

Exceptions to the Report of the Viewers, laying out the Road, to begin at or near the Beulah Bridge in Cambria Township, and to end at a point at or near the No. 2 School House on the Johnstown Road in Blacklick Township: confirmed vide January 3, 1883.

1st The said report is illegal and void because the said proceedings show, that Isaac Mahan, is a land owner, through, along, and over whose land said road is laid out, was one of the viewers of said road, who acted in attempting and pretending to lay out and locate said road, and to accommodate the same as necessary for public use, and to be made and opened at the public expense.

2^d That said road if confirmed could not be opened without greater expense, than would be reasonable and right to impose upon the people of the township through which the same passed.

3. That said proposed road is unnecessary to accommodate the public; there being already sufficient public roads in this vicinity for this purpose.

M. M. Reade

Barnhis County 5.5
 Lewis P. Rankin Army early American Bank
 that the fact. At first in the morning or evening or just and
 true as he nearly believed
 Justice to and distinguished before
 me this 12th day of Feb. 1853.
 Lewis P. Rankin
 John & Mary
 Ch. 2. 5.

Ex returned to the Report
 of present laying out
 the road to begin at or near
 the Public Bridge via
 Cambria Township, and to
 end at or near at or near
 the N. 2. School House on the
 Johnston Road in New York
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Filed July 12. 1853

Rankin

To the Honorable, the Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County, Penna

The petitioners of ^{Citizens of Cambria and Blacklick townships} the undersigned respectfully represent: That they labor under inconvenience for want of a public road, to begin at or near the Peulah Bridge in Cambria township, and to end at a point at or near the Number 1 School House on the Johnstown road in Blacklick township.

The petitioners therefore pray the Court to appoint three persons qualified according to law, to view the ground proposed for such road, and if they see occasion, lay out the same, etc.

And they will ever pray,

Names

- William Walters
- Elisha Abraham
- E. W. Berkeley
- John Davis
- Moses Davis
- David Davis
- Jefferson Rowland

Names

- G. V. Lloyd
- Elias Rowland
- James E. Royland
- W. L. Makin
- J. G. Davis
- O. M. Jones
- R. D. Davis
- Wm. Cunningham

1882

Petition of citizens of Blacklist
and Carrolltownship for the
appointment of messrs to
a road from Blacklist Bridge in
Carrolltownship to no 2 bridge
in Blacklist township

Sept 24 1882

Answer appointed

Mr J Lloyd

Stinson Black

John Mahan

By the court

Filed Oct. 24 1882

Order to view granted

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In the Honorable Judges of the Court held at
 Ebensburg, for the County of Cambria, State of Pennsyl-
 vania. We, the subscribers, persons appointed by order
 of said court, to view and lay out a ^{road} firm or near the Beulah
 Bridge in Cambria Township, to a point at or near number 2
 School House on the Johnstown road Blacklick Township; do respectfully
 report, that, after giving due & legal notice of the time and
 place of meeting; we met at Beulah Bridge on Monday the 13th day of
 November A.D. 1882. And having been duly qualified according to law
 believing your petitioners were laboring under great inconvenience for
 want of a public road, we in pursuance of said order obtained release
 from persons through whose lands the road runs, viz, Robert D. Davis, G. F. Sloyd,
 J. G. Davis, M. S. Mahan and Isaac Mahan, and viewed the ground and laid
 out a public road beginning 8 fathoms west of the Beulah Bridge, running
 North 13^o along private road 9 fms. Thence along same road, N 2^o W 16 fms. Thence
 along same road, N 12^o E 20 fms. Thence, along same road, N 3^o W 42 fms., Thence N 45^o W
 along same private road, 66 fms. to R. D. Davis Lane, Thence, through said Davis' Sugar Camp,
 N 40^o W 61 fms., Thence, along private road, N 38^o W 22 fms., Thence, N 12^o W through G. F. Sloyd's
 Lane, 30 fms., Thence N 37^o W, running between barn and wagon shed, 9 fms., Thence N 12^o W 18 fms.
 through corner of G. F. Sloyd's field, Thence N 57^o W, G. F. Sloyd's lane, 23 fms., Thence N 67^o W along same lane
 to J. G. Davis bars 49 fms., Thence same course through J. G. Davis field 32 fms. making 81 fms
 as indicated on draft, Thence N 80^o W 23 fms. Thence S 67^o W 11 fms. to lane on S side of
 house, Thence, N 87^o W, along private road 18 fms. Thence S 73^o W 13 fms., Thence S 43^o W 28, Thence S 53^o W 41 fms, Thence
 S 85^o W 42, Thence N 66^o W 8 fms. to old state road, Thence N 66^o W, along old road, 46 fms., Thence N 68^o W through M.
 S. Mahan's land, 94 fms., Thence N 19^o W 16 fms., Thence N 56^o W 96 fms. Thence N 62^o W along old state road 24 fms.
 Thence N 37^o W 17 fms., Thence N 20^o W 20 fms. Thence N 15^o W 47 fms. to Township road, Thence S 5^o W along said
 Township road 70 fms., Thence N 11^o W along same road, 40 fms., Thence N 37^o W on same road, 29 fms. to
 Johnstown road near to number 2 School house Blacklick Township the
 place designated in Order of Court. and do recommend the same to be opened
 for public use. With this report we give a plot or draft of said road

