

DOCKET No. 6

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Petition to vacate road in  
covington Twp near D. T. Guenot

**Versus**

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To the Hon. A. R. Chase, President Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County:-

The petition of the undersigned Supervisors of Covington Township respectfully represents:

That a certain public road in said Township, leading from a point at or near the residence of D. T. Guenot, to a point at or near the mouth of Sandy Run in Covington Township, of about four miles in length, has become useless, is untravelled and its maintenance is burdensome upon the Township.

Your petitioners therefore pray that viewers may be appointed to vacate said road.

And they will ever pray, etc.

W. E. Conaway  
Joseph Sayers  
A. S. Viard

SUPERVISORS OF COVINGTON TOWNSHIP.

CLEARFIELD COUNTY, : SS

A. G. VIARD, one of the above named petitioners, being duly sworn according to law, says that the facts set forth in the foregoing petition are true and correct, as he verily believes.

: A. G. Viard

Sworn to and subscribed before:  
me this 10<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1925:

F. J. Ligey:  
F. J. Ligey

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we W. E. Conaway and Joseph Sayers, and A. G. Vizard, are held and firmly bound under the County of Clearfield, Pennsylvania, in the sum of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) lawful money of the United States, to which payment well and truly to be made, we do bind ourselves, our and each of our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seal and dated this 10 day of January, A. D. 1925.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County by the Supervisors of Covington Township, asking for the appointment of viewers to vacate a public road in Covington Township, leading from a point at or near the residence of D. T. Guenot, to a point at or near the mouth of Sandy Run in Covington Township, of about four miles in length.

The condition of this obligation is such that if the above bounden, in the event that said vacation proceedings are dismissed, shall at all times save and keep harmless the County of Clearfield from costs and expenses relating thereto, then this obligation to be void, or else to be and remain in full force and virtue.

A. G. Vizard (SEAL)

WITNESS:

W. E. Conaway (SEAL)

Joseph Sayers (SEAL)

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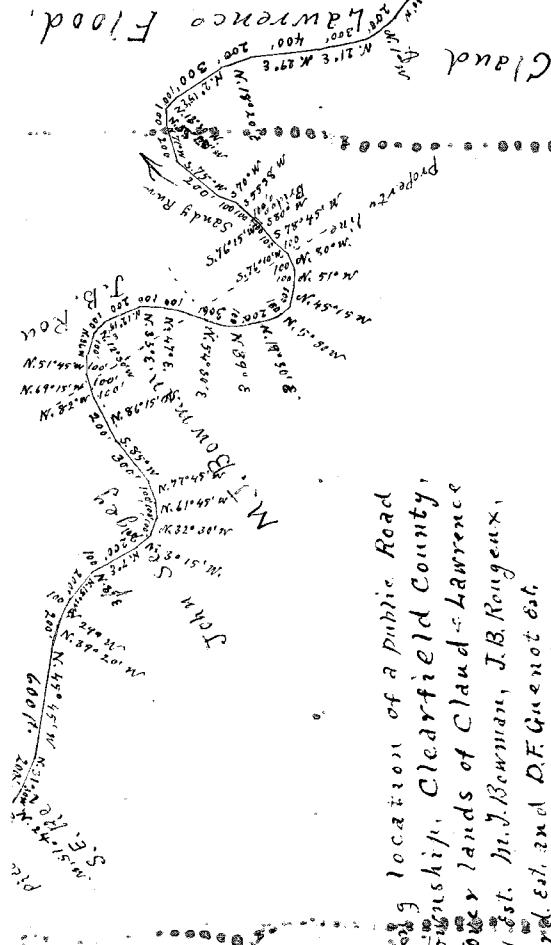
PETITION FOR VACATION OF  
ROAD IN COVINGTON TOWNSHIP  
LEADING FROM A POINT AT OR  
NEAR THE RESIDENCE OF D.T.  
GUENOT TO A POINT AT OR  
NEAR THE MOUTH OF SANDY RUN

Mr. John H. Miller, within peti-  
tion presented and E. D. Miller  
John Scobles - E. D. Miller  
George H. Wecker  
are appointed viewers to  
view and proposed route  
or report.

