

No. 2 March Term, 1881

Public Road

VERSUS

vs

Recatur of

Contents:

Petition

1790

1 Perches to a RR, Thence North Sixty Degrees
2 West Eighteen Perches to Post Thence North
3 Forty two Degrees west Eight one half Perches
4 to a Small Pine - Thence North Twenty
5 Eight-degrees west. Thirty six Perches
6 to Post Thence North Sixty one Degrees west
7 Six Perches to a stump in old road. Thence
8 North Twenty six Degrees west Thirty two
9 Perches to Public road from the old Turnpike
10 to Clearfield Center.

11 A Plot or draft of which we
12 herewith annex

15 And we also having enquired as to Damages re-
16 sulting to any one by reason of the passing of said
17 road have ascertained that no damage results
18 to any one

25 A Plot or draft of which we herewith annex
26 Witness our hands this first day of June
27 AD 1881

28 O. H. Brown
29 J. J. Steiner
30 B. Hughes
31

Clearfield County, ss.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the county of Clearfield, held at Clearfield, in and for said county, on the 28th day of March A. D. 1881, before Judges of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the Township of Heclatun in said county, setting forth that they labor

under great inconvenience for want of a
Public road, ^{beginning at a Public Road} leading from Philipsburg to
Oreola on the lands of Albert Owen thence
thence by the nearest and best route
until it intersects a public road leading
from the Old Turnpike to Clearfield to
Clearfield Creek on the lands of Campbell
Bro. in said Twp

and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view and lay out the same according to law, and Make Report to the Court whereupon the Court, upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint Thos H Moore J F Steiner & R Hughes who, after being respectively sworn or affirmed to perform the duties of their appointment with impartiality and fidelity, are to view the grounds proposed for said road, and if they view the same and any two of the actual viewers agree that there is occasion for such road, they shall proceed to lay out the same 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 manner as to do least injury to private property, and state particularly whether they judge the same necessary for a public or private road, together with a plot or draft of the same, with the courses and distances and reference to the improvements through which it passes, and shall also procure releases of damages from persons through whose lands said road may pass, or failing to procure such releases, shall assess the same, if any sustained, and shall make report thereof to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for the said county, in which report they shall state that they have been sworn and affirmed according to law. Notice is directed to be given to the owners or occupants of seated lands through which the within road is intended to pass, of the time of the view, according to the 147th rule of Court.

BY THE COURT,

James Kerr
per James Kerr
Clerk.

RELEASE OF DAMAGES.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we, the undersigned, owners of the lands through which the road located by the viewers, under the annexed order, passes, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar to us respectively, paid by the _____ at and before the sealing and delivery hereof, have remised, released and forever quit-claimed and do hereby remise, lease and forever quit-claim to the said _____ all damages that may arise to us respectively by reason of the location and opening of the said Road; so that neither we, nor any of us, nor any person claiming under us, can or may hereafter ask, sue for, demand, have or receive any damages for injuries arising or growing out of the location and opening of the road aforesaid.

Witness our hands and seals, this _____ day of _____
A. D. 188 _____

No Damages Claimed





ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES.

The following named persons, having refused to release the damages to which they respectively may be entitled by reason of the location and the opening of the said road in the annexed return described, we, the undersigned, viewers, under oath in pursuance of our duty, under the Act of Assembly do assess their damages and make report thereof, as follows:

