

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... fifth.....day of.... December.....A. D. 1910 , before the Honorable Judge of the said Court: Upon the petition of divers inhabitants of the Township of West Taylor....., 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 public road near the Pumping Station of the Cambria Steel Company to a point in the said public road at or near the Slaughter House of The Penn. Traffic Company, and for a public road which intersects the said public road and leading to and connecting with The Cramer Turnpike in said township.

The petitioners therefore pray the Court to appoint three disinterested persons qualified in the law, to view the ground proposed for such road, and if they see occasion to lay out the same, to inquire of and vacate, the public roads now opened, from a point at or near the Pumping Station of The Cambria Steel Company, to a point at or near the Slaughter House of The Penn. Traffic Company, and from a point at or near the said Pumping Station, to a point at or near the Cramer Turn Pike in said township, and also from a point where a public road the public road leading to the said Cramer Turnpike and connects with the public road leading to the said Slaughter House in said township, which said last mentioned roads will, by reason of the laying out of the proposed roads, become useless; and make their report of the proceedings to the next term of Court.

Your petitioners therefore pray the Court to appoint proper persons to view and lay out the same and they will ever pray.

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  
Percy K. White.....surveyor, and.....

Eugene Griffith and George Bush.....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:

A. S. Kirkhead, Clerk.

No. 3 December Session, 1920

Order to view and vacate and  
supply roads in West Taylor  
Township

Viewers.

Percy K. White  
Eugene Griffith  
George Bush

Clerk Kinkadee 90 cts.  
Martin

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."

State of Pennsylvania

SS

County of Cambria

Personally appeared before me a Justice of the Peace in and for the said  
Vance B  
Ferey H. White, Eaguen B, Griffith and George W, Bush viewers appointed by the Court  
of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County, who being duly sworn according to law  
say, as such viewers, they will performe their duty in the premises with zeal  
and fidelity, and to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Sworn and subscribed to this

the 11 day of February 1911

W. J. Ribbet

Justice of the Peace

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES 11. 31  
TUESDAY 11 DEC. 1915.

Vance B White Surveyor.

Eugene B Griffith

Geo W Bush

In the Matter of the Public road  
view to lay out and vacate in  
West Taylor Township

In the Court of Quarter Sessions  
Cambria County

NO 3 December Sessions

Report of Viewers

To the Honorable F.J.O'Connor Judge of the above named Court:

We the undersigned viewers appointed by the above named Court, as shown by the Order hereto annexed, respectfully report; That having been duly sworn according to law, to perform our duties with zeal and fidelity, and having given ten days notice to the Supervisors of the said township and to all known property owners over whose land the proposed road would pass and notices posted in the most conspicuous places in said township of the time and place of meeting, to wit: Saturday Feby 11th 1911 at Ten O'Clock A.M. on the Public road at the office of Wm.F.Ribblett near the Slaughter House.

That in pursuance of said order of view, we met at the time and place mentioned in said notices, and we viewed and laid out and do return for public use the following roads to wit:- BEGINNING AT THE intersection of Cramer Turn Pike and public road; thence N.86°37'-40 East 87-4 feet to a point; thence S.88°07'-20 East 155-6 feet to a point; thence S.81°36'-40 East 651-7 feet to a point on Steel Street on plan of Doris; thence S. in said Street 19°51'-20 East 596-3 feet to a point; thence S.3°34'-20 East 258-4 feet to a point in Public road leading to Johnstown near Pumping Station. That we further viewed and laid out for public use the following to wit: Beginning at a point in public road near Slaughter House; thence S.20°07'-40 West 125 feet to a point; thence by curve 15°50 to left 49°76' S 12°14'-40 West 76 feet to a point; thence by curve 17°80 to left 99°24 S.4°45'-20 East 50 feet to point in Steel Street connecting with the above laid out road. The distance of said roads laid out being about 2149 feet.

That the viewers having considered the advantages and disadvantages to the Owners of the land over which said roads pass, and assess no damages for any of the land taken.