By the Comr  
P. M. Hart  
Feb 2-1925  
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ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
CLEARFIELD, PA.

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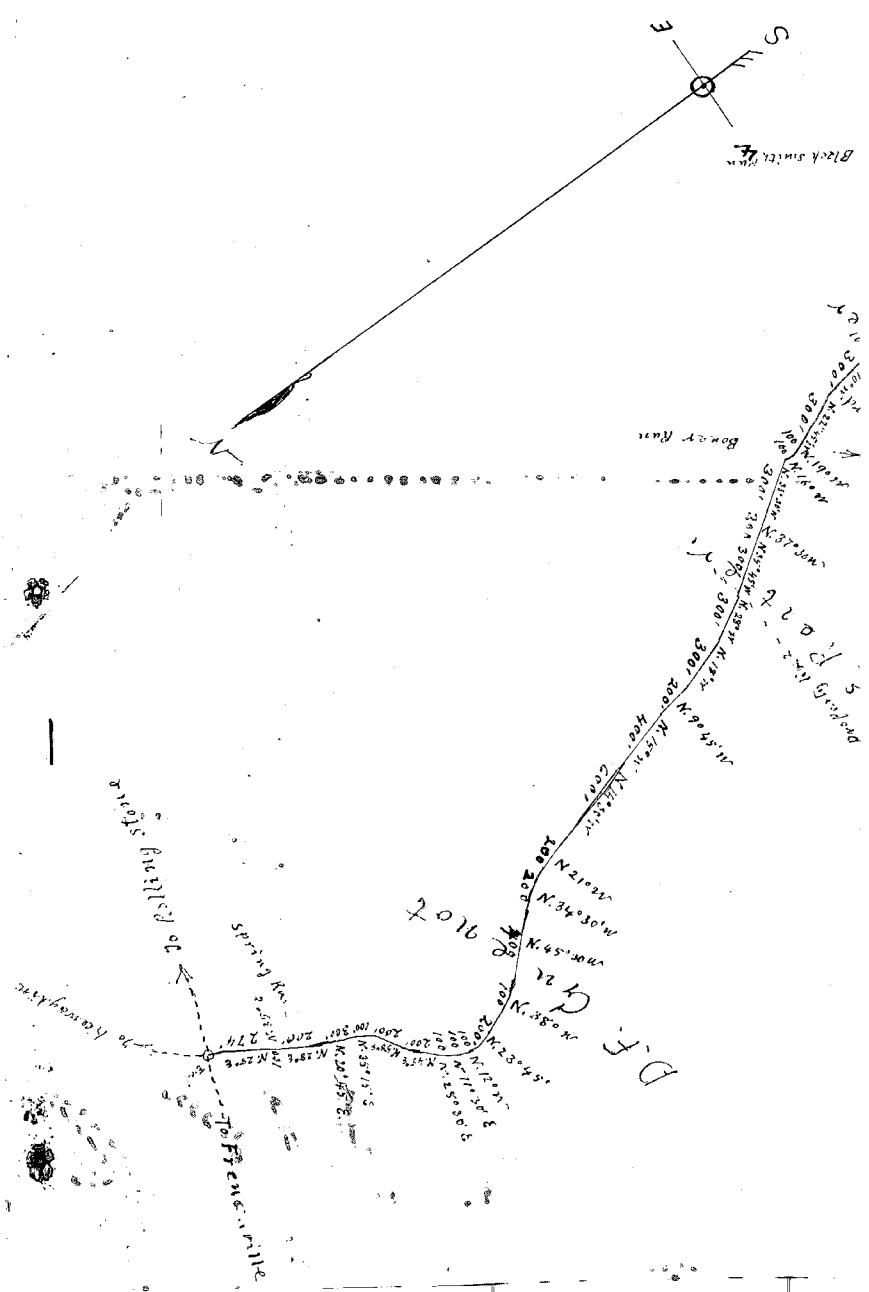
Draft showing location of a Public Road  
in Corrington Township, Caledonia County,  
Pennsylvania, over lands of Claude Lawrence  
Flood, John Sergey, Mr. J. Bowman, J. B. Rongoux,  
S. E. Ritter, J. Picard, et al. D. F. Giennot est.  
Viewed to be located March 23rd, A.D. 1925  
John Scollins, { viewers  
E. D. Billiot, {  
Geo. K. Weber {

