

No. 8 Dec Sessions, 1905

COMMONWEALTH

VERSUS

Vacate Public
Road in
Lawrence Twp

Charge

WILLIAM I. SWOOPE.
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Nov 8 Dec 20 1905

Petition to locate a road in
Lawrence Township.

from

Point after near the home of
David McTearken now occupied
by Alexander Kearney

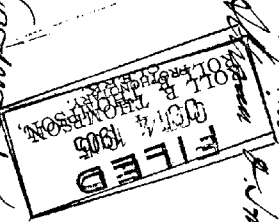
to

its point of intersection at
Doby's Bridge, with the public
road leading to Clearfield.

These Depts. of 1905 within
Petition located at Lawrence
& B. Lawrence - Lawrence
Sumner - M. J. Wright
are appointed members to
view said premises and
make report to that effect.

By the Court.

W. H. Lawrence
J. H. Lawrence



W. H. Lawrence

To the Honorable the Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and for the County of Wiltshire, Pa.

The petition of the undersigned, inhabitants of the township of Lawrence, in said County, respectfully sheweth:-

That a road has been long since ^{laid} out from a point at or near the house of David McCracken in which Alexander Hargy now lives on the road leading from W^{est} Schuyvers to Belover Hill School House, to a public ^{road} near Lutz Bridge which leads to Clearfield Borough, — being a distance of about one and a half miles more or less, ^{which} is now become useless, inconvenient and burdensome.

Your petitioners therefore pray the Court that the said road may be vacated, agreeably to the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided:

— and they will ever pray for —

August. AD 1905

alive. ~~See~~ Henry Bouquet.

John McInerney

Wm B Miller

J. P. Schilling

O St Miller

James A. Weigley

Defining

Charles W. Felt

La Vie de H. A.

Mr. Hoover
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Oregon Blooms
R. L. L. L.

Handwritten signature: *Handwritten signature*

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James Hunt

Dear Mother

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Payson Bldg. m

G. W. Arbery

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 4 day of Oct., A. D. 1905, before the Judge of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of Lawrence, in said county, setting forth that

a road has been long since laid out from a point at or near the house of David M Cracken in which Alexander Stacey now lives on the road leading from Wm. Schryvers to Clover Hill School House. to a Public Road near Litz-Bridge which leads to Clearfield Borough being a distance of about one and a half miles more or less which is now become useless inconvenient and burdensome.

and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view and Vacate the same according to law, Report to next term whereupon the Court, upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint C. B. Alexander. H. J. Hoffer. Leander Senning 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 Vacate 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.

Wes 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 ensealing 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.

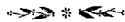
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A. D. 190.....

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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:

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Witness our hands this..... day of..... A. D. 190 ..

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ROAD VIEWERS' NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned Viewers, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield county, Pennsylvania, to view ~~to vacate public~~ Road leading from a point at or near the house of David McClracken in which Alexander Haney now lives on the road leading from W^m Schryvers to Clover Hill School House.

in Lawrence Township, to a public road near Litz's Bridge leading to Clearfield Boro

in Lawrence Township, in the county aforesaid, will meet at the house of David McClracken (now Alexander Haney), in Lawrence Township, on Tuesday, the 24 day of October A. D. 1905, at 9 o'clock A. M., to attend to the duty assigned them, of which time and place aforesaid all parties interested will please take notice.

W. B. Alexander

W. J. Hoffer

L. Denning

Viewers.

Oct. 14, 1905.

service accepted

Oct 14, 1905

County Commission

By H. H. H. H. H.
clerk

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J. Irvin McKee
Elmer Graham

C. B. Alexander
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Elmer Graham Supervisors of
J. Irwin McFee Lawrence Twp.

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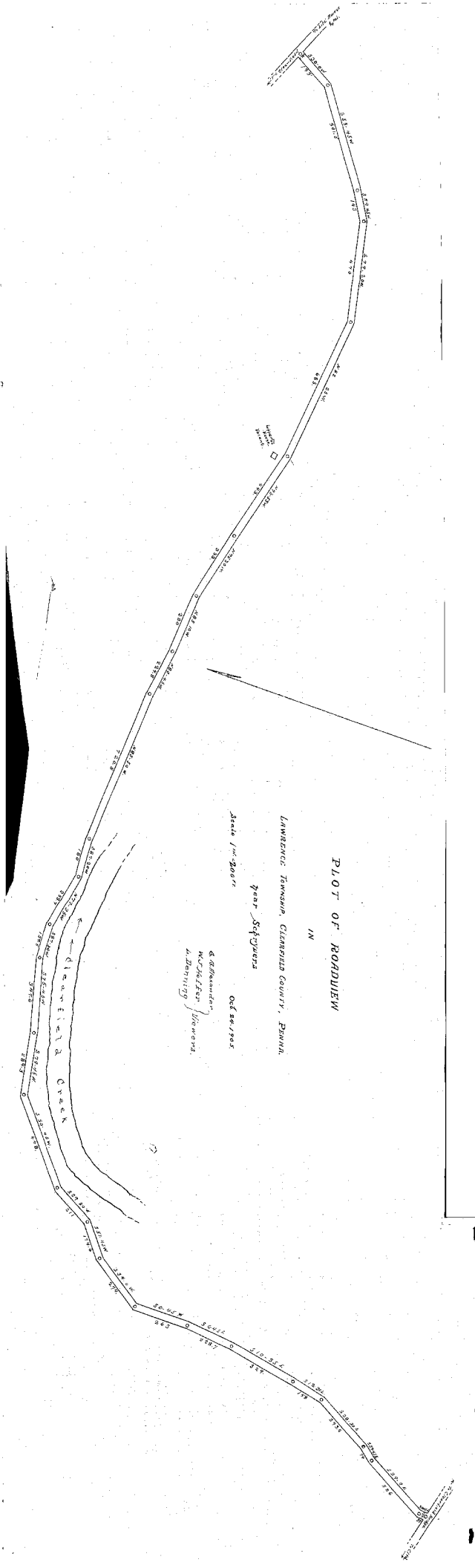
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Oct 14, 1905.

