

No. 11, Dec. Term, 1888

Public Road or

Private road

versus

Deeater Township

Contents:

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To His Honor the Judge and
The Court of Clearfield Co.

The subscribers, residents of the
Township of Clearfield, respectfully
petition the Court to appoint
viewers to locate a road from
a point near Abram Goss on
Public Road leading from Danboro
to Blue Ball, to a point near
Wilson Reharts on public road
leading from Tern Lake to Cecely.
Also to locate road from latter
point to foot of the hill on
public road from Danboro to
Blue Ball, all in Clearfield
Clearfield Co.

J. R. McClain
Collins Smeal
Miles Mease
J. L. Baumans
C. A. Hill
Jacob McLearn
Wm. A. Parsons
Wm. T. Parsons
Geo. W. Smeal
Isaac Goss

George Goss
Wilson Reharts
William Goss
David Goss
Elmer C. Hoover
Edwin Goss
L. S. Goss
B. J. Reharts
John G. Reharts
Alfred Hoover

No. 11 see cross
In the Court of Quarter Sessions
of Clerksville County

Gen. Ct. L.
J. Smith

Petition of Citizens of
western Commissioners for
appointment of officers to
view and lay out a Public
Road from the town of the
Public Camp leading from
Danbury to Blue Bell or
to Green Arbor Cross. &
opposite on Catoctin River
leaving from campsite of
Oreola, up on Green
Wilson Ledges - back to
in western County - back to
Lancaster and supply point of
spuds and from Wilson
Alphington to York of Mile or
One leading from Danbury
to Blue Bell in said
County

and most likely to pass the
arishion of Catoctin and one
picure. and it may be given to
Jacob Simmings Rockport which
are appropriate officers to
make a fresh surveying of an

Br. W. Court

Witness

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 13th day of

Decem, A. D. 1888, before Judges of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of Decatur, in

said county, setting forth that they labor under

great inconvenience for want of Public Road leading from Fairburn to Blue Ball at or near Abram Goss to a point on Public Road leading from Turnpike to Ceredo at or near Wilson Kepharts in Decatur Twp Also to Vacate & Supply part of Public Road from Wilson Kepharts to foot of hill on Road leading from Fairburn to Blue Ball in said 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 Harry Byers Jacob Dunceling, ^{and} ~~Richard~~ ^{Wm} ~~Henry~~ 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.

 J. M. Bloom, CLERK.

Witness our hands this day of A.D. 188
To the sum of
To the sum of
To the sum of

make report thereof, as follows:
pursuance of our duty, under the Act of Assembly, do assess their damages and
road in the unexecuted return described, we, the undersigned witnesses, under oath in
respectively may be entitled by reason of the location and the opening of the said
The following persons, having refused to release the damages to which they

ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES.



A.D. 188

Witness our hands and seals this day of
opening of the road aforesaid.
or receive any damages for injuries arising or growing out of the location and
any person claiming under us, can or may hereafter ask, sue for, demand, have
of the location and opening of the said road, so that neither we nor any of us, nor
all damages that may arise to us respectively by reason
and do hereby remise, release and forever quit-claim to the said
the ensemble and delivery hereof, have remised, released and forever quit-claimed,
respectively paid by the
order, passes, for and in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR to us
owners of lands through which the road located by the witnesses, under the unexecuted
know all men by these presents, That we, the undersigned,

RELEASE OF DAMAGES.

To the honorable David L. Krebs President judge of the court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County Pa. we, the undersigned, viewers appointed by the within order of court to view vacate and supply the roads within mentioned respectfully report that having given due notice of said roadview and having met agreeable thereto and having been first severally sworn or affirmed we viewed the ground for the proposed road also the present public road, and since a change in said township road would not be a saving of expense to the tax payers of Decatur Township and that a moderate amount of money applied judiciously to grading the hill which the petitioners want to go around would be cheaper and make a more direct road for a majority of the people to go to market we are of opinion that the road should not be changed and that it is not necessary to lay out a new public road nor to vacate the public road now in use. Witness our hands this fourth day of January A.D. 1889.

Viewers { Harry Byers
Jacob Simpling
Richard Hughes

No. 4, N. Y. S. S., Sessions, 1888

ORDER
and ~~vacate~~ ~~remove~~

To view and lay out a road for
public use in the township of
~~Academy~~, Clearfield Co.

Feb. 18, 1888, confirmed
me ~~Se~~ ~~By the Court~~

May 25, 1889, confirmed
absolutely, ~~By the Court~~

Filed ~~Decr~~, 1888
Fees \$1, paid by ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~Co.~~

M. H. Knicker

NOTICE—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 em-
ployed and set the amount paid at the foot of their return.
Original viewers cannot interfere with damages assessed by the
new 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.

Amount.	Days	Miles
16.00	1	1
16.00	1	1
32.00	1	1
2.30	1	3
2.30	1	3

Days	Miles
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