

Cambria County, S.D.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace held at Ebensburg, in and for said County, on the first Monday of September, A. D. 1854, before the Honorable the Judges of the same:

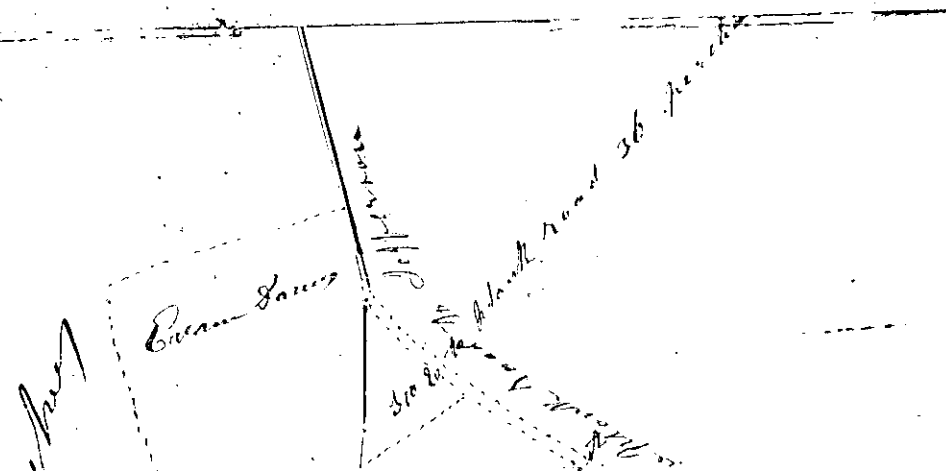
Upon petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of Cambria, in said County, setting forth, "That a road hath been laid out by an order of Court, from Samuel S. Jones, to a point on the Blank Road, near the big bend, which Road, (if confirmed by the Court), will be very injurious to your petitioners, and burthen some to the inhabitants of the township through which the same shall pass"; and therefore praying the said Court to appoint proper persons to review the said road and parts adjacent, and make report according to law, &c. &c.

Whereupon, the Court upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint Samuel S. Hyde, John Williams, John G. Green, Alexander McVicker, John Evans (Smith) and David W. Jones, who, after being respectively sworn or affirmed to perform the duties of their appointment with fidelity, are to view the ground prepared for the said road, and if they, or any five of them view the same, and four of the actual viewers 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, 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, and references to the improvements through which it may pass, to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for the said County. In which report they shall state, that they have been sworn or affirmed according to law.

By the Court:  
R. S. Johnston, Clerk.

To the Honorable the Judges within Shire  
 the persons appointed by the <sup>South</sup> order of Court to view  
 and lay out the road therein mentioned After being duly  
 sworn according to Law do report that in pursu-  
 -uance of the said Order we have viewed and laid  
 out and do return for Public use the following road  
 to wit Beginning on the road now leading from Colerain  
 to Jefferson below Daniel J Jones Barn thence along the  
 old road South fifty <sup>degrees</sup> west sixty perches to Sugar South forty  
 Eight degrees west forty perches to Stone & Thirty East forty  
 perches Stamp South fifty Six west fifty Six perches to  
 South Eighty west ninety perches East South ninety two  
 perches to Schoolhouse Stamp South twenty Eight west  
 one hundred East by Emma Davies field South ten East  
 thirty six perches to the big bend in the plank road by Emma Davies  
 in Cimbronia Township a plot or Draft whereof is hereby  
 given witness our hands the fourteenth day of December one  
 Thousand Eight hundred and fifty four

Samuel S Pryce 3 days  
 John Williams 2 days  
 John Givens 2 days  
 Alex P McWicker 2 days  
 John Evans (with) 2 days  
 David W Jones 2 days



One Mile 144 perches

Green Lane

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S 40 W 100 ft  
S 99 to Schoolhouse  
The block 1/2 mile  
36 perches

Green Lane  
1/2 mile  
100 ft

S 99 to Schoolhouse  
1/2 mile  
100 ft

S 40 W Part 90 Perches

S 56 W 56 Perches

S 20 E 110 Perches

S 68 W 110 Perches

S 50 W 60 Perches  
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1854.

Order to receive a Road from  
a point near David's J. Jones,  
to a point on the Road Road,  
near the Big Bend, - in  
Camden Township.

Witness:-

Samuel D. Poye,

John Williams,

John S. Lewis,

Alexander W. Nichols,

John Evans (deceased)

David W. Jones.  
Clerk.

28<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup>, 1854, near  
Camden, N. C.

By August

Dec 1. 75 Paid by Mr. Thomas

To the honourable the Judges the court  
 of common pleas of the county of cambria  
 now composing a court of quarter sessions  
 of the peace in and for the said county  
 that a road has been long since laid <sup>out</sup> from  
 Richards Mcquires or near that place in  
 White Township and the other part at or near  
 Patrick Donahoe in Clearfield Township and  
 said county which road or part of which road  
 beginning at said points your petitioners  
 humbly conceive is now become useless  
 inconvenient and burthen some to the  
 inhabitants thereabouts  
 your petitioners therefore humbly pray your  
 Honours that the said road may be vacated  
 as part of <sup>the</sup> act of general assembly in such  
 case made and provided and they will ever pray  
 August 1854

Hon Jacob Hartzel  
 Conrad Hartzel  
 Wesley Scott  
 Hugh Gallaker  
 Benjamin Beer  
 John Isaac  
 Alexander Massey  
 Thomas Washburn  
 Geo Bush  
 Joseph Burge  
 Adam Bierce  
~~John Bierce~~  
 J H Brady  
 William Burge

AG Bready  
 Christian Bready  
 H. Hampton  
 St. Hartman  
 St. Henry Hawk  
 George M. Hawk  
 Wm. Powell  
 Wm C. Powell  
 Charly Younger  
 Matthias Kist  
 William Gray  
 Samuel H. Purser  
 Hugh Holley

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April 26th 1874  
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To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of  
Quarto Sessions of Cambria County at Septentrio  
Sessions 1854 -

The petition of James Ross of  
Clearfield township, in said County Humbly Sheweth,  
That a public road hath been laid out and  
opened from the Philipsburg road near the farm of  
John Zube in Clearfield township, to the County  
line of (then Huntingdon) Blair County at the  
Dry Gap road in said township, and Whereas  
another township road hath been subsequently  
laid out from the farm of Jeremiah Doughty  
on said Philipsburg road in Clearfield township to  
Jesse Petitioner's Mill in said township,  
which crosses the first mentioned road about  
three fourths of a mile from said mill, which  
mill appear by reference to drafts for said  
roads, the last mentioned located road being  
opened by the supervisors of said township and  
now payable, and the first mentioned part  
of road having never been opened for travel  
is now included in the improvement of your  
petitioner -

Your petitioner therefore prays you to  
appoint proper persons to view, and if they see  
cause, vacate "that part of" said road  
first mentioned, from the eastern end of the  
twelfth section, to your petitioner's mill as  
draft herewith furnished" and make report  
herein according to law -

James Ross

September 19<sup>th</sup> 1834

Pelicans

to

Parents & Partners  
of the Board Meeting  
from the Publishing work  
to the Dry Exp Board  
Clearfield Township

Newport

Samuel D. Joyce  
John W. Smith  
James W. Smith  
Samuel W. Smith  
Richard Smith

