



A plot of a Public Road laid out from John Snays in Adams Co
to near Barbara gunning August 25th 1885
H. C. Miller Surveyor

To the judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions
of the Peace in the within or annexed order
named.

We the subscribers, the persons appointed
by said Court to view and lay out the road
therein named or mentioned. Report that:
Public notice having been given by written adver-
tisements of the time and place when and where
they would meet for the purpose of discharging
their duty according to law, and that having
been first severally sworn or affirmed in
the manner and form prescribed by said
order. That all of us said viewers to wit
A.W. Miller Moses B. East and Rhinehart
Rhodes met at the time and place adver-
tised. And having viewed the ground
for the proposed road, and all of us concurring
and agreeing that same is necessary for public
use, did lay out, and now return the same for
a Public Road, viz Beginning at the Public
Road near John Smay in Adams Township
thence along the division line between John Smay
and Rhinehart Smay North Seventy one and three-
fourth degrees East twenty eight and four-tenth perches
to a post thence by same, north sixty seven & three-fourth
degrees East thirty nine & eight tenth perches to a post
North Seventy two degrees East seventeen & four-tenth
perches to stone thence South Eighty & a half degrees East
seven & one-tenth, south twenty eight & a half degrees
East five & three-tenth perches. South Thirty eight &
half degrees East, four perches to a Beech South

thirty nine & three-fourths degrees East from six
tenths perches to a post, south forty seven & three-fourths
degrees East seven perches to a post, north eighteen &
one-fourth degrees East from & eight-tenths perches to a
post, south forty one & a half degrees East three &
a half perches to a post north forty seven & three
fourths degrees East ten perches to a Birch, north
thirty seven degrees East five & eight-tenths perches
to a little Birch, north fifty six & three-fourths degrees
East thirty four & a half perches to a post, north
eighty eight & a half degrees East nine perches to a
post, south sixty two & a half degrees East twenty
four perches to a post near the house of John
Rhodes south fifty eight & three-fourths degrees East
four perches south seventy six degrees East five perches
to a post, north forty & one fourth degrees East eleven
and six-tenths perches north nineteen degrees West
fourteen perches, north twenty four & three-fourths degrees
East three & eight-tenths perches, north forty five
degrees east three and six-tenths perches, north fifty
eight & a half degrees east five and six-tenths perches
south seventy five degrees East nine perches
north one & three-fourths degrees West seven &
three-tenths perches, north four & a half degrees West
five perches to a b lanch, north eight & a half degrees
West seven & eight-tenths perches, south seventy &
one fourth degrees East twelve & eight-tenths perches
south seventy three & three-fourths degrees East from
perches to a post north eighty five & three-fourths
degrees East five perches to a public road
near Barbara Grumblyng.

And the said viewer further report that

They endeavored to obtain releases from the persons
through whose land the said Road passes and
that John Rhodes, John Smay Rhinehart
Smay and Rhinehart Rhodes have released
all damages occurring to them, their release -
accompanying this report.

and they further report that they have considered
the damages of Mrs Barbara Gummeling the said
Road passing through a very small corner of her
land. We find that she will sustain no damage
by the opening of said road and therefore assess
none nor allow her no damages

A plot or draft is hereto annexed

Witness our hands and seals this 25th
day of August AD 1885 -

S. W. Miller Surveyor *Seal*

Wm. J. D. *Seal*

Rhinehart ^{his} Rhodes *Seal*
math

Bill

| | |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| S. W. Miller 2 days ten miles | \$ 9.00 |
| Mares & Cart 1 day 1 mile | 2.10 |
| Rhinehart Rhodes 1 day | 2.00 |

Chain barriers

Lewis H. Shank

1.50

John Grief

1.50

\$ 16.10

Adams Countyships
No. 7 June 2nd 1885.

Report of Review
to review and lay out
a road leading from
a public road near John
Shay in Adams County
to a public road near
Barbara Grumbine

Sept 14th 1885.

158 feet
Cut to review

Oct. 20th 1885

Report read ^{Confined near} and ordered
to be opened 30 ft wide

By the court

Jan. 13. 1886. Confirmed absolutely

By the court

J. M. Grumbine

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
County of Cambria, } SS.

