

To The Honorable The Judges of the Court of
Quarter Sessions of Cambria County:-

The petition of the undersigned, citizens of Elder
and Chest Townships in said County respectfully
represents, that at June Sessions 1884 viewers were
appointed by your Honorable Court to vacate and
supply portions of a road leading from St. Boniface
in Elder Township to St. Lawrence in Chest
Township who on Sept. 1st 1884 filed their report (to
No. 6 June Term 1884 Road Docket) which said report
was confirmed nisi on Oct. 3^d 1884 and ab-
solutely on Jan. 7, 1885. Your petitioners further
represent that it would be impracticable to
undertake to open the road as laid out by said
viewers in Elder Township (to supply that part
vacated by them in said Township) and that if
opened the same would be burthensome and in-
convenient to the said Township and the travel-
ling public, and that in their opinion it would
be possible to lay out a road on other ground
by which the heavy grades and other inconve-
nences might be overcome. They therefore pray
your Honorable Court to appoint suitable per-
sons to view vacate and supply that portion of
the road laid out as aforesaid in Elder town-
ship, the same not having been opened
and a majority of the original petitioners

having signed this petition

N. Helfrich and they will ever pray so.

George Wenschberger. Julian Otto

Patrick Dillon

Andrew Westrick

Caleb A Gray

Griffith Otto

Jacob Kirkpatrick

Joseph Wentz

Jacob Plinn

Albert Dothner

Joseph Nagle

John J. Dietrich

Adam Hass

James Kelley

Phil Miller Sr

Isaac G. L. ...

Libby

Michael Holtz

Simon Keller

Edward W. Jones

Francis Yager

Mark H. ...

J. A. Kline

D. S. ...

A. A. Glasser

C. C. ...

Frank H. Ott

Martin ...

Jacob W. Emma

Edward ...

O. Maximilian ...

John ...

Gregory Miller

John ...

Peter Glasser

Charles ...

Martin Woodley

Karl ...

Owen Tirell

John ...

Chas. Rhody

H. J. ...

Andrew Miller

Albert ...

Albert Rhoad

Albert ...

Joseph Holtz

J. J. ...

Jacob Hartmann
A. Eckhardt
Augustin Huber

J. G. and St. uie
Johann Homan
Jung ...
Bern ...
Joseph P. Sumpf
James D. Mendenhall
Ben. Hopper
Phil. A. Gray
Thomas W. Baker
Michael ...
Coos ...
John J. ...
The ...
Ambros ...
Adam Miller
Jacob ...
William Evers
Michel ...
Anselm Westland

W. A. ...
Samuel ...
Henry ...
John ...
J. G. Baker
Peter P. ...
William ...

Jos. Phoebe
Geo. A. Warner
Lewis ...
Jacob Warner
Joseph ...
John Warner
Jacob ...
Charles Gill
Joseph ...
John ...
John ...
Joseph ...
Francis ...
Anthony ...
John ...
Charles ...
Jacob ...
Robertson ...
Michael Rapp
Philip Gill
H. C. Mahner
Sylvester ...
George ...
N. F. ...
Henry ...
Martin ...

Jacob Thomas
Jno. H. Long
John C. M. White
P. B. Norman
S. Gill
Geo. Crook
Joseph ^{his} _{mark} Crook
J. P. Birdell
J. L. Baker
H. Binglehart
O. H. Stick
C. A. Langbein
James Hill

No. 11 by Rogers 1845: R.S.

Petition of citizens
of Clark and Bell
Co. Va. for a
reimbursement of moneys
paid over made and exp-
ended for part of public
road from N. Lawrence
to N. Newface. —

Oct. 19th 1885

Paul Johnson

Thomas Olt

George Kibler

For Air

Filed Oct. 19, 1885

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Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