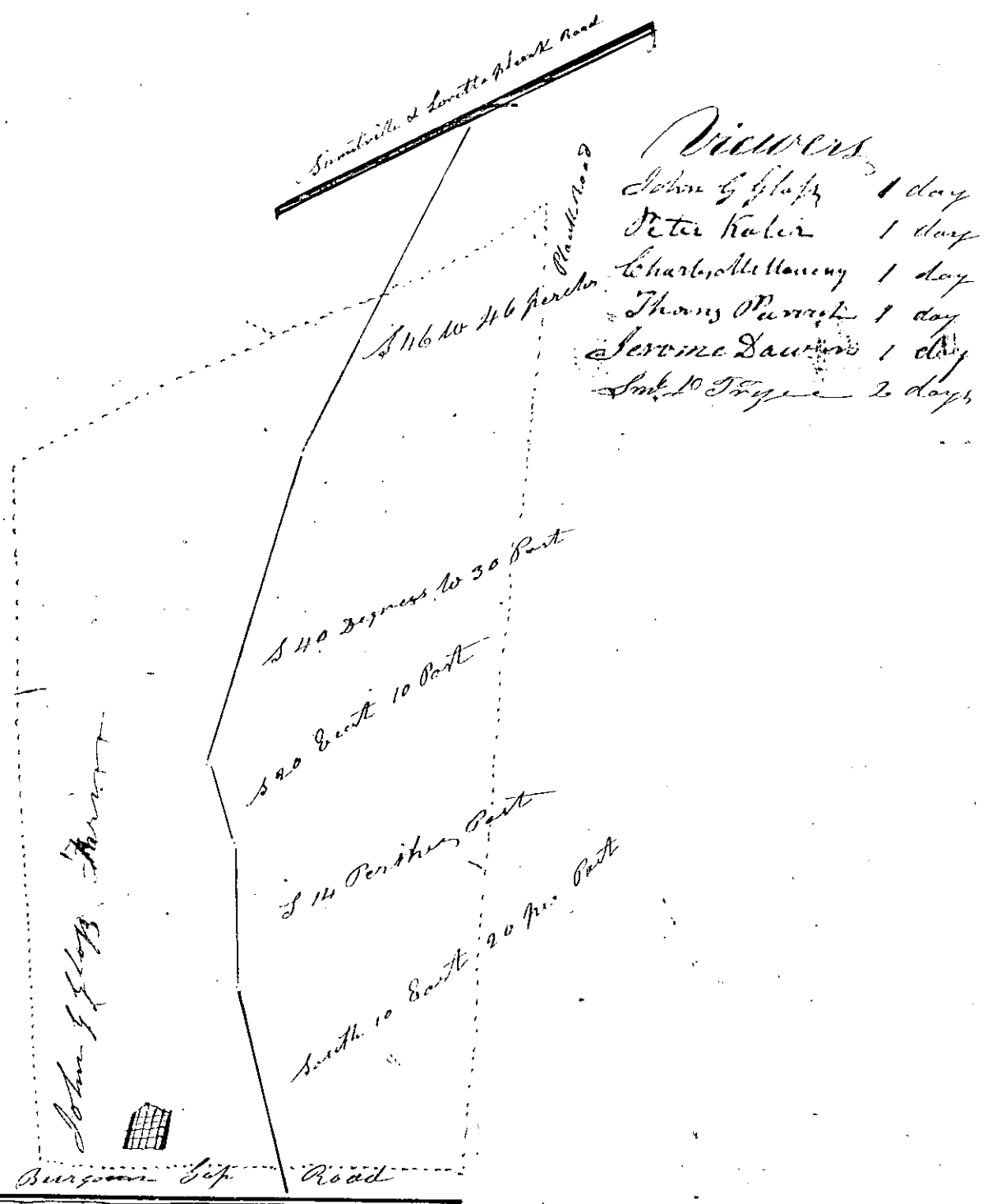
Wm. W. Smith

Cambria County, Pa.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions held at Ebensburg in and for said County on Monday the Sixth day of December A.D. 1853, before the Honorable the Judges of the same Court, Upon Petition of sundry Citizens of Allegheny Township setting forth, That they suffer a great inconvenience for want of a road commencing at a point in Burgoon's Gap road near the house of John D. Glap in said Township, to intersect the Summitville and Lorett's Plank Road at or near the Rev. Joseph Gallagher's Mills in said Township; and praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view said road;— Whereupon the Court upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint, John D. Glap, Peter Kaylor, Charles W. Manamy, Thomas Parrish, Perouse Dawson, Samuel D. Pryce, who, after being respectively sworn to perform the duties of their appointment with fidelity, are to view the ground prepared for said road, and if they or any five of them view the same, and any four of the actual viewers agree that there is occasion for such a 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, 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 plan and draft thereof, and the courses and distances thereof, and references to the improvements through which the same may pass, to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for the said County. In which report they shall state that they have been all sworn or affirmed according to law.

By the Court. W. L. Johnson, Clerk.

To the Honorable the Judges within named  
 We the persons appointed by the within order of Court  
 to view and lay out the road therein mentioned after  
 been sworn according to law, do report that in pursuance of the  
 Said order we have viewed and laid out, and do return  
 for Publick use the following road, to wit, Beginning  
 at Burgoons Gap: Road near the house of John G. Glop, thence  
 South ten East twenty perches to Post, South fourteen perches to Post  
 thence South twenty East ten perches post thence South forty  
 West thirty perches post thence South forty six degrees West  
 forty six perches to the Summitville & Loretta plank Road,  
 A plot or Acreft is hereunto Annexed  
 Witness our hands the first day of February one Thousand  
 Eight hundred and fifty four





Order to view and  
lay out a road  
from Simpson's Gap  
Road, near the fence  
of John J. Sharp to the  
Summitville School  
House Road

Met on Wednesday  
July 1, 1854 - J. S. Payne

- James
- John J. Sharp
- Peter Shugart
- Charles W. Manning
- Thomas Parrott
- Samuel Dawson
- Samuel D. Payne

Wm. Manning Compt  
to set the  
order to open the road

333  
443  
Yes, J. S. Parrott by  
John J. Sharp

18<sup>th</sup> March, 1854,  
confirmed ~~and~~ in  
order on grounds  
by Payton

16<sup>th</sup> June, 1854,  
confirmed absolutely  
by Wright

March Term 1854,

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions, in and for the County of Cambridge.

The undersigned citizens of the township of Conemaugh, in said County, respectfully represent: That at the last term of your honorable Court, a report of viewers was presented vacating part of a public road in said township, leading from the Sigomer township and intersecting the road leading from Johnstown to Fairfield at the Broadfording in said township. Your petitioners represent, that the part of said road proposed to be vacated, has been only partially opened, and that to open it for public use, and keep it in repair, would subject the township to great expense. The erection of a new bridge over the Conemaugh river, has rendered said road wholly useless to the people of said township.

We therefore earnestly pray your Honors to confirm the report of the viewers vacating part of said road.

Lucas Benschhoff

David Suster

Abraham Good

John Heald

Jacob C. Horner

Wm. Keam

Christian Good

Jacob Good

Daniel Cobough

David Suster

George Wisinger

Elias B. Horner

Samuel Horner

Hiram Johnson

George W. Bream

J. H. Lane

James St. Clair

Jacob Cobough

Samuel Turner of G.

Hiram Riblett

Jacob P. Strayer

George Bream

John Robert

John Miller

Stephen Stutzman

Benjamin Edwards

Wm. Robert

Daniel Gochman

Eli Benschhoff

John Johnson

William Swagers

John Saigh Jr

John Everhart  
Geo. J. Gentry  
William M. Smith  
Daniel Coffman  
Solomon Benishoff  
George Warner  
William Lewis  
Samuel Herschberg  
George Mitchell  
Daniel Horner  
Jacob Horner J.S.  
James Slammer  
John Block  
John Strayer Jun.  
Abraham Angus  
John Knable  
George Knable  
Jacob Knable  
Christian Goughnow  
Isaac Parker  
Joseph Strayer  
George Benishoff  
George Beech  
Jacob Minipster  
Samuel Hildebrand

**Peter Horner**  
Jacob Stutzman  
Samuel Cain  
John Morris  
Mathias Moyes  
Jacob Benishoff  
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James Cooper  
Wm. G. Gentry  
Samuel P. Peain  
Chas. Tain Gossard  
John Coshur  
Barnabas Colyer  
Jacob Poycks  
Daniel J. J. J.  
Jacob Knable  
Henry Kinsfeller  
Wm. Mayes  
George Mickey  
Andrew Jackson J. J.  
Oscar K. Gentry

Pinas, J. Goughnow  
Joseph John  
Daniel Dimond  
Peter Benishoff  
David Williams  
~~Jacob Strayer~~  
~~Levi Godd~~  
Archibald Horner  
John Singer  
Gerimund Gissing  
John Shaffer  
John Miller  
Philip Debez  
Lachar Horner  
Levi Dimond  
Samuel Stutzman  
George Hildebrand  
Jacob Mincedy  
Jeremiah Hoite  
John Strayers  
Jacob Singer  
David Prober  
David Debbel  
Abraham Goughnow  
Ed. Sanderson  
John Goughnow  
George Gats  
John Benishoff  
Jacob Horner  
John Moyes  
Daniel Miller  
Patrick Hagan  
John Chumpro  
James Sicks