November 14, A.D. 1882

W. S. Sloyd	} 2 days, 2 miles	
E. F. Black		} 1 day, 3 miles
J. G. Mahan		

Chain carriers furnish Sloyd & W. Jones, each one day
 Ass-man G. F. Sloyd — — — — — one day

RELEASES.

We, the subscribers, owners of lands through which the road above referred to will pass, hereby release all claims to damages that may arise from the opening of the same.

Witness our hands and seals, the.....day of..... in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

Sealed and delivered in
presence of us.

E. L. Black
Asaac Nelson
W. S. Lloyd

Robert J. Dand [SEAL]
G. J. Lloyd [SEAL]
J. B. Davis [SEAL]
M. L. Martin [SEAL]
J. W. Marshall [SEAL]

Black Creek
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Robert S. Davis
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Sugar Camp
Scholar
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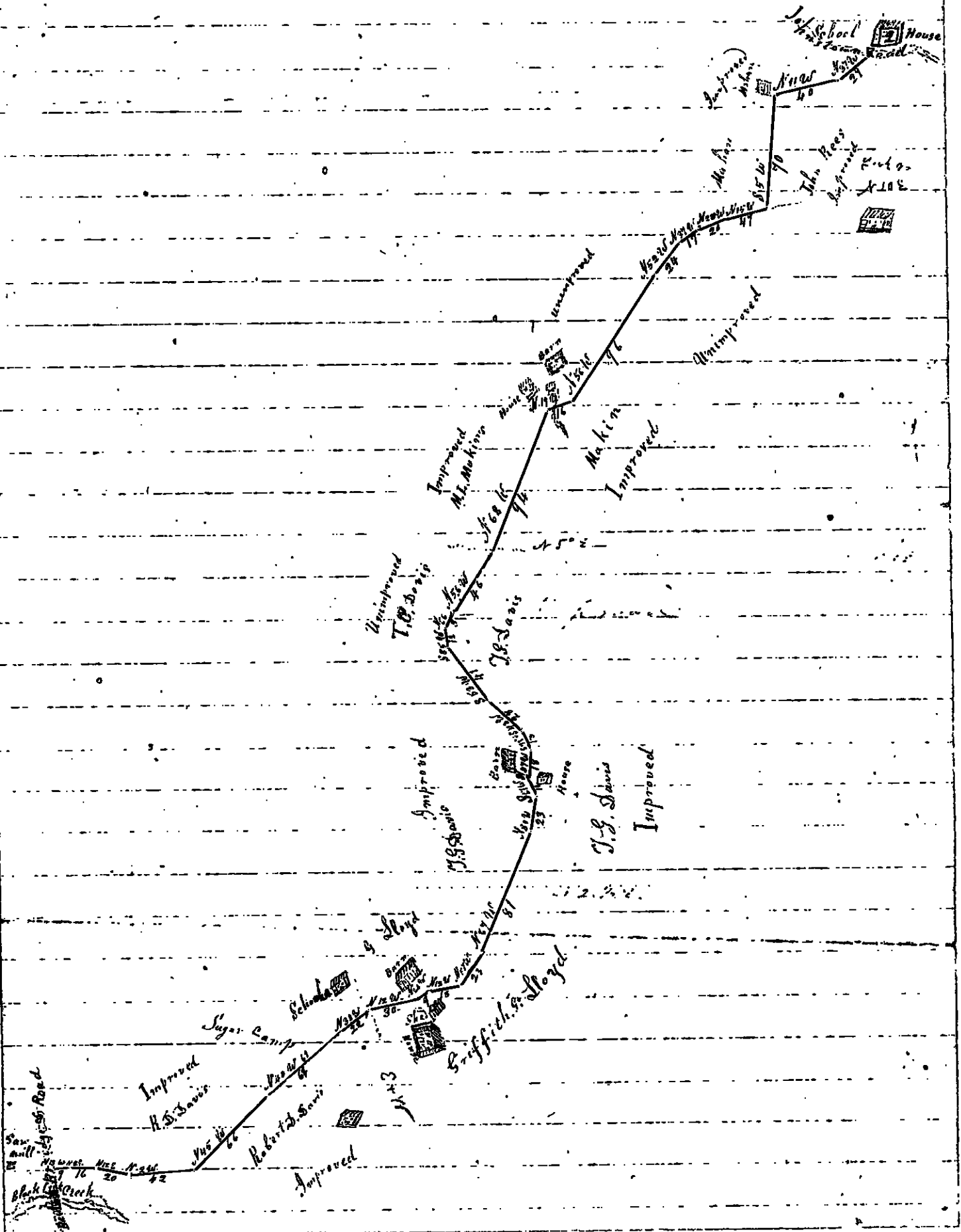
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Cambria County, 55:

