

No. 8, Sept Sessions, 1905

COMMONWEALTH

versus

Public Road  
in  
Woodward Twp

Charge

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WILLIAM L. SWOOP,  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

TO THE HONORABLE ALLISON O. SMITH, President judge, of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for the the County of Clearfield.

The petition of the undersigned, inhabitant of the Township of Woodward, in the said County, respectfully showeth: That your petitioners labor under great inconvenience for want of a Public Road or Highway, in the Township of Woodward, to begin at a point at the southern terminus of Brisbin Street, at the Houtzdale Borough line in Woodward Township, and extending thence to a point, at the Northeastern corner of land of Thomas Neen in said Township, in a public road leading from Houtzdale to Ginter.

Your petitioners therefore pray the Court to appoint proper persons to view and lay out the public road, according to law; and they will ever pray, &c.

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Frank Coore	John Monroea
George Green	John Paulansky;
S. Swann	Shmount
George Stein	Thomas George
Geo H Harvey	Geo Chapman
George Finney	Geo. Birner
Peter Zielinsky	Charles Philip
Andrew Stein	Abner Domay
James Roberts	Valentirre Begler
Asst Morris	John Dolay

Szem, Emma	John B Neen
Casper Gajewski	Barry Hill
in Emma	John Gill
Dennis Watz	Thomas Kinn
Winter Sweetala	Wesley Johnson
Mike Schmitz	John Duncan
Mike Polak	Raymond Scherkef
Maureen Bartos	Tom Gibbons
John Dziedzic	Mr. J. J. Juvonen
Frank Tomic	Frank Robertson
John Belinsky	John Hughes
John Flura	John Hayden
Anthony Kowalek	
Mike Branyas	
Tom Golemski	
John J. Hickey	
Albert Gmezd	
Antonie Maycock	

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Court of Quarter Sess.

Petition  
for appointment  
of Committee to lay out a  
Public Road  
in  
Woodward Brook.

Now - May 11, 1905

The aforesaid petitioners and  
counsel, and  
John Dunn,  
John McFay and  
Jacob Dilliman  
are appointed viewers to  
view and lay out a public  
road or access dace and  
stoppage of no thickness  
by the County.

JOHN B. MCGEE, 1115  
Rector at 14th  
Houltzdale, Penna.

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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 13 day of July, A. D. 1908, before the Judge of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of Woodward

, in said county, setting forth that

your petitioners labor under great inconvenience for want of a Public Road or Highway, in Woodward Twp. to begin at a point at the Southern terminus of Bismarck Street, at the Hantydale Borough line in Woodward Twp. and extending thence to a point at the Northeastern corner of land of Thomas Neen in said Township, in a public road leading from Hantydale to Ginter.

and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view and layout the same according to law, Report to next term whereupon the Court, upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint John Ruvin, Wm M Faggart, Jacob Rutherford 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 view and layout 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.

Roll B 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 ..... at and before the sealing 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. 190.....

Seal

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## 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. 190 .....

**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 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.

## ORDER

To view and lay out a road for public use in the township of Woodland,  
Clearfield County.

..... Sessions, 190 ,  
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.

Miss Smith

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Fees \$1.25 paid by M. Shultz

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