Scale 1" to 100'

At. & J. 55. 1925.

West Branch of Susquehanna River

N. J. C. R.R.



TO: THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CLEARFIELD COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned viewers, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County, Pennsylvania, to No. 8 February Sessions, 1925, to view and vacate a certain public road in ~~south~~ <sup>the</sup> Township of Covington, leading from a point at or near the residence of D. T. Guenot, to a point at or near the mouth of Sandy Run in Covington Township, of about four miles in length, will meet at the ~~house of~~ <sup>Mouth of</sup> ~~Sandy Run~~ <sup>D. T. Guenot</sup> in said Township on Monday, the 23rd day of March, A.D. 1925 at twelve-thirty (12:30) o'clock P. M., to attend to the duties assigned them; all parties interested will take notice.

And that the public hearing as required by Act of Assembly and Rules of Court to be held by the viewers before the filing of their report in Court in order to give all parties interested in the said road an opportunity to be heard will be held in the Arbitration Room in the Court House in Clearfield on Thursday <sup>26th</sup> ~~Wednesday~~, the ~~25th~~ day of March, A.D. 1925, at two (2) o'clock P. M., at which time and place all parties interested may attend and be heard.

John Scallion  
E. D. Billotte  
Geo. T. Weber  
Viewers

March 4th, 1925

Now, March 7 1925, Service of the above Notice is accepted for the Commissioners of Clearfield County.

L. C. Morris  
Clerk

TO: A. G. VIARD, JOSEPH SAYERS, and W. E. CONOWAY,  
Supervisors of Covington Township, Clearfield County, Pennsylvania:

You are hereby notified that the undersigned  
viewers, appointed by the Court of Common Pleas of Clearfield  
County, Pennsylvania, to be, on February 26th, 1925, to view  
and examine a certain public road in ~~the~~ Township of Covington,  
leaving from a point at or near the residence of W. E. Conoway,  
to a point to or near the mouth of Sandy Run in Covington Township,  
of about four miles in length, will meet at the Meeting  
Sandy in said Township on ~~Friday~~, the ~~25th~~ day of March,  
A.D. 1925 at twelve-thirty (12:30) o'clock . . . to, to attend to  
the duties required ther; all parties interested will take  
notice.

And that the public hearing as required by the  
Court and rules of Court to be held by the viewers before  
the filing of their report in Court in order to give all parties  
interested in the said road an opportunity to be heard will be  
held in the courtroom upon in the Court House in the said ~~on~~ on  
~~Wednesday~~, the ~~25th~~ day of March, A.D. 1925, at the (3) o'clock  
A.M., at which time you are all parties interested my attention  
will be heard.

John Scallion  
E. J. Billotte  
Geo. K. Weber  
Viewers

March 4th, 1925.

Now, March 12<sup>th</sup> 1925, service of the above Notice is  
accepted for the Supervisors of Covington Township.

