

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 twentieth day of April A. D. 1896, before the Honorable Judge of the said Court: Upon the petition of divers inhabitants of the townships of Gallitzin and Allegany in the said County, setting forth that they labor under inconvenience for want of a road or highway, to lead from a road which was long since laid out for public use in the Town of Allegany leading from James McFarley's to intersect the Burgoon's Gap Road at the County line as will appear by the records of the proceedings entered in Circuit Court Book Pages 286 and 287. That by the formation of the Township of Gallitzin a large part of said road was thereby embraced in the boundaries of Gallitzin Town. That said road has become useless, inconvenient and burdensome to the inhabitants of said Township by reason of the fact that the road is seldom travelled and is too expensive to keep in repair, the ground over which it passes being rough and hilly, and the road drifting badly in winter time.

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 D. Laird Elder SURVEYOR, and C. R. Dinshegan and James E. McGough

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:



P. W. Davis  
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 inordinate filling and bridging, the declination of the road may be preserved within that limit."

No. 7  
March Session 1896

Order to view and assess  
~~the~~ ~~and~~ ~~all~~ ~~in~~  
Bullock's ~~or~~ ~~and~~ ~~all~~ ~~in~~  
James' ~~Malone's~~ farm  
Unbiased - Brigantine Park  
Road oil - Star County line

Premises  
John C. Elden  
Dr. Rodman Eggen  
James E. McHugh  
Juleel James 1896

Clerk Davis for Oct 1896

HERALD-BRANT, SECRETARY

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Aug. 18 1896 - Read and confirmed this  
By the Court  
Oct. 28, 1896 Confirmed accordingly,  
By the Court

forty three North sixty seven degrees met  
two hundred and seventy four feet three  
North sixty degrees west three hundred  
and fourteen feet three South seventy  
nine degrees west two hundred and  
seventy three feet three South eighty nine  
degrees west one hundred and thirty  
four feet three South sixty eight degrees  
west one hundred and eighty four  
feet three North sixteen degrees west  
two hundred and twenty seven feet three  
North four and one half degrees west  
four hundred and twenty two feet  
three North forty four and one half degrees  
west one hundred and forty eight  
feet three North sixty six degrees west  
ninety four feet three North thirty three  
degrees west one hundred and forty  
seven feet three North forty degrees  
west one hundred and sixty eight  
feet three North sixty one and one half  
degrees west ninety three feet three  
South eighty eight degrees west one  
hundred and fifty three feet three  
North sixty seven degrees west one  
hundred and thirty three feet three North  
forty four degrees west one hundred  
and sixty two feet three North sixty six degrees  
west one hundred and forty eight feet

three North fifty six degrees met one  
hundred and twenty nine feet three North  
sixty two degrees met ninety eight feet  
three North thirty eight degrees met two  
hundred and forty nine feet three North  
nineteen degrees met six hundred and  
twenty seven feet three North eleven degrees  
met five hundred and ten feet three North  
nineteen and one half degrees met one  
hundred and sixty two feet three North  
thirty eight degrees met two hundred  
and twenty three feet three North thirty one  
and one half degrees met two hundred and  
ninety eight feet three North twenty seven  
degrees met two hundred and twenty seven  
feet three North thirty four degrees met  
ninety eight feet three North twenty one  
degrees met one hundred and eighteen feet  
North thirty one and one half degrees met  
two hundred and twenty feet three North  
twenty one and one half degrees met one  
hundred and forty feet three North  
nineteen and one half degrees met one  
hundred and two feet three North eleven  
and one half degrees met one hundred  
and thirty eight feet three North twenty  
four and one half degrees met one  
hundred and four feet three North  
sixteen degrees met one hundred

and sixty feet three North five and one  
half degrees West one hundred and fifty  
five feet three North seven degrees East  
two hundred and two feet three North eleven  
degrees East one hundred and sixty seven  
feet three North twenty one degrees East  
three hundred and ninety four feet  
to Robert Johnstons (formerly James Malony)  
the road passes through lands of  
Henry Conway James Riley Taylor & Mcboy  
Bernard Myers D.R. Moore Pennsylvania Rail  
road Company Henry Mansfield Andrew  
Basal James Malony and Robert Johnston  
said road as aforesaid we are of  
the opinion should be vacated because  
the grade in places exceeds five degrees  
the road has been abandoned in  
some places and is seldom traveled  
and we recommend that the same be  
vacated a plot or draft thereof  
is herewith enclosed Witness our  
hands this 23<sup>d</sup> day of May 1896

J. Leard Elder 1 day making my and two days J. Leard Elder  
writing out report & Making Map James E. McGough  
of same

J. Leard Elder	"	20 miles	2.00	E.R. Dunningan
E.R. Dunningan	1 d. ay	10 miles	2.00	
James E. Mc Gough	1 day	14 miles	2.00	
George Dunningan Chain man			1.40	
			1.50	
			21.90	

