

1 To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of Quarter
2 Sessions for the County of Cumberland

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4 The petition of H. W. Story Burgess of the Borough
5 of Johnston and the Town Council of said Borough
6 respectfully represents that the Town Council of said
7 Borough on the day of October 1885 passed the
8 following ordinance viz:

9 Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Town
10 Council of the Borough of Johnston and it is hereby
11 ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

12 Section I. That the public street in the Fifth Ward
13 extending from the westerly side of Thomas' alley
14 to Morris street shall be and it is hereby declared
15 to be forty (40) feet wide and shall be known as Water
16 street; the southerly line to be along and adjoining
17 the property line of the several property owners as now
18 established; the northerly line to be parallel with and
19 forty (40) feet north of said southerly line; the sidewalks
20 on said street shall be nine (9) feet wide.

21 Section II. The said public street, extending from
22 the westerly side of Morris street to the borough
23 line near the public road leading to the old Mill
24 creek Province, shall be and it is hereby declared to
25 be forty-six (46) feet wide and known as Water
26 street; the southerly line of said street to be along
27 and adjoining the property line of the several prop-
28 erty-owners as at present established; the northerly
29 line to be parallel with and forty-six (46) feet north
30 of said southerly line; the width of the sidewalks
31 shall be twelve and one half (12½) feet on the

1 southerly side and six (6) feet on the northerly
2 side of said street.

3 Section III. That all ordinances of said borough
4 relating to streets and sidewalks be and the
5 same are hereby extended to and over said street.

6 Section IV. That all ordinances and parts of
7 ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance
8 be and the same are hereby repealed so far as the
9 same relate to this street.

10 Passed in Council Oct 25, 1885-

11 Alex Kennedy, President

12 J. H. Fisher Clerk

13 Approved Oct 25, 1885-

14 H. W. Story Burgess

15 Your petitioner therefore prays your Honors
16 to appoint seven disinterested freeholders of
17 said borough, who, after being duly sworn and
18 affirmed to perform their duties under the act
19 of Assembly in such case made and provided
20 with impartiality and fidelity, shall proceed to
21 view the premises described in said ordinance or
22 petition, having regard to both the advantages
23 and disadvantages caused to the several prop-
24 erties along the line of and adjoining said Water
25 street and shall assess and allow to all persons
26 injured thereby such damages as they shall have
27 sustained over and above all advantages; and who
28 shall also make assessments for contributions
29 upon all such properties as shall be benefited
30 by fixing the width of said street such sums
31 respectively as they may have been benefited

1 over and above all disadvantages; and said
2 viewers shall make a report of their proceedings
3 in writing to the next session of said board, de-
4 scribing the properties upon which assessments
5 have been made, specifically stating whether
6 for contributions or for damages, with the amount
7 respectively; and, as a duty found your petitioners
8 will ever pray etc.

W. C. STORY

Burgess of the Borough of Johnston

12 Carver's County, ss

13 Before me a Justice of the Peace in and
14 for said County personally came H. W. Story
15 Burgess of the Borough of Johnston, the petitioner
16 above named, who being duly sworn according
17 to law, with truth the facts set forth in the fol-
18 lowing petition, came to the best of his knowledge
19 and belief, true and correct as therein stated.

W. C. STORY

21 Sworn and subscribed before me this 7th
22 day of December A. D. one thousand eight hundred
23 and eighty five.

25 John S. Fisher
26 Justice of the Peace

Nov 22 December Decisions 1885

Petition of H. W. Story Burgess
of the Borough of Philadelphia for
the appointment of a receiver to
manage and control the property of
the said petitioner for and on behalf of
the said petitioner, caused by filing
the writ of Writ of Habeas Corpus
with a writ of Habeas Corpus

And on or between 7. a. d. 1885
the within petition read and
the following named persons
appeared in person,

- A. M. Gregg,
- Wm. L. Lewis,
- Robert Stewart,
- Thomas Lane,
- Robert Pennell,
- James G. Murphy,
- W. G. Gandy,

By the court,
John J. ... 1885

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To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of
Quarter Sessions for the County of Cumberland.

We the undersigned, assessors appointed by the Court
of Quarter Sessions of Cumberland County to assess
damages and several contributions by reason of
fixing the width of Water street in the Borough of
Jubbs town in pursuance of the several orders of said
Court, do report that after being duly sworn and
affirmed according to law to perform our duties
under the act of the General Assembly to incorpo-
rate boroughs, and its supplements, with faithful-
ity and fidelity, did, after having given all the
property owners along and adjoining the lines of said
street proper notice annexed hereto marked "Exhibit
A" and made part of this report, proceed, on Wednesday
the 17th day of February A. D. 1856, at 10 o'clock A. M. to
view the premises described in said order of Court
and found that the fixing of the width of said
street did not take away further portions of the lots
of ground along and adjoining the lines of said street,
all of which said lots of ground are more particularly
described on a plan or map of said street which is
hereto annexed, marked "Exhibit B" and made part
of this report; and having regard for both the advantages
and disadvantages caused the several properties
along the lines of and adjoining said Water
street, do find that none of said properties have
sustained any damages over and above the advan-
tages caused by fixing the width of said Water
street and therefore do not assess and allow the

Cambria County Ss.