Cambria County N.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions
of the Peace of the County of Cam-
bria held at Cressburg in said
County on the thirteenth day
of October A.D. 1885. before the
Honorable P. S. Johnston, President and Associates
Judges of the said Court. Upon the petition of
several inhabitants of Chest and Cedar Townships
setting forth: That at June Sessions 1884, viewers
were appointed by your Honorable Court to vacate
and supply portions of a road leading from St.
Boniface in Cedar Township to St. Lawrence in
Chest Township who on Sept. 1. 1884 filed their
report (to No. 6 June Term 1884. Road Book) ^{which}
said report was confirmed nisi on
Oct. 3rd. 1884 and absolutely on Jan. 7. 1885. Your
petitioners further represent that it would be
impracticable to undertake to open the road
as laid out by said viewers in Cedar Town-
ship (to supply that part vacated by them in
said township) and that if opened the same
would be burthensome and inconvenient
to the said township and the traveling public, ^{and}
that in their opinion it would be possible to
lay out a road on other ground to which
the heavy grades and other inconveniences
might be overcome, they therefore pray your
Honorable Court to appoint suitable persons
to view vacate and supply that portion of the
road laid out as aforesaid in Cedar Township.

the same not having been opened and a majority of the original petitioners having signed this petition. The Court upon due consideration had of the premises do order and appointed Paul Gahner, Thomas Ott and George Lillies as viewers to view the ground proposed to be vacated and supplied and if they agree that there is occasion for such change they shall after being duly sworn and affirmed, to discharge their duties faithfully proceed to lay out the same having respect to the shortest distance and the best ground for a road; and in such manner as shall do the least injury to private property and also be as far as practicable, agreeable to the desire of the petitioners, and make report of their proceedings to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for said County, stating particularly whether they judge the same necessary, together with a plot or draft thereof, and the courses and distances, and references to the improvements through which it may pass.

By the Court

H. A. Braemar,
clerk.

to H. Sept. Term 1885-
C.D.

Order to assess, erect
and supply part of a
public road leading
from St. Lawrence in
West Top, to St. Boni-
face in Cedar Ppt.

21 Nov 85 - 6. 1/2 Mins

Viewers:
Paul Gabler
Thomas Ott
George Kehler.

Jul 7 Dec 85

Colt. Mearns for the Banker 1.00

Banker

13th January 1886 Confirmed nisi
Road and confirmed nisi road ordered
to be of usual 30 ft. width

