

No. 12, May Term, 1886

Vacate Public Road

versus in  
Woodward Township

Contents:

*Ad Board*

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

The petition of the undersigned citizens of the Township  
of Woodward in said county would respectfully represent ; That a  
road has long since been laid out from the Mouth of Sanborn Run  
to Andrew Baughmans lane a part of which road beginning at a point  
on the Decatur Township line at Dan <sup>Low</sup> ~~Baughmans~~ to a point at the in-  
tersection of said road with the Township road leading from Sanb-  
orn School house to Sanbourn run your petitioners believe is now use-  
less and inconvenient and burdensome to the inhabitants of the sa-  
id Township .

Your petitioners therefor pray the Court that said road may  
be vacated agreeably to the Gen. Act of Assembly in such cases made  
and provided ; and they will ever pray, &c.

*A. D. Bozer*

*D. L. Bartleson*

*J. H. Thine*

*Jamson Stott*

*W. L. Lockett*

*A. J. Goss*

*Geo. Goss*

*Carly Stott*

*William Goss*

*Milton Mangston*

*Jonathan Carson*

*Joseph J. Aslett*

*David Bartsman*

*J. W. Goss*

*Joseph Sanford*

*J. E. Sanford*

*Joel Dalton*

*L. J. Hailey*

*Alb. Kline*

*D. J. Kline*

*W. Kline*

*James D. Phillips*

*Arnston Kline*

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Return of Citizins of Wash.  
ward Township to their Township  
ward in Howard Township In-  
cluded from a point on Township  
line of District of Columbia to  
the point of intersection of said Dis-  
trict and Howard Township from  
London before them to which the

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show the 18<sup>th</sup> day of May 1886 the  
within petition read in  
open Court and upon due con-  
sideration of the same the Court  
finds that

E. B. Reed  
John H. Starnell  
Edward Ridgeway

to him and present and read  
and to report at next term

By the Court  
J. D. Battle

From the 16 day 1886 the former of said  
petitioner have succeeded to their said  
petition

By the Court

Now the day of Dec. 1886 the former of the within  
petitioner succeeded to their said

By the Court

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Return

## 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

18<sup>th</sup> day of May, A. D. 1886, before Judges of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of Woodward, in

said county, setting forth that a road has been long since laid out from the mouth of Sauborn run to Andrew Baughmans, land a part of which road beginning at a point on the Decatur Turnpike at Saw Lows: to a point at the intersection of said road with the Turnpike leading from Sauborn School house to Sauborn run. Your petitioners conceive is now useless inconvenient and burdensome

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 E. C. Read Jno Farrell & Ed Ridgion 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 ensealing 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 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.—Reviewers will carefully note the number of days employed and set the amount on all the foot of their return. Reviewers cannot interfere with damages assessed by the original Reviewers, except so far as the location may be changed by the Reviewers.  
 N. B.—If the Reviewers 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	
{ Miles	
{ Days	
{ Miles	
{ Days	
{ Miles	

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**ORDER**

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

June 12<sup>th</sup> 1888

The Reviewers of Reviewers  
 in this case are  
 and enlarged to work

June 18<sup>th</sup> the Court  
 by the Court

and now that by 6<sup>th</sup> 1888  
 Reviewers of Reviewers are  
 enlarged to next term

By the Court

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Fees \$ 1.00 paid by \_\_\_\_\_