

No. 7, May Term, 1888

Public Road

versus

Ferguson Township

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To the Honorable the Judge
of the Court of Quarter Sessions
of the Peace in and for the
County of Clearfield.

The petition of the undersigned
inhabitants of the Township of
Ferguson. in the said County. respec-
tfully sheweth: that your petitioners
labor under great inconveniences for
want of a Road or Highway. to lead
from Township Road at or near the res-
idence of John Tubbs in Ferguson Twp.
to intersect Township Road at ^{residence of} C. C. Barrett
in same Twp. your petitioners there-
fore humbly pray the Court to
appoint proper persons to view and
lay out the same. according to Law:
and they will ever pray &c

Wm. M. Barrett
B. S. Withright
C. J. Wiley
John Tubbs
J. C. Lewis
David Wood
S. Osbourne
Cornelius D. Tully
Barnes
Jerah Baker
E. R. Dimmick
Simon J. Samington

John Snyder

W. J. Barrett

John Salley

James J. Hall

W. J. Hall

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W. J. Hall

W. J. Hall

Conrad Barrett

Jack Cross

James W. Tubbs

Albert Straw

H. H. Ferguson

James Redden

Thomas Tubbs

Geo. H. Lewis

D. W. McEggen

James Baker

Clearfield County, ss: 

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the county of Clearfield, Pennsylvania, held at Clearfield, in and for said county, on the 1st day of

May, A. D. 1888, 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

a great inconvenience for want of a public road or highway to lead from township road at or near the residence of John Galt in Ferguson Township to intersect township road at residence of E. L. Barrett in same Township.

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 Henry Myers, John J. Straw & C. J. Shoff, 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 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.



Clerk.

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

Harry Byers Cent # 735	Days	2	Amount
	Miles	27	\$10.70
John T. Strawn	Days	1	
	Miles	1	2.20
C. J. Shoff (Ch # 463)	Days	1	
	Miles	2	2.40
	Days		
	Miles		
	Days		
	Miles		

No. 77 May Sessions, 1888

ORDER

To dig and lay out a Road
 For the use in the township
 of Harrison Clearfield Co.
 Sept 26 1888 Confirmed this
 was to be opened 30 feet wide
 except at a hill cutting or
 embankment or bridging, to be
 16 1/2 feet wide
 By the Court

Dec 26 1888 Confirmed
 absolutely By the Court
 O. L. K. J.

Filed 28 June 1888
 Fees \$1.25 paid by O. L. K. J.

To the honorable David S. Krebs, judge of the court of quarter sessions of Clearfield Co.: we the undersigned persons appointed by the within order of court to view and lay out the road within mentioned, respectfully report that having given due notice of said road view and meeting as per notices as required by law and the rules of the court on the seventh day of June A.D. 1888, and all the viewers being present, we were first severally sworn or affirmed in pursuance of said order, after which we viewed and laid out and do return for public use the following road, to wit: beginning at a point in middle of public road at the end of John Tubbs lane thence South thirty nine degrees east twenty eight and two tenth perches near the line between J. H. and John Tubbs to post, thence south twenty one degrees west thirty two perches to a hemlock in the woods, thence south eleven and one half degrees west fifteen and eight hundredth perches to a hemlock, thence south twenty nine and three fourth degrees east four and nine tenth perches to post, thence south fifty and one fourth degrees east seven perches to a chestnut stump, thence through woods and field of E. C. Barrett south fifty three degrees east forty eight perches to point in public between two small pines one of which is marked. A draft or plot of which is herunto annexed showing the neighboring houses to be accommodated by said road, and the various seated and unseated land through which it passes, which road laid out as aforesaid is necessary

