

To the Judges of the court of
quarter Sessions of the Peace in the within or
annexed order named.

We the subscribers, the persons
appointed by said court to view and lay out
the road therein named or mentioned report that
public notice having been given by written ad-
vertisements of the time and that having been
first severally sworn or affirmed in the man-
ner and form prescribed by the said order that
all of said viewers to wit S. W. Miller, Jacob
Singer and Jacob Shaffer met at the time
and place advertised and having viewed the ground
for the proposed change in said road and all of
said viewers concurring and agreeing do vacate and
supply the following part of said road to wit and now
return the same for public use Beginning on a road on
the south side of the farm of John Shaffer dec'd thence
along a line of Jacob Shaffer and David Shaffer
North thirty one and one fourth degrees East twenty five
and one half perches in said road thence along said
road North forty degrees West twenty nine perches in
said road near Jacob Shaffer's Barn. And in our
opinion the balance of said road on the farm of
John Shaffer dec'd is supplied by another road
leading to the public road near the school house by
a shorter way. We therefore vacate that part leading
from Jacob Shaffer's Barn North thirty six and a
half degrees East one hundred and twenty nine
perches to a public road And the said viewers
have procured release from Jacob Shaffer and
David Shaffer the only persons through whose

over

land the part vacated and supplied passes from all damages accruing to them. Their Releases accompanying this Report

With reference to improvements through which the said road passes and the road vacated a Plot or draft is hereto annexed.

Witness our hands and seals this third day of March A.D. 1877

Viewers Bill

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|---------------|-------|--------|
| S. W. Miller | 1 day | \$4.00 |
| Jacob Singer | " | 2.00 |
| Jedock Kohler | " | 2.00 |

S. W. Miller sur. *[Signature]*
 Jacob Singer *[Signature]*
 Jedock Kohler *[Signature]*

Report of Viewers

appointed to locate and supply a portion of a public road leading from the White Brethren church in Gommersburg township to Mineral Point

Certified to Commissioners
12 March 1877

Filed & recorded

McLaughlin

3rd April 1877 read & confirmed this and road as far as supplied is ordered to be opened 30 feet wide
By Authority

10. July 1877 Confirmed absolutely.
By the Comrs.

the same with a Pet or Draft as well of the part
of said road vacated, as the part supplied. In
which report they shall state whether they now own
or afford, and also whether they judge the part of
said road supplied necessary for a Public or
Private Road.

By the Comr.

P. M. Colgan, Clerk.

1874

Order to Miss Waco's Bank

Supply a portion of the Cash to be
drawing from a fund at the bank
The bank should be drawn on at least,
4th - One six and at others 2 first

Received of Mr. J. B. 1874
in Cash \$1000.00
No 271. P. M. : 1874

Tennis,

St. W. Miller
Cashier
Bank of St. Louis.

Waco 1874 90

Waco 1874

Cambria County ss.

At a Court of General Quarter Sessions
of the Peace held at Elms. by and
for said County on the 6th day of February
A. D. 1877. Before the Honorable John Dean
President Jnd. q. and John Blanagan and John D. Thomas
Esqrs. Assessors Judges.

The Petition of Certain Citizens of Cambria
County in said County was presented setting forth that
a Publick road, Beginning at a point near the
United Brethren Church known as the Crown Church
in Cambria County, and running to a Quaker
road at Mineral Point was opened by the Court and
laid out and opened in the year 1865. That
that part of said road, to wit, the part passing through
the farm of the late John Schaff, decayed for a
distance of about one hundred and fifteen feet
has become useless, inconvenient and burdensome.

The Petitioner therefore pray the Court to appoint proper
Persons to enquire of and vacate and supply the part
of said road above described.

The Court upon due consideration of the
premises do order and appoint S. W. Miller, Jacob
Singer and Goddard Kohler to view the road proposed
to be vacated. Who after first being duly sworn shall
appear to discharge the duties of their appointment
with fidelity shall proceed to view the same.

And if all the Viewers Appointed View the same
and a majority of said Viewers Agree that there is
occasion to Vacate and Supply the road aforesaid
They shall proceed to do so, As agreeably to the
desire of the petitioners As may be, having regard
to the best ground for a road and the shortest
distances and in such manner as to do
the least injury to private property. The persons interested
in said road, having previously given public notice by
printed or written advertisements of the time and place
when the said Viewers shall meet for the purpose
of locating and Supplying said road at least ten
days before such meeting.

If the Viewers aforesaid shall decide
upon Vacating and Supplying said road it is hereby
made their duty to obtain from the persons through
whose lands the road supplied may pass releases
from any damages that may arise to them in
opening the same: And in any case when the
owners of such land refuse releasing their claim
to damages the said Viewers shall assess the
damages and make reports thereof signed by a
majority of the Viewers present, and transmit the
same together with all releases to the next Court
of Quarter Sessions to be held within the proper County
or said road. And the said Viewers shall make
report of their proceedings herein to the next Court of
Quarter Sessions to be held for said County, accompanying

The undersigned Property holders along or ad-
joining the road leading from a point
in the road on line of Henry Shaffer to the
road again

herby release, relinquish, discharge and quit
claim the County of Cambria and all other
parties or persons, of and from all and every
claim or demand for damages for or on
account of the laying out, opening, and
making the said road whether the same
accrued to us or either of us and both jointly
and severally.

Witness our hands and seals.

David J. Shaffer
Jacob J. Shaffer

