

In the matter of report of viewers  
vacating road from Glasgow to Shirley  
in Reade Township. filed to No. 9  
Sept. Term 1888 Road Broken

To the Honorable R. S. Johnston  
President Judge of the Court of Quarter  
Sessions of Cambria County;

The undersigned citizens of Reade  
Township do most earnestly remon-  
strate against confirming the report of  
viewers in above case for the following  
reasons:

1<sup>st</sup> The order of this Court opening  
said road was made in Decr / Jan a  
year prior to the commencement  
of these proceedings to wit on Feby.  
8<sup>th</sup> 1889 and said road has been open-  
ed a considerable distance by the Sup-  
erisors thus involving a loss on the town-  
ship to the extent of the work already  
done.

2<sup>d</sup> The report of viewers confirming  
in favor of said road was confirmed  
by the Court after remonstrance and  
review and full hearing and should  
not be disturbed now.

3<sup>d</sup> The said road is only partly opened  
and the petition is not signed by a

majority of the original petitioners. -  
 4<sup>th</sup> the said road ~~will~~ <sup>is</sup> not only a convenience but a necessity to a large number of persons to who have business at Shirley where a Post Office has recently been established, a station on the C. C. Co. & N. Y. R. R. Co., and where extensive improvements are in progress. -

5. To direct the said road to be vacated now would entail serious loss on the township and on many citizens of the township. -

We therefore pray that the report of views be set aside & set aside by the Court.

W. J. Thomas	J. M. Gray
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William Bradley	Wm. Mitchell

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Joseph B. Brubaker	Robert Hollen
Geo. Brubaker	Charles W. W.
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R. S. Bower

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John Russell

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James C. Childs

John H. Hollen

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Samuel Knudsen

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Road Book

Remembrance

Feb. 4. 1889.

Barker.

Mountain Dale, Cambria Co. Pa. 7/12/80

To the Hon' R L. Johnston, Judge of the Court  
of Common Pleas.

We, the undersigned,  
Citizens of Reade Township, Cambria Co.  
Pa. Pray that the Honorable Court will  
~~grant~~ us a rule to vacate a certain Road  
leading from Glasgow to Shirley, for the  
following reasons.

1<sup>st</sup> That a great number of signers  
to said road, would have to pass a road  
already partly built from Mountain-  
dale to Shirley, and would have to pass  
and drive a full Mile further to intersect  
the road at Glasgow leading to Shirley.

2<sup>nd</sup> That a number of the signers to  
said petition live at or near Glasgow,  
and have a public road leading to  
Fallen Timber within a quarter to half a  
mile of them.

3<sup>rd</sup> There is a Rail Road surveyed  
from Shirley at and near the survey of  
the Public road, that will be built at some  
future day to take ovens on land of Fries &  
Schmidt.

4<sup>th</sup>

That the Supervisors of Reade Township say that the present Tax is insufficient to build and keep in order the present roads, as they need a great deal of repairs. And said road will be an expensive road to build and keep in repair

Thos M. Apple

Abner Spear

Ludwig Neubaus

Peter Miller

Roland Dixon

G. F. Allen

Leah Dixon

John I. Ketchum

W H Beers

Wm Simmons

John Beers

Daniel Roffree

Jacob Trosell

Alex le Gray

D. A. Glass

Wm Garret

Jos. J. Glass

Henry Stone

W. E. Glasgow

Jacob Appleby

Edley Appleby

James M. Carney Sr

Samuel Appleby

John Gravit

Lydia Carney on a lot of property on same ground

W. L. Glasgow

George H. Miller

B. Y. Trosell

Wm. S. Smith Esq

Geo H. Trosell

Geo. B. Richards

Station of  
Captain J. R. Rade  
Newark N. J.  
Post from Chicago  
to Albany

July 23 1888

Aug. 10, 1888

Post Office  
Frank E. M. Wright  
Anthony Hill St.  
By the Post

Thermometer

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,  
County of Cambria } SS.

At a court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Cambria  
held at Chesham in the said County, on the 10th day of  
September A. D. 1888, before the Honorable the Judges of the same  
court: Upon the petition of divers inhabitants of the township of Reade  
in the said county, setting forth that they labor under inconvenience for want of a  
they "Pray the Court will grant a road or highway, to lead from  
rule to vacate a certain road leading from Stangor to Shirley  
for the following reasons, 1st That a great number of signers to said  
road would have to pass a road already partly built from  
Maunstead to Shirley and would have to pass Edwards a full  
mile further to intersect the road at Stangor leading to Shirley.  
2nd That a number of the signers to said petition live at or near  
Stangor & have a public road leading to Fallen Point within a  
quarter to half a mile of them. 3rd There is a rail road surveyed  
from Shirley at or near the survey of the public road, that will  
be built at some future day to take over on land of Fries  
Schmidt. 4th That the Supervisors of Reade Township say that the  
present tax is insufficient to build and keep in order the present  
road as they need great deal of repairs and said road will  
be an expensive road to build and keep in repair.

and therefore praying the court to appoint proper persons to <sup>and direct</sup> view and lay out the  
same according to law. The Court upon due consideration had of the premises, do  
order and appoint, Paul Zahner SURVEYOR,  
and James C. M. Laugh & Anthony Gill Jr.

— VIEWERS, to view the ground proposed for said  
<sup>Vacation</sup> road, and if they view the same, and shall agree that there is occasion for such  
<sup>Vacation</sup> road, they shall proceed to <sup>locate</sup> 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:

M. A. Shaver  
Clerk.





private road or bridge, or 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. 9  
Sept. Term 1878  
R.D.

Order to view and  
locate road from  
Gauguin & Whiting in  
Beane Township

Viewers:  
Paul Johnson  
James C. McLaughlin  
Anthony Bell  
1504  
C. L. Brown

Filed 3 Dec 1878

Leck Shaver  
Atty. General  
Hammill

10 June 1879 Confirmed nisi. Per Lem