We also viewed and vacated portions of several public roads now in use as mentioned in said order, as follows:-Beginning at a point near Cramer Turn Pike where the first above road laid intersects with this public road; thence S 77°55 East 100 feet to a point; thence S.84°40 East 100 feet to a point; thence S.82°50 East 100 feet to a point; thence S.78°05 East 100 feet to a point; thence S.68°40 East 100 feet to a point; thence S.62°35 East 100 to a point; thence S.57°10 East over bridge 171 feet to a point at intersection of another public road; thence S.36°05 East 246 feet to point; thence S.24°15 East 416 feet to a point; thence S.32°20 East 100 feet to a point in public road leading to Johnstown near the Pumping Station. Also the following Beginning at a point in the public road leading to the Slaughter House intersecting with the third above laid road; thence S.21°40 West 281 feet, and crossing the first above laid out road; thence S.27° West 102 feet to a point; thence S.45°15 West 60 feet to a point in the vacated road leading from the Cramer Turn Pike to the Pumping Station. Also the following-Beginning at a point near the bridge above mentioned and intersecting of road; thence S.40° East 54 feet to point; thence S.20°30 East 436 feet to a point; thence S.15° East 358 feet to a point in the public road near the pumping Station. The length of said vacated roads being about 2845 feet. That we considered the advantages and disadvantages to the land owners along said road vacated and assess no damages. A plan or plot of the laid out roads and vacated roads are hereto attached hereto.

G. W. Bush,  
E. B. Griffith  
Vance A. White  
Viewers

# Costs of View

Vance R.White	( Viewer and Surveyor)	Oath	.50
	Road view one day		5.00
	Office work 1-1/2 days		7.50
			<u>\$ 13.00</u>
George Bush	Viewer	Oath	.50.
"	Road view one day		\$ 3.00
			<u>3.50</u>
Eugene Gri fith	Viewer	Oath	.50.
	Road view one day		3.00
			<u>\$ 3.50</u>

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County

In Re Public Road in  
West Taylor Township

To the Commissioners of Cambria County

Notice is hereby given that the residents of the said township will present their petition to the said court at Two O'Clock P.M. for the vacation of certain roads now opened from a point at or near the Pumping Station of the Cambria Steel Company to a point at or near the Slaughter House of the Penn. traffic and from a point at or near the said Pumping Station to a point at or near the Cramer Turn Pike in said township and also from a point where a public road leading to said Cramer Turn pike and connects with the road leading to the said Slaughter House in said township

*R. M. Martin*  
Atty for Petitioner

Service accepted Dec. 5th 1910

*C. E. Howell Clerk*

*Dr. County-Commissioner*

In the Matter of Vacating  
and Supplying certain Pub  
lic Roads in West Taylor  
Township.

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria  
County.

NO 3 December Sessions 1910

To A.L. Adams- Bruce Ribblett and Sylvester Dishong Supervisors of the said  
Township.

You are hereby notified, that we the undersigned viewers appointed by the  
above named Court, to view and lay out a public road, to lead from a point on  
the public road near the Pumping Station of the Cambria Steel Company to a  
point in the said public road at or near the Slaughter house of the Lenn Traf  
fic Company, and for a public road which intersects the said public road and  
leading to and connecting with the Cramer Turn pike in said Township. and to  
inquire and vacate the public roads now opened, from a point at or near the  
pumping station of the Cambria Steel Company, to a point at or near the Slaugh  
ter house of the Lenn. Traffic Company, and from a point at or near the said  
pumping station, to a point at or near the Cramer Turn pike in said town ship  
and also from a point where the public road leading to the said Cramer Turn  
pike and connects with the public road leading to the Slaughter House in said  
township.

We will meet for the purpose of our appointment on Saturday Feby 11th 1911  
at Ten O'Clock AM at the office of Wm. F. Ribblett. on the Public road near  
the said Slaughter House.

V.R. White  
Eugene Griffith  
George Bush

Viewers

In the Matter of Laying out and  
vacating public roads in West  
Taylor Township.

| In the Court of Quarter Sessions of  
| Cambria County.  
| No 3 December Sessions 1910