W. E. Conaway  
A. G. Viard  
Joseph Sayers

CLEARFIELD COUNTY, SS.:

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Clearfield, Pa., held at Clearfield, Pa., in and for said County, on the 2nd day of Febrary in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty five

By the Honorable Singleton Bell, President Judge of the said Court: Upon the petition of ~~sandax~~ Supervisors ~~members~~ of the Township of Covington, in the County aforesaid setting forth that a certain public road in said township, leading from a point at or near the residence of D. T. Guenot, to a point at or near the mouth of Sandy Run in Covington Township, of about four miles in length, has become useless, is untraveled and its maintenance is burdensome upon the township

and, therefore, praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view and vacate said road between the points mentioned, whereupon the said Court, upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and ap-

point from and among the County Board of Viewers John Scollins, E. D. Billotte

and Geo. K. Weber who have been duly appointed by the said Court on the

County Board of Viewers, and filed their oaths of office in the office of the Court of Common Pleas of the County aforesaid, as required by law and are, therefore, duly qualified to perform the duties of their appointment, with impartiality and according to the best of their judgment; are to view the said road, and after having viewed the same, if they, or a majority of them, do agree that there is no necessity for said road, they shall proceed to vacate the same as agreeably to the desire of the petitioners as may be, and make report thereof to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held in and for said County, stating particularly whether there is any necessity for said road, or whether the same should be vacated; and the reason why, together with a plot, or draft, thereof showing the courses and distances with reference to the improvements through which said road passes.

And in case the viewers aforesaid shall decide in favor of vacating said road, they shall obtain from the persons through whose lands the said road passes, or otherwise affected, or damaged, by the vacating of said road, releases from whatever damage they may sustain by the vacation of said road; and in case the owners of such lands, or persons affected, thereby refuse to release their claim to damages, the said Viewers shall assess the same, taking into consideration the advantages, as well as the disadvantages, arising from the vacation of said road; and make report of such assessment; 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 the place where they would meet, to view said road and the time and place of hearing.

By order of the Court:

*Geo W Palastus*  
Clerk.

RETURN OF VIEWERS.

TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGE OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF THE PEACE, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLEARFIELD, PA.

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 the 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 , and that notices thereof were posted along the route of the said road to be vacated, that the said view would be held on the

day of , A. D. 19 , and that the public hearing, as required by the Act of Assembly, and the Rules of Court, would be held in the Arbitration Room in the Court House, in Clearfield.

Pa., on the day of A. D., 19 , at o'clock M., and that said Viewers, appointed by the said order, viewed the road desired to be vacated, and that there were present at the view .....

parties interested, either in favor of or against vacating said road. And that the aforesaid hearing was held in the Arbitration Room in the Court House, in Clearfield, Pa., on the day of ,

A. D. 19 , when the parties interested in the said road were in attendance: .....

And that after the view and hearing above mentioned, the undersigned Viewers do agree that said road has , become useless, inconvenient and burdensome .....

and that a plan, or draft, of said road to be vacated showing the courses and distances, and over whose property the said road passes, is hereto attached and made a part hereof.

~~The undersigned Viewers further report that they endeavored to procure from all parties affected by the vacation of said road, or over whose properties said road passes, or in any way damaged by the vacation of said road, a release in writing of all claims to damages that may arise from the vacation thereof, and that they procured such release from:~~

And that the following persons having, in the opinion of the Viewers, been damaged by the vacation of said road, and having refused to release the damages to which they may be respectively entitled to by reason of the vacation, and closing up 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:

and we herewith return releases obtained, and copy of the notices.

Witness our hands and seals this

day of , A. D. 19

*John Meekins* ..... [SEAL.]

*E. W. Billotte* ..... [SEAL.]

*Geo. W. Taylor* ..... [SEAL.]

Viewers.

No. 8 Feb Term 19 25

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*ORDER TO VACATE*

To view and vacate road situate  
in the Township of Covington

## Clearfield County.

Now May Sessions 1925

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Now ~~See~~ 85 Sessions 1925

By the Court

St. Thomas  
P.J.

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Fees \$1.25 paid by

Hartswick, Arnold & Platt. Attys.

