

No. 8 Sept Term, 1914  
Vacant a Road  
in

VERSUS  
Starhaus  
Belford

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# Clearfield County, Pa:

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Clearfield, held at Clearfield, Pa., in and for said County, on the 18 day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred 14.

Judge of the same Court: Upon the petition of sundry inhabitants of the Township of Karthaus in said County, setting forth that a road long since laid out in said Township of Karthaus leading from or near Salt Lick bridge to intersection of other road leading from Buck place to Belford has become useless and burdensome to the taxpayers of said Township.

and therefore, praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view and lay out the road between the points mentioned, whereupon the Court upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint from and among the County Board of Viewers A.G. Kramer, E.D. Billotte and Harry Reese

who have been duly appointed by the Court and filed their oaths of office and are duly qualified to perform the duties of their appointment with impartiality and according to the best of their judgment, are to view the ground proposed for the said road, and if they view the same, and a majority of the actual viewers agree that there is occasion for such road, they shall proceed to lay out the same, as agreeable to the desire of the petitioner, as may be, having respect to the best ground for a road and the shortest distance, in such a manner as to do the least injury to private property; and shall make report thereof, stating particularly whether they judge the same necessary for a public or private road, together with a plot or draft thereof, and the courses and distances and references to the improvements through which the same may pass; (and wherever practicable, the viewers shall lay out the said road at an elevation not exceeding five degrees, except at the crossing of ravines and streams, when by moderate filling and bridging the declination of the road may be preserved within that limit,) to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for the said County.

And if the viewers aforesaid shall decide in favor of locating a public road, they shall obtain from the persons through whose lands the said road shall pass, releases from any damages that may arise to them on opening the same; but if the owner or owners of such land refuse to release their claim to damages, the said viewers shall assess the same, taking into view the advantages as well as disadvantages arising from said location, and make report of such assessments; which report they shall in like manner transmit to the next Court of Quarter Sessions, with the draft or plot aforesaid. In which said reports they shall state that they have been sworn or affirmed according to law, and that due and legal notice was given of the time when, and place where, they should meet, to view and lay out said road, and the time and place of hearing.

By order of the Court.

*John H. Moore*, Clerk.

# RETURN OF VIEWERS.

To the Honorable the Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace for the County of Clearfield:

We, the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by your Honorable Court by the foregoing order, from and among the County Board of Viewers who have been duly appointed by your Honorable Court and have filed their oaths of office in the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield County, beg leave to report as follows:

That notice of the time of view and of the hearing day was duly served according to law upon the Commissioners of Clearfield County and the Board of Supervisors of the Township of Karthaus and that Three notices thereof were posted along the route of the proposed road, that the said view would be held on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1914, ~~at the Arbitration room in the Court House~~, ~~on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1914, at the Court House~~, ~~the said~~ viewers appointed by the said order viewed ~~the proposed~~ the above mentioned road, and that there were present at the view Fred Barmot one of the Supervisor s of said township. and as such interested in having said road vacated for the benefit of the said township

~~parties in interest. The hearing was held in the Arbitration room in the Court House~~, Clearfield, Pa., on the ~~27th day of July, A. D. 1914, when the following~~ ~~parties in interest were present~~

And That the public hearing supposed to be held in the Arbitration room in the Court House not being considered necessary was therefore dispensed with

After the viewing ~~the~~ above mentioned, the undersigned, ~~the~~ viewers, do agree that there is occasion for a road as desired by the petitioner, and that the same is necessary for a road: And having had respect to the shortest distance and the best ground for such road we have laid out in such manner as shall do the least injury to private property, and as far as practicable agreeably to the desire of the petitioner, and do return for use the following described road, to-wit: Beginning

And that after having been first severly sworn or affirmed according to the requirements of the Act of Assembly, we have viewed the said road and that we are of the opinion that the same has become useless, inconvenient and burdensome and would therefore recommend that the same be vacated as prayed for.