At a Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
held at Chambersburg in and for said County, on
Tuesday the 24th day of October a.d. 1882 before
the Honorable Judges of said Court: The petition of
sundry citizens of Cambria and Blacklick Townships
in said County was presented, representing that they labor under
great inconvenience for want of a public road, "to begin at or near
the Coulch Bridge in Cambria Township, and to end at or point
at or near the Number 2 School House, on the Johnstown road,
in Blacklick Township," and therefore praying the Court to appoint
proper persons to view and lay out the same according to law.
The Court upon due consideration had of the premises appointed
W. S. Lloyd, Ferguson Black and Isaac Michael to view the ground
proposed for said road, who, after having first given due and legal
notice by printed or written advertisements of the time and place of
meeting, and having been duly qualified according to law, to discharge
the duties of their appointment with fidelity, shall proceed to view
the same, and if all of said viewers view the same, and a majority
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 to the best ground for a road, and the
shortest distance, and in such manner as to do the least
injury to private property. If the viewers aforesaid shall decide in
favor of locating said road, it is hereby made their duty to
obtain from persons through whose lands the same may pass,
releases from any damages that may accrue to them from opening
the same, and in every case, when the owners of such lands refuse
releasing their claims for damages, the said viewers shall assess the
damages, if any, and make report thereof signed by a majority
of the viewers present.
And the said viewers shall make report of their proceedings

1 Present, to the next Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be
2 held for said County, together with a plot or draft of said road,
3 the courses and distances, and references to the improvements
4 through which the same may pass, also, all releases, and amount
5 of damages assessed, if any, and whether they judge said road
6 necessary for Public or Private Use; and in which report, they
7 shall state distinctly, that they had been sworn or affirmed
8 according to Law.

9 By the Court
10 John C. Gates, Clerk

17 Order to view and lay out
18 a road to begin at or near
19 the South Bridge in Cambria
20 Township, and to end at a
21 point at or near the No. 2
22 School House on the Johnstown
23 Road, in Blacklick Township.

24 Viewers
25 Mrs. A. Lloyd
26 August Black
27 Isaac Mohan

28 Filed Jan'y 3, 1883
29 July 12, 1883 Exc. pro file
30 Black Books # 75
31 Paid by M.D. Mitchell Exp.
32 Jan'y 12, 1883 Recd. out
33 J. C. Gates

1882

34 January 3, 1883 Read and confirmed
35 the above order to be opened thirty feet
36 wide.
37 By the Court
38 John C. Gates, Clerk
39 July 12, 1883 Exc. pro file
40 July 11, 1883 Continued
41 By the Court
42 John C. Gates, Clerk