James Decker  
Joseph Haynes  
Levas Crisman  
Henry Hansberger

James Cooper  
Wm. S. Galt  
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Samuel P. Peanz  
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Chas. Tam Gossard  
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George W. McKee  
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Andrew Jackson  
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Oscar H. Kemp  
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Joseph Haynes  
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Henry H. Hartsberger  
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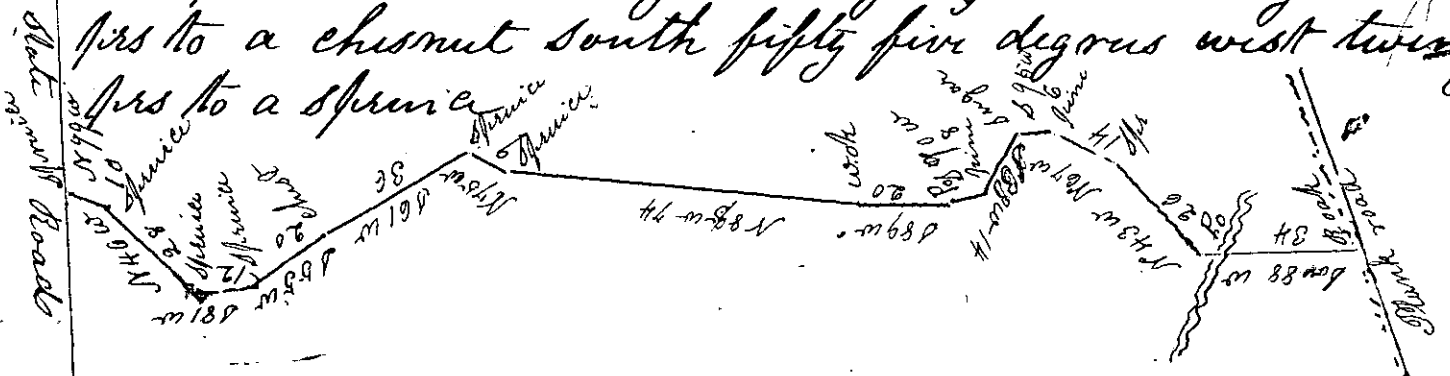
For confirming the report  
of messrs. Operating part  
of road in Louisiana  
Dumoulin's

Cambria County Id.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions held at  
Ebensburg in and for said County on Mon-  
day the 6. day of June A. D. 1854, before the  
Honorable the Judges of the same Court.

Upon petition of sundry inhabi-  
tants of Susquehanna Township, setting forth, that they  
have under great inconvenience for the want of a public road,  
a highway to lead from the State road from the Cherry Tree to  
Ebensburg at a point at or near George M. Greery on said  
State road to intersect the Ebensburg and Susquehanna  
Rail Road, at or near James Trumbles Sawmill in  
Susquehanna Township, and praying the Court to ap-  
point proper persons to view and lay out the same ac-  
cording to law. Whereupon the Court, upon due considera-  
tion had of the premises, do order & appoint Daniel M. Skenebaugh,  
Isaac Gifford, Daniel Burkstuper, Francis Beawery, James  
Trumble and David Somerville, who after being respectively  
sworn or affirmed to perform the duties of their appointment  
with fidelity, are to view the ground prepared for said road,  
and if they, or any five of them view the same, and any  
four of the actual viewers 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, in  
such manner as to do the least injury to private property,  
and shall make report thereof, stating particularly whether  
or they Judge the same necessary for a public or private road,  
together with a plot or draft thereof, and the courses &  
distances, and a reference to the improvements through  
which it may pass to the next Court of Quarter Sessions  
to be held for the said County. By the Court  
R. H. Johnston, Clerk

In obedience to the above order we the under named viewers met August the 31<sup>st</sup> 1854 and after being first sworn proceeded to view the ground therein proposed and its adjacent parts and being of an opinion that a road for publick use was necessary laid out the same with courses and distances as follows (viz) beginning at a red oak on the course of the plank road leading from the Cherry tree to Chinsburg near Daniel Hornebaugh saw-mill thence south eighty eight degrees west thirty four perches to a post North forty three degrees west twenty six perches to a spruce North sixty seven degrees west fourteen perches to a white pine south ninety five degrees west six perches to a sugar south thirty three degrees west fourteen perches to a pine south seventy degrees eight to a post south eighty nine degrees west twenty degrees to a white oak North eighty five degrees west in part through John Sunlafs field seventy four perches to a spruce north seventy five degrees west nine perches to a spruce south sixty one degrees west thirty six perches to a chestnut south fifty five degrees west twenty



South eighty one degrees west twelve perches to a spruce north forty degrees west twenty eight perches to a spruce north seventy nine degrees west ten perches to the state road leading from Chinsburgh to Tunnetawney. Witness our hands

D. M. Hornebaugh                      Francis Beare  
 Isaac Gifford                              James Trimble  
 Daniel Barkshever                      David Somerville

1857

Order to receive & lay out  
a road from St George  
to Kingsport to James  
Shinn's Sawmill.

From James

Shinn

J. W. Shinn

James Shinn

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Cambria County, S.S.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace,  
held at Ebensburg, in and for said County,  
on the first Monday of September, A. S.,  
1854, before the Honourable, the Judges of  
the same Court:

Upon the petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of  
Richland, in said County, setting forth, that they labor under  
great inconvenience for want of a Road leading from Tidman's  
Mill to Bedford Road, near the Sugar Tree Bridge in said  
Township, and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper per-  
sons 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 Tidman, Jacob Dye, Lewis  
Fisher, Isaac Gill, Henry King and Edwin A. Vickroy, who,  
after being respectively sworn or affirmed to perform the duties  
of their appointment with fidelity, are to view the ground pre-  
pared for the said road, and if they, or any five of them, view  
the same, and any four of the actual viewers 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, 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, and references to the improvements through  
which it may pass, to the next Court of Quarter Sessions  
to be held for the said County. In which report they shall  
state, that they have been sworn or affirmed according to  
law.

By the Court

W. L. Johnston, Clerk

1857.

Order to view and lay out  
a road from Sidman's Mill  
to the Bradford Road.

Chas order view.

Witness:-

- John Leonard,
- Jacob Cope,
- Lucas C. Fisher,
- James W. M.,
- Henry King, and
- Edwin W. Mackay.

13<sup>th</sup> June 1855, contd. of the  
 above survey, to wit: Nat. Wm.  
 M. C. Jr., is suitable for S. D.  
 M. C. Jr. - owner, & adjoining  
 spots to view survey.

By Wm. C. M.

Jun 1. 55

Chas. C. & C. C. Parker

Columbia County, N.Y.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions held at Catsburg in and for said County on Monday the tenth day of March a.d. 1834, before the Honorable, the Judges of the same Court:

Upon the Petition of divers inhabitants; That a road has been lately laid out by order of Court from a point near the foot of Place No. 2. N. P. R. R. to the foot of Place No. 4 in Washington Township, which if confirmed by the Court will be very injurious to your petitioners, and burthensome to the inhabitants of the Township through which the same runs: and praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view the same and parts adjacent; Whereupon the Court upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint, Joseph Stel, Joseph Geringer, James M. Hugh, Peter McKinzie, John L. McKinzie and Patrick M. Hugh who, after being respectively sworn or affirmed to perform the duties of their appointment with fidelity, are to review the ground prepared for said road, and if they or any five of them view the same, and any four of the actual viewers 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, 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, and references to the improvements through which the same may pass, to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for the said County. In which report they shall state that they have been sworn or affirmed, according to law.

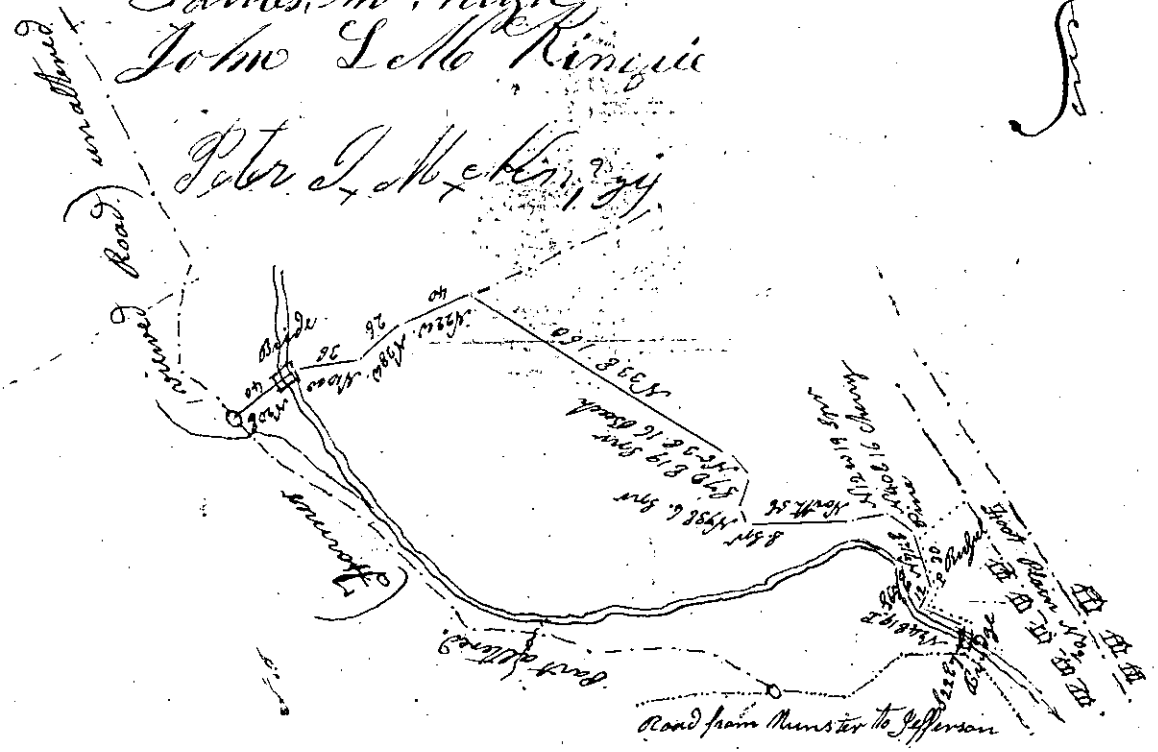
By the Court  
R. L. Johnston, Clerk.

