

No. 8, Sept 8, 1895

Public Road  
Versus in  
Bigler Township

Contents:

Plaintiff - Plaintiff  
John Bigler 234-1000  
John Bigler 234-1000

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 Fifth day of September, A. D. 1895, before Judge of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of Digler, in said County, setting forth that

they labor under great inconvenience for want of a Public Road to lead from a point opposite the residence of Jos A Moore on Township road leading from Madina to Houtzdale and running back to Connech on Dup road leading from old Belena School House and connecting at a point opposite Presbyterian Church on said Dup Road

and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view and lay out the same according to law, and report to December Term whereupon the Court, upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint Asa Spencer and B M Frank McLangford 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 the 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 land 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 land 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.

## 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 Supervisors of Bigler's Twp at and before the ensealing and delivery hereof, have remised, released and forever quit-claimed; and do hereby remise, release and forever quit-claim to the said Supervisors of Bigler Township 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 Twentieth day of October  
A. D. 1895.

Clark Hileman

Seal

C. Berry

Seal

Jas Lennon

Seal

Seal

## ASSESTMENT 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. 189 ..

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

No. 8 Sept. Sessions, 1895

ORDER

Review and lay out a road for  
public use in the township of  
Bridgewater, Clearfield Co.  
8th Sept. 1895  
Session 1895  
read and confirmed At. Si.  
Road to be opened 33 feet  
wide, except where there is  
side hill cutting or embank-  
ment and bridging, there to  
be 16 feet wide.

	Days	2	Amount.
Ma Spurcer	Miles	8.00	
(1/3 miles)	Days	1	1.00
W. E. Longford	Miles	2.00	2.00
	Days	1	1.00
	Miles	3.00	3.00
	Days	1	1.00
	Miles	3.00	3.00
	Days	1	1.00
	Miles	3.00	3.00

By the Court  
Cyrus Young

8 July 1896  
also reverified—Col. 16 to 26  
Bridgewater, Pa.  
Cyrus Young  
At. Si.

Filed 2d Day of August, 1896  
Fees \$1 paid by M. J. French

To The Honorable - The Court within mentioned.

We the undersigned Surveyors appointed by the  
within order to view and lay out the road herein  
mentioned respectfully do report that in pursuance  
of our duties we gave good and lawful notice  
of said Road View by posting notices and sent  
five days notice to County Commissioners as  
required by Rule of Court and having been  
sufficiently served we met on the <sup>Fifth day of October</sup> day appointed  
in said Notice we have viewed the ground for the  
proposed Public Road and have laid out the following  
road for public use to wit - Beginning at a plug  
on Zup road in front of residence of Jno Moore  
thence along South Street  $13\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E 348 to plug  
on North side Pine Street; thence along South  
Street  $190^{\circ}$  E - 339.5 feet to plug on Spruce Street  
opposite Presbyterian Church. A plot or draught  
of which road as aforesaid laid out is hereto  
attached showing courses and distances and  
improvements. Which road is necessary in  
our opinion as a Public Road. The ground having  
already been dedicated as a street no damage is assessed  
thereon.

Jno. Bruegach  
W. C. Langford

Spruce

St.

ALEXANDER ESTATE.

ALEXANDER ESTATE.

C. CURRY.

C. CURRY.

Linn

St.

C. HILEMAN.

JAS. LENNON.

BRIDGE

Creek

Main

St.

539.6

N 19° E

248

N 15° 30'

# Petition for a Public Road

To the Honorable the Judges 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 Bigler in the said County  
respectfully sheweth, That your petitioners  
labor under great inconvenience for  
want of a Public Road, to lead from a  
point opposite the Residence of, Jas A. Moon,  
on Township Road, leading from Maderia,  
to Hawkdale, and running North to connect  
on Twp. road leading from old Bellsua  
School House, and connecting at a point  
opposite Presbyterian Church, on said Twp.  
Road, your petitioners therefore pray the Court  
to appoint proper persons to view and  
lay out the same, according to Law,  
and they will ever, ready to,

John Lamborn  
Clark Hildreth  
James Eskie  
John Hilsop  
Joseph Shoff  
G. B. Curry  
H. J. Dale  
J. P. Shoff  
D. W. Bremer  
Chas. G. Gill  
James J. Conely  
J. G. Higgins  
James Lennan  
Benj. Lissman  
Loren Liss  
John D. Householder  
O. K. McClosky  
Ferd. Hansen  
John Whiteside  
H. C. Vanfayoc  
Isaac Legasty  
J. C. Johnson  
A. C. Wilson and  
W. W. Weaver  
A. D. Shoff  
J. W. Gill  
James Stitt  
Amos Newell  
J. P. Lasson  
W. G. Shoff  
W. S. Byrrell  
C. E. Byrner  
Boaz Alexander  
John Gordier  
Lentzus Brown

W. B. Miles  
W. M. Waring  
Das Horner  
C. B. Speck  
Alexander  
O. W. Gustafson  
J. Johnston  
E. G. Miles  
W. H. Packer  
James Kauh  
A. C. Shoff  
Millard Shoff  
McBuckwalter  
Boaz Whiteside  
Albert Shoff  
M. Shon  
George Baggs  
Boaz Alexander Jr  
Andy Tresser  
Harriet Gratter  
Adam McMillen  
M. Bushwalter  
E. A. Howel  
P. S. Shoff  
James Conely  
J. J. Wilson  
John Dwyer  
Hugh Gallacher  
D. W. Miles  
Joe Ruffner  
O. A. Miles  
J. G. Miles  
Benj. Alexander  
O. A. Cowher

W. S. Sept. 28, 1895

In the name of the Board  
of Education.

Petition for a Public  
Road in Biglerville  
Ship. Clearfield Co.

Petition to view.

Now September 5<sup>th</sup> 1895  
Petition presented and  
read in open court  
and discharged. Also  
Dweller from B. McHall Corp.  
and J. C. Bradford  
have appeared and  
laid out said road and  
asked to discharge.

By the Clerk

James Gandy

Attest  
John S. Shaw

Kurtz Brothers, Stationers, Clearfield, Pa.

W. S. order to occur  
1895 to 28th Sept 1895