Viewers.

Service Accepted

Property Holders
The Board of Directors



PLOT OF ROADVIEW

IN

LAWRENCE TOWNSHIP CLATSOP COUNTY, OREGON

Schuyler

Donnelly

Oct 22, 1905

W. J. Schuyler

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TO THE HONORABLE ALLISON O. SMITH, PRESIDENT JUDGE OF THE COURT
OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA..

We the undersigned Viewers for ^{vacation of} a Public Road herein mentioned respectfully report that we gave good and lawful notice of said view to the County Commissioners of Clearfield County, to the Supervisors of Lawrence Township, and to property holders along route of said view, and notices were posted in vicinity of view, all according to law, Copies of notices with signatures are herewith attached.

On Tuesday October 24th. A.D., 1905, your Viewers met as appointed and being severally sworn or affirmed, proceeded to receive testimony and to view to vacate Public Road as herein mentioned.

Your Viewers found this road to be and for some years has been practically abandoned by travel, although the road is still passable.

There are two nearly parallel roads one on each side of this road and within a distance of a mile and one-half, not of such good grade, but through more settled districts, by which travellers can reach approximately the same points.

The Supervisors of Lawrence Twp. allege that they have now to many roads in their township to keep them all in good condition, hence their desire to abandon this one which seems at present to be of little if any use.

Very little attention was given this view by the citizens of Lawrence Twp. and no one was present to make any protest against vacating said road.

For the above stated reasons your Viewers would therefore respectfully recommend that this road be vacated beginning

Beginning at a point on the road leading from Clearfield to Litz's Bridge, Thence S. 30-0 W. 193' to point; thence S. 55-45 W. 501.5' to point; thence S. 59-45 W. 143' to point; thence S. 79-20 W. 470' to point; thence N. 82-25 W. 685' to point; thence N. 73-55 W. 443' to point; thence N. 75-30 W. 333' to point; thence N. 85-10 W. 280' to point; thence N. 80-45 W. 224.8' to point; thence N. 85-50 W. 720.8' to point; thence S. 87-20 W. 180' to point; thence N. 77-35 W. 258.7' to point; thence S. 87-50 W. 159.5' to point; thence S. 75-45 W. 347.6' to point; thence S. 79-45 W. 289.3' to point; thence S. 50-45 W. 448' to point; thence S. 29-20 W. 211' to point; thence S. 54-45 W. 174.8' to point; thence S. 34-0 W. 274' to point; thence S. 0-45 W. 263' to point; thence S. 6-45 E. 228.7' to point; thence S. 10-35 E. 329' to point; thence S. 12-30 E. 158' to point; thence S. 28-30 E. 293.2' to point; thence S. 39-45 E. 74' to point; thence S. 29-0 E. 326' to point; thence S. 4-15 E. 37' to point junction with public road leading from Clearfield and Clover Hill School House to Wm. Schryver's. The above Courses and distances being the approximate centre line of roadway presumably of the legal width of 33'. A plot or draft of this road is herewith attached and made a part of this report.

WITNESS our hands this 28th. day of October A.D. 1905.

Viewers.

C. B. Alexander
W. J. Hoffer
L. H. Hoffer

No. 8 Dec Sessions, 1905

ORDER

To view Private a road for Public use in the township of Laurance, Clearfield County.

22 Sessions, 1905, read and confirmed. Ni. Si. Road to be opened 22 feet wide, except where there is side hill cutting or embankment and bridging, there to be 16 feet wide.

Wm. H. Smith
Oct 26, 1905
Confirmed absolutely
by the Court.
W. H. S.

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Fees \$1.25 paid by

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OCT 31 1905
ROLL P. W. GARDNER, CLERK
PROT. CLERK

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.

E. A. Alexander } Days 4 AMOUNT
Miles 5 \$16.50

W. H. Hoffer } Days 1
Miles 5 \$2.50

Leander Dunning } Days 1
Miles 5 \$2.50

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