To the Honourable the Judges above named. We the persons appointed by the above order of Court to review a road therein mentioned. After being duly sworn do report that we have viewed the same and made the following alterations as it will appear by the annexed diagram & do return the following Courses & Distances for Public use, viz Beginning on the road leading from Munster to Jefferson at west<sup>end</sup> of the Bridge cross Canemaugh near foot Plain N<sup>o</sup> 2. Thence South twenty two Degrees East seven perches to a Post near north side of Russel's fence. by the same North twenty four East nineteen perches to Post. South sixty five East twelve perches Post. North seventy one & half East thirty perches to large Pine about 3<sup>d</sup> past corner Russel's fence. North forty East sixteen perches to Cherry. North twelve west nineteen perches to Spruce. North fifty six perches to S. Spruce. North seventy three East six perches S. Spruce. North seventy East nineteen perches to Spruce. North fifty three East sixteen perches to Beech. North thirty three East one hundred & sixty perches to the Public road leading the School House East of Plain N<sup>o</sup> 2. Thence by the same North twenty two west forty perches. North thirty eight west twenty six perches. North ten west thirty six perches to the Bridge cross said Canemaugh. & thence North twenty degrees East forty perches to the former view. Witnesses our hands the 11<sup>th</sup> Day of May AD 1854

Joseph J. Griffin

Joseph J. Griffin  
 James M. Hughes  
 John L. McKinnis  
 Peter J. McKinnis

one day  
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Order to reserve road  
from foot of Place  
No. 2. to the foot of  
Place No. 11 in  
Washington's Square

Alvin  
Franklin  
Joseph Spinger  
James Washington  
Peter Washington  
John S. Washington  
Patrick Washington

18<sup>th</sup> June, 1857, and to  
confirm same, taking  
5th June as  
16<sup>th</sup> day.

Recd. 15<sup>th</sup> Paid

Cambria County, Pa.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions  
held at Ebensburg in said  
County on Monday the 16<sup>th</sup> day  
of June A. D. 1854: before the  
Honorable the Judges of the  
same Court:

Upon Petition of sundry inhabitants of Cambria  
and Allegheny Townships, was presented setting  
forth, That they labor under great inconvenience  
for want of a Public road leading from Beck's Mill  
and Ebensburg road or line between land of  
Patrick Darnell & John Humphrey thence by the best  
and nearest route till the same intersects the  
public road leading from Ebensburg to Buck's  
Mill, at a point on the land of Henry Glass, at  
or near where the road leading from Enos  
D. Mullens intersects said public road, and  
praying the Court to appoint viewers to lay out  
the same according to law; Whereupon the Court  
upon due Consideration do order and appoint  
John D. Hoover, John Evans, Smith, William S. Williams,  
Michael Driskell, Joseph Buck, and Nicholas Beck  
who after being first duly sworn to perform the duties  
of their appointment are to go upon the ground  
prepared for said road, and if they or any five of  
them view the same, and any four of the actual  
viewers 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, in such manner as to do the least  
injury to private property, and shall make re-  
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with a plan or draft thereof, and the courses

and distances, and references to the improvements  
therein which it may pass, to the next Court  
of Quarter Sessions to be held for said County

By the Court

Robert L Johnston  
Clerk

To the honorable the Judge above named.  
We the persons appointed by the above order  
of Court to view and lay out the road therein  
mentioned having first been duly sworn  
according to law do report that in pursuance  
of the said order we have viewed, laid out  
and Return for public use, the following  
Road Considering the same of great use  
to the Inhabitance throug or along the  
road that the same is layed out.

Begining at the Township Road leading from  
Beckers Mill to Ebersburg and at the farm  
of Henry Glaser thence through Erns McMullen  
land North thirty nine deg. west one hundred  
and sixty ps. thence North forty nine deg.  
west ten ps. thence South seventy nine deg.  
west sixteen ps. thence South Eighty nine  
deg. west thirty three ps. thence North ten  
deg. East thirty ps. thence thirty deg. west  
ten ps. thence North fifty nine deg. west  
fourty four ps. thence South Eighty nine  
deg. west nine ps. to the Township Road  
leading from Beckers Mill to Ebersburg  
at the line between Patrick Farren and  
John Humphreys.

In witness we have scted hereto  
set our hands this seventh day of  
July 1854



Oratio to Lewis and  
Clay on the Public Road  
from Lewisburg to  
Mill Road to Staunton  
and Buck's Mill Road.

1854

Devised

John A. Howard  
John Green, Smith,  
William G. Williams  
Michael Duckell,  
Abel M. Buck,  
Nicholas Becken

16<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1854, made up  
to name the ground that  
the Lewisburg Society  
ought to hold for a  
and in such places  
pre-emptive.  
By the Com.

29<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1854 made and  
conferred.  
John A. Howard  
1854

Cambria County, Pa.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions held at  
Ebensburg, in & for said County, on  
the fifth day of June, A. D. 1834, before  
the Honorable, the Judges of the said  
Court:

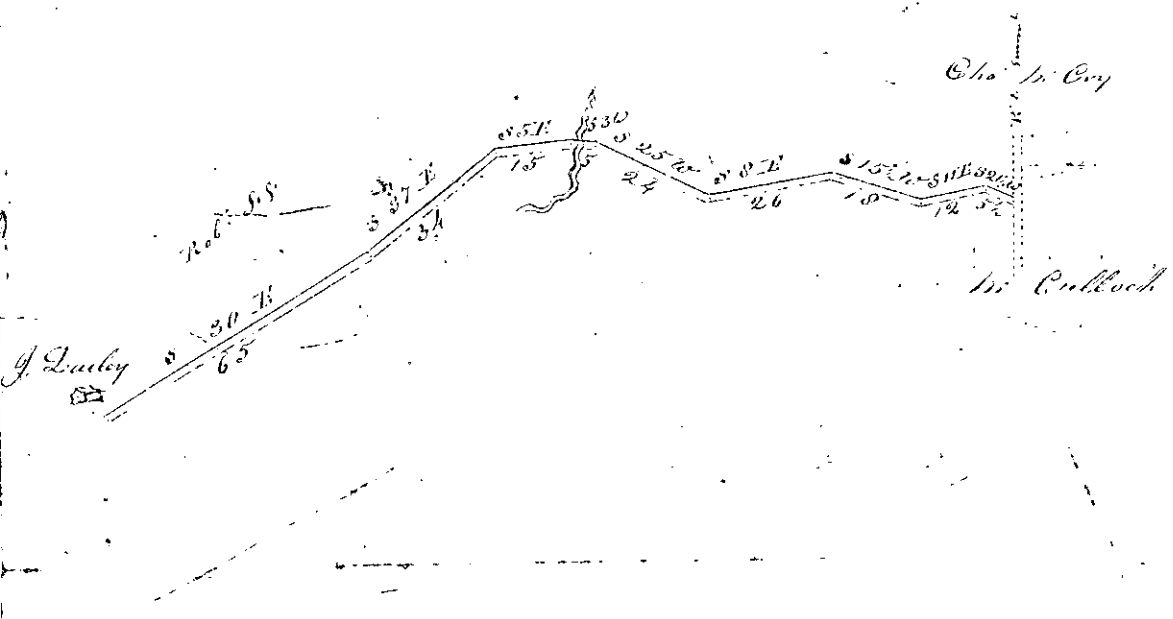
Upon the Petition of divers inhabitants, was presented,  
Setting forth, that they labor under great inconven-  
ience for want of a private road commencing at or  
near Joseph Dailly's house in Allegheny Township,  
in said County, and leading near Charles M. Coy  
on the Township road leading from the Borough of Loalto  
to Loop; and praying the Court to appoint proper  
persons to view and lay out the same according to law;  
Whereupon the Court doth read and appoint Richard  
D. Broadfoot, Simon Weakland, Anthony Will, James  
McLaugh, Francis Cooper, and Peter Kaylor, who,  
after being sworn to perform the duties of their ap-  
pointment with fidelity, are to go upon the ground  
prepared for said road, and if they or any  
five of them view the same, and any four  
of the actual viewers 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, in such manner  
as to do the least injury to private property, stating  
particularly whether they judge the same necessary  
for a public or private road, and shall make re-  
turn thereof, together with a plot or draft thereof,  
and the courses and distances, and references to  
the improvements through which it shall pass, to the  
next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held in and for  
said County.