Said road vacated beginning at a point in the public road leading from Pottersdale to Karthaus near where said road leading from Pottersdale to Karthaus crosses Salt Lick Run. Thence running south 49 degrees east 274 feet, thence south 31-1/2 degrees east 100 feet, thence south 20-1/4 degrees, east 300 feet, thence south 10 degrees, east 200 feet, thence south 30-1/4 degrees, east 100 feet, thence south 47 degrees, east 200 feet, thence south 34-3/4 degrees, east 100 feet, thence south 41 degrees, east 200 feet, thence south 50-1/2 degrees, east 200 feet, thence south 46 degrees, east 200 feet thence south 67-1/2 degrees, east 100 feet, thence south 73 degrees, east 100 feet, thence south 69 degrees, east 100 feet, thence south 35-1/2 degrees, east 100 feet, thence south 19 degrees, east 100 feet thence south 20 degrees, west 100 feet, thence south 9 degrees, east 71 feet, thence south 69 degrees, east 387 feet to point in public road leading from Pottersdale to Belford. being the end of said road to be vacated.

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**ORDER:**

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 the 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.

To view and vacate a road for use in the township of Faribault, Clearfield County

	Days.	Miles A.M.T.
A. C. Braemer	2	2 1/3 60
A. J. Reed	2	62 13 10
E. B. Billotte	1	38 6 90

Seventh Session, 1914,  
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.

By 11th Court  
of Clearfield Co.  
9 Sept 1914, certified already  
June 1914, certified long  
ago this day.

Filed 19  
Fees \$1.25 paid by

1914

**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

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. 1911.



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The undersigned further warrant that they endeavored to procure from all the owners of the land X  
and Y and the land and property released by X a writing of all claims to damages that may have accrued  
by opening the same, and that they procured such releases from X.

the following persons having refused to release the damages to which they respectfully may be entitled by the reason of the location and opening of the said road, we, the undersigned viewers, after having considered the advantages to be derived to them do assess them damages and make report thereof as follows:

No person in the opinion of the viewers being damaged by the vacating of said road therefore no damages were assessed.

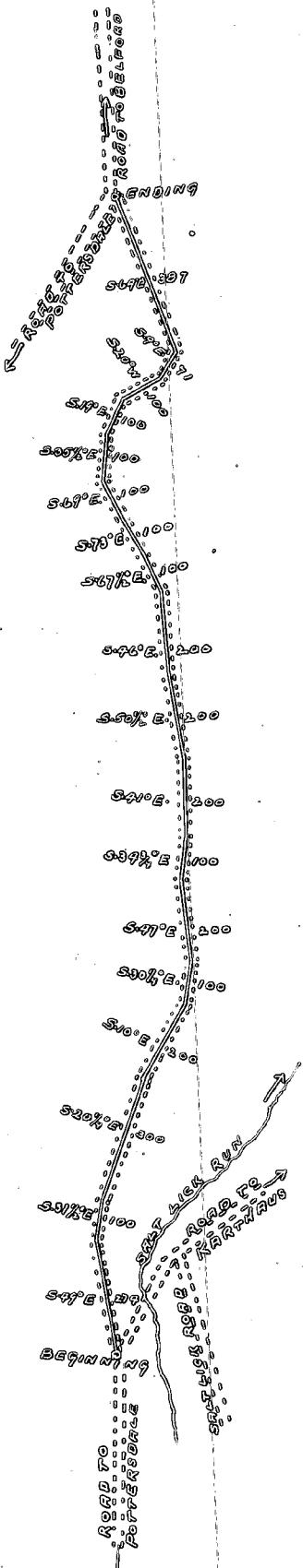
and will herewith furnish you with a copy of the notices.

WITNESS our hands and seals this 30th day of July

A. D. 1914.

A. G. Granger  
T. A. Reese  
E. D. Billotte





DRAFT OF ROAD IN KARRHAUS TWP.  
CLEARFIELD COUNTY PA.  
VACATED JULY 27-1914  
SCALE 1 INCH 2000 FT.

A. G. KRAMER  
H. A. REESE  
E. O. BLODGETTE  
VIEWERS

TO; W. C. Langsford, J. S. Richards and H. L. Bowman.

County Commissioners of Clearfield County Pa.

