

No. 1 January Term 1873

Public Road

1882

Lawrence, I. R.

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Too Shabby to Donate

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Lawrence

Begins at top road
leaving from left
to Ross Avenue to
the turnpike

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To the Honorable the Justices of the Court
of Quarter Sessions &c of Clearfield
County

The undersigned respectfully represent
that they labour under great incon-
venience for want of a public Road
in the Township of Lawrence and
County of Clearfield, leading from
a point on the Snow-Shoe & Laclede
ville Turnpike Road at or near
the North East corner of the old
yard; thence along or near the line
of the same to a point at or near
where the Clearfield Borough Line
crosses the Township Road leading
from the Borough of Clearfield to &
past Robert Ovens Community known
as the Ovens Road.

Your Petitioners therefore pray that
Surveyor may be appointed to view
and lay out said Road and they
will ever pray &c.

Jacob A. Haas
E. C. Johnson
J. F. Mitchell
Newton Read
W. W. McEuenagh
William Tucker
A. G. Kramer

W. B. Brown
J. A. Chapman
~~O. B. Merrell~~

~~Report of the
Belvoir Fox & Fox
Co Road leading
from the Snow-shoe
to Rockwood Inn
pile Road at corner
the N.W. End corner
of the Snow-shoe
to the River Road,~~
no. 1 Lang Co.

20th January, 1873 One
application special
privilege is granted
on the exec^u doc^s.
John C. Smith Jacob Johnson
& Isaac Johnson are appointed
treas^{rs} of the
First

order to city, 18 Feb 1913

Barnett

Road Viewers' Report.

CLEARFIELD COUNTY, SS:

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Clearfield, held at Clearfield, in and for said county, on the 20 day of January, A. D. 1873, before the Judges of the said Court, upon the petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of Lawrence & Clearfield, in said county, setting forth that they labor under great inconvenience for the want of a road or highway, leading from a point on the Snow Shoe and Packerill Turnpike road at or near the north - east corner of the old grave yard thence along or near the line of the same to a point at or near where the Clearfield Borough line crosses the Road leading from Clearfield to Rott Owens.

Report as to damages

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

John L. Cuttle, Jacob Shunkweiler & A. J. Johnston

who, after being respectively sworn or affirmed to perform the duties of their appointment with impartiality and fidelity, are to view the ground proposed for said road; and if any two of them agree that there is occasion for such road, they shall proceed to lay out the same, as agreeably to the desire of the petitioners as may be, having respect for the best ground for a road, and the shortest distance, in such 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, with reference to the improvements through which it may pass, to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for said county. In which report they shall state that they have been sworn or affirmed according to law.

BY THE COURT.

H. G. Gates
Clerk Quarter Sessions.

No. 1, May, 88, 1873

Order to view and lay
out public road in
Lawrence Co.

\$125 paid by G.R. Bennett
18 Feb 1873

P.C. Gates

Report filed 17 Mar 73

Harvey

P. S. C. Gated

date

John Johnson

John Shunkula

Compared on 17 March 1873
and found to be well
constructed except that the
stone bridge & rock creek is
more than twice the span
exceeding the bridge of
Rock Creek May 1873

Observations annexed

Sept 17, viewers on
James Allred's

Robert C. Gated

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the County of Clearfield.

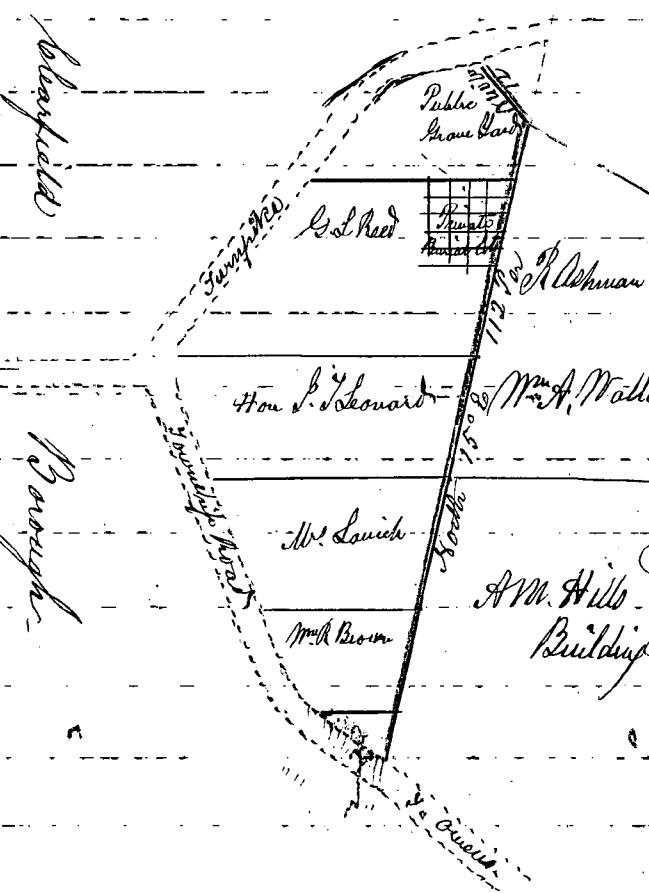
The undersigned viewers appointed in the order hereto annexed.

Respectfully Report. That having first given due and timely notice of the time and place of the meeting of the viewers, by advertisements put up in public places for more than five days before making the view, and having been first duly sworn they all met upon the ground, and having examined the ground proposed for said road, they proceeded to lay out the same by the following courses and distances viz. Beginning at the edge of township road between lands of Caspar Seipoldt, and town lots laid out by A.M. Hills. (said township road leading from Clearfield to Rott Avenue) thence between the said lots, and other outlots, North $15\frac{3}{4}^{\circ}$ East one hundred and twelve paces to the South east corner of Public Grave Land, and thence by outer edge of Grave Land North forty degrees West between Grave Land, and Dray's lot, twelve paces to Turnpike, which road they believe to be necessary, and they return the same for Public use, a plot or draught of which is hereto annexed.

John S. Crotell

Carroll Harwickler

Isaac Johnson



And we assess Twenty Dollars for damages to said Dray.

Carroll Harwickler
Isaac Johnson

John S. Crotell

A.M. Hills And now June 2nd 1873 by leave of Court the viewers are allowed to assess the damages in this case at Eighty Dollars.

John S. Crotell
Isaac Johnson

Mon May 29 A.D. 1873. M. B. McNally & Mr. Murphy, Atty's for
Mary Jane Ashman & Richard Ashman her husband
except to the confirmations of the within report for the
following reasons viz:

1. Because the Report does not show that notice in accordance with the Act of Assembly was given of the time and place of holding the view.
2. Because the notice of time & place of view, to selected land owners along the line of view, required by Rule of Court Ch. 147 was not given.
3. Because Isaac Johnson one of the named witnesses is a petitioner for the road within reported.
4. Because of other illegalities and irregularities in the view and report.
5. Because at January depositions, 1873, witness reported in against the road upon which view it is the duty of the Court to act and this second view for the same road is improper and illegal until the former report is legally adjudicated and disposed of.
6. Because the report does not show any consideration or offsetment of damages in regard to the lands of Mrs. Ashman and of other owners of selected lands.

McNally & Murphy
Atty's for Mary &
& Richard Ashman