

No. 3 May Term, 1869

Public Road

versus iii

Bridford Township

No road

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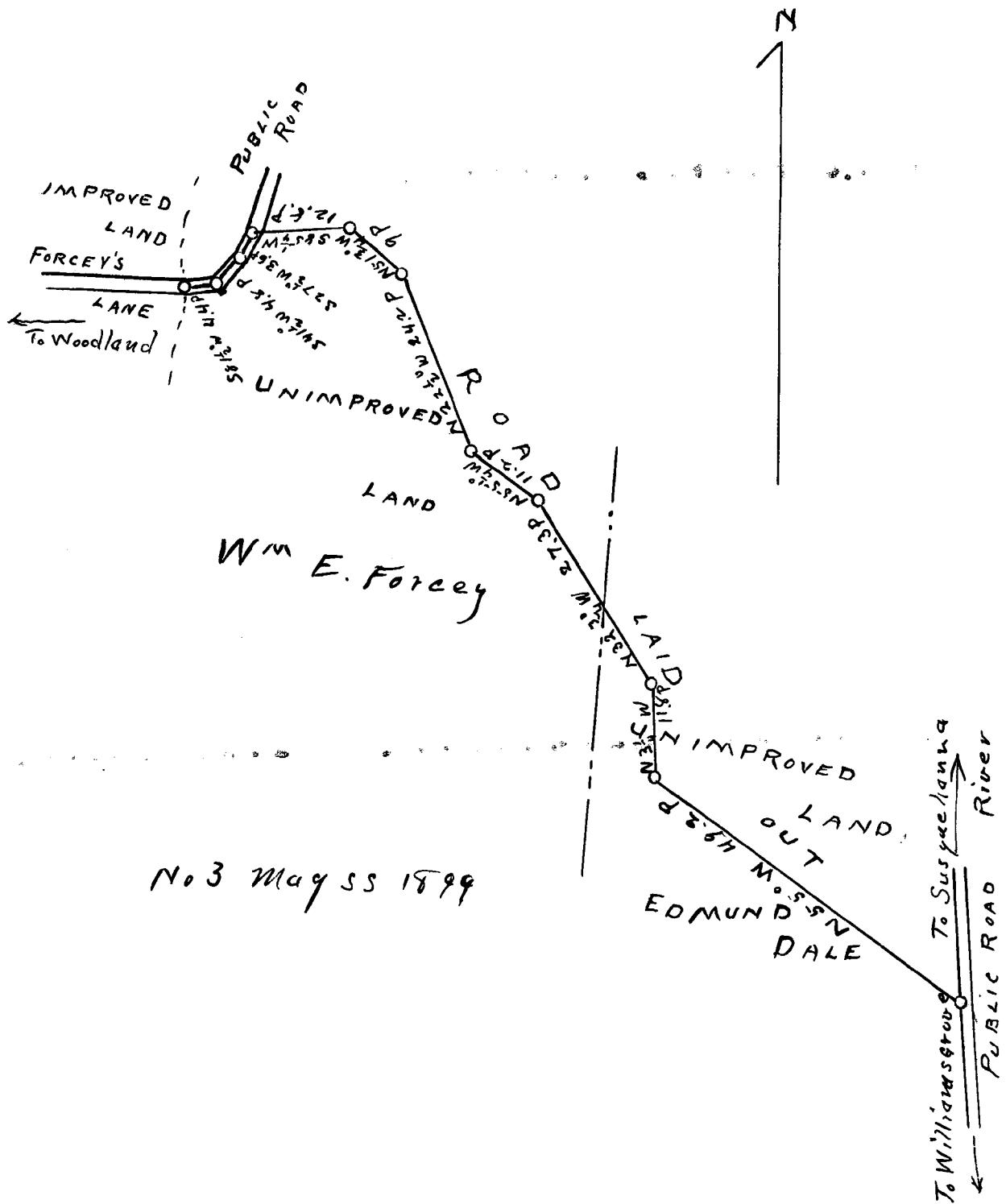
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Part of Shilo Road

(N.Y.)

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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 28th day of Feby A. D. 1899, before Judge of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of Bradford

, in said county, setting forth that

A public road is needed in said Township to begin at most southerly gate of Crown point place of Edmund Dale on the road leading from Williams Grove to Susquehanna River and to end at the east end of W. G. Shueys lane on a public road leading from Woodland and connecting with aforesaid road leading from Williams Grove to Susquehanna River Also if above described road is located, to improve and vacate that part of public road, leading from Williams Grove to Susquehanna River beginning at said southerly gate of Edmund Dale and ending at Fletcher Shueys house where the said road leading from Woodland connects with a road leading from Williams Grove to the Susquehanna River and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view and lay out the same according to law,

whereupon the Court, upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint A. C. Dale, John A. Worbridge and Harry Peppers 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.