Notice

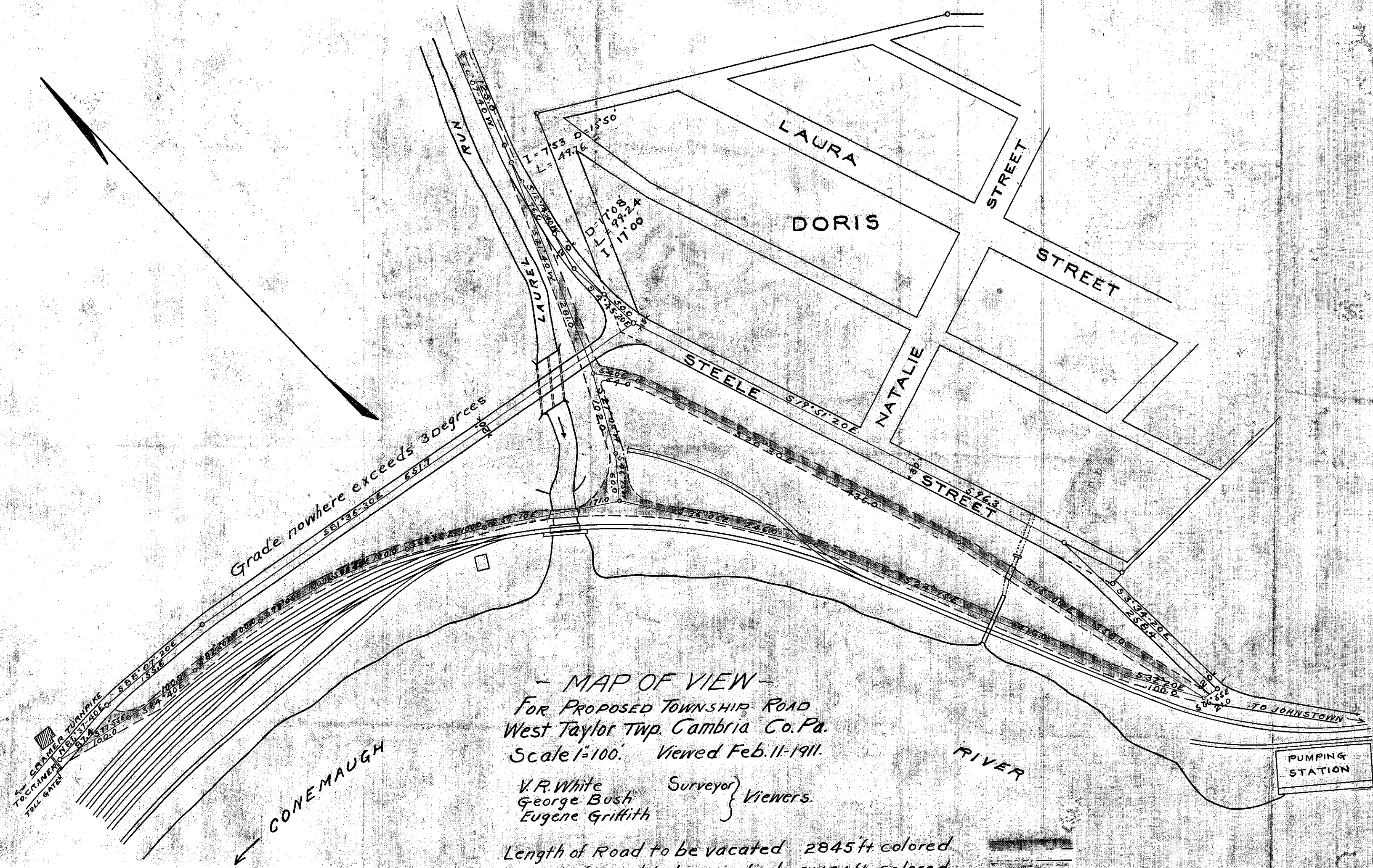
We the undersigned viewers appointed by the above named Court, for the purposes of laying out certain roads and vacating certain roads in said Township will meet for the purpose of our said appointment. The said roads to lead from a point on the public road near the Pumping station of Cambria Steel Company to a point in the public road at or near the Slaughter House of the Penn Traffic Company, and for the public road which intersects with public road leading and connecting with Cramer Turn Pike Co. in said township and to inquire and vacate the public roads now open, from a point at or near the Slaughter House to a point near the Pumping Station and for the said Pumping station, to a point near the Cramer Turn Pike in said Township. Also from where the public road leading to said Cramer Turn Pike and connects with the public road leading to the Slaughter House in said Township.

We will meet for the purpose of said appointment on Saturday Feby. 11th 1911 at Ten O'Clock A.M. at the office of Wm.F. Ribblett on the public road near said Slaughter House.

V.R.White  
Eugene Griffith  
George Bush

Viewers





- MAP OF VIEW -  
 For PROPOSED TOWNSHIP ROAD  
 West Taylor Twp. Cambria Co. Pa.  
 Scale 1"=100'. Viewed Feb. 11-1911.

V.R. White } Surveyor  
 George Bush }  
 Eugene Griffith } Viewers

Length of Road to be vacated 2845 ft colored  
 Length of Road to be supplied 2149.4 ft colored



NO 3 December Sessions 1910  
in the Quarter Sessions

in re Roads in West Taylor  
township

Report of Viewers

Filed 6 March, 1911, in  
open court.

F. P. MARTIN  
Attorney at Law  
ROOM 2 BANK BUILDING  
JOHNSTOWN, PA.

6 March, 1911, Appraiser and breast price at this time.  
16 June 1911 Enjoined. Atkinson & Co. Clerk.

County of Adams  
Assessment of the year 1910  
22 miles 2000  
110  
10.00  
25  
36.81  
Assessment of the year 1910  
22 miles 12.00  
110  
12.81  
Assessment of the year 1910  
22 miles 12.00  
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Assessment of the year 1910  
22 miles 12.00  
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12.81

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County  
To the Honorable F.J.O'Connor Judge of the above named Court:

The petition of the undesignated residents and taxpayers of West  
Taylor Township, respectfully represent.

