

To the Honorable F. J. O'Connor, Judge
of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the
Peace in and for the County of Cambria

The petition of the undersigned, inhabitants
of the Township of Jackson, in the
said County, respectfully sheweth:

That your petitioners labor under
great inconvenience for want of a public
road or highway, in the Township of
Jackson, to begin at a point on the
Township Road leading from the City
of Johnstown to the old Philadelphia
and Pittsburg stone pile, and on the
line of land of Jacob D. Dishong, thence
through the lands of Jacob D. Dishong,
Cambria Steel Company, Frederick Stelch,
and Jacob Lints, to a point on another
Township Road leading from the City
of Johnstown to the stone pile aforesaid.

Your petitioners therefore pray the
Court to appoint three proper persons
to view and lay out the same, according
to law; and they will ever pray etc.
(Names) (Names)

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| Jacob D. Dishong | Leona B. Keiper |
| Milton Barr | Charles J. Duell |
| George L. Kaed | John Wisinger |

Henry Varner
Frederick Kelse.

Samuel Link

Adam Smith

James Marshall

C. M. Singer

George B. Dunning

Daniel Kiser

A. D. Dunning

E. B. Dunning

Oratwan Dunning

E. Chisfelter

Jacob Link

Eliza M. Dunning

James M. Dunning

John Dunning

William Dunning

J. D. Dunning

J. H. Dunning

B. F. Byers

John Dunning

Geo. C. Varner

Walter Dunning

Frank Dunning

E. A. Dunning

Chas. Dunning

John L. Hunt

Peter A. Dunning

Wm. H. Rose

Philip Davis

W. B. Dunning

B. F. James

W. B. Dunning

Oratwan Dunning

W. T. Rogers

W. L. Dunning

Mark Dunning

Peter Dunning

Ge. Gilman

J. B. Dunning

J. W. Dunning

J. W. Dunning

J. E. Bowers

Dan Shuman

Camden County ss

Personally appeared before me
a Notary Public in and for said
County Jacob Dishong who being
duly sworn according to law
deposes and says that the facts set
forth in the foregoing petition are
true and correct to the best of his
knowledge and belief
Sworn and subscribed
before me this 22nd day
of February 1902

Jacob Dishong

Alfred Hart
Notary Public

Com Expires Feb 1 - 1903.

Cambria County, ss.

At the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Cambria, held at Ebensburg, in and for said County, on Monday the third day of March, A.D. 1903, before Honorable F. J. Connor, Judge of said Court.

Upon the petition of divers inhabitants of the Township of Jackson, in the said County setting forth that they labor under great inconveniences for want of a public road or highway to lead from a point on the Township Road leading from the City of Johnstown to the old Philadelphia and Pittsburg stone pit to a point on another Township road leading from the City of Johnstown to the stone pit aforesaid

And therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view and lay out the same, according to law; the court on due consideration, does order and appoint

who after being respectively sworn to perform the duties of their appointment impartially and to the best of their judgment are to view the ground proposed for the said road; and if they view the same

and agree that there is occasion for such a road, they shall proceed to lay out the same, as agreeable to the desire of the petitioners as may be, having respect to the best ground for a road, and the shortest distance, and in such a manner as to do the least injury to private property; and shall make report of their proceedings to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for the said County, stating particularly whether they judge the same necessary for a public road; and furnish with said report, a plot or draft of said road, and the courses and distances, together with references to the improvements through which it may pass.

No 3. March Sessions - 1902 ✓

In the Court of Quar-
ter Sessions of Cam-
bria County

Petition of the citizens
of Jackson Township,
Cambria County for
the appointment of view-
ers to lay out a public
road in said Township

Filed 3 March, 1902 -

And now March 3, 1902
the within petition read in open
Court considered and

John H. Dyle

Benjamin B. Rebbett

George Rummel

are appointed viewers

By the Court

JOHN H. STEPHENS,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW

JOHNSTOWN, PA.