Attest  
R. J. Byrth, Clerk  
Robt. Johnston, Clerk.

We the undersigned, viewers appointed by the above  
 order of Court, do report, that in pursuance of said  
 order (being, and sworn), we have viewed, laid out and  
 returned for private use the following road  
 to wit—beginning at an Oak Swamp near the Barn of  
 Joseph Duley's thence South thirty deg East sixty five  
 perches thence thirty seven deg East thirty four perches  
 thence South five deg East fifteen perches thence South  
 three deg West five perches thence South twenty five  
 deg West twenty four perches thence South eight deg  
 East twenty six perches thence South sixteen and a half  
 deg West eighteen perches thence South eleven deg East  
 twelve perches thence South twenty one and a half  
 deg West five and a half perches to a Post in road  
 leading from Toronto to the Swamp near the farm of  
 Charles McCoy a plot or draught of which is  
 hereto annexed Witness our hands this 8<sup>th</sup> day of Nov: 1784

John J. Mansfield  
 Simon Weatherland  
 Anthony White

James Mc Gough  
 Francis Cooper



1854  
Order to view said day and  
a road commencing at  
or near South Lakes  
House in Allegany Co.  
to intersect at or near Chiles  
Mt. Gap, on the Summit of  
said, leading from the  
Springfield Mills to Gap.

Order to view of road

James  
Richard D. Bradford  
Division of Road  
William Will  
James W. Young  
James Cooper  
Peter Bayler

28<sup>th</sup> Oct., 1854, and of  
the  
25 feet wide, the  
to be in line with  
the  
16<sup>th</sup> of  
accuracy  
Dec. 8, 1854

Exceptions to the confirmation of the Viewers,  
to assess the Damages done to James O'Neill.

1<sup>st</sup> The road according to the report of the Viewers  
is not opened, nor can it be by reason of the Com<sup>rs</sup> having  
constructed on the Ground where said Road was located,  
a Railroad. 2 The Viewers say that a certain other road cannot  
be vacated which was no part of this duty.

3 It would appear from the report of the Viewers  
that the Commonwealth should pay the Damages done to  
the said Premises.

4 The Damages are excessive, and the report  
unfounded.

By the  
Co. Commissioners

Receipts  
to  
Confirmation of  
Reports

Filed 11<sup>th</sup> Jan, 1834.

Cambria County, Pa:

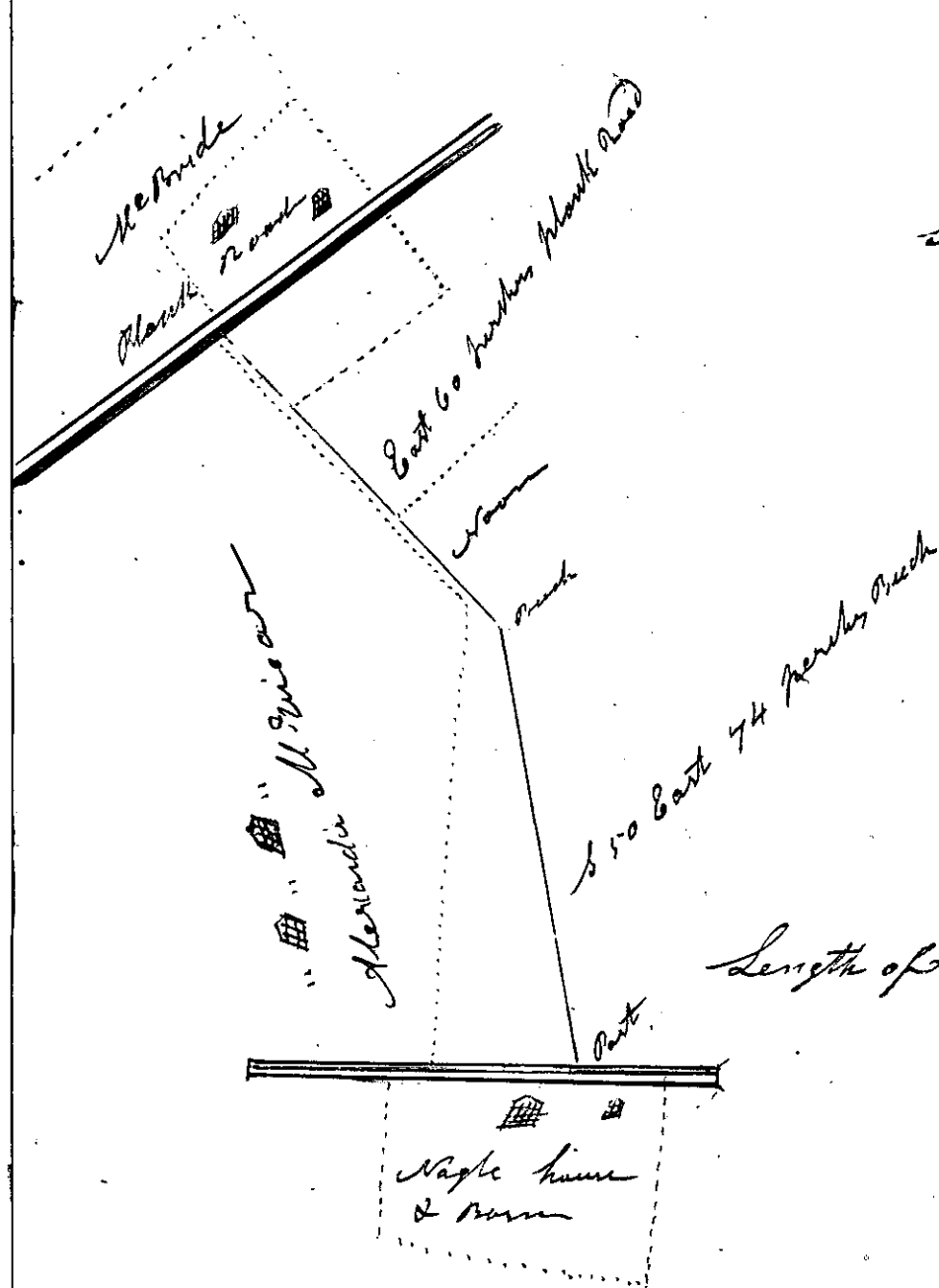
At a Court of Quarter Sessions held at  
Ebensburg in & for said County on Monday  
the fifth day of December A. D. 1853,  
before the Honorable the Judges of the said  
Court:

On the petition of divers inhabitants of  
the township of Cambria in said County, setting forth that  
they labor under great inconvenience for want of a road  
or highway, beginning at a point at or near the house of  
Nicholas Nagle, in said township, thence by the nearest and  
best route till it intersects the Jefferson and Evansburg Plank  
Road, at or near the house of Mrs. Mary Mc Bride in  
said township: And praying the said Court to appoint  
proper persons to view the same and make report ac-  
cording to law: Whereupon the Court upon due consideration  
of the premises do order & appoint James Mills, Lewis James,  
Nicholas Nagle, Samuel D. Ryan, David Drowley and  
Thomas Jones: who are to go upon the ground prepared  
~~for a road, and if they are any of them view~~  
the same, and any four of the actual viewers agree that  
there is occasion for such road, they shall proceed to lay  
out the same as nearly agreeable to the prayer of the  
petitioners as may, 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, to attend with a  
plot or draft thereof, showing the courses and distances, with  
reference to the improvements through which the same  
may pass, and make report to the next Court of Quarter  
Sessions of said County; in which report they shall  
state that they have been severally sworn & affirmed  
before viewing the same.

By the Court  
R. L. Johnston, Clerk.

To the Honorable the Judges within named  
 We the persons appointed by the within order of Court  
 to view and lay out the road therein mentioned after  
 being sworn according to Law do report that in pursu-  
 -ance of the said order we have viewed and laid out  
 and do return for Publick use the following road to  
 wit, beginning at Nicholas Nagle on the pike thence  
 South fifty East seventy four perches to beech on the  
 line between Alexander McVicker and Judge Moon thence  
 East along the line between McVicker and Moon and  
 McBride to sixty perches to the Ebensburg and Jefferson  
 Plank Road a plot on draft is whereof is herunto annexed  
 Witness our hands the fourteenth day of January  
 one thousand Eight hundred and fifty four

Viewers  
 James Mills 1 day  
 Lewis James 1 day  
 Nicholas Nagle 1 day  
 Samuel L. Pryor 2 days  
 David Brumley 1 day



Length of Road 134 perches

Order to <sup>1857</sup> be set and  
lay out to road from  
Nicholas Page to  
the Fairway and  
between Paul Road

13. Nov. 1856, Order signed

By

- James Hill
- James Jones
- Nicholas Page
- James Street
- David Birdsey
- Thomas Jones
- etc.

