordable title and free from all liens. When the execution of said deed and the delivery

of said deed, I shall be paid the sum of \$250 in full of the purchase price of said real estate. I will also

execute the necessary tax returns to close this matter with the State of Indiana.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 11 day of April 1922.

John H. Welch

Compton

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lot 266 in W. H. Markers Second Addition to the City of Tipton.

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option at any time within 60 days from this date and I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate and to furnish therefor an abstract showing good merchantable title and free from all liens. Upon the execution of said deed and the delivery of said abstract, I shall be paid the sum of \$15.00 in full of the purchase price of said real estate. I waive all claims for damages for failure to close this option within the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 8th day of September, 1922.

Compton A. A. Compton
A. A. Compton

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is
hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the
option to buy the following described real estate in Union
County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lot 126
the City of Evansville, Indiana

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to exercise
this option at any time within 60 days from the date this
I agree to exercise on or before the expiration of the term
and to pay the purchase price of said real estate and to receive
thereof an abstract showing good marketable title and title
from all liens. Upon the expiration of said term and the delivery
of said abstract, I will be held the sum of \$1200 in cash or
the purchase price of said real estate. I waive all claims for
damages for failure to exercise this option within the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and
seal this 17th day of March, 1917.

Charles J. ...
...

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OF INDIANA
3rd FLOOR STATE HOUSE ANNEX
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

November 18 19 33

To C. A. Taylor
Tipton, Indiana

GENTLEMEN:

We enclose State Warrant No. 372194 11-18-19 33,
in settlement of the following vouchers:

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
Costs incurred in preparing new Abstract for Part E.E. 1/4 of N.E. 1/4 of Sec. 10, Twp. 21, Range 4 East, being 4 acres in Tipton County, Indiana.	23 70
<i>Tipton Range</i>	

Yours truly,

CONTROLLER

Received Payment: 19

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OF INDIANA
1st FLOOR STATE HOUSE ANNEX
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

November 18, 1933

To
O. A. Taylor
Tipton, Indiana

GENTLEMEN:

We enclose State Warrant No. 17539, 11-18-33
in settlement of the following vouchers:

AMOUNT	DESCRIPTION
27 70	Cash incurred in preparing and abstract for 1933 P.M. of P.M. of sec. 16, Twp. 21, Range East, DeWitt & sons in Tipton County, Indiana.

Yours truly,

COMPTROLLER

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Received Payment:

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OF INDIANA
DEPARTMENT OF OPERATIONS

Tipton Garage Site

I.C. 108 A
Rev. 4/33

LIST NO. _____

DATE ~~Nov-17, 1933~~

CHIEF ACCOUNTANT:

There are transmitted herewith, for payment, original and duplicate vouchers as follows:

Proj. No. & Section	Payee	Amount
	C. A. Taylor - Abstract for Tipton Garage Site	23.70

Office Engineer

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIST NO.

Nov. 1933

DATE

CHIEF ACCOUNTANT: These are transmitted herewith for payment original and duplicate vouchers as follows:

Account	Part. No. & Description
25.00	S. A. Taylor - Advances for Lifton Garage 1933

Office Engineer

M-361

Parcel 1

Mr. [unclear] Hal
Mr. [unclear] [unclear]

CONTRACT NUMBER 151

EXTRA WORK AGREEMENT NUMBER 2

BETWEEN

CHAS. E. COOPER
OF ODOM, INDIANA

and the

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OF INDIANA
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

For a

STANDARD SUB-DISTRICT GARAGE

Being Constructed at
TIPTON, INDIANA.

M-31
Part 1

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EXTRA WORK AGREEMENT NO. 2

This Article of Agreement made and entered into this _____ day of March, 1934, by and between the State of Indiana and James D. Adams, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Indiana, for and on behalf of the State of Indiana, as party of the first part, hereinafter called the Commission and Chas. E. Cooper of Odon, Indiana, as party of the second part, hereinafter called the Contractor:

WITNESSETH, that for and in consideration of matter hereinafter mentioned, the Commission does hereby hire and employ said Contractor to furnish all labor and material necessary, and to fully construct and install as directed by authorized representative of said Commission, the following extra work in connection with the construction of a Standard Sub-District Garage at Tipton, Tipton County, State of Indiana, said building now being constructed under a formal contract dated October 25, 1933, and known as Contract Number 151, by and between the said Commission and Contractor, said extra work involved is as follows:

ITEM NUMBER 1.