ALVAN BUSHNELL CO., LAW STATIONERS, 4 N. 12TH ST., PHILA.

To the Honorable F. J. O'Connor, Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions
Of Cambria County, Pa.

We, the undersigned, appointed by the annexed order do report,
That in pursuance thereof, after having been severally duly sworn, all
the viewers appointed by said order viewed the ground proposed for the
within mentioned road, and the undersigned, being all of the said view-
ers, do agree that there is occasion for a road, as desired by the pe-
titioners, and that the same is necessary for a public road.

And having had respect to the shortest distance and the best ground
for such a road, we have laid it out in such manner as shall do the
least injury to private property, and, as far as practicable, agree-
ably to the desire of the petitioners, and do return for public use the
following described road to-wit:

Beginning at a point on the township road leading from the City of
Johnstown (Coopersdale) to the Old Philadelphia and Pittsburgh Stone
Pike on land of Jacob Dishong, thence North 19 degrees and 38 minutes
East 233.4 feet, thence South 85 degrees 18 minutes East 477.5 feet,
thence North 77 degrees 28 minutes East 131 feet, thence North 61 degree:
38 minutes East 371.5 feet, thence North 78 degrees 31 minutes East
163.5 feet, thence North 85 degrees 57 minutes East 369.5 feet, thence
North 77 degrees 35 minutes East 246.5 feet, thence North 79 degrees 11
minutes East 259.5 feet, thence North 71 degrees 33 minutes East 114.8
feet, thence North 62 degrees 4 minutes East 282.3 feet, thence North
67 degrees 45 minutes East 162.1 feet, thence South 4 degrees 15 minutes
East 378 feet, thence South 8 degrees East 227.3 feet, thence South 35
degrees 10 minutes West 163 feet, thence South 22 degrees 37 minutes
East 154.5 feet, thence South 66 degrees 57 minutes East 199.5 feet,
thence North 84 degrees 55 minutes East 122.3 feet, thence North 58 de-
grees 39 minutes East 221.1 feet, thence North 81 degrees 55 minutes
East 235.5 feet, thence North 66 degrees 34 minutes East 123.1 feet,
thence North 85 degrees 29 minutes East 100 feet, thence South 84 degrees:
59 minutes East 241.5 feet, thence North 60 degrees 11 minutes East
109.5 feet, thence North 79 degrees 20 minutes East 67.7 feet, thence
North 63 degrees 40 minutes East 146.8 feet, thence North 45 degrees 24
minutes East 142.8 feet, thence South 44 degrees 31 minutes East 160.5
feet, thence South 66 degrees 8 minutes East 180.5 feet, thence North

72 degrees 2 minutes East 138 feet,,thence South 61 degrees 31 minutes East 127.5 feet, thence North 84 degrees 14 minutes East 94.5 feet, thence South 82 degrees 29 minutes East 106 feet, thence South 36 degrees 47 minutes East 138.3 feet, thence South 50 degrees 5 minutes East 337.5 feet, thence North 88 degrees 58 minutes East 520 feet, thence South 62 degrees 42 minutes East 323.75 feet, thence South 11 degrees 34 minutes East 162 feet, thence South 39 degrees 26 minutes East 327.5 feet, thence South 31 degrees 52 minutes East 725 feet, thence South 59 degrees 15 minutes East 201.5 feet, thence South 55 degrees 45 minutes East 500 feet, thence South 58 degrees 53 minutes East 100 feet, thence South 64 degrees 7 minutes East 216.5 feet, thence South 12 degrees 37 minutes East 350 feet, thence South 24 degrees 29 minutes East 400 feet, thence South 14 degrees 55 minutes west 180.5 feet, thence South 23 degrees 30 minutes East 485 feet, thence South 35 degrees 25 minutes East 970 feet to a point on the townshi. road leading from the City of Johnstown, (Minersville) to the Old Philadelphia and Pittsburg Stone Pike, said road being at an elevation not exceeding five degrees, except where it was not practicable to preserve it within the limit.

