

To The Honorable A. V. Barker, Just
 Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions of
 Cumberland County

The petition of the undersigned
 residents of Jackson Township respectfully
 represents that a road has long since been
 laid out from a point near Jackson Pagers
 to the old "Single Mill" site. That a
 portion of said road has become burden-
 some and inconvenient and we believe
 the same can be improved by changes.
 We therefore pray that competent
 persons be appointed viewers to view,
 vacate and supply the same
 And we will ever pray or

John Cunningham
 A. St. Albans
 Thomas Stiffler
 John Wilkison
 John Wilkison
 H. G. Brown
 S. Rogers
 Adam Sherman

Robt. M. B. B. B.
 George B. Rodgers
 Wm. B. B.
 William C. Davis

B. B. Rogers
 David Brocken
 A. B. Rogers
~~Charles B. Rogers~~
 Charles Murphy
 B. Rogers
 H. Rogers
 John Simons
 Wm. B. B.
 G. B. B.
 Chas. B. B.

No. 6 Madison, 1894
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Petition of citizens of
Jackson Township
for appointment of
viewers to vacate
^{and supply}
part of a road in
Jackson Twp. -

Apr. 18th, 1894.
petition read and
Clarence R. Clag-
horn, John A. Rager
and Wm Shuman
appointed viewers
Per the Court

Filed 18 Apr. 1894

Evans

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To the Hon^{ble} the Pres^t Judge of the Court of Quarter
Sessions of Cambria County

We, citizens of Jackson Township in said County and others
owners of farms in said Township, respectfully submit
against the confirmation of the report of assessors appointed
to view, vacate and supply the road laid out from Jackson
Rapids to the P.M. Pimple mill in said Township filed 4th June
and confirmed "visi" 3 July 1894, for the following reasons:
1st Several of the signers to the Petition are non-residents
and have no interest in said road. 2nd That by vacating
said road the means of ingress to the farms of John
Egan, John A. Blain and others is destroyed and taken away.
3rd The road, as used, is located upon high and dry ground,
easily kept in order and maintained as a public road.
4th The road, to supply the old one, is upon low, marshy
ground, will be difficult and very expensive to make
and consequently, burdensome to the taxpayers of
said Township.

We therefore request the report to be set aside and
we will ever remain,

Mark Kerr	Benz. F. Ford
N. A. Dishang	Benjamin Figart
Mathaniel Treeter	Alexander Dearpwind
Jackson Payer	B.M. Daughenbaugh
Wack. Crawford	T. R. Davis
Dan. Rose	William Kelly
Hugh Mugard	Daniel Kerr
John Mugard	Mr. Long
John Kelly	Thomas Davis
Milton A. Litzinger	John Gittings
Michael McLearty	George Senebaugh
John Liggett	J. Gray
John Figart	J. H. Long
William Ford	Chas. Donohue

1 William Byers

2 W. H. Byers

3 Elias Monday

4 Leonard A. Boring

5 Cooley ^{mark} Libbaw

6 Lewis H. Singer

7 Nathaniel Singer

8 J. L. Singer

9 D. Kelley

10 James A. Kelley

11 James M. Kierger

12 Charlie Strisabaugh

13 Emmanuel Kruster

14 G. C. Warner

15 F. H. Gause

16 W. S. Gebargh

17 David F. Burkhardt

18 Lemuel D. Brown

19 Daniel F. Dorst

20 George Dudge

21 Daniel Gorkin

22 Henry Sell

23 Wm. A. Stewart

24 Daniel S. Burkhardt

25 John A. Blair

h. 6 Mar. Secs, 1894
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In the matter of the
Report of viewers appointed
to view, vacate and supply
the road from Jackson Ragus
to The Pt Pringle mill in
Jackson Township

Remittance

Jan 29 Oct. 1894

Sherraker

To The Honorable Judge of the Court
of Quarter Sessions of
Cambria County.

The undersigned persons, appointed to perform the duties set forth in the annexed Order of Court, do respectfully report that having first given due notice of the time and place of meeting in the manner required by law, we met at the place designated in said notices, to wit, at the house of John Rages in Jackson township on Saturday June 2nd at 10⁰⁰ a.m. and having been duly sworn to perform said duties to the best of our skill and judgement, proceeded to view that portion of the road mentioned in the said order of the Honorable Court, and sought to be vacated. And we respectfully report in favor of vacating the same as follows.