Placing double sink bibb on slop sink instead of single bibb so as to have hot water as per instructions of

B. B. Straight ----- \$ 4.00

ITEM NUMBER 2.

Installing these extra control valves on hot water heater so as to permit better control, as per order of

B. B. Straight ----- \$ 7.50

ITEM NUMBER 3.

Installing two telephone outlets in office as per instructions of Mr. Durr ----- \$ 13.15

TOTAL \$ 24.65

ARTICLE 10. CONTRACTORS

This article of agreement made and entered into this
_____ day of March, 1934, by and between the State of
Indiana and James E. Adams, the duly appointed, certified and
acting Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Indiana, for
and on behalf of the State of Indiana, as party of the first part,
hereinafter called the Commission and Chas. E. Cooper of Deam,
Indiana, as party of the second part, hereinafter called the
Contractor:

WITNESSETH, that for and in consideration of moneys
hereinafter mentioned, the Commission has hereby hire and em-
ploy said Contractor to furnish all labor and material necessary,
and to fully construct and install as directed by authorized re-
presentatives of said Commission, the following extra work in
connection with the construction of a Standard Sub-Station Garage
at Tippecanoe, State of Indiana, said building now
being constructed under a former contract dated October 25, 1933,
and known as Contract Number 187, by and between the said Commission
and Contractor. Said extra work involved is as follows:

1. REPAIRS

Rebuilding double steel door on one end instead of single
door as we do have on per instructions of
E. E. Strathairn
\$ 1.00

2. REPAIRS

Installing three extra control valves on hot water
heater as per permit better control, as per order of
E. E. Strathairn
\$ 1.50

3. REPAIRS

Installing two telephone outlets in office as per
instructions of Mr. Durr
\$ 2.50
\$ 5.00

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the above Commission and Contractor
have hereunto set their hands and seals the day, month and year
shown below.

CHAS. E. COOPER

By Chas. E. Cooper ---
Contractor ---

Title

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OF INDIANA

By Corwin B. Henshaw ---
CHAIRMAN ---

STATE OF INDIANA

COUNTY OF Lanier --- SS

Personally appeared before me the
above signed Chas. E. Cooper and
acknowledged the execution of the
above Extra Work Agreement this
22nd day of March, 1934

Witness my hand and Notarial Seal
the last named date.

James M. Wallace ---
NOTARY PUBLIC
My Com. exp. July 1-1935

APPROVED

J. H. Knight
Supervising Architect

APPROVED

Carl McClain
Engineer of Maintenance

STATE OF INDIANA

COUNTY OF Marion --- SS

Personally appeared before me the
above signed James D. Adams and
acknowledged the execution of the
above Extra Work Agreement this
28th day of March, 1934

Witness my hand and Notarial Seal
the last named date.

My commission expires April 24, 1937

Arthur H. Stewart
NOTARY PUBLIC

APPROVED

J. H. Henshaw
District Engineer

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the above Commission and Contractor

have hereunto set their hands and seals the day, month and year

shown below.

STATE OF MICHIGAN COMMISSION ON INVESTIGATION OF PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT

STATE OF MICHIGAN

James D. ...
COMMISSIONER

Charles E. ...
CONTRACTOR

Title

STATE OF MICHIGAN

STATE OF MICHIGAN

COMMISSION ON INVESTIGATION OF PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT

COMMISSION ON INVESTIGATION OF PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT

Personally appeared before me the undersigned, James D. ... and above named James D. ... and acknowledged the execution of the above State Work Agreement this day of March, 1934.

Personally appeared before me the undersigned Charles E. ... and above named Charles E. ... and acknowledged the execution of the above State Work Agreement this day of March, 1934.

Witness my hand and Notarial Seal the last named date.

Witness my hand and Notarial Seal the last named date.

James D. ...
COMMISSIONER

Charles E. ...
CONTRACTOR

James D. ...
Notary Public

STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OF INDIANA

INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

INTER-DEPARTMENT COMMUNICATION

Tipton Office

October 27, 1933

Mr. Evan B. Stotsenburg
Commissioner,
Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing Deed for the property which the Commission
purchased of Helen B. Shortle for the new garage.

As per your request it has been recorded at the County
Recorders office of Tipton County and all fees paid.

Yours very truly,

Frank Durr
Frank Durr,
Superintendent.

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STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION OF INDIANA

INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

INTER-DEPARTMENT COMMUNICATION

Tipton Office

October 27, 1937

Mr. Ivan H. Stofanburg
Commissioner,
Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith for the property which the Commission purchased to build a garage for the new garage. As per your request it has been recorded at the County Recorder's office of Tipton County and will soon return.