To _____ the sum of _____

To _____ the sum of _____

To _____ the sum of _____

Witness our hands this _____ day of _____ A. D. 188 _____

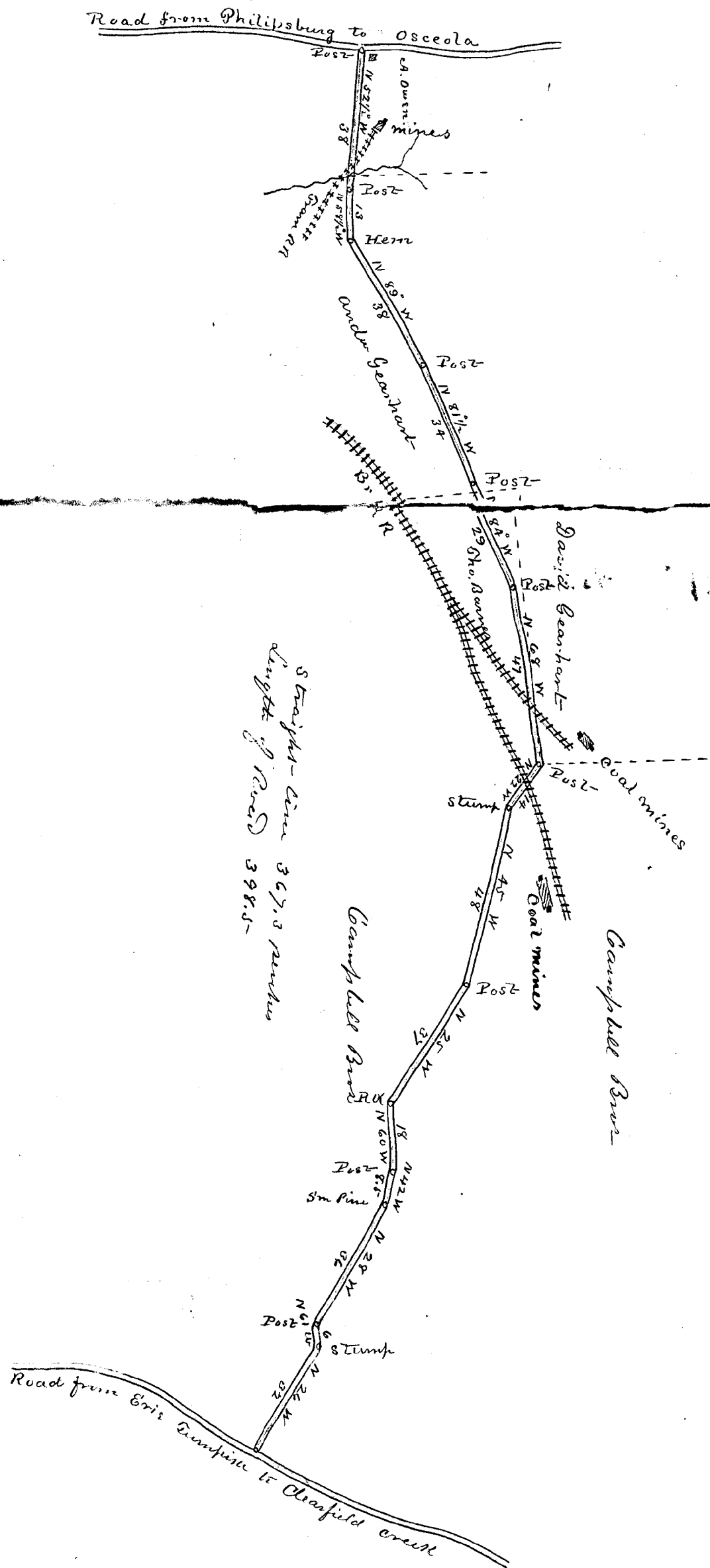
NOTE.—In case of a Private Road, the release must be executed in favor of the petitioner for said road.
Also— Viewers will carefully note the number of days employed and set the amount out at the foot of their return.

Reviewers cannot interfere with damages assessed by the original viewers, except so far as the location may be changed by the reviewers.

N. B.—If the viewers believe the parties are not entitled to damages, taking into consideration the advantages as well as the disadvantages of the road, they will report to that effect.

To the Honorable Judges of the Court of
Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County