Beginning at the junction of said road with a public road leading from the Huntingdon and Pittsburgh Turnpike to the site of Ritters Terrace thence as follows

South 77° 15' East 127 ft — ~~South 77° 15' East 127 ft~~
South 77° 00' East 390 ft — East 443 ft

South $68^{\circ}15'$ East; 249 ft. (crossing Shuman's Run)
North $78^{\circ}40'$ East 147 ft. — North $71^{\circ}15'$ East 70 ft.
South $82^{\circ}30'$ East 152 ft. — South $80^{\circ}30'$ East 109 ft.
North $54^{\circ}00'$ East 92 ft. — North $82^{\circ}40'$ East 209 ft.
South $67^{\circ}30'$ East 167 ft. — South $56^{\circ}45'$ East 240 ft.
South $56^{\circ}15'$ East 200 ft. to a point on said
public road outside of the town of Vinton-
ville and marked by a tree with blazes.

And in view of the fact that
we, as viewers appointed by your Honorable
Court, have this day favorably recom-
mended the vacation and supplying
of a certain portion of the public road
leading from the Huntington and Pitts-
burgh Turnpike to the site of Ritter's Fur-
nace, we now further recommend that
the road above described for vacation
be supplied so as to conform to the
streets and lines of the town of Vinton-
ville as follows

Beginning at a point where
the ^{said} new road leading from the Hunting-
ton and Pittsburgh Turnpike to the site of
Ritter's Furnace (and ~~before~~ ^{as} ~~maintained~~
having been viewed and supplied this
day) leaves Barker Street of the town
of Vintonville, thence along Barker
Street (and crossing Shuman's Run) North

71° 15' East 396 ft — North 56° 45' East 1143 ft
Thence heading Barker Street and along
one of the streets of town of Milton not
yet named, South 33° 15' East 793 ft
South 53° 00' East 252 ft to a point in
the public road marked by a tree
with blazes as herein mentioned.

And we annex hereto a draft
or plat of that portion of the road so
created as well as of that to be supplied.
Also a release from all damages
likely to result from the opening of
said road, signed by the owners of the
land through which it will pass.

Witness our hands and seals
This second day of June A.D. 1894

Charles R. Clagburn &

John Rager

Chas. S. Stearns

William ^{hus} Chuman.
mar.

} Witnesses

Oath of Road Viewers

Vietsville, Pa.

2nd June 1894

We, { Clarence R. Claghorn
John A. Rager
Wm Shuman }

Having been appointed by The Honorable
Court of Columbia County as viewers to view,
vacate and supply a certain public road
in the said County do solemnly swear
to perform the official duties incumbent
upon said office to the best of our
ability skill and judgement

So help us God.

Clarence R. Claghorn

John Rager

Wm ^{his} X Shuman
and

J. B. Hite.

Sworn to and subscribed before me
J. B. Hite a Justice
of the Peace in and for the County of
Columbia State of Pennsylvania This
2nd day of May 1894 A.D.

