

No. 2, May Tenn., 1885

Public Road

~~VERSUS~~ in

Ferguson Twp.,

Contents:

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Part Twp Rd 17930

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

The petition of the under-
signed respecting a road, - that the
the subscribers have under great incon-
venience for want of a Public Road
or Highway to lead from the townships
road at a point near John A. Miles
in Ferguson Township Cleburne County Pa
and from thence to intersect the Public
road leading from Lancaster City to Cum-
merville at a point near Ross McCracken
in said township. And we humbly pray
The Court to appoint proper persons duly
qualified to view the ground proposed
for said road and to lay out the same
and make report according to law.
And they will ever say &c.

names

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W. H. Moore

Ed. Moore

L. B. Wile

Harrison Straw

J. C. Ferguson

E. W. Ferguson

J. N. Wile

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Jacob Phillips

Seth McCracken

F. D. McCracken

Samuel Passmore

David Michael

J. M. Lewis

E. S. Schofer

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E. L. Hunt
for ex. Amster
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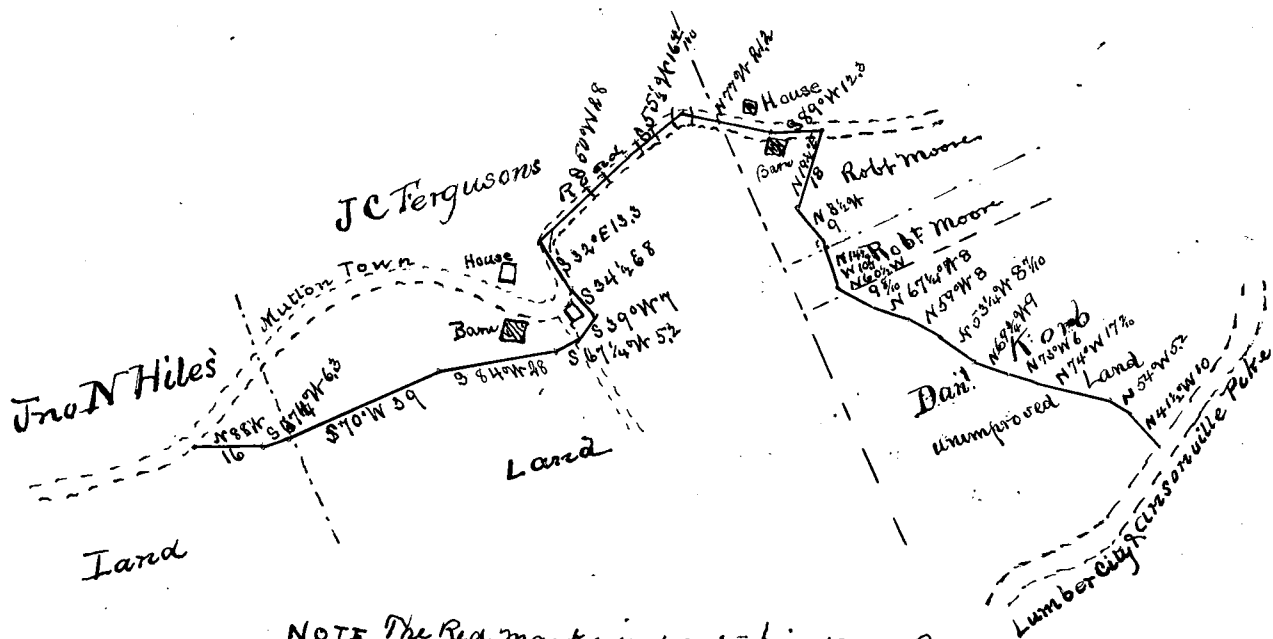
Petition for Union
to use a Public road
to lead from a point
on Public road near
John H. Stiles in
Ingousson Township
Tenn. thence to a
point in Public
road leading from
Lynchburg City to Am-
erenville, at or
near Rose H. Graessens
in Ingousson Township

Dated 18 May 1885

John Tracy 22" 1885. Section road to
Amsterdam and E. L. Road. Road
to Rose H. Graessens are split into
three to run over long and short
road and report to the road committee
of county.

