

---TAKE NOTICE---

That the Viewers appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County to lay out a public road from a point near or at the house of J. H. Blough in Richland Township Cambria County, to a point at or near the house of Jacob Jacoby in Stoneycreek Township will meet on the 16th day of August at 10 o'clock <sup>9 am</sup> for the purpose of this appointment

William Slick

John S. Blough

Samuel Birch

Viewers

To the Honorable A. V. Barker  
President Judge of the Court of  
quarter sessions of Cambria  
County Penna.

We the subscribers  
appointed by the within order of  
Court to view the ground proposed  
for said Road, doth respectfully  
report; That having gave duly and  
timely notice of time and place of  
meeting of viewers by six type written  
bills stuck up, in public places near  
by, in Richman Township one of  
these notices being hereto annexed,  
And we do further report that hav-  
ing met agreeable to said notice on  
the 16<sup>th</sup> day August 1897 And after  
all of us being duly sworn,  
did thoroughly ~~test~~ <sup>examine</sup> the proposed  
route for said road, by running  
two routes, & found the ground  
to steep for a lawful road  
without damaging private <sup>property</sup> too  
much, therefore we say no Road.  
Witness our hands ~~the~~ day and year first  
above written

Wm Slick  
John S Blough

Samuel W Birch

Chain carriers

Shudean Fickes 1 day

Lewis Vore 1 "

Wm Slick 2 days

Geo 3 miles

John S. Blough 1 day

Samuel Birch 1 "

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 seventh day of June A. D. 1897, before the Honorable Judge of the said Court: Upon the petition of divers inhabitants of the township of Richland and Story Creek in the said County, setting forth that they labor under inconvenience for want of a public road or highway, to lead from a point at or near the house of J. H. Blough on Public Road leading from Red Bridge to Geistown, and to end at a point near or at the house of Jacob Jacoby on Public Road leading from Red Bridge to Uppham in Story Creek Township

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 Wm. Shick SURVEYOR, and John A. Blough and

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:

A. 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 moderate filling and bridging, the declination of the road may be preserved within that limit."

No. 1  
June 22nd 1897

Order to view a road leading  
from a point on or near the  
house of J. H. Blough on Road  
leading from point to Red Bank,  
toward at point near or at house  
of Jacob Jacoby on Public Road  
leading from Red Bank to  
Hopkinton. Attest as read. Wm. A. B. B.

Filed 11 Sept 1897  
Witness =  
Wm. A. B. B.  
John A. Blough  
James B. B.

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Nov. 10th 1897 approved  
By the Court.  
15 Jan'y 1898 Confirmed  
S W Davis clor

To Hon. A. V. Barker, Clerk of the  
Court of Quarter Sessions of Camden  
County.

The petition of the undersigned  
inhabitants and citizens of Richland  
and Story Creek Townships, Camden  
County, Respectfully Representing:

That  
they labor under great violence  
in want of a public road  
leading from a point at or near  
the House of J. H. Blough on Public  
Road leading from Red Bridge  
to Gaston, and to end at a  
point near or at the House of  
Geo. Dickey on Public Road  
leading from Red Bridge to  
Northam - in Story Creek Township  
in Story Creek Township -  
They therefore pray your Honor  
to appoint a committee to lay  
out the same.

And they will ever

Names  
H. C. Parker  
John W. Blough  
Moses Miller  
John Jordan  
John Blough  
Sam. Milled

Names  
H. T. Hester  
S. J. Davis  
J. D. Hershberger  
R. W. Luther  
Daniel H. Hester  
various others

Names

Samuel S. Hume  
John G. Galt  
Jacob Kingard  
John H. Bipp  
Nick Blough  
J. H. Bipp

John Doubt

Conrad Kuntile

Henry Bittner

Ed. Holmes

Henry Blough

Levi Cook

Howard Miller

David Baldwin

Stephen Schick

John & wife

Wm. H. Happe

Wm. Rodda

W. Nagel

Ralph Dorn

Wm. J. H. H.

August Jensen

J. L. Blough

J. H. Blough

Stonycreek

Names

Henry Hume  
Sheridan Pierce

D. B. Hume

J. H. Blough

D. Hume

No 1 June Dec 1894

Platton of inhabitants  
of Franklin & Stony  
Creek Township for  
a Public Road lying  
from a point at or near  
the house of J. W. Bluff  
on Road leading from the  
center to Red Bridge  
to land at a point near  
or at house of Rev. J.  
Dunlop on Public Road  
leading from Red Bridge  
to the house of J. W. Bluff  
J. W. Bluff

And now June 7 1897  
John S. Bluff  
James Bluff  
and Mr. Dick  
appears before  
Circuit Court.

June 7 June 1897

Indorsement