

TO THE HONORABLE A. V. BARKER, PRESIDENT JUDGE OF THE COURT
OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY,

The petition of the undersigned, citizens of Jackson
Township, in said County and vicinity, respectfully represents:

That they labor under great inconvenience for want of a
public road to lead from a point at or near the school house on the lands
of Daniel Carr in said Township, on a public road leading from the
Twin Rocks to the stone pike at Henry Rager's old place to a point
at or near "the Lorain houses", on the public road leading from
Nan. Ty Glo to the stone pike at the "Martin Munday farm," in Jackson
Township.

Your petitioners therefore pray the Court to appoint
viewers to view and lay out the proposed road in accordance with
law.

And they will ever pray.

W. J. Cunningham	George B. Dishong
A. Conely	Michael Rager
George Burford	Mark Kerr
Wm Burford	John Shuman
Isaac J. Davis	Wm J. Shuman
J. A. Farabany	Reft Teeter
J. W. Dymond Jr	Wm. H. H. H.
J. S. Blinn	H. E. Wagner
Isaac Harvey	W. Teeter
T. W. Kerr	John A. Teeter
Daniel Kerr	William H. Lord
Jackson Rager	B. F. Lord
Henry Rager	John Morgan
Samuel Rager	Hugh Morgan
Adam Shuman	Frank Rees

Cornwall County N.Y.

Adam Shuman being duly sworn according
to law says that the facts set forth in the within petition
are just, true and correct to the best of his knowledge and
belief.

Sworn and subscribed
This 10th day of April 1901
before D W Davis Pro

Adam Shuman

No 5 March Deco 1901 R.D

Petition of the citizens
of ~~Richmond~~ ^{Richmond} Tennessee
for a road to lead from
a point at or near the
School House on Lewis of
Donnell Road, on a public
road, to a point on a public
road, at or near the Locomotive
House, leading to them by the
in Jackson Township.

Apr. 15th 1901 petition
read and J. A. Shoemaker,
John Cunningham
and John Reager
affirmed and returned
By the Court.

Filed 15th Apr 1901.

Sealed

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 fifteenth day of April A. D. 1891, before the Honorable Judge of the said 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 a public road or highway, to lead from a point or near the school house on the lands of Daniel Law in said Township, on a public road leading from the Twin Rocks to the stone pile at Henry Raquet's old place to a point or near "the Swain house", on the public road leading from Van Slyke to the stone pile at the "Martin Munday farm" in Jackson 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

J. A. Shermaster SURVEYOR, and John
Cunningham and John Raquet

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 desires 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:

D. W. Harris, Clerk.

No. 5. Travel Session, 1901

ORDER TO VIEW ROAD

in
Jackson Township

Report of Viewers
John A. Johnson

John A. Johnson
John Cunningham
John Rogers
Viewers

CLERK DAVIS for Atty 90 CTS.

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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 person or 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." "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."

To the Honorable the Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for the County of Cambria State of Pennsylvania

We the undersigned Drivers appointed by your Honor in the annexed order of Court to view the ground and lay out a public road to lead from the public road near the Lorain Houses on said road which leads from Nanty Glo to the Stone Pike at Martin Munday's to a point near the School House on the public road leading from the Twin Rocks to a point on Stone Pike at Henry Rogers.

Do report: That notice of the time and place of meeting having been given. Also notice to the Commissioners of the County and Supervisors of the Township. We met at appointed time and place and having been sworn viewed the ground and proceeded to lay out the proposed road running the following courses and distances.

S. 80° W. 295 FT.
S. 78° 30' W 185 FT. S. 75° W 217 FT. S. 82° 30' W. 340 FT. N. 81° 30' W
142 FT. N. 84° 30' W 132 FT. S. 80° 30' W 243 FT. S. 77° W 502 FT.
N. 67° 30' W 448 FT. N. 38° 30' W 139 FT. N. 59° W 164 FT. N. 65° W
213 FT. N. 61° 30' W 155 FT. N. 84° W. 112 S. 86° 30' W 57 FT. N. 83°
30' W 79 FT. N. 78° W 123 FT. N. 85° 30' W 125 FT. N. 55° W 176 FT.
N. 67° 30' W 289 FT. N. 50° W 137 FT. N. 48° 30' W 128 FT. N. 46° 30' W
142 FT. N. 50° 30' W 184 FT. N. 76° W 194 FT. N. 86° 30' W 130 FT.
N. 53° 30' W 211 FT. N. 67° W 204 FT. N. 55° W 118 FT. N. 22° 30' W 175
FT. N. 6° W 108 FT. N. 5° E 74 FT. N. 35° W 74 FT. S. 80° W 264 FT.
S. 72° W 185 FT. N. 67° W 143 FT. N. 78° W 146 FT. S. 60° W 134 FT.
S. 58° 30' W 185 FT. S. 50° W 133 FT. S. 42° W 105 FT. N. 85° W 225 FT.

Believing said road to be very necessary and of great convenience to the Citizens of the Township.

1 Through which it passes as well as to the Citizens of
2 adjoining townships. We therefore recommend the
3 opening up of said road as a public road
4 for public travel.

5 We assess no damage, Believing parties through
6 whose land it passes to be benefitted by having
7 a road.

8 Witness our hands this 29th day of May.
9 A. D. 1901

10 J. A. Shoemaker Surveyor
11 John Cunningham Viewers
12 John Rager Viewer
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17 Lane

18 J. A. Shoemaker Surveyor	2 days	20 Miles
19 John Cunningham Viewers	1 "	4 "
20 John Rager Viewer	1 "	2 "
21 Adam Shuman Chairman	1 "	
22 Philip Shoemaker Chairman	1 "	
23 Daniel Kerr Assessor	1 "	
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