Frank H. Thompson

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 County of Clearfield 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 County of Clearfield 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 14th day of April
A. D. 1899.

E. Dale Seal
W. E. Farley Seal
Seal
Seal

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. 189....

To The Honorable Cyrus Gordon President Judge of
The Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County
we, the undersigned, viewers appointed by the within
order of court to view vacate and supply the roads
therein mentioned respectfully report that we gave
lawful notice of said road view and met agreeable thereto
on the thirty-first day of March A. D 1899 and having been severally
sworn or affirmed we have viewed the ground for the
proposed road and the road proposed to be vacated, and being
unable to complete the work on the day appointed we adjourned
said roadview until the 7th day of April and on account of rain
further adjourned said view until the 14th day of April and
in pursuance of order hereto annexed, at the meetings aforesaid
we have laid out and do return for public use the following
road to wit; Beginning at Most southerly gate of Crown Point place
of Edmund Dale on the road leading from Williams Grove to Susquehanna
river, thence through woodland of Edmund Dale North fifty-five
degrees West ~~forty-nine~~ and two tenth perches to a post thence North
three and one fourth degrees west eleven and eight tenth perches to
a double Birch sapling, thence North thirty-two and three fourths de-
grees West twenty ~~seven~~ and three tenth perches to a hickory sapling
on land of Wm E. Forcey thence through woodland of said
Wm E. Forcey North fifty-five and one fourth degrees West eleven
and two tenth perches to a post thence thence North twenty-two and
one half degrees West twenty-four and two tenth perches to post
thence North fifty-one and three fourth degrees West nine perches
to a Chestnut thence South eighty-five and one fourth degrees
West twelve and eight tenth perches to public road leading from
woodland and connecting with aforesaid road leading from Williams
to Susquehanna river, thence by said road, south twenty-seven and one
half degrees West three and six tenth perches thence South forty-one
and one half degrees West four and eight tenth perches thence South
eighty-one and one half degrees West four and four tenth perches to end
of Wm E. Forcey's land on road aforesaid being ending called for in
within order, we further report that we have inquired of road herein named
to be vacated and are of opinion that the same has become not become use-
less and burdensome and should therefore not be
vacated, a plot or draft of which road as laid out aforesaid is
hereto annexed showing courses and distances, which
road is necessary in our opinion for a public road
Withers our hand this fourteenth day of April A.D 1899

Viewers { A. G. Dale
 D. H. Woolridge
 Harry Dyer

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.

AMOUNT.
<i>John A. Hooker</i> } Days 2
Miles 6 4.50
<i>A. Clarkhouse</i> } Days 2 4.00
2 trips Miles 1/2 \$1.20
(48 1/3) } Days 3
2 trips Miles 1/6 \$1.360
<i>Frank Farley</i> } Days 2
Miles 300 \$300
<i>John Fairman</i> } Days 1
Miles 1.50

No. 3 *May Sessions, 1899*

ORDER

To view and lay out a road for
 Public use in the township of
 Bradford, Clearfield Co.
 May 1st Sessions 1899,
 read and confirmed Ni. 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.

John Fairman
 May 1st 1899

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 Fees \$1, paid by *J. Fairman*

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In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County, Penn'a.
To the Honorable Cyrus Gordon, Judge of the Court of Quarter
Sessions of Clearfield County:-

The petition of the undersigned citizens of Bradford Township
Clearfield County, respectfully represents, That they labor under great
inconvenience for the want of a public road to begin at the most south-
erly gate of the Crown Point place, ~~on the road leading from Williams-~~
grove to the Susquehanna River and to end at the east end of W.E. For-
cey's lane on a public road leading from Woodland and connecting with
aforesaid road leading from Williamsgrove to the Susquehanna River.

That the petitioners pray the court to appoint viewers qualif-
fied according to law to view the ground proposed for such road and if
they should have occasion to lay out the same, to inquire of and vacate
that part of the public road leading from Williamsgrove to the Susque-
hanna River beginning at the said southerly gate of Edmund Dale and end-
ing at Fletcher Shirey's house where the said road leading from Woodland
connects with the said road leading from Williamsgrove to the Susquehanna
River; as such part of said road would then become useless; and make
report of their proceedings to MaytSessions next.

And they will ever pray, &c., &c.