We the undersigned Viewers appointed
by the foregoing order of Court to View the road
therein described do Report, that in pur-
suance of said appointment, after having
first given due notice of the time & place
of said View. We all met and being duly
sworn and affirmed, did proceed to
View the ground for said proposed road
(owners & occupants of land along said proposed route
having had notice) and are of opinion that
said road is necessary. we have viewed laid
out and do return for Public use the following
Road (Viz Beginning at a Post on the Pub-
lic road leading from Philipsburg to Osceola on
land of Albert Owen. Thence North fifty two &
one half degrees West. Thirty eight Perches to a Post
by old road. Thence North Fifty eight & one half
degrees East. Thirteen Perches to a ~~stump~~ ^{stump}. Then
North Eighty nine degrees west. Thirty Eight
Perches to a Post. Thence North Eighty one &
one half degrees west. Thirty four Perches to
a Post. Thence North Eighty four degrees ^{west}
Twenty nine Perches to Post thence North Sixty
Eight degrees west. Forty seven Perches to corner
of David Searns then through land of Leamp
hill Bro. North Twenty two degrees west fourteen
Perches to a stump. Thence North forty eight
degrees West. Forty Eight Perches to a Post. Then
North Twenty five degrees west Thirty seven —



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Chairman

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|---------------|--------|----------|-----------------------|----------|
| Geo W Moore | 3 Days | 26 miles | Cert | \$ 14.60 |
| J F Steiner | 2 " | | Cert to J F Steiner | |
| R Huebs | 2 " | | | |
| { H H Steiner | 1 " | | } Cert to J F Steiner | |
| { J W Hasson | 1 " | | | |

Assessors

J. Heath - 1 " Cert given 19 July 1887

No. 2nd Mar Session, 1881

ORDER

To view and lay out a Road

For *Public* Use in the township

Of *Decatur* Clearfield county.

Now a June 1881: Report
of Lewis offered a Road
confirmed by the Road
the opened 33 feet wide
except where cutting &

bridging is necessary there
the 16 feet wide *By the Council*

Now a June 1881
Confirmed absolutely

By the Council
for the year
clear

Filed 2nd June 1881

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To the Honorable John Cowie, Esq., President,
and his Associate Judges of the Court of Com-
mon Pleas, of the County of Clearfield, now Compo-
sing a Court of General Quarter Sessions of the
Peace, in and for the said County, at April Ses-
sions 1881: The petition of citizens inhabitants of the
township of Decatur and parts adjacent in the
said County, respectfully sheweth;

That your petitioners labour under great inconve-
nience for want of a road, beginning at a public
road leading from Philipsburg to Occochee in
the lands of Arthur Owen, thence by the nearest
and best route, until it intersects a public road
leading from the Old Campfires to Clearfield Creek,
on the lands of Campbell Bros in the said town-
ship: Your petitioners, therefore respectfully pray
Your Honors to appoint proper persons to view
and lay out the same according to law. And
they will ever pray &c

| Names | Names |
|------------------------------------|------------------|
| Campbell Bros | Jessie S. Ammon |
| H. K. Grant | James J. Abbott |
| John Ashcroft | Michael Sullivan |
| David Gearhart | Jacob J. Kline |
| Geo. C. Gearhart | Robert L. Kline |
| J. Blake Gearhart | David J. Evans |
| W. E. Wagner | Gomer Davis |
| D. W. Holt Pres. Victor Coal Co. | John Abbott |
| A. & W. H. Barlow, "Colorado Mine" | George W. Hunter |
| G. C. Shigwall | |
| Le. W. Schopf | |
| J. W. Long | |

Public Land,
No 2 Mar 7 1881
Petition for in

Declarator Certificate

March 22, 1881
Jno W. Moore J. L.
Stearns & Richard Hays
Appointed Appraisers &c

By the Court
J. H. H.

W. G.

Beginning at a Post on the Public
 Road leading from Phelpsburg to
 Oserola on the land of Albert Owen
 thence N 52 $\frac{1}{2}$ degrees West - 38 perches to a
 post - by old road North 58 $\frac{1}{2}$ degree East
 13 ps to a Hemlock North 89 degrees West -
 38 " " " Post - thence North 84 degrees West
 29 " " " " " " 68 " "
 47 " " " Corner of David Gearheart - thence
 through land of Campbell Bros North
 22 degrees West - 14 ps to a Stump thence
 N 48 " " " 418 " " " Post "
 " 25 " " " 37 " " " Rail Road R
 " 60 " " " 18 " " " Post - thence North
 42 " " " 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ " " " Small pine thence
 North 28 " " " 56 " " " Post - thence
 " 24 " " 23 " " " Public Road
 from the old Turnpike to Clearfield
 Creek