By the Court
Amster
for

Witness
J. H. Lewis
Harry M. Bracken
John M. Bracken
C. Strawn
R. H. Moore
Jas H. Thompson
Jas H. Cullen
Milton Moore
H. C. Gore, Jr.
Ross H. Bracken



NOTE The Red marks indicate points on Road where some changes may be made to improve the grade.

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 18th day of May, A. D. 1885, before Judges of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of Ferguson, in said county, setting forth that they labor under great inconvenience for want of a Public Road or highway to lead from the township road at a point near John N. Hoiles in Ferguson Twp., Clearfield Co. and from thence to intersect the public road leading from Lemmerville to Clusonville at a point near Ross M. Graeken in said township

and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view and lay out the same according to law, and report to next term whereupon the Court, upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint E. L. Read Jos. A. Rowles and H. D. Straw 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 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 .

[L.S.]

[L.S.]

[L.S.]

[L.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 Jno. C. Ferguson the sum of Thirtyseven & 59/100 Dollars 37.59
To Jno. A. Hile the sum of no damage
To Robt. Moore the sum of "

Witness our hands this 1st day of Dec A. D. 188 .

H. D. Stearns
E. C. Reed

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

We the undersigned viewers appointed to view the
Road within named respectfully report that in
~~pursuance~~ after giving good & lawful notice
of the time & place of meeting as requested by Law
We met in pursuance of said notice and after
all being severally sworn or affirmed according to
Law, we have viewed the premises within named and
find that a new public road the whole of the distance
between the points within named is not necessary but
that by making some changes on the multotown Road in
order to improve the Grades and then by making some new
road, to wit from near Robt Moore on said Road to the Turn
pike near Rich McCrackens will in our opinion suit the
Petitioners much better than ~~any~~ ^{new} public road between the points
named in the within order & we have therefore laid
out and do now repon for public use the following
road to wit Beginning at a point on Lumber City Pike thence
through unimproved land of D. Korp at 41 1/2 N 10 prs to Buck North
54 1/2 N. 52 prs at 74 N 17 1/2 prs at 73 N 6 prs at 69 1/2 N 9 prs at 53 1/2 N
8 1/2 prs at 59 N 8 prs at 67 1/2 N 8 prs to Hill. at 60 1/2 N 9 1/2 prs to Hill.
at 14 1/2 N (Crossing Line of Robt Moors land at 83 prs) 10 1/2 prs to map
on land of said moor thence at 33 1/2 N 9 Rods to fence thence through
moor field North 19 1/2 E. 18 prs to multotown Road thence along
said road as follows. 38 1/2 N 12 1/2 E to post thence at 77 1/2 N 2 1/2 S 35 1/2 N
16 1/4 S 50 N 28 thence bearing Road & bearing to left and passing through
land of Jas Gerguson 33 1/2 E 13 1/2 S 34 1/2 E 8 prs at 39 N 7 prs at 67 1/2 N 5 1/2
S 84 1/2 N 28 prs at 70 N 39 prs at 74 to line between Sam Ferguson &
Jas. N. Hile 57 1/2 N 63 prs at 88 1/2 N 16 prs

To the public road leading from Lumber City to Clearfield
with mill to multotown for land of Jas N. Hile
and known as the Lumber City Pike, a plot or Draft
of which is hereto annexed, which said Draft also
shows points where we think the changes in grade &c as
stated above, should be made
Witness our hands this 1st day of Decr 1885

H. D. Hawn
E. C. Reed
Jos. H. Rowles

NOTE.—In case of a Private Road, the police must be
 executed in favor of the petitioners, and 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 petitioners are not entitled
 to damages, taking into consideration the advantages as
 well as the disadvantages of the road, they will report to
 that effect.

W. H. St. Louis Days *21* Amount
 Miles *12*

Joseph H. Bonds Days *1*
 Miles *6*

Ed. Bond Days *3* *Cent 101*
 Miles *15*

Days
 Miles
 Days
 Miles

No. 2 May Session, 1888

ORDER

To view and lay out a Road
 for Public use in the township
 of Burguand Clearfield county.

24 March 1886 Confirmed
 certificate by the Court

Sept 1885 Review of
 location and agreed to with the
 Burguand Court

14 Dec 1885 Review confirmed
 and proposed location
 30 feet right-of-way. Right-of-way
 made available cutting
 to the 16 feet wide
 by the Court

Filed 1888

Fees \$1, paid by

M. B. N.