Yours very truly,

W. H. Stofanburg
W. H. Stofanburg,
Tipton, Indiana.

WHS

October 24, 1933.

Mr. Frank Durr,
Box 115,
Tipton, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith Deed for the property of Helen S. Shortle, which we have purchased for the State of Indiana for the site of the new garage to be located at Tipton, Indiana.

The Deed must be recorded at the County Recorder's Office of Tipton County at Tipton, and we are asking that you attend to this matter. All expense incurred in the recording of this Deed should be paid by you and listed on your expense account voucher so that you will be properly reimbursed.

We are also relying on you to call at the Recorder's Office after this instrument has been entered on the record, and return same to this office to complete our files.

Yours very truly,

Evan B. Stotsenburg,
Commissioner.

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Encl.

Mr. Frank Hart
Box 111
Vinton, Indiana

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith check for the amount of \$100.00 which we have enclosed for the sale of land for the site of the new bridge at Vinton, Indiana.

The check must be received at the County Recorder's Office at Vinton, Indiana, and we are asking that you attend to this matter. All expense incurred in the recording of this check should be paid by you and listed on your expense account voucher so that you will be reimbursed.

We are also relying on you to call at the Recorder's Office when this instrument has been entered on the record, and return same to this office for filing.

Yours very truly,

John H. SPOONER,
Commissioner.

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THE STATE OF INDIANA
On Account of State Highway Commission

To Helen E. Shortle Dr.
Tipton, Indiana
Address

Attention is called by the provisions of the Act printed on the back of this voucher. Enclosed bills must accompany vouchers.

Garage site at Tipton, Indiana, more particularly described as follows:

A part of the Northeast Quarter (1/4) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of section (10) ten township twenty one (21) north range four (4) east, described as follows to-wit:- Beginning 794-3/10 feet west and 10 feet north of west end of coping on the south hand rail of the bridge on State Road No. 28 over Buck Creek in the northeast quarter (1/4) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of said section ten (10), said beginning point being in the center of road known as the Tipton, Tetersburg and Kempton gravel road, running thence west along the center line of said Highway 452 feet, thence southerly at right angles to said center line 615 feet, thence northeasterly along right of way line of State Road No. 28 to a point south from the beginning point and on a line perpendicular to the center line of the Tipton, Tetersburg and Kempton gravel road, and passing through said point; thence north 150 feet along said perpendicular to the place of beginning, containing four (4) acres more or less in Tipton County in the State of Indiana.

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APPROVED:
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CHAIRMAN

W. K. Keefe 10/23

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STATE OF INDIANA
DIVISION OF ATTORNEY GENERAL
DEPARTMENT OF LAW

Board
Governor Paul V. McNutt
Philip Linn, Jr., Attorney General
Rayd E. Williamson, State Auditor

Administrative Officer
Philip Linn, Jr., Attorney General

October 10, 1935.

Hon. Evan B. Stotsenberg,
State Highway Commission,
Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

As requested, I have examined the attached
Abstract of Title prepared for

Helen S. Shortle

by the Title Guaranty and Abstract Company, dated
September 27th, 1935, to the following real estate
in Tipton County, Indiana, to-wit:

A part of the Northeast Quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the
southeast quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of section (10) ten
township twenty one (21) north range four
(4) east, described as follows to-wit:-
Beginning 794-3/10 feet west and 20 feet
north of west end of coping on the south
hand rail of the bridge on State Road No. 28
over Buck Creek in the northeast quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$)
of the southeast quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of said section
ten (10), said beginning point being in the
center of road known as the Tipton, Teters-
burg and Kempton gravel road, and passing thence
west along the center line of said Highway
462 feet, thence southerly at right angles
to said center line 616 feet, thence north-
easterly along right of way line of State
Road No. 28 to a point south from the
beginning point and on a line perpendicular
to the center line of the Tipton, Tetersburg
and Kempton gravel road, and passing through
said point; thence north 160 feet along said
perpendicular to the place of beginning, con-
taining four (4) acres more or less in Tipton
County in the State of Indiana.

and find that, in my opinion, a good and merchantable
title thereto rests in

Helen S. Shortle

STATE OF INDIANA
DIVISION OF ATTORNEY GENERAL
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October 10, 1933.