That they labor under great inconvenience, for the want of a public road  
leading from a point on the public road near the Pumping Station of The Cam-  
bria Steel Company to a point in the said public road at or near the Slaugh-  
ter House of The Penn-Traffic Company, and for a public road which intersects  
the said public road and leading to and connecting with The Cramer Turnpike  
in said township.

The petitioners therefore pray the Court to appoint three disinterested  
persons qualified in the law, to view the ground proposed for such road, and if  
if they see occasion to lay out the same, to inquire of and vacate, the public  
roads now opened, from a point at or near the Pumping Station of The Cambria  
Steel Company, to a point at or near the Slaughter House of The Penn Traffic  
Company, and from a point at or near the said Pumping Station, to a point at  
or near the Cramer Turn Pike in said township, and also from a point where a  
public road the public road leading to the said Cramer Turnpike and connects  
with the public road leading to the said Slaughter House in said township.  
which said last mentioned roads will, by reason of the laying out of the pro-  
posed roads, become useless; and make their report of the proceedings to the  
next term of Court.

Your petitioners therefore pray the Court to appoint proper persons  
to view and lay out the same and they will ever pray.

_____	<u>L. G. B. Marshall</u>
_____	<u>Geo. F. Adams - 266</u>
_____	<u>G. W. Burke</u>
_____	<u>B. B. Ribbet</u>
_____	<u>Geo. W. Ribbet</u>
_____	<u>H. M. Galbreath</u>
_____	<u>Fred. Ribbet</u>
_____	<u>W. T. Ribbet</u>
_____	<u>G. W. Adams</u>

State of Pennsylvania    |  
County of Cambria        | SS

Personally appeared before me a Justice of the Peace in and for the said County. A.M. Adamd and S.J. Dishong and N.B. Ribblett Supervisors and who being duly sworn according to law says that the facts as s set foth in the foregoing petition are true and correct.

Sworn and subscribed to this        |  
the 3rd day of December 1910        |  
N.B. Ribblet                                |  
Justice of the Peace                    |  
BY CC. LAMSON EXPIRES FIRST  
MONDAY IN DEC, 1915.

- S. J. Dishong  
- A. M. Adams  
- N. B. Ribblet

10 3 Dumbarton 1910

In the Quarter Sessions of Cam-  
bria County

Petition of Residents of West  
taylor Township, to vacate and  
supply public roads

And Now Dec 5th 1880 the with  
in petition read and considered  
Percy K. White Engineer, Eugene  
Griffith and George Bush ap-  
viewers to the roads mentioned  
and in accordance with the  
prayer of the petitioners, and  
to make report to this court.

*[Signature]*

*Filed 5-Dumbarton, 1910.*

F. P. MARTIN,  
ATTORNEY AT LAW,  
JOHNSTOWN, PA.

Wm. F. Beckmiller, 218 E. Pleasant St., Balto., Md.

In Road in West Taylor Town-  
ship

Motion to correct name of  
Viewer

*Filed 11 February 1911*

*Martin*

In Re Road in West Taylor ( In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Camnria  
Township.  
( County.

And now Feby 11th on motion of F.P.Martin Attorney for petitioners, The  
name of Percy K.White, is corrected to read Vance White as one of viewers.

Granted

*Francis D. Lounsbury*  
*J. P. Judge*



Know all men by these presents. That we

A.M. Adams

and

S. I. Heston  
N. B. Ribble

residents and property holdesr of the township of West Taylor and Cambria County are held and bound to the Commissioners of Cambria County in the sum of three Hundred Dollars Lawful money of the United States, to be paid to the said Commissioners, their certain attorney, successors or assigns, to which payment well and truly to be made and done we do bind our selves our heirs executors administrators and assigns and every of them, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 3rd day of December 1910

The condition of this obligation is such. That whereas certain residents of said township have petitioned the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County for laying out a public road and vacatin certain parts of public roads as mentioned in the petition of the several residents of West Taylor Township, and if they shall pay to the said Commissioners of said county the costs of these proceedings if demanded by the said Commissioners then this obligation to be void and of non effect. otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed and delivered

in presence of

N. B. Ribbles

Jessie Adams

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S. I. Heston  
A. M. Adams  
N. B. Ribbles



NO 3 Dec Reso 1910

Bond in the Matter of Vacating and  
supplying roads in West Taylor  
Township

*recd, 1910, this bond is  
approved by the board*

Filed 5 Dec 1910

Martin