The undersigned further report that they procured from all the owners of the lands ^{except the Cambria Steel Co.} over which said road passes releases in writing of all claims to damages that may arise from opening the same.

We further report that before the said view public notice of the time and place of meeting of the viewers was given by advertisements put up at three of the most public places in the vicinity of said road ten days before said meeting, and notice was given to the Supervisors of Jackson Township five days before said meeting, and to the County Commissioners ten days before said meeting.

We hereunto annex a plot or draft of said road as laid out, stating the courses and distances and noting briefly the improvements through which the same passes, and herewith return the releases obtained and a copy of said notices.

witness our hands this day of , 1902.

John H. Dyer Jr.
J. B. F. Dillitt
Geo. B. Pammel

Viewers.

--- RELEASE from DAMAGES ---

In consideration of the benefits accrued from the opening of a Township Road in Jackson Township, Cambria County, Pa. through our land, and the further consideration of the sum of One (1) Dollar, we release all claims for damages.

1 Jacob S. Dishman
2 Frederick ^{his} x Kaleb
3 Samuel ^{with} Lunk
4 John S. Hunt administrator
5 John E. Carson Executor.
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7 August Lunk
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--- N O T I C E ---

Meeting of ROAD Viewers.

The undersigned Viewers appointed to view and lay out a Public Road, to begin in the Township of Jackson, at a point on the Township road leading from the City of Johnstown to the old Philadelphia and Pittsburg stone pike, and on the line of land of Jacob Dishong, thence through the lands of Jacob S. Dishong, Cambria Steel Company, Frederick Kelch, and Jacob Links to a point on another Township road leading from the City of Johnstown to the Stone pike aforesaid, hereby give notice to all persons interested, that they will meet for the purpose of their appointment at the place proposed for the beginning of said road at eleven (11) O'clock on Thursday the 24th. day of April 1902, when and where all persons interested are invited to attend.

Viewers

John H. Dye, Jr, Surveyor.

Benj. Ribblet.

Geo. Rummel

Johnstown Pa. April 12 1902.

Costs

Jackson Township.-

No. 3 March Term 1902

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| John H. Dye, Jr. Surveyor, 5 Days 10 Miles | \$21. 00 |
| Benjamin Ribblet 3 " 6 " | 6. 60 |
| George Rummel 3 " 7 " | 6. 70 |
| Irvin Frailey chainman 2 " | <u>4. 00</u> |
| | <u>\$38. 30</u> |

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

MAR 27 1902

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Cambria held at Ebensburg in the said County, on the Third day of March A. D. 1902, 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 on the Township road leading from the City of Johnstown to the old Philadelphia and Pittsburg stone pike, and on the line of land of Jacob Dishong, thence through the lands of Jacob S. Dishong, Cambria Steel Company, Frederick Kelch, and Jacob Links, to a point on another Township Road leading from the City of Johnstown to the Stone pike aforesaid,

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

John H. Dye

SURVEYOR, and

Benjamin Ribblett and George Rummel

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:

B. E. Turfill, Clerk.

Order to --- view for a
public road in Jackson
Township.

John H. Dye
Benjamin Ribblett
George Rummel

Viewers.

Clerk Troxell 90 cts.

J. H. Stephens.

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, 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 3 - Mar 1902
In the County of Jackson
of Pennsylvania County Pa.

In re Road View in
Jackson Township
Pennsylvania County Pa.

Report of John H. Lyle Ben-
jamin, Robert Ed. George
Mumme, appointed viewers
to view the ground and lay
out said road

Filed 2 June, 1902

And now June 1902
Report confirmed view
and the width of the road
is fixed at
thirty feet

JOHN H. STEPHENS,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW
JOHNSTOWN, PA.

ALVAN BUSHNEEL CO., LAW STATIONERS, 4 N. 12TH ST., PHILA.

And now, October 28, 1902, Approved and breadth fixed
at thirty feet.

13th Dec 1902 Confirmed
b. e. Inzell clerk.

By the Court