J. B. Hite J.P.

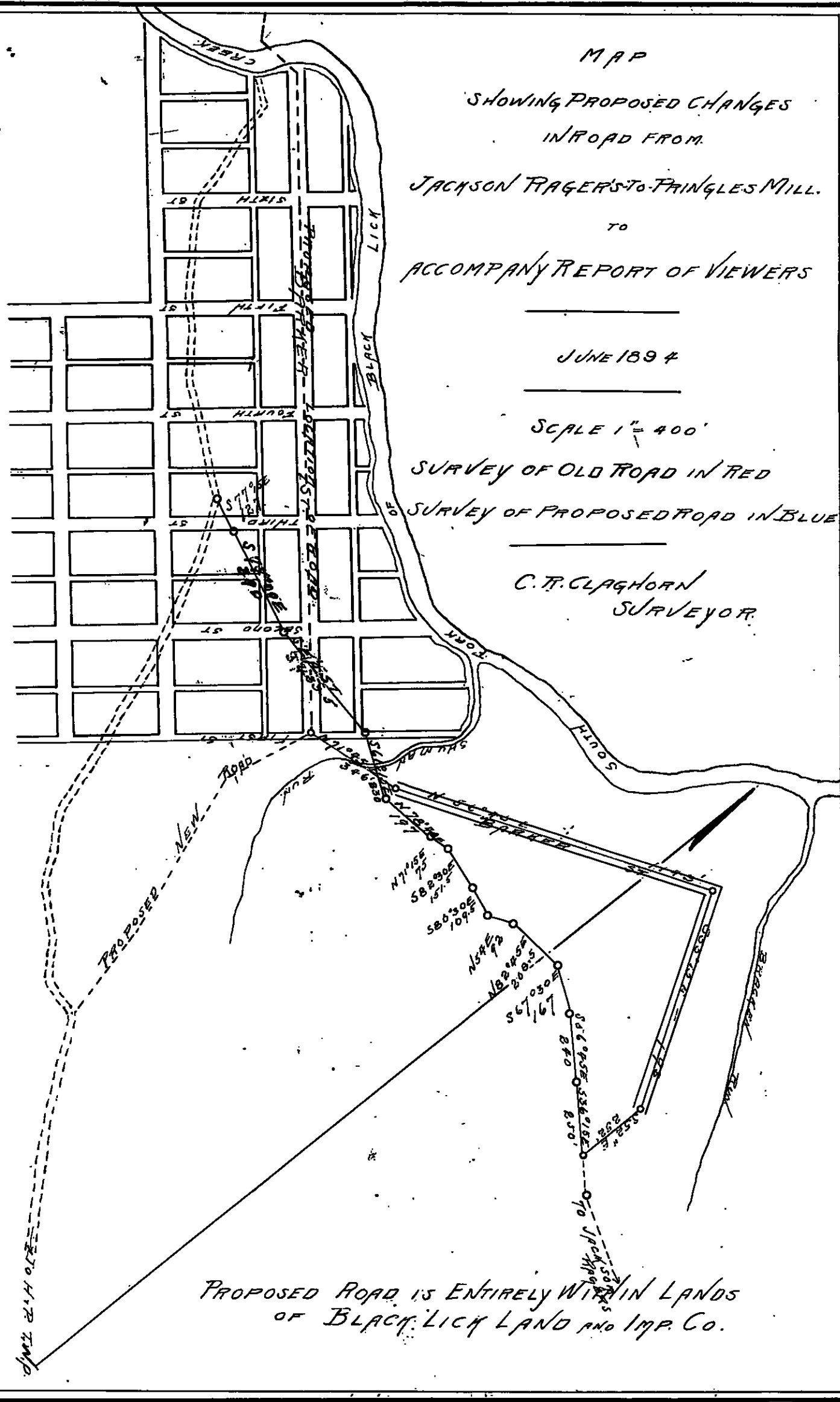
MAP
 SHOWING PROPOSED CHANGES
 IN ROAD FROM
 JACKSON TRAGER'S TO FAINGLES MILL.
 TO
 ACCOMPANY REPORT OF VIEWERS

JUNE 1894

SCALE 1" = 400'

SURVEY OF OLD ROAD IN RED
 SURVEY OF PROPOSED ROAD IN BLUE

C. T. CLAGHORN
 SURVEYOR



PROPOSED ROAD IS ENTIRELY WITHIN LANDS
 OF BLACK LICK LAND AND IMP. CO.

We hereby release all claims for
damages likely to occur to our land
by reason of the opening of the proposed
new road.

The Blacklock Land and
Improvement Co. by
A. V. Barker Vice Pres.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
County of Lancaster, } ss.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Lancaster
held at Greensburg in the said County, on the eighteenth day of
April A. D. 1894 before the Honorable the Judges of the same
Court: Upon the petition of divers inhabitants of the township of Jackson
in the said County, setting forth that they labor under inconvenience for want of

~~road or highway, to lead from~~
a road has long since been laid out from a point
near Jackson Ridge to the old Gringle mill site that a
portion of said road has become burdensome and
inconvenient and we believe the same can be improved
by changes.

and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to ^{visit & supply} view, and lay out the
same according to law. The Court upon due consideration had of the premises, do
order and appoint Clarence R. Blackmore SURVEYOR,
and John A. Rager and W. J. Shuman

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 ^{visit & supply} 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:

John A. Rager
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. 9
March 20, 1907

Order to view, a ~~new~~ ^{new} book of
a public reading lecture
on the reading habit
Jackson Review to the
Gangue will like

1. General R. B. Dyer
 2. J. A. Raper
 3. W. J. Dyer

Filed June 1898

Book for Alty. Lind.

3 July 1894. Read and confirmed rise and parts
supplied ordered blue-shaded 30 ft bed.

31st Oct, 1894 I hereby certify the within
case to Judge Martin Bell. —

A. V. Barker
P. J. 47 ib Just. Dist

31st. Oct 1894 confirmed absolutely
Martin Rell
Pres. Ind. & 24th Ind. & 24th Ind.
Specially preferred