

No. 10 *January* Term, 1882

*Private Road*

VERSUS

*Knox Trap*

Contents:

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To the Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Clearfield: The petition of the subscribers respectfully sheweth: That they labor under great inconvenience for the want of a private road, to lead from the Dwelling house of David P. Mays in Knox township to the public road leading to Cumruville at a point near the farm of Jacob Arnold in said township and County.

They therefore pray the Court to appoint persons duly qualified to view the ground proposed for said road and to lay out the same according to law and we will ever pray.

Jan 3rd 1882

Names

Reuben Caldwell  
 Emma Viss  
 Isaac Chapp  
 Maria Caldwell  
 Levi Davis  
 John S. Weaver  
 John B. Pampall  
 Isaac Ross  
 Peter Enhardt  
 E. Thacker  
 Jacob H. Mair

Names

Peter Allen  
 S. B. Snyder  
 John Hara  
 Green Williams  
 Jacob Hittcock  
 John C. Hittcock  
 S. Robinson  
 Fred C. Bloom  
 Gehring L. Robinson  
 Charles Bloom  
 Samuel J. D.  
 L. C. Kottin

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Petition of David  
● P. Mays and other  
Citizens of Knox Twp.  
for a Private Road to  
lead from the dwelling  
house of David P. Mays  
in Knox Twp. to a Point  
on the Public Road leading  
from Ansonville Road to  
Cyrusville. at or near  
the farm of Jacob Arnold  
in said Twp. -

4 April 82. Order enlarged until June  
Septimo - By the Court  
L. L. Buttle J.

And now 16<sup>th</sup> Jan'y 1882  
The within Petition read  
And S. F. McCloskey John  
McGloom and Richards.  
Freeman appointed Viewers  
John L. Buttle J.

● Filed 16<sup>th</sup> Jan'y 1882

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And now 21<sup>st</sup> March 1882. order enlarged until June 1882  
L. L. Buttle J.

## 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 *July*, A. D. 1883,  
before Judges of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhab-  
itants of the township of *Knox*, in  
said county, setting forth that *they labor under*

*great inconvenience for want of a private  
road in Knox Twp to lead from a point  
near the dwelling house of David Mays in  
Knox Twp to point on public road  
leading from Ansonville to Curwensville at  
the farm of Jacob Arnold in same 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 McCloskey Geo F Bloom Geo Richard Freeman*  
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.

## **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 ensembling 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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Il. s.

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Il. s.

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Il. s.

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Il. s.

## **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 .

NOTE.—In case of a Private Road the release must be given to the owner of the road, or his agent, by and with the consent of the view-ers. 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. 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.

{ Days.....	Amount.....
{ Miles.....	
{ Days.....	
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**No 10 Law Session, 1882**

**ORDER**

To view and Lay out a Road

For Private use in the township

of *May* Clearfield county.

  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  

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Fees \$1.00 paid by *8 P May*

*W. K. Kunk*