Hon. Eben H. Botsford,
State Highway Commission,
Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

As requested, I have examined the attached
Abstract of Title prepared for

Walter S. Shortle

by the Title Company and Abstract Company, dated
September 27th, 1933, of the following real estate
in Tippecanoe County, Indiana, to-wit:

A part of the Northwest quarter (1/4) of the
southeast quarter (1/4) of section 10, T. 10 N.,
R. 11 E., Co. 11 W., Ind., containing twenty one (21) acres more or less
as follows to-wit:
Beginning 754-2/10 feet west and 50 feet
north of west end of coping on the south
end half of the bridge on State Road No. 28
over Bush Creek in the northeast quarter (1/4)
of the southeast quarter (1/4) of said section
T. 10 N., R. 11 E., Co. 11 W., Ind., said beginning point being in the
center of road known as the Tippecanoe, Tetsch-
burg and Hamilton gravel road, running thence
west along the center line of said Highway
145 feet, thence southerly at right angles
to said center line 616 feet, thence north-
westerly along right of way line of State
Road No. 28 to a point south from the
beginning point and on a line perpendicular
to the center line of the Tippecanoe, Tetsch-
burg and Hamilton gravel road, and passing through
said point, thence north 160 feet along said
perpendicular to the line of beginning, and
thence four (4) acres more or less in
Tippecanoe County in the State of Indiana.

and find that, in my opinion, a good and marketable
Title thereto exists in

Walter S. Shortle

E. Evan B. Stotsenberg.

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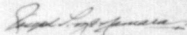
subject, however, to the following encumbrances and objections:

1. Taxes for the second installment of the levy of 1932 due in 1933 in the amount of \$140.26 (this also includes other real estate) are shown unpaid; and taxes for 1933, payable in 1934, constitute a lien.

2. No search of Federal court records is shown to have been made.

Subject to the objections set forth above this abstract is hereby approved by the Attorney General within the meaning of the statute which provides that the approval of the Attorney General must be obtained in all cases involving the acquisition of real estate by the State or any of its departments.

Very truly yours,



JOSEPH P. McNAMARA
DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL.

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E. Earl B. Stotsenberger

subject, however, to the following enclosures and objections:

1. Taxes for the second installment of the levy of 1933 due in the amount of \$140.00 (this also includes other real estate taxes for 1933, payable in 1934, constitute a lien.

2. No search of Federal court records is shown to have been made.

Subject to the objections set forth above this report is hereby approved by the Attorney General within the meaning of the statute which provides that the approval of the Attorney General must be obtained in all cases involving the division of real estate by the State or any of its departments.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH P. McMANAMA
DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

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October 9, 1933.

Hon. Philip Lutz, Jr.,
Attorney General,
State House,
Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

On September 29 we sent you for approval
Abstract of Title for land we propose to purchase in
Tipton, Indiana.

We would like to have a report on this
Abstract just as quickly as we can get it, without too
much inconvenience to you.

Yours very truly,

Evan B. Stotsenburg,
Commissioner.

EBS:MK

October 1, 1977

Mr. Willie Ross, Jr.
Assistant Governor
State House
Indianapolis, Indiana

Dear Sir:

As a member of the Board of Directors of the Indiana State Board of Accountancy, I am pleased to have a report on the progress of the Board's activities for the year 1976. The Board has made significant progress in the areas of regulation, enforcement, and public information. I am confident that the Board's efforts will continue to improve the accounting profession in Indiana.

Sincerely,
John A. [Name]
Commissioner

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Sept 29, 1933

Mr. F. A. Nanning,
Greenfield, Ind.

Dear Mr. Nanning:

Our surveyor made the enclosed drawing for the gentleman who was with you on Monday and has also enclosed a description for you.

The abstract has gone direct to Indianapolis as we were in conversation with Mr. Stotsenberg on Wednesday and he said a little time could be saved by bringing it down direct to Indianapolis.

Yours very truly
Wesley Johnson

United States Post Office

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September 29, 1933.

Hon. Philip Lutz, Jr.,
Attorney General,
State House,
Indianapolis, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing herewith Abstract of Title
for land we propose to purchase in Tipton, Indiana.

Will you be kind enough to examine this
Abstract and report to us at your earliest convenience.

We are very anxious to have this approved as
soon as possible so that we can proceed with the work of
constructing the garage.

Yours very truly,

Evan B. Stotsenburg,
Commissioner.

EBS:MK

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO
DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY
58 CHEMISTRY BUILDING
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60607
TEL: 773-936-3700
FAX: 773-936-3701
WWW: WWW.CHEM.UCHICAGO.EDU

Yours very truly,
John A. Bregman

John Traubarger

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lot 45 in Roosevelt Park
Addition to the city of Tipton.

