

Columbia County Ill.

At a Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace held at Ebersburg in and for said County on the eighth day of August A. D. 1882 before the Honorable Judges of said Court. The petition of sundry citizens of White Township and parts adjacent in said County was presented, setting forth that they labor under inconvenience for want of a public road to begin in a public road leading from Glendale to Geo. Walter at a point on the division line between the original survey in the names of John Marshall & Robert Barnhill tracts and from thence to lead along ^{the line} between the said two surveys northwesterly to a point where said line intersects the public road about sixty rods from the said place of beginning. Praying the Court to appoint three persons qualified according to law to view the ground proposed for such road, and if they should see occasion to lay out the same to inquire of and vacate the public road laid out beginning at the public road leading from Glendale to Geo. Walter at a point near the B. W. M. B. Church and leading along near the line of the said two surveys of John Marshall & Robert Barnhill to the point above mentioned.

The Court upon due consideration had of the premises do order and appoint G. A. Shoemaker, John S. Hill & Joseph Van Cannel to view the ground proposed to be vacated and supplied, who after having first given due and legal notice of the time and place of meeting by printed or written advertisements, and having been duly qualified according to law to discharge the duties of their appointment with fidelity shall proceed to view the same, and if all the said viewers view the same and a majority of them agree that said road should be vacated and supplied they shall proceed to vacate and supply the same so agreeably to the desire of the petitioners as may be, having respect to the best ground and the shortest distance, and in such manner as to do the least injury to private property. If the viewers aforesaid shall decide in favor of vacating and supplying said road, it is hereby made their duty to obtain from the persons ^{through whose lands} the supplied road may pass releases from any damages that may accrue to them from opening the same, and in every case where the owners of such lands refuse releasing their claims

1 for damages, the said viewers shall assess the damages, if any, and make
 2 report thereof signed by a majority of the viewers present and transmit the
 3 same, together with all releases, to be filed with the papers relating to
 4 said road. And the said viewers shall make report of their proceedings
 5 herein to the next Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for
 6 said County accompanying the same with a draft or plot of road
 7 vacated and supplied, the courses and distances, and reference to the
 8 improvements through which the same pass. And which report they
 9 shall state distinctly that they had law sworn or affirmed according
 10 to law and whether they judge the same necessary for a Public or
 11 Private road.

By the Court
 John B. Gates Clerk

Order to view Vacate & Supply part
 of a public road in Whit. Township.
 Beginning at a point in the public
 Road front Glendale to Cor. Waterman
 the division line between the survey
 in the names of John Marshall and
 Robert Bamhill Cross said Road and
 to follow said division line north
 westward to a point where the same
 intersects the public road about sixty
 rods from said point of beginning
 and to vacate that portion of the
 present public road and supply the
 same

J. A. Shoemaker
 John L. Hill
 Joseph Van Diney
 Report of Viewers filed
 Oct. 24, 1882
 Jan. 8, 1883 Cont. to Comm.
 15th Nov. - 1882
 been found mislaid
 ordered 30 feet wide
 By the Court
 Clerk Gates 75¢
 Records

3rd July 1883 confirmed
 absolutely - District Court

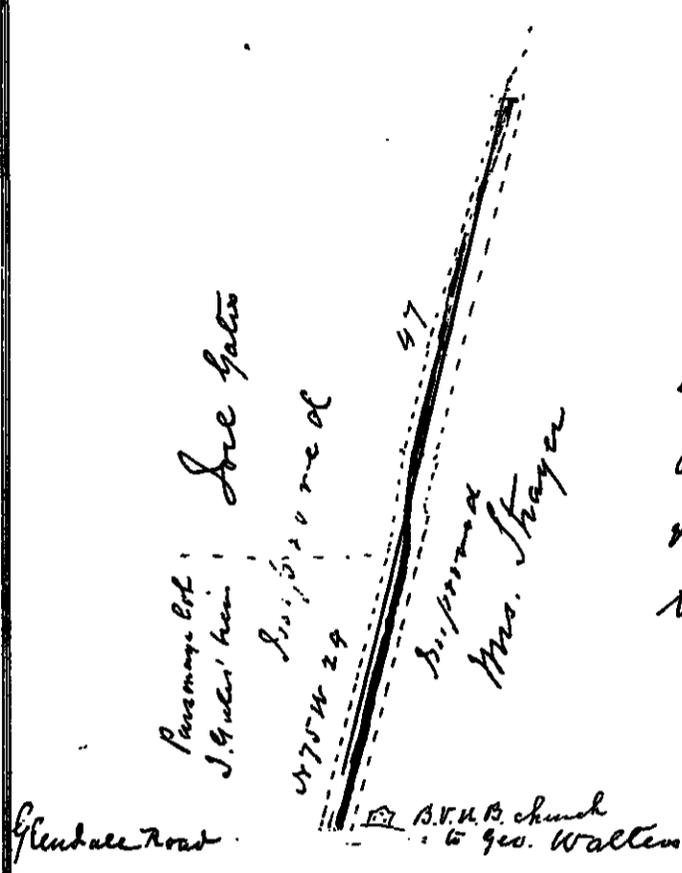
Recorded in Road Docket Vol. 3 Page 379 &c.

1812.

In the matter of the order to view, vacate and
survey part of a public road in White Township
Beginning at a point in the public road from Glendale
to Geo. Walters where the division line between the surveys in
the names of John Marshall and Robert Barnhill
crosses said road and to follow said division line
northwesterly to a point where the same intersects the
public road about sixty rods from said point
of beginning and to vacate that portion of the public
road supposed thereby -

Notice is hereby given that we will ^{meet} ~~attend~~ at
the Beana ~~the~~ valley, which on the 30th Aug. at 9. a. m.
to perform the duties of our appointment

J. H. Shoemaker }
John S. Hill & }
Joseph Van Orner }
Witnesses



The black line represents the original line between Marshall & Burnhill surveys. The red line, the road as used

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of
Columbia County

The undersigned views abided by the unrevoked order of
Court to view, vacate and supply the road therein mentioned,
demanded have duly affirmed according to law, and notice of the
time and place of meeting having been given by written
notices one of which is hereto attached, viewed the road
proposed to be vacated beginning at a point on the public
road leading from Glendale to George Walter near the B. & W.
B church, thence north seventy five degrees West seventy six perches
(in original view fifty five perches) and vacated the same in part, by
supplying that portion beginning at the point near the church on the
Glendale-Walter road north seventy five degrees West twenty and
(29) half perches to the corner of the passage lot (Gates heirs) & Del Gates,
by adopting the road now opened and used, the centre of which
is about nine feet east of the line between the Marshall and
Bancroft lines, and for the remainder of the road, north
seventy five degrees West forty seven perches, we hereby set the
road on the line between the Survey Marshall and Bancroft
as shown by the draft hereto annexed. The road as used, not
being upon the original line between the said surveys -

Witness our hands this 30th Aug. 1852

Some			
J. K. Shuman	2 days	6.00	
"	25 miles	2.50	10.50
Geo. Van Orman	1 day	2.00	
"	3 miles	.50	2.50
Geo. S. Gill	1 day	2.00	2.00

N. A. Shuman
John L. Gill
Joseph Van Orman