

No. *7 Jan'y* Term, 1882

*Public Road*

VERSUS

*Pike Township*

Contents:

*Rd. No. 105 & 106*

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*Port Twp. Rd. 17443*

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of  
Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for the  
County of Cleaveland

The petition of the undersigned inhabi-  
tants of the township of Pike in the said  
County.

Respectfully sheweth: That your  
petitioners labor under great inconvenience  
for want of a public road or highway, to  
lead from a point on the Public Road  
leading from Josiah W. Thompsons to Blomington  
at or near John Burns in Pike Township  
to the Mouth of Hogback run in  
Lawrence Township.

Your petitioners therefore pray the  
Court to appoint proper persons to view  
and lay out the same, according to Law.  
And they will ever pray &c.

Names

Names

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|--------------------|-----------------|
| 1 Allen Brown      | 17 Hixlid 13    |
| 2 James Long       | 18 W S Bloom    |
| 3 D. A. Neely      | 19 D E Bloom    |
| 4 C A Bloom        | 20 Ed Swatworth |
| 5 Alford Swatworth | 21 David Brown  |
| 6 G B Caldwell     | 22              |
| 7 Lewis Brown      | 23              |
| 8 C M Bloom        | 24              |
| 9 Wm M Bloom       | 25              |
| 10 Levi M Bloom    | 26              |
| 11 C H Williams    | 27              |
| 12 Hiram Smith     | 28              |
| 13 James M Wise    | 29              |
| 14 Samuel J Wase   | 30              |
| 15 John Owens      | 31              |
| 16 A D Bloom       | 32              |

no 9. Jan'y Term 1882

Petition of Citizens  
of Pike Township Ind  
asking for appointment  
of viewers to view  
and lay out a Public  
road to lead from  
the mouth of Hog back  
creek at the Augsuehanna  
River to a point on the  
Public Road leading  
from Josiah W Thompson's  
to Bloomington at or  
near John Burns in Pike  
Township

And now 14th Jan'y 1882  
within Petition Read and the  
Court appoints S. F. McClorky  
John B. Garrison and Robt Porter  
viewers.  
John L. Battle Atty

Filed 16th Jan'y 1882

McKenrick Atty

And now on 1st March order enlarged returnable to June before next  
at Court  
Atty

To The Honorable Judges of Court of  
Clearfield County -

We the undersigned persons, appointed by  
the within Order of Court, to view and lay out  
the Road therein mentioned; Respectfully Report,  
that having given notice of the time and place  
of meeting, according to the act of assembly;  
and being all present at the view of the ground  
proposed for the said road, and being all  
sworn or affirmed in pursuance of the said Order  
we have viewed and laid out; and do return the  
following road; viz - Beginning at a Point in the  
Public Road leading from the mouth of hogback Run  
to J. W. Thompsons, by marked trees, near the mouth of  
Hogback Run. Thence through land of John Hoyt.  
South forty six and a half degrees, west. Thirty six  
perches to a Post. South fifty two degrees west.  
four perches to a Post. South thirty nine and  
a half degrees west. Ten perches to a hemlock  
Thence South fifteen degrees west. Six perches to a  
Post. South five degrees East. Sixteen perches to  
a Post. South five and a half degrees west. Thir-  
teen and three tenths perches, to a hemlock.  
South nineteen degrees west. five and two tenths  
perches to a hemlock South thirty two degrees west  
Eleven perches to a Post. South thirty seven and a  
half degrees west. forty four perches to a dead  
hemlock. Thence still through land of weaver

W Weaver & Betts

And Butts and land of David Bloom -  
South forty Eight degrees west. forty perches to  
a Post. Thence South fifty five degrees west. twenty  
One perches, South Thirty four and a half degrees  
west. fifteen perches. South forty seven degrees  
west. Thirty six perches. South forty One degrees  
west. Thirteen perches - South fifty seven and a  
half. degrees west. twelve and three tenths perches to  
a Locust. on the line of Laurence. and Piked Town-  
ships and line of David Bloom. and John B.  
Garrison. Thence through land of David Garrison  
South fifty and a half, degrees. west. six perches. to  
a Post. South forty five and three quarter degrees. west  
sixteen perches to a Post. South thirty two degrees west  
six and two tenths perches to a Post. South sixty seven  
degrees west. Twenty five perches to a Stamp. South forty  
six and a half degrees west. seven perches. South Thirty  
four degrees west. Thirty perches to a Post. South  
Twenty seven degrees west. Eleven perches to a Post.  
South nine degrees west. Through land of Garrison  
and land of Bishop Caldwell - nine perches to a Post  
South twenty three and a quarter degrees west.  
Thirty five and five tenths perches to a dead Hem-  
lock. South Three and a half degrees west. Eight  
and four tenths perches - South twelve degrees west  
nine and two tenth perches to a hemlock. Thence  
through land of John Tenley - South nineteen  
and a half degrees west. sixteen perches.