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option any time within 60 days from this date and I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate and to furnish therefor an abstract showing good merchantable title and free from all liens. Upon the execution of said deed and the delivery of said abstract, I shall be paid the sum of \$ 25⁰⁰ in full of the purchase price of said real estate. I waive all claims for damages for failure to close this option with ~~me~~ in the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 14 day of Sept, 1933.

John Traubarger
Ag't for Emelina Traubarger
hers

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the right to my the following described real estate in Indiana

County and State of Indiana, to-wit: 42 in the County of Madison Indiana

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E. E. Downey

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, ~~to-wit:~~

Lot 5 49 in Roosevelt Park
Addition to the City of Tipton

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option at any time within 60 days from this date and I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate and to furnish therefor an abstract showing good merchantable title and free from all liens. Upon the execution of said deed and the delivery of said abstract, I shall be ~~bound to pay the sum of \$~~ deeded Lot # 1 East Park Place aforesaid free from all liens ~~in~~ full of the purchase price of said real estate. I waive all claims for damages for failure to close this option within the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10 day of September, 1932.

E. E. Downey

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the

rights and estate of Indiana, as set out

in Annex A attached hereto in conformity with the

terms of the will of the said testator, and the said State of Indiana shall have the right to cause the same to be recorded in the office of the

Recorder of Deeds for the County of Madison in the name of the said testator, and the said State of Indiana shall have the right to cause the same to be recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Madison in the name of the said testator.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10 day of March, 1933.

James M. H. [illegible]

James M. H. 38

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Rosevelt Park
Lot 52 in ~~Block~~'s
~~Block~~ Addition to the city of Tipton

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option at any time within 60 days from this date and I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate and to furnish therefor an abstract showing good merchantable title and free from all liens. Upon the execution of said deed and the delivery of said ^{in which} abstract, I shall be paid the sum of \$50.00 in full of the purchase price of said real estate. I waive all claims for damages for failure to close this option within the terms named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of September, 1933.

Walter W. Wessner:

in consideration of \$100.00, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the Indian and his heirs, assigns and assigns forever the following described land situated in the County of ... State of ...

John ...
Witness my hand and seal of office this 25th day of ... 190...

and his heirs, assigns and assigns forever shall have and enjoy the same...
This deed is given to the said ... for the purpose of ...
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In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office this 25th day of ... 190...

William W. ...

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described real estate in Tipton County and State of Indiana, to-wit:

Lot 51 in Roosevelt Park Addition to the city of Tipton

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option at any time within 60 days from this date and I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate and furnish therefor an abstract showing good merchantable title and free from all liens. Upon the execution of said deed and the delivery of said abstract, I shall be deemed to be 45 r 46 in Roosevelt Park addition, aforesaid free from all liens, in full of the purchase price of said real estate. I waive all claims for damages for failure to close this option within the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th day of September, 1933.

Rosa Magnet

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described land located in Taylor Township, Hamilton County, Indiana, to-wit:

18 Acres in Township 12 North, Range 10 East, 12th Range of T12N

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to exercise this option at any time within ninety days from this date and I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed of said land within the time specified in the exercise of this option. If the State of Indiana does not exercise this option within the time specified in this deed, then the delivery of this deed shall be deemed to be a deed of said land to the State of Indiana, and I agree to execute to the State of Indiana a good and sufficient warranty deed of said land within the time specified in this deed. I have all rights and claims in and to the above described land which I have within the time specified in this deed.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of

1881.

*new Manager
Sept 16*

In consideration of \$1.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described real estate in Tipton County and the State of Indiana, to-wit:

Between Buck Creek Ditch and State Road No. 28, all that portion of section 10 township 21 north range 4 east, to contain 4 acres more or less but not less than three acres, fronting on the south line of State Road No. 28, which lies west of the west bank of Buck Creek Ditch and the East line of the said State Road No. 28.

Said State of Indiana shall have the right to close this option at any time within 60 days from this date and I agree to execute to it, or any person named by it, a good and sufficient warranty deed to said real estate. Upon the execution of said deed, ~~my~~ shall be paid \$150.00 per acre. I waive all claims for damages for failure to ~~close~~ this option within the term named.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 16th day of Sept, 1933.