You are hereby notified, that the undersigned viewers appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County Pa; upon the petition of sundry inhabitants of Karthaus Township, to view and vacate a public road long since laid out in said Township leading from a point near Salt Lick Bridge to intersection of other road leading from Buck place to Belford, in Karthaus Township Clearfield County Pa.

You are therefore hereby notified, that the said viewers will meet to discharge the duties of their appointment, at the Salt Lick Bridge on said road in Karthaus Township on monday July 27th 1914 at two (2) o'clock P M, when and where you may attend if you see proper.

A G Kramer

H A Reesl

E D Billotte

VIEWERS.

Now July 16 1914 service of the above notice accepted.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY PA.

L C Morris

Clerk.

To; William, Zimmerman, Fred, Barmot and John Miller.  
Supervisors of Karthaus Township Clearfield County Pa:  
You are hereby, notified, that the undersigned viewers appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County Pa; upon the petition of sundry inhabitants of Karthaus Township, to view and vacate a public road long since laid out in said Township, leading from a point near Salt Lick Bridge, to intersection of other road leading from Buck place to Belford, in Karthaus Township, Clearfield County Pa.

You are therefore hereby notified, that the said viewers will meet to discharge the duties of their appointment, at the Salt Lick Bridge on said road in Karthaus Township on monday July 27th 1914 at two (2) o'clock P M, when and where you may attend if you see proper.

A G Kramer

A A Reese

ED Billotte

VIEWERS.

Now July 16 1914 served this notice on William, Zimmerman, Fred Barmot and John Miller the Supervisors of Karthaus Township personally by handing each of them a copy of same.

WM Zimmerman

Karthaus Penns April 1914

We the undersigned Supervisors of Karthaus Township hereby waive the service and accept notice of the application of the citizens of Karthaus Township to apply at May term of Court to vacate the following roads. in said Township .- viz one leading from <sup>near</sup> ~~intersection near~~ Salt Lick to Belford.- One <sup>old</sup> road leading from a point at or near the Herbert Hartlein place to what is known as the Godfrey Fisher farm and the third one from the village of Pottersdale to a point at or near the Quay Conoway's place .- Known as the Israel Conoway Road

W. W. Zimmerman <sup>As</sup>

Fred. Banot <sup>See</sup>

John L. Miller

May 18<sup>th</sup> 1914

Service accepted for County  
County Commissioners,

L. L. Stover

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In the Court of Quater Sessions of Clearfield Co

To the Honorable the Judge of said Court.-

We the undersigned citizens of Karthaus Township respectfully represent that a road long since laid out in said Township of Karthaus leading from Salt Lick to ~~the~~ <sup>new bridge, intersection of other</sup> road leading from Buck place to Belford) has become useless and burdensome to the taxpayers of said Township. - They therefore respectfully pray your Honorable Court to appoint viewers to view and vacate the same .-

And they will ever pray & c

*W. Zimmerman*

*Fred. Barnat*  
*John L Miller*  
*B.P. Gilliland*  
*F. B. Evans*

*Frank Michaels*  
*E. L. Cole*  
*J.M. McCloskey*  
*R. S. Schubers*  
*Gilbert Moore*

*A. S. Moore*

*A. S. Rauch*

*Matthew Purkee*

*W. J. Kapp*

*E. K. Foster*

*Frank A. Lauterol*

*D. J. Moore*

Areh Miller  
Wm. Schwartz  
J. L. Morris  
J P Ranch  
J. A. Heickel  
~~J. S. Barnes~~  
A. B. Barnes  
D. M. Simpson  
Chas E. Stiner  
Myron Williams  
I. S. J. legal  
W. Holman  
J. W. Reese  
H. F. Mawhorter  
C. H. Frontenay  
G. J. Rougery  
John Schmarr  
H. G. Gileland  
J. Schmarr

8 Decr. D 1914

Road in Kathau 1914

Now 18 May 1914, the  
lithia concession and  
G. G. Kramer, G. O. Philatt  
etc. my lease unexpired  
desire to view the road  
and report to the Kathau  
High Commissioner

By the Comr.  
Surveyor  
P.S.