29<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1857  
Comfirmation satisfactory  
By the Clerk

18<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1857,  
confirm order, by  
name to open it.

By the Clerk

10<sup>th</sup> Jan. 1857, cont.  
16<sup>th</sup> Apr. 1857, on request

Dec. 1857

Cambria County Pa.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions  
held at Ebensburg in and for said  
County, on Monday the fourth day  
of September A. D. 1854; before the  
Honorable, the Judges of the same  
Court:

Upon Petition of sundry inhabitants of the Townships  
of Clearfield, White, and Chest, in said County, setting  
forth, that they labor under great inconvenience for  
want of a road or highway to lead from the Philips-  
burg road in White Township, at or near the farm  
lately occupied by Richard M. Guire, deceased, to  
intersect the Powell or Ridge Road leading from Tuller  
Cumber to Altoona, in Clearfield Township, at or near  
Swartz's improvement, and 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 ap-  
point Joseph Creighton, Peter M. Coughlin, Hiram Horton,  
Lewis Burgeson, William Gallaher and John D. Hoover  
who, after being respectively sworn or affirmed to perform  
the duties of their appointment with fidelity, are to  
view the ground prepared for said road, and if  
they or any five of them view the same, and any  
four of the actual viewers agree that there is oc-  
casion for such road, they shall proceed to lay  
out the same as agreeably to the desire of the pe-  
titioners as may be, having respect to the best  
ground for a road, and the shortest distance,  
in such manner as to do the least injury to pri-  
vate property, and shall make report thereof, sta-  
ting particularly whether they judge the same

thirty nine degrees each eighteen fathoms. Hence come forty  
and half each fourteen fathoms. Hence South twenty and one fourth

which it may pass, to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for the said County. In which report they shall state that they have been sworn or affirmed, according to law.

By the Court.  
Rob. L. Huston, Clerk.

To the Honourable, the Judges within named,

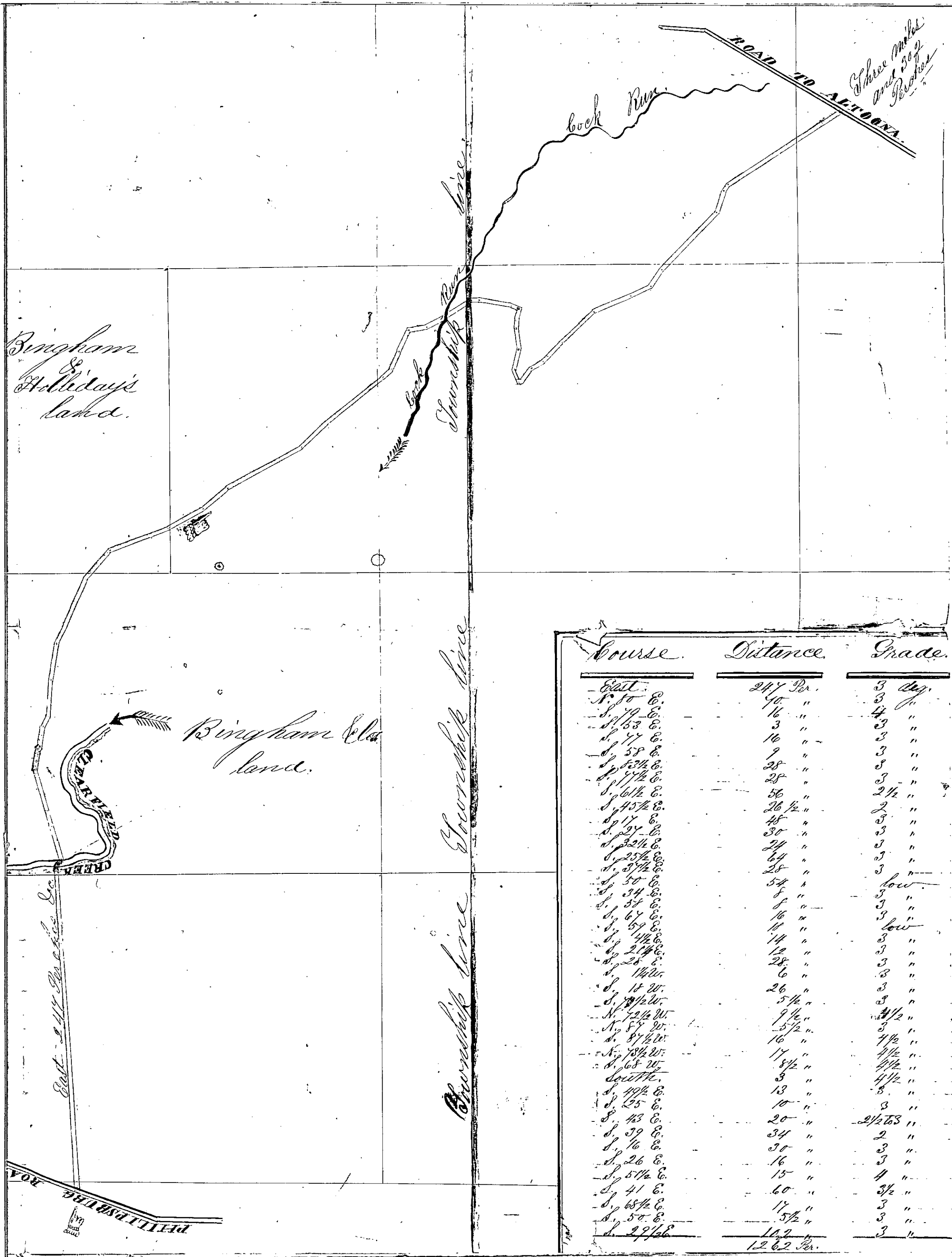
We, the persons appointed by the within Order of Court, to view and lay out the roads therein mentioned; Having been first duly sworn according to Law, do report that in pursuance of the said order, we have viewed and laid out, and do report for public use the following road, to wit;

Beginning at a point on the Philipsburg road near the Improvement of Richard McGuire dead, Thence East two hundred and forty seven perches to a Hemlock on the bank of the Clearfield Creek. Then began on the East bank of said Creek. Thence North eighty degrees East seventy perches, Thence South seventy nine degrees East sixteen perches, Thence South fifty three degrees East three perches, thence South seventy seven degrees East sixteen perches, thence South fifty eight degrees East nine perches, thence South eighty three and a half degrees East twenty eight perches, thence South seventy seven and a half degrees East twenty eight perches, Thence South sixty one and a half East, Fifty six perches, Thence South forty five and a half degrees East twenty six perches, Thence South seventeen degrees East Forty Eight perches, Thence South twenty seven degrees East Thirty perches, Thence South thirty two and a half East Twenty four perches, Thence South twenty five and a half degrees East, sixty four perches, Thence South thirty seven and a half degrees East twenty eight perches, Thence South fifty degrees East Fifty four perches, Thence South thirty four degrees East Eight perches, Thence South fifty eight degrees East Eight perches, Thence South ~~seventy six~~ <sup>sixty seven</sup> degrees East sixteen perches, Thence South

degrees east twelve perches, Thence south twenty eight degrees east first in Clearfield township twenty eight perches, Thence South one and a fourth West six perches, Thence South Eighteen degrees west Twenty six perches, Thence South Seventy and one half West five and one half perches, Thence North seventy two and a half degrees West, nine and one half perches, Thence North Eighty seven degrees West five and a half perches, Thence South Eighty seven and a half West sixteen perches, Thence North seventy three and a half West seventeen perches, Thence South sixty eight west eight and a half perches, Thence south three perches, Thence south forty nine and a half degrees east thirteen perches, Thence south twenty five degrees east ten perches, Thence South forty three degrees east twenty perches, Thence south thirty nine degrees East thirty four perches, Thence south sixteen degrees east thirty perches, Thence south twenty six deg. East sixteen perches, Thence, South fifty and a half degrees east fifteen perches, Thence south forty one degree east sixty perches, Thence south sixty eight and a half degrees east seventeen perches, Thence south fifty degrees east five and a half perches, Thence South twenty nine and a half degrees East One hundred and two perches to the Road leading from Gallen timber to Altoona at Swartz Improvement,

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this sixth day of October A.D. One thousand eight hundred and fifty four,

Joseph C. Turner	\$5.00
H. H. Hoviston	\$5.00
John D. Hoover	7 dft. 1
William Gallahan	5.00
Peter McGough	\$5.00
Lewis Burgoon	5.00



Three miles  
and 300  
feet

Bingham  
&  
Holliday's  
land.

