

Vacate and Supply
Public Road

Versus

Beccaria Township.

Contents:

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 29 day of May, A. D. 1896, before Judge of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of Beecoria, in said County, setting forth that

The Proposed road leading from the lower end (North) of Beane City in said Township at a point about near the Slaughter Shop of near the Troona Borough line in its present location by reason of its excessive grade and deviation from the proper route is in Convenience would better accommodate the public travel by a change in its location between the two points mentioned, viz. that part of said road beginning at a point on said road at the residence on the John Lightner farm and ending at a point on said road at the intersection with the Mahville road

and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view ^{Vacate & Supply} and ~~lay out~~ the same according to law, and report to Sept Term 1896 whereupon the Court, upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint Wade Hager, James McLehau, Philip Dotz 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 ^{Vacate & Supply} ~~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.

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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 ensembling and delivery hereof, have remised, released and forever quit-claimed; and do hereby remise, release 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. 189 .

Seal

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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 *Iriona Coal Co.* the sum of *Twenty dollars*

To _____ the sum of _____

To _____ the sum of _____

Witness our hands this *27th* day of *August*, A D. 1896.

W. H. Gasty

Philip B. B. B.

John C. Beers

In re-Road in Beccaria township
No. 15 Sept. S.D. 1896

The undersigned viewers, appointed by the Court to view the premises, and report upon the advisability of vacating and supplying the road set forth in the petition, would respectfully report -

That having given due legal notice and notice to County Commissioners, of the time and place of meeting, they met upon the line of said road on the 27th day of August A.D. 1896 at 10 o'clock A.M., and having all been first severally sworn, they proceed to attempt to obtain releases of damages from the persons affected by the action of the viewers, as here in set forth.

which was done after having carefully viewed said road proposed to be vacated and all the ways by which it can be supplied, and they report in favor of the vacation of the road set forth in the petition, the precise courses and distances thereof being hereinafter set forth, that they find that the said road is no longer necessary for public use; the viewers

however believe that, private, road
should be maintained in the present
route for the benefit of John Lightner.

The viewers further report in
supplying the said vacated road by
a road running as set forth in this
report from a point at or near
the residence of John Fryer on Public
Road leading from Blain City to Irona
to a point on said road, a distance
of 450 ft. from Slaughter Shop of Mrs Laugh-
enbaugh in Irona Borough and
they have therefore laid out said road
for public use, believing the same
to be necessary. A draft is hereto at-
tached showing the courses and distances,
as well as the lands through which the
said vacated and proposed new road
pass, said draft being hereto attached
and made part hereof.

The viewers further report that they find
no land owner entitled to receive damages
except as herein set forth.

The part of the road vacated by this report is as follows.

Beginning at a point near John Fryers
Thence north $4^{\circ} 00''$ west 527 feet. Thence
north 1 degree west 997 feet. Thence north
3 degrees east 353 feet Thence north
74 degrees and 30 minutes east 557 feet
to intersection of road leading from
Utahville to Irona Borough.

The proposed new road laid out
for public use is as follows.

Beginning at a point at or near the
residence of John Fryer. Thence
north 28 degrees $\frac{1}{2}$ 30 minutes west 382 feet
to a post. Thence north 53 degrees west
390 feet to post. Thence north 58 degrees
west 453 feet to a post. Thence north
29 degrees west 354 feet to post Thence
north 19 degrees $\frac{1}{2}$ 30 minutes west
1605 feet to small hemlock on line of
Irona Borough Thence north 56 degrees
 $\frac{1}{2}$ 30 minutes west 464 feet to post at intersec-
tion of road leading from Utahville to
Irona Borough.