April 6. 1886. Confirmed Absolutely
By the Court
By the Court

To the honorable the Judges within named,

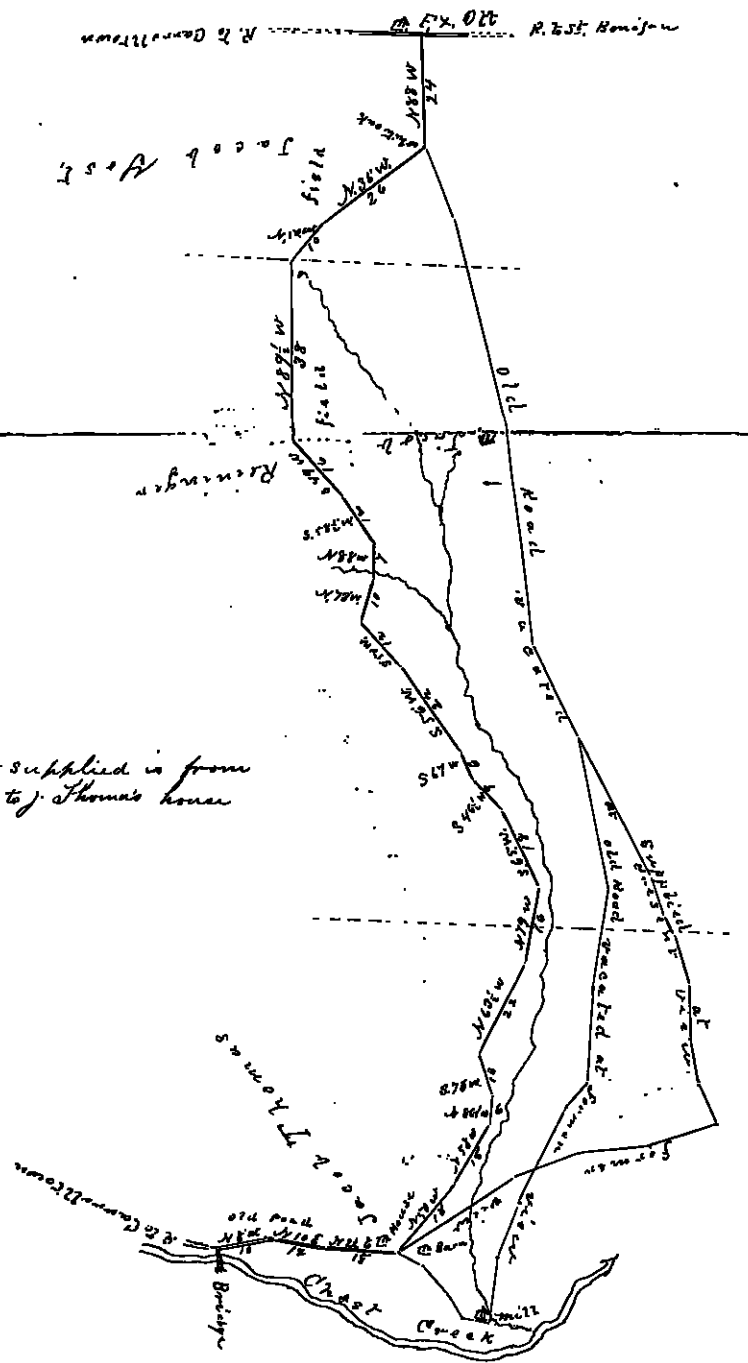
We the undersigned persons appointed by the within order of Court to review vacate and supply the road therein mentioned respectfully report. That having been present at the view of the ground proposed for such road and having all been first sworn in pursuance of the said order we have viewed and laid out and do return for public use the following road; Beginning at a point on the road leading from St. Boniface to Carrolltown near the hotel of St. X. Ott thence by old road North eighty eight degrees East, twenty four rods to a point near a small white oak. From this point we vacate all that part of the old road not vacated by former viewers and also that part supplied by them to a point in the road near the residence of Jacob Thomas, on account of heavy grades and rocky ground over which it passes.

We supply the same by the following. From the said point near the small white oak through field of Jacob Yost South thirty six degrees east twenty six rods. South fifty degrees east ten rods thence through field of Jacob Keininger South eighty nine degrees east thirty eight rods. Thence through unimproved land of same North forty six degrees east sixteen rods, North fifty eight and one half degrees east twelve rods South eighty eight degrees east seven rods. South seventy three degrees east ten rods. North fifty degrees east twelve rods. North fifty six degrees east twenty two rods. North sixty seven degrees east six rods. North forty six and one half degrees east nine rods. North sixty five degrees east eighteen rods. South seventy nine degrees east sixteen rods. Thence through unimproved land of Jacob Thomas South sixty three and one half degrees east twenty two rods North seventy

five degrees east ten rods South eighty six and one half
degrees east six rods. Thence through improved land of same
South fifty eight degrees east fifteen rods and South fifty
degrees east eighteen rods to a point in the old road near the
dwelling house of Jacob Thomas. Thence by said road South
two degrees west fifteen rods South ten degrees west twelve
rods and South eight degrees east ten rods to the bridge
crossing Cheat Creek. ^{the} ~~the~~ plot or draft whereof is hereto
annexed. Which said road as aforesaid supplied is of
uniform grade throughout and therefore the lightest grade
possible between those points which it connects and we are
of opinion that the same is necessary for a public road.
We further report that having asked the land-holders along
said route for their release from damages which the
said road may cause to them and all having refused
to release the same, we have after due consideration assessed
damages as follows To Jacob Goat forty five Dollars
To Jacob Keiminger fifty Dollars. To Jacob Thomas
fifteen Dollars

Witness our hands this 16 day of November A.D. 1885.

Paul Galtner
Thomas Ott
George Kilb



Note the part supplied is from small white oak to J. Thomas house

Time

Paul Yarger	surveyor	2	days
Thomas Ott	} viewers	1	day
George Kibler			
Conrad Yarger	chain man	1	day
Michael Thomas	" "	1	day
Jacob Thomas	axe man	1	day