Bingham Co.  
land.

Township  
line

Range  
line

Course	Distance	Grade
East	247 Per.	3 deg.
S. 50 E.	40 "	3 "
S. 79 E.	16 "	4 1/2 "
S. 53 E.	3 "	3 "
S. 77 E.	16 "	3 "
S. 58 E.	9 "	3 "
S. 53 1/2 E.	28 "	3 "
S. 77 1/2 E.	28 "	3 "
S. 61 1/2 E.	56 "	2 1/2 "
S. 45 1/2 E.	26 1/2 "	2 3/4 "
S. 17 E.	45 "	3 "
S. 27 E.	30 "	3 "
S. 22 1/2 E.	24 "	3 "
S. 25 1/2 E.	64 "	3 "
S. 37 1/2 E.	28 "	3 "
S. 50 E.	54 "	low
S. 34 E.	8 "	3 "
S. 37 E.	16 "	3 "
S. 59 E.	14 "	low
S. 44 1/2 E.	14 "	3 "
S. 21 1/2 E.	12 "	3 "
S. 14 W.	28 "	3 "
S. 18 W.	26 "	3 "
S. 70 1/2 W.	5 1/2 "	3 "
N. 72 1/2 W.	9 1/2 "	4 1/2 "
N. 87 W.	5 1/2 "	3 "
S. 87 1/2 W.	16 "	4 1/2 "
N. 78 1/2 W.	17 "	4 1/2 "
S. 68 W.	8 1/2 "	4 1/2 "
South	3 "	4 1/2 "
S. 49 1/2 E.	13 "	3 "
S. 25 E.	10 "	3 "
S. 43 E.	20 "	2 1/2 to 3 "
S. 39 E.	34 "	2 "
S. 16 E.	30 "	3 "
S. 26 E.	16 "	3 "
S. 51 1/2 E.	15 "	4 "
S. 41 E.	60 "	3 1/2 "
S. 68 1/2 E.	17 "	3 "
S. 50 E.	15 1/2 "	3 "
S. 29 1/2 E.	10 1/2 "	3 "
	1262 Per.	

1854.

Order to be paid out  
a road from the  
Philadelphia Road to  
the Ridge Road to  
Alton.

Order Spent

Waters

Joseph Reigton

Thomas Watson

John W. Brown

William Walker

Peter W. Smith Esq

Henry Simpson

Confield

28<sup>th</sup> Decr, 1854, and 8 con-  
firmation made and order to  
be opened by the order, etc.

By the Court.

16<sup>th</sup> Decr, 1854, confirmed  
order by W. W. Brown

W. W. Brown

RECORDED

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Cambria County ss

At a court of Quarter Sessions held at  
Ebensburgh in and for the County of  
Cambria on Monday the fourth day of  
September A.D. 1854 before the Honorable  
the Judges of the said Court.

Upon the petition of many inhabitants of Conemaugh  
Township in said County setting forth that a Public Road  
has long since been laid out from Johnstown in the County of  
Cambria and Fairfield in Westmoreland County, a part of  
said road viz: from the mouth of Broad Street in Cambria  
City on the Conemaugh river thence by the said river to the  
mouth of Elk run in said County of Cambria thence by the  
land of George Phelan to where the said corners in said road  
being a distance of about one mile in length and four rods  
in width lying in the township of Conemaugh in said County  
of Cambria which part of said road your petitioners hum-  
bly conceive is now become useless inconvenient and burden-  
some to the inhabitants thereabouts. And praying the Court  
to vacate and supply the same according to law.

Whereupon the Court upon due consideration had of the premises  
do order and appoint Elijah Marsh, R B Gageby, J. St.  
Levy, Geo Hildebrand, David Godder and George Pecker  
who after being respectively sworn or affirmed to perform the  
duties of their appointment with fidelity and to view the ground  
prepared for the said road and if they or any five of them  
view the same and any four of the actual viewers agree  
that said road should be vacated they shall proceed to  
supply 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 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 and references to the impro-  
vements 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 and affirmed according to law.

By the Court  
R. L. Johnston, Clerk

To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace for Columbia County

We the persons appointed by the within order of Court, to locate and supply the road therein mentioned do Report, that in pursuance of said order of Court, having been first sworn and affirmed; we have viewed the said road, and that the same is in our opinion, useless, inconvenient, and burdensome, and that we have supplied the same in pursuance of the said order of Court by the following Road, which we have viewed, and laid out, and set out for public use, Beginning at the mouth of Broad Street, in Columbia City, where the same intersects the said road, in said order of Court mentioned; thence by said Broad Street, North fifty four degrees West two hundred and seventy paces to the mouth of Elk Run, thence South Eighty nine and one half degrees West, to where George Shearn's land corners on said road mentioned in said order of Court; which Road thus supplied passes along Broad Street in Columbia City, and through lands of John P. Menough and George Shearn, and occupies a part of the road, as set out by supplying the same, a plat or draft is herewith annexed

Witness our hands and Seals the 25<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. A.D. 1854

J. A. Long Seal

R. B. Gayles Seal

George Hildeman Seal

Witness to his Seals

James Lamborn

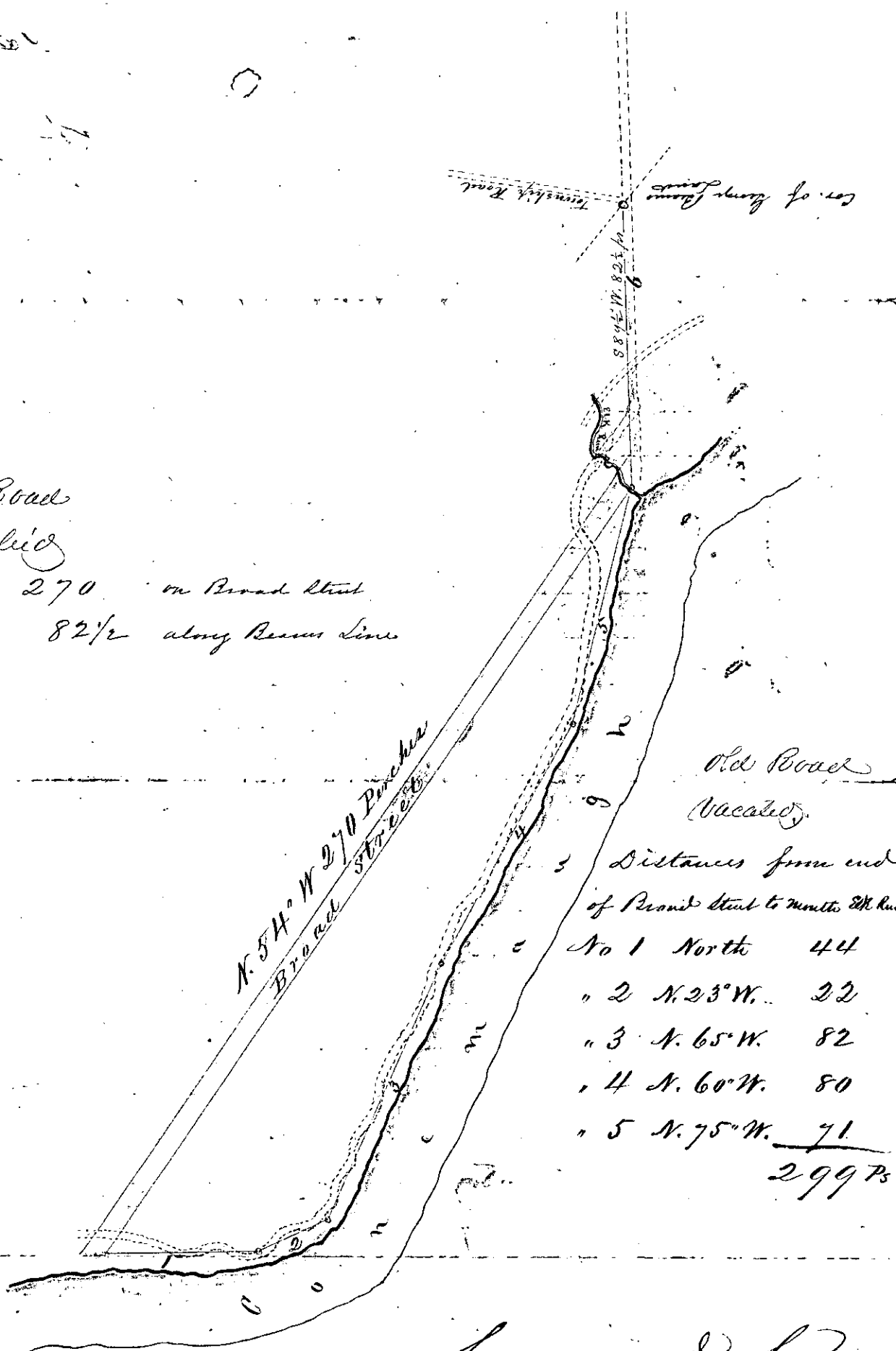
George <sup>his</sup> Decker  
mark Seal

Seal

Seal

New Road  
 Supplied

N. 54° W. 270 on Broad Street  
 S 89½° W. 82½ along River Line



Old Road  
 (vacated)

Distances from end  
 of Broad Street to mouth of River

No 1 North	44
" 2 N. 23° W.	22
" 3 N. 65° W.	82
" 4 N. 60° W.	80
" 5 N. 75° W.	71
	<hr/>
	299 P <sub>s</sub>

Surveyed by  
 J. H. Long  
 Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> 1854

1857.