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Ed Dale

A. L. Forcey

J. B. Boden

J. H. Thompson

J. R. Shirey

J. S. Miller

George Stee

J. B. Miller

Jack Fulton

J. D. Reid

J. C. Caudle

Emery Tyler

C. A. Gordon

Isaac Immergut

Joseph Brothers

David Lumberger

Joseph Murphy

Saines

D. Miller Dale

Gideon Forcey

A. L. Forcey

P. Miller

Wesley Shirey

W. C. Miller

John A. Thompson

J. C. Shirey

J. D. Immergut

D. Miller

H. C. Williams

Mr. T. Miller

D. B. Williams

Peter E. Subz

Francis Griffith

C. E. Williams

D. H. Miller

3 May 1899
Petition for Wreck
in Bradfordton.
Sew & fraction
in Bradfordton
Sewp.

16 lots, 172.

May 28 Feb. 1899
Wreck petition
presented by
General W. A. Dole,
of Union Woolen &
Weavers, Wrentham,
Vt. to the Wreck
Commissioners and
made up for the
Sewers Wreck
for the County
of Wrentham

June 28 1899
Grant W. Thompson
12 P.M. Date

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County

To the Honorable the Judge of said Court .- We the undersigned citizens of Bradford township respectfully remonstrate against the confirming the report of viewers laying out a road in Bradford township Beginning at Southerly gate of Crown Point place of Edward Dale on the road leading from Williamsgrove to Sus River and to end at the east end of W E Forcey's lane on a public road leading from Woodland and connecting with aforesaid road leading from Williamsgrove to Susque- River said report being filed to No 3 May sessions 1899 for the following reasons .-

First .- Because there is no person living along the line of said proposed road

Second .- Because all persons who would use the same have now a good road to travel in going to and from their homes

Third .- Because the road as laid out will be expensive to make and hard to maintain after the same is made

Fourth .- Because The township is now in debt from five to six hundred dollars and there is no such necessity exists for said road as to justify the adding of five hundred dollars more burden on the taxpayers of Bradford township

We therefore pray your Honorable to refuse to confirm the report of viewers in above case

W. D. Patterson

W. M. McRae Jr.

- G. M. Barger
- Joseph Graham
- D. R. Wilson
- O. S. Johnson
- N. D. Wilson
- ✓ Martin Wilson
- J. M. McDowell
- Daniel Meeker
- N. H. Mairies.
- J. - Aug. 11.
- ✓ James Kerhardt
- ✓ Robert Graham
- ✓ Isaac Gaines
- ✓ John B. Graham
- ✓ Fieldman Keplins
- ✓ Siebke Gaines
- ✓ Ray. Graham
- ✓ Gio. E. Guier
- ✓ Geo. K. Graham
- ✓ Franklin Gaines
- ✓ Carlton Shedd
- ✓ Melville Ogle
- ✓ Ward & Son
- ✓ Fred. Wilson
- ✓ C. B. Wilson
- ✓ George H. Wilson
- ✓ J. R. Wilson
- ✓ Gordon Buck
- ✓ William Buck
- ✓ Harry Graham

✓ Michael S. Moore	
✓ G. S. Sherry	D. McNeelton
✓ J. H. Sherry	✓ D. M. Ross
✓ J. H. Sherry	✓ J. M. Landberry
✓ W. A. Wilson	✓ D. L. Ladd
✓ G. A. Tracy	✓ R. D. Landberg
✓ G. M. Williams	✓ J. W. Undercoffelt
✓ B. C. Williams	✓ J. W. Williams
✓ Samuel J. Murphy	✓ C. W. House
✓ W. H. Williams	✓ A. Ferguson
✓ John L. Pearce	✓ W. Williams
✓ S. W. Williams	✓ D. L. Williams
✓ Robert W. Black	✓ William Murphy
✓ George Wilson	✓ Harley Conover
✓ E. W. Wilson	✓ D. McDonald
✓ George Wilson	✓ J. K. Pearce
✓ James W. Link	✓ John Conover
✓ G. W. Link	✓ E. H. Wadsworth
✓ William Murphy	✓ Lewis C. Kestner
✓ A. J. Murphy	
✓ G. S. Murphy	
✓ H. A. Hodridge	

To the Honorable the Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions
of Clearfield County

We the undersigned citizens of Bradford township respectfully
represent that we signed the petition for the laying out of the
above mentioned road under a misrepresentation of the facts .- That
after inquiring into the matter we are satisfied that the said road
is not necessary and would be adding a useless burden on the taxpayers
of said township to have to build the same .-

Joseph A. Denoff

D. B. Williamson

W. A. Peters

W. H. Baird

Peter Lutz

A. H. Hogenboom

H. E. H. Hogenboom

J. Z. McManus

John Undercoff

John T. Johnson

P. L. Cawley

J. W. Goethers

D. B. Williamson

W. A. Horner

J. H. Foster

for Plaintiff
K. May D. 1899