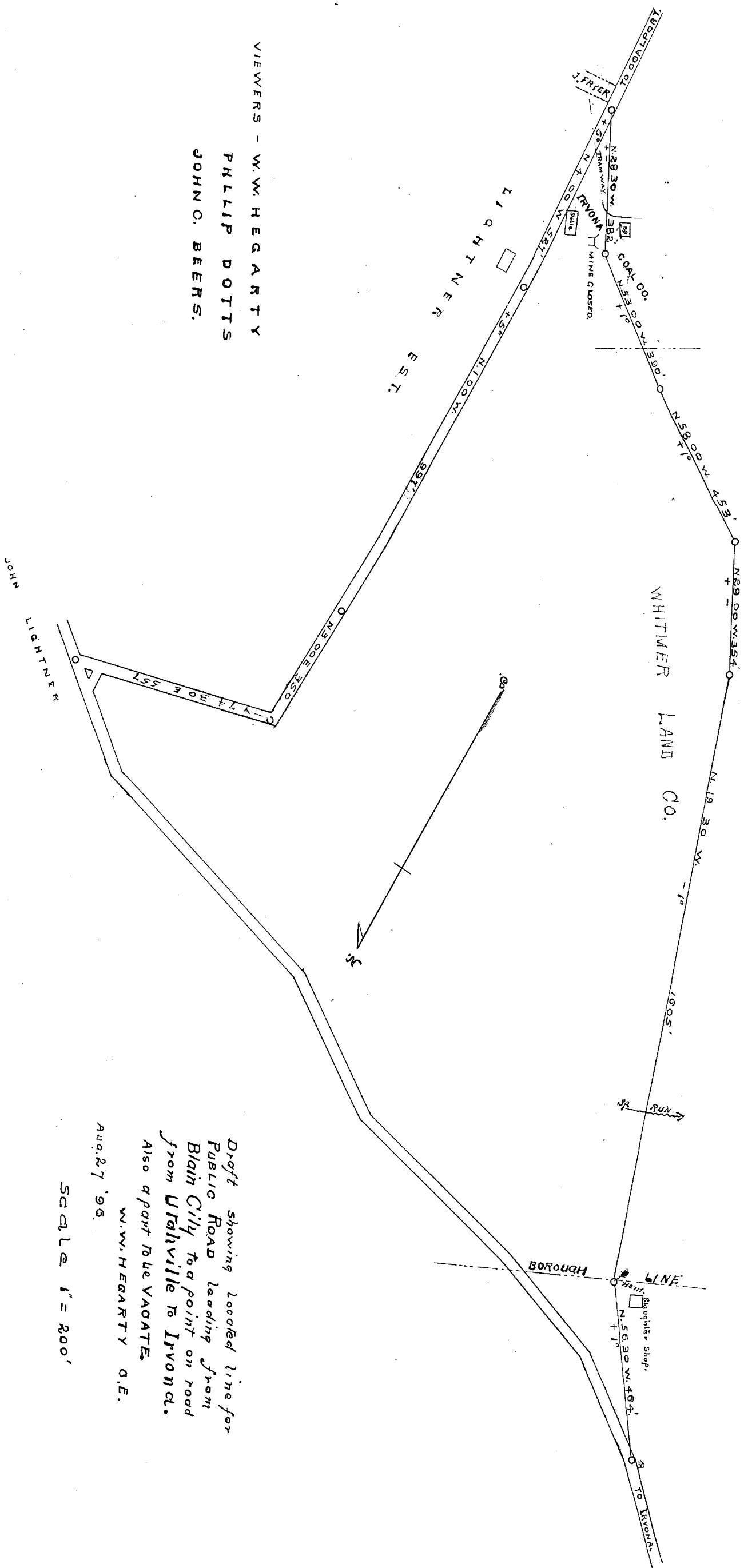
All of which is Respectfully submitted.

W. H. Hargarty Surveyor

Philip Dotts "

John C. Beck "

VIEWERS - W.W. HEGARTY
 PHILIP DOTIS
 JOHN O. BEERS.



Draft showing located line for
 Public Road leading from
 Blain City to a point on road
 from Utahville to Irvona.
 Also a part to be vacated.

W.W. HEGARTY O.E.
 Aug. 27 '96.

Scale 1" = 200'

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3 *Appl. 11/11/11*
4 *Comm. 11/11/11*

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County, Penn'a.

In re Vacation and supply
of Public Road i

No. ~~Sep. Sessions~~ 1893.

in

Beccaria Township..

Cyrus Gordon
To the Honorable ~~David L. Krebs~~, President Judge of the said
Court:-

The petition of the undersigned citizens of the Town-
ship of Beccaria, respectfully represent;

That the Township or Public Road leading from the
lower end (North) of Blain City in said Township, at a point
at or near the Coke Ovens, to a point on said road at or
near the slaughter shop of near the
Irvona Borough line, in its present location, by reason of
its excessive grade and deviations from the proper route, is
inconvenient, and would better accomodate the public travel
by a change in its location between the two points mentioned.

They would therefore pray the Court to appoint viewers accord-
ing to law, to inquire of the premises and to make report to
the court, as to the proposed change of location, and if in
their opinion , the same should be changed, then to inquire
into the expediency of vacating that part of said road be-
ginning at a point on said road at the residence on the John
Lightner farm and ending at a point on said road, at the inter-
section with the Utahville road, which part of said road will
become useless and burdensome in the event of the change of
location prayed for, and they will ever pray &c

W R Davidson

J B Briggs

Stephen Young

Wm Estey

Saml E. Cussey

Geni Spangle

John, C. Beers

J. E. Westburn

E. L. Conrad

W. S. Swisher

Jos. Shank

J. B. Achelries

Chas. Hibler

J. S. Lockett

Wm. C. Tomber

C. H. Cassen

John Dietz

D. L. Roberts

Chas. Smith

J. H. Goskom

Thomas Lythie

John Matthew

Jerre Hope

Wm. Estey Jr

J. Shore

Wm. Jasper

Leew. Lasky

Robert. Jasper

A. J. Barber

Martin. Grenader

Geo. Otkey

W. A. Gorman

Geo. Huber

C. B. Allison

Geo. Bratton

H. Jasper

J. Smith

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