Helen S. Shurtle

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Conley

In consideration of \$100.00, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, I hereby
give to the State of Indiana the option to buy the following described land
situate in Ellettsburg County and the State of Indiana, to-wit:

between Jack Creek Ditch and State Road No. 20, all that portion of section
10 containing 21 north range & east, to contain a more or less but not less
than three acres, fronting on the north line of the said Range No. 20, which line west
of the west bank of Jack Creek Ditch and the East line of the said State Road
No. 20.

and the State of Indiana shall have the right to exercise this option at any
time within _____ days from this date and I agree to execute to it or any
person named by it a good and sufficient warranty deed to said land within
_____ days after the expiration of said term, or shall be deemed to have all
claims for damages for failure to exercise this option within the term named.

W. H. H. a witness whereof, I have hereunto set up hand and seal this _____
day of _____, 1925.

W. H. H.

W. H. H.

Handwritten mark

September 22, 1933.

Mr. Thomas D. Foster,
Tipton Cement Works,
Tipton, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Wheeler and myself visited Tipton yesterday and examined the site and buildings offered by you to the Commission for a State garage.

We concluded from the examination that the buildings would not be at all available for the purpose needed.

Regretting that we are unable to use your property, I am

Yours very truly,

Evan B. Stotsenburg,
Commissioner.

ESB:MK

October 30, 1917

Mr. J. H. ...
Federal Reserve Bank
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 23rd inst. in relation to the proposed issue of the ...
The Commission for a State ...
We have considered the ...
and will ...

Very respectfully,
Secretary

Yours very truly,
J. H. ...

For the Commission,
Commissioner

True copy

September 22, 1933.

Mr. F. A. Henning,
District Engineer,
Greenfield, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Wheeler and I visited Tipton yesterday afternoon and tentatively selected, subject to your approval, a site for a new garage, covered by the enclosed offer.

We wish you would examine this site yourself, particularly with reference to the availability of the water, light and power supplies, and also as to soil conditions. I understand there are no sewer facilities.

One of our reasons for selecting this particular site was because there is a County Highway on the one side of the property, which will be useful in getting large and heavy machinery onto the State Highway. We fear that if the only entrance to the property was on No. 28 there might be difficulty in bringing long machinery onto the road.

Mr. Conley suggested that we see Judge Gifford and Mr. Vaner, the post-master, concerning the proposed sites in Tipton. We however did not do this, so perhaps you had better contact with them. Urge on the local people that if they expect anything to be done this fall, they must work rapidly.

We will require an abstract of title to the property, and a clearance of the title. The abstract should be accompanied by a plat, showing the dimensions of the ground, etc. If this preliminary work is done speedily, there is no reason why we cannot construct this building this fall.

Yours very truly,

Evan B. Stotsenburg,
Commissioner.

EBS:MX
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September 20, 1947

Mr. J. E. ...
Federal ...

Dear Sir:

I am writing you regarding the ...
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Very truly yours,

John D. ...

cc: ...
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Handwritten mark

September 21, 1933.

Mr. Thos. D. Foster,
c/o Tipton Cement Company,
Tipton, Indiana.

Dear Sir:

Answering your letter of the 20th, concerning sites you say you have at Tipton, will answer that I have referred your letter to Mr. Adams, our Chairman, who will come to Tipton in a few days.

Mr. Adams no doubt will call on you.

Yours very truly,

Evan B. Stotsenburg,
Commissioner.

EBS:MK

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TIPTON CEMENT WORKS

T. D. FOSTER

MANUFACTURER OF

BURIAL VAULTS, FENCE POSTS, BUILDING BLOCKS, FANCY PORCH BLOCKS
COLUMNS AND ARTIFICIAL STONE

Vauxes P.M.

TIPTON, IND., Sept 20th 1933

Jordan Gifford

Indiana State Highway Commission.
Indianapolis
Ind.

Gentlemen:-

I would like to offer for your consideration
a Building 120ft x 80ft two stories high
a smaller Building 30ft x 60ft. one story.
as much land as needed, same is
located 1/4 mile west of Tipton on the old
route 28.

Respectfully Yours.

Thomas D Foster

Tipton
Ind.

TIPTON CEMENT WORKS

T. D. FOSTER

MANUFACTURER OF

BURIAL VAULTS, FENCE POSTS, BUILDING BLOCKS, FANCY PORCH BLOCKS

COLUMNS AND ARTIFICIAL STONE

TIPTON, IOWA June 20, 1921

Wm. J. Foster

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th inst. regarding the matter mentioned therein and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

Wm. J. Foster

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President