Order to vacate & supply  
a part of the road leading  
from Sturminster in the County  
of Cambridg to Stanfield in  
Westmorland County,  
as to part from the north  
of Broad Street to a point  
where the lands of George Beam  
cross the same.

28<sup>th</sup> Decr, 1857, next to confirm  
order of Justices made at the  
General St.

By Judge

16<sup>th</sup> Decr, 1857, con.  
sume abovesd, by Justs  
Meyersd.

Edwin Marsh, R. D. Gaddy,

J. W. Gray, Geo. Whitehead

James Pittard, George Parker,

Witnesses.

Witnessed

Decr, 1857

Cambria County, N. C.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions held at  
Ebensburg in and for said County on  
Monday the sixth day of March A. D.  
1854, before the Honorable the Judges of  
the same Court.

Upon the Petition of James D. Murrill, setting forth, That a  
public road leading from Jefferson in Summerhill  
Township to Munster in Washington Township, has been  
so changed or revised as to run and be opened through  
a tract of land, of petitioner in Summerhill Township  
within one year, which said road has done petitioner  
great damage, and praying the Court to appoint six  
viewers to view the premises and assess the damages  
which your petitioner has sustained: Whereupon the  
Court, upon due consideration had of the premises do or-  
der and appoint Francis Lytle, W. A. Gardner, John M.  
Fough Esq., Geo. C. H. Galbraith, James S. Rhey and John  
Kington, who after being respectively sworn or affirmed  
to perform the duties of their appointment with fidelity,  
are to view the ground, and if they or any five of them  
view the same, and any four of the actual viewers  
agree that damages have been sustained by the  
petitioner, they shall proceed to assess the same, and  
shall make report thereof, to the next Court of  
Quarter Sessions to be held in and for said County,  
in which report they shall state that they have  
been sworn or affirmed according to law.

By the Court

R. L. Johnson, Clerk.

Order to Clerk Damages  
done to James Smith  
by opening a road in  
Jimmelskill Township

Order  
No-558

116.00

Damages

Order to Clerk Damages  
done to James Smith  
by opening a road in  
Jimmelskill Township

18 Jan, 1857, confirmed  
by the  
16 Sept, 1857, confirmed  
by the

18 Jan, 1857, confirmed  
by the

16 Sept, 1857, confirmed  
by the

Witness

James Smith

Wm. H. Gardner

John W. George

John W. George

John W. George

Witness

1857

To the Honorable Judges within named,  
We the subscribed Viewers named in the within Order having  
met on the 30 day of May a. d. 1854. and after being duly sworn  
according to law, proceeded to the ground referred to, and do  
return that by reason of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
constructing a Rail Road on or near the ground where part of  
the road herein named was located, whereby leaving part of  
said <sup>roads</sup> impassable through the premises of the petitioners herein named,  
thereby having part of said road constructed at both ends, and  
impassable in the center through said premises, and so far as  
the same has been constructed, and believing that the old  
road running through the premises of the petitioners cannot  
be vacated, do therefore assess damages to the petitioners to the  
amount of One Hundred & sixteen Dollars fifty cents -  
Witness our hands & seals, the day & date above written -

J. H. Cotto  
Wm. H. Gardner  
John W. George  
John W. George  
Wm. C. K. Zehner

Columbia County, N.Y.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions held at  
Ebensburg in and for said County on  
Monday the fifth day of June, A.D.  
1854, before the Honorable the Judges of  
the the same Court:

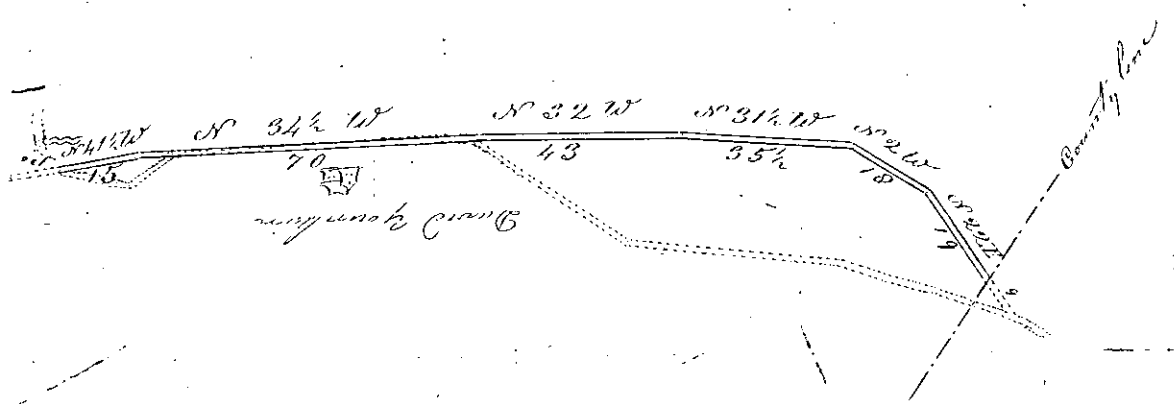
Upon petition of sundry Inhabitants of the Township of  
White in said County, setting forth, that that part of  
the public road leading from Ebensburg to Philipsburg  
(Centre Co.) lying between a point near the head  
gates of Shunk's Mill race in White township,  
to the Clearfield County line, has been located on bad  
ground &c. and has therefore become burdensome to  
your petitioners; And praying the Court to appoint  
proper persons to view said part of road, vacate the  
same, and supply a better road in its stead:

Whereupon the Court, upon due consideration had of  
the premises do order and appoint Benjamin Byas,  
Jacob Hill, James M. Lantry, Richard A. Howdfoot, Joseph  
Miller, and Matthew Detrick, who, after being respec-  
tively sworn to perform the duties of their appointment  
with fidelity, are to view said road, and if they  
or any five thereof view the same, and any four of  
the actual viewers agree that the same should be  
vacated, they shall proceed to supply 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, in such manner as to do the  
least injury to private property, and shall make  
report thereof, together with a plot or draft thereof,  
and the courses and distances, and reference  
to the improvements through which it may pass,  
to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held  
for the said County.

By the Court.  
Robt. Johnston, Clerk.

We the undersigned viewers appointed by the above order of Court— do report— that in pursuance of said order (being first sworn) we have viewed the part of said road set forth in said order and have vacated parts of the same and do return for public use the following road or highway to supply the same— viz— beginning at a post in the road— near the head gates of David Quinton's Mill race— thence North forty one and a half deg West fifteen perches to an Elm tree near old road— thence North thirty four and a half deg West— (on the old road) seventy perches— thence (leaving old road) North thirty two deg West forty three perches thence North thirty one and a half deg West thirty five and a half perches— thence North two deg West eighteen perches— thence North twenty two deg East nineteen perches to supposed County line— in all twenty eight perches to a post in old road as pilot— or draught of which is herewith annexed

Witness our hands this 21<sup>st</sup> Day of August A.D 1857  
 Benjamin Byers  
 Jacob Gill  
 Rich<sup>d</sup> J. Proudfoot  
 Joseph H. Muller  
 Matthew Deitrich



Rich <sup>d</sup> J. Proudfoot—	one Day—	1.00
making draught—		50
Benjamin Byers	one Day—	1.00
Jacob Gill	" "	1.00
Joseph H. Muller	" "	1.00
Matthew Deitrich	" "	1.00

1854

Went to Decatur and  
supplied road funds  
Cherryburg to Philadelphia

Went to New Market

Received

Programma Ryan

Salts Bill

James M. Cantony

Richd. S. Fowles

Joseph Miller

Matthews Detrick

Cent.

16<sup>th</sup> Sept, 1854, and 5

conferred me to the  
5th James Kent, put in

By Kent

28<sup>th</sup> Decr, 1854, conferred

renewed, By Kent

Wm. J. Fowles