To the Honorable A. V. Barker President Judge  
of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County  
Pennsylvania. We the undersigned appointed  
by the aforesaid order respectfully report that  
having all been present at the view of the  
ground proposed for such road to be vacated  
and having been first severally sworn or  
affirmed to perform our duties according to law  
We in pursuance of said order have viewed  
the ground described in said order and  
believing that the road leading from Robert Johnston  
(formerly James Malony) in Allegheny Township  
to intersect the Burgoons Gap road at the Blair  
County line in Gallitzin Township has become  
unlawfully inconvenient & burdensome and ought  
therefore to be vacated and have viewed  
and vacated same as follows. Beginning  
at the Blair County line on the Burgoons Gap  
road three North twenty nine degrees West  
five hundred and seventy four feet three North  
thirteen and one half degrees West one hundred  
and five feet three North seven degrees East  
Eighty four feet three North thirty four degrees  
West thirty three feet three North Sixty degrees  
West one hundred and thirty five feet three  
North forty six degrees West two hundred  
and fifty nine feet three North two degrees  
West two hundred and eighty four feet three North  
nineteen degrees West three hundred and thirty

seven feet three North twenty seven degrees west one  
hundred and six feet three North thirty seven  
degrees West four hundred and forty six feet  
three North forty one degrees West one hundred  
and thirty three feet three North thirty one degrees West one  
hundred and thirty four feet three North forty one  
degrees West one hundred and fifty eight  
feet three North twenty six degrees West three hundred  
and seventy two feet three North twelve degrees East  
two hundred and fifteen feet three North nineteen  
degrees West two hundred and twenty eight  
feet three North thirty six degrees West two  
hundred and eighty two feet three North forty  
one degrees West three hundred and forty  
six feet three North thirty seven degrees  
West three hundred and ninety five feet  
three North forty seven degrees West fourteen  
hundred and twelve feet three North thirty  
six degrees West two hundred and thirty five  
feet three North forty two degrees West one  
hundred and sixty one feet three North thirty  
Eight and one half degrees West one hundred  
and sixteen feet three North forty  
Nine degrees West two hundred and twenty  
one feet three North twenty four degrees  
West one hundred and ninety one feet  
three North forty five and one half degrees  
West one hundred and thirty three feet  
three North forty six and one half degrees West

one hundred and fifty five feet three  
North forty one degrees West two hundred and  
forty four feet three North twenty nine and  
one half degrees West one hundred and  
eighteen feet three North thirty nine degrees  
West two hundred and three feet three  
North fifty two and one half degrees West one  
hundred and sixty one feet three North twenty  
seven and one half degrees West one  
hundred and eighty eight feet three North two degrees  
West two hundred and sixty five feet three  
North twenty three and one half degrees West  
one hundred and fifty feet three North eleven  
and one half degrees East one hundred and  
twenty seven feet three North twelve degrees  
West two hundred and fifty three feet three  
North twenty three degrees West two hundred  
and sixty nine feet three North three  
degrees East one hundred and twenty seven  
feet three North seventeen degrees East  
one hundred and forty nine feet three  
North thirty five and one half degrees East  
two hundred and seventy feet three  
North fifty one degrees East two hundred  
and three feet three North thirteen degrees  
East one hundred and forty nine feet  
three North two degrees East two hundred  
and six feet three North eleven degrees  
West one hundred and twenty four

forty three North twenty four degrees West  
one hundred and ninety three feet three North  
twenty and one half degrees West one hundred  
and fifty eight feet three North thirty  
five degrees West one hundred and twenty  
eight feet three North twenty six degrees  
West two hundred and twenty seven feet  
three North forty four and one half degrees West  
forty four feet three North one and one half  
degrees East four hundred and sixty six  
feet three North three hundred and  
fifty six feet three North twenty and  
one fourth degrees West three hundred  
and thirty two feet three North thirty four  
degrees West two hundred and nine  
feet three North thirty degrees West one  
hundred and six feet three North thirty eight  
and one half degrees West one hundred and  
ninety three feet three North thirty two  
and one half degrees West two hundred  
and twenty four feet three North thirty  
six degrees West one hundred and  
fifty feet three North twenty four and one  
half degrees West one hundred and sixty  
one feet three North forty six degrees West  
two hundred and sixty four feet three North  
seventy degrees West two hundred and forty eight

To the Honorable A. V. Barker, President Judge of  
the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County,  
Pennsylvania.

The petition of the undersigned inhabitants of the  
Township of Gallitzin and Allegheny in said County,  
respectfully represents:

That a road was long since laid out for  
public use in the Township of Allegheny leading from  
James Maloney to intersect the Burgoon's Gap Road at  
the County line as will appear by the record of  
the proceedings entered in Road Docket Volume  
1, at Pages 28 and 287.

That by the formation of the Township of Gallitzin  
a large part of said road was thereby embraced  
in the boundaries of Gallitzin Township.

That said road has become useless, in-  
convenient and burdenome to the inhabitants  
of said Township by reason of the fact that the  
road is seldom travelled and is too expensive  
to keep in repair, the ground over which it passes  
being rough and hilly, and the road drifting  
badly in winter time.

They therefore pray the Court to appoint properly  
qualified persons to view and vacate said road.

And they will, etc.

Andrew Basel

J. Rhoten

Bernard Meyer

John Dignan

James H. Maloney

John D. Miller

H. S. Johnson

John C. Hartman

H. C. Johnson

T. W. G. Kriley

W. H. Myers  
John McGuire  
J. S. Passley  
Daniel Delaney

Frank Delaney  
Richard ~~Delaney~~  
A. J. Bender  
Henry Dagan

B. D. Delaney  
Peter Murphy  
J. C. Bender  
Silas Gibbons  
J. M. Gable  
John L. Webb  
G. D. Gardner

Cambria County, etc.

Daniel P. Hanlin being duly sworn  
according to law says that the facts set forth  
in the foregoing petition are true and correct,  
to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Swear and subscribed

this 18<sup>th</sup> day of April Daniel P. Hanlin  
A.D. 1896, before  
Tho H. Myers J.P.

March Term 1896. Road  
Docket.

Petition for appointment  
of viewers to view, vacate  
and supply a road in  
~~Gallatin~~ Township from James  
Moloneys to intersect Bangor  
Gap Road at the County line,

Freed to April 1896.

Apr. 20<sup>th</sup> 1896  
petition read and  
J. Laird Elder  
E. R. Deegan  
and James E. McGowen  
appointed viewers  
Peyche Court

K.L.