South twenty eight degrees west. ten and four tenths  
perches to a maple. South twelve and a half degrees  
west. twelve perches South twenty eight degrees west  
twenty four perches. South forty four degrees west.  
seven and four tenths perches to a Hemlock. South  
Eighteen degrees west. six perches to a Post. South  
forty one degrees west. three perches to a Post. South  
seventy three and a half degrees west. (Through land  
of Lewis I Bloom) Ten and three tenths perches to a hemlock  
Thence South fifty seven and a half degrees west. nine  
perches to a Birch. South forty one degrees west. six  
perches to a Birch - South fifty three degrees west. nine  
perches to a hemlock. South fifty nine degrees  
west. Thirteen perches to a Post. South fifty degrees  
west. Eighteen perches to a Hemlock. South forty  
five degrees west. Twenty One perches - Thence through  
land of William M. Bloom, South thirty seven  
degrees west. twenty nine perches to a Post. South  
ten and a half degrees west. seven perches to a Stump.  
South twenty four degrees west. ten and five tenths per-  
ches to a Stump. South eighteen degrees west. twenty  
four and four tenths perches to a Stump - South  
three and a half degrees East. twelve and six tenths  
perches to a Post. South thirty two degrees East. six  
and four tenths perches, to a marked Stump in land  
of Albert Geary. Thence through his land South  
thirty five and a half degrees west. nineteen perches.  
Thence through. land of John Owens, South eleven.

And a half degree west, four and three tenths perches  
South forty nine degrees west, four perches, South twenty  
four degrees west, four and five tenths perches. South  
forty two and a half degrees west, eight perches.  
South twenty eight and a half degrees west, seven  
perches - South twenty degrees west, five perches -  
South four and three quarter degrees west, six  
and six tenths perches. South eight and a quarter  
degrees East five perches. South twenty six and  
a quarter degrees East, six perches. South eighty  
three degrees East, twelve perches to a Post. South  
seventy and a quarter degrees East, fourteen perches  
to the Township Road near John Owens? A Plot  
as draft whereof is herunto annexed.

Which said Road as aforesaid laid out and des-  
cribed, we are of opinion is necessary for public  
use.

No person; or persons, through whose land the above  
described Road passes, claims any damage for  
the same.

Witness Our hands the 30<sup>th</sup> day of  
March A.D. 1882

S. J. McClosky  
John B. Garrison  
Robert Porter

} Viewers

## 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  
16<sup>th</sup> day of January, A. D. 1882,  
before Judges of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhab-  
itants of the township of Pike, in  
said county, setting forth that they labor under

great inconvenience for want of a Public Road  
to lead from the mouth of hog back run at  
the Susquehanna River to a point on the Public  
Road leading from Josiah W Thompson  
to Bloomington or near John Owens in  
Pike 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  
S. F. McElroy John D Garrison and Robert Porter  
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  
CLERK.  
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**RELEASE OF DAMAGES.**

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we, the undersigned, owners of 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 enseatling 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 .

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**ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES.**

The following 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 .

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NOTE.—In case of a Private Road, the referee must be executed in favor of the petitioner, and the amount assessed by the referees must be paid to the petitioner. 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 referees. If they 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.

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| <i>Edw. M. Cleary</i>   | Days 3  | Amount |
|                         | Miles 2 |        |
| <i>John B. Harrison</i> | Days 2  |        |
|                         | Miles 1 |        |
| <i>Robert. P. Ten</i>   | Days 2  |        |
|                         | Miles 1 |        |
| <i>Abraham Bloom</i>    | Days 1  |        |
|                         | Miles   |        |
| <i>Albert. Leary</i>    | Days 1  |        |
|                         | Miles   |        |
| <i>James Lord</i>       | Day 1   |        |
| <i>Alfred Swastland</i> | "       |        |

No. 9 *January Session, 1882*

**ORDER**

To view and Lay out a Road  
For *Public* use in the township  
of *Coke* Clerfield county.

*where 21<sup>st</sup> March 1882 looking  
West. Road ordered to be opened  
33 ft wide except where digging  
widening is required 9 ft in to be  
16 ft wide. By the Court  
J. P. C. Kuttel, J. P.*

*May 22 1882*  
*Confirmed should be  
By J. S. Ten*

Filed *25 March* 1882

Fees \$1. paid by *J. B. Harrison*

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