At a court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Cambria
held at Ebensburg in the said County, on the sixth day of
July A. D. 1881, before the Honorable the Judges of the same
court: Upon the petition of divers inhabitants of the township of Adams
in the said county, setting forth that they labor under inconvenience for want of a
public road or highway, to lead from
a point on the Township road at or near
the house of John Smay and ending at
a point near the house of Mr. Barbara
Grunberg on Township road

and therefore praying the court to appoint proper persons to view and lay out the
same according to law. The Court upon due consideration had of the premises, do
order and appoint, S. W. Miller SURVEYOR,
and Moses D. Eash and Rinehart Rhodes

VIEWERS, to view the ground proposed for said
road, and if they view the same, and shall agree that there is occasion for such
road, they shall proceed to lay out the same, having respect to the shortest distance
and the best ground for a road, and in such manner as shall do the least injury to
private property, and also be, as far as practicable, agreeable to the desire of the
petitioners, and that they make a report of their proceedings to the next Court
of Quarter Sessions to be held for said county, stating particularly whether they
judge the same necessary for a public or private road, together with a plot or draft
thereof, and the courses and distances, and references to the improvements through
which it may pass.

BY THE COURT.

Attest:

H. A. Schenck,
Clerk.

NOTE.—“It shall be the duty of all persons appointed in the several counties of this Commonwealth to view and review any public or private road or bridge, if they shall decide in favor of locating said road or bridge, to endeavor to procure from the persons over whose land such location may be made releases from all claims for damages that might arise from the opening of such road or the building of such bridge; and in every case where said viewers shall fail to procure such releases, and it shall appear to them that any damages will be sustained, it shall be their duty to assess the damages and make report thereof signed by a majority of their number, and return the same, together with all releases obtained, to the Court of Quarter Sessions, and the damages so assessed shall be conclusive, or may be subject to appeal, review or modification, as may be provided by existing laws in the different counties of this Commonwealth.”

“The persons appointed as aforesaid shall view such ground, and if they shall agree that there is occasion for a road, they shall proceed to lay out the same, having respect to the shortest distance, and the best ground for a road, and in such manner as shall do the least injury to private property, and also be, as far as practicable, agreeable to the desire of the petitioners.”

“The viewers, as aforesaid, shall make report, at the next term of said Court, and in the said report shall state particularly: first, who of them were present at the view; second, whether they were severally sworn or affirmed; third, whether the road desired be necessary for a public or private road; they shall also annex and return to the Court a plot or draft thereof, stating the courses and distances, and noting briefly the improvements, through which it may pass; and whenever practicable, the viewers shall lay out the said roads at an elevation not exceeding five degrees, (except at the crossing of ravines and streams) where, by moderate filling and bridging, the declination of the road may be preserved within that limit.”

No. 2

June 1st 1885

Order to view a road to be laid
from a point on Government
Road near house of John
Gray to a point over
toward road near house
of Barbara Griswold

Attest
John A. Weller
Moses D. Carl
Richard Rhodes

Take this instrument
for you
and
Lent to Government

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Know all men by these that

of Adams township Cambria
County and State of Pennsylvania, for and in
consideration of the advantages that may occur
to by a road now being laid out through our
lands this day, have remised, released and forever
discharged the County of Cambria from any dam-
ages that may be sustained by any of us by reason
of opening a road leading from ~~the~~ John Smay,
to or near Barbara Grumlings in said township

Witness our hands and seals This day

of

AD 1855 -

John M Roads 

Attest

Richard T Smay 

John W Smay 

Rhinehart ^{his} Rhodes 
Mark 

Release of damage
by reason of offering a non
existing claim for damages
to Barbican Investments
in Adams' bankruptcy

To the Honorable the Judges of the
Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria
County.

The petition of the undersigned Citizens
of Adams Township said County Respect-
fully represent,

That they labor under
great inconveniences for want of a
Public Road, leading from a point
on the Township Road at or near the
House of John Smay to or near a point
at the House of Mrs Barbara Brum-
blyng on Township Road.

Your petitioners therefore pray your
Honors to appoint Commissioners to lay out
the Road as prayed for.

And they will ever be

Elias T. Miller
Samuel Shank
J. R. Still
Jacob Stockbank
Henry Reynolds
John W. Smay
George Farmer
J. C. Smith
E. D. Price
John Frye
Samuel Peckley
David G. Gaff
Agent of Roads
Wm. Dickson —

Richard F. Smay
E. A. W. —
George Frye
Gen. Miller
William Shank
Daniel F. S.
D. B. Price
Stephen Scott
Adam Sherkay
Suptor Paul
G. Gaff
Joseph Reynolds
Christianus reed
C. W. Ridleids —

Samuel Fielder
John W. Dickey
Andrew Brown man
staged by Earle
John H. Foijer

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Pittsburgh Citizens of
Johnstown, Young
Mo Co to all friends
of miners & trades and
against a public license
from a point on South
West river between
Edgewater & a point
on Pennsylvania border
near Johnny Barnes
mining

Tue July 6. 1910:

Marie S. Cash
S.H. Miller
Richard Rhodes
Appointed members
of Com

Progressive