At a Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, held at Ebensburg in and for said County on Monday the Seventh day of December A.D. 1885, before the Honorable

Judges of said Court: The petition of the Burgess of Johnstown, Borough and the Town Council of said Borough respectfully represents that the Town Council of said Borough on the - day of October 1885, passed the following ordinance viz: "Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Johnstown and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

Section 1. That the public street in the Fifth Ward extending from the westerly side of Thomas' alley to Morris Street shall be and it is hereby declared to be forty (40) feet wide, and shall be known as State Street, the southerly line to be along and adjoining the property line of the several property owners as now established: the northerly line to be parallel with and forty (40) feet north of said southerly line: the side walks on said street shall be nine (9) feet wide. Section 2.

The said public street, extending from the westerly side of Morris street to the Borough line near the public road leading to the old Mill Creek Furnace, shall be and it is hereby declared to be forty-six (46) feet wide and known as State Street: the southerly line of said street to be along and adjoining the prop-

erty line of the several property-owners as it present established: the northerly line to be parallel with and forty-six (46) feet north of said southerly line. The width of the sidewalks shall be twelve and one half (12½) feet on the southerly side and six (6) feet on the northerly side of said street. Section 3, That all ordinances of said Borough relating to streets and sidewalks be and the same are hereby extended to and over said street. Section 4. That all ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed so far as the same relate to this street. Your petitioner therefore prays your Honors to appoint seven disinterested freeholders of said Borough, who, after being duly sworn or affirmed to perform their duties under the Act of Assembly in such case made and provided, with impartiality, and fidelity shall proceed to view the premises described in said ordinance or petition, having regard to both the advantages and disadvantages caused to the several properties along the line of and adjoining said Water Street, and shall assess and allow to all persons injured thereby such damages as they shall have sustained over and above all advantages; and who shall also make assessment for contributions upon all such properties as shall be benefited by fixing the width of said street, such sums respectively as they may have been benefited over and above all disadvantages; and said viewers shall make a report of their proceedings in writing to the next session of said Court

describing the properties upon which assessments have been made, specifically stating whether for contributions, or for damages with the accounts respectfully. The Court upon due consideration had of the premises appointed A. M. Gregg, H. C. Lewis, Jacob Swank, Thomas Torr, Jacob Ford, James J. Murphy and C. Zang as receivers, who after giving due and legal notice of the time and place of meeting, shall proceed to view the premises and make a full report of their proceedings as herein prayed for, to the next Court of Quarter Sessions of said County, and in which report they shall state distinctly that they had been sworn or affirmed according to law

By the Court.

H. A. Shainaker,

Clerk, Q. S.

No. 2. December Dec. 1855.

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water sheet in the right
hand of Johnson's Brewery.

Names:

- J. M. Gregg.
- H. G. Lewis
- Georg Donk
- Thomas Jones
- Jacob Sand
- James J. Murphy
- Ed. Jones

Pro. Steamship \$1.50

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1 To Cambria Iron Co. Jos Morgan Jr. Drimbutledge. C. Schmale,
 2 Jos Thomas. Mrs Ann Parker, David Lovely, Jacob Trefts,
 3 David Good, Dr Overdorf, Mr Ellick, Beaman Steins.
 4 Adams. J Boyle. Mrs Byrdy. Chas C. Fisher. Morley Steins. Whinn
 5 Banner. B. E. Homer. H. G. Yeber. Alf Kealy. Baptist Church. Jos Benton.

6 You are hereby notified that the undersigned
 7 have been appointed viewers, by the board of County
 8 Sessions for the County of Cambria, to view and
 9 assess damages and award contributions for
 10 advantages and disadvantages caused by
 11 fixing the width of Water streets in the Fifth Ward
 12 of Johnstown Borough, and for the purpose of
 13 discharging said duties will meet on the said
 14 premises on Wednesday February 17 1886, at 10 o'clock
 15 A. M. when and where you can attend if you
 16 see proper.

17 Witnesses our hands and seals this Friday
 18 of February A. D. 1886

19 A. M. Gregg Seal
 20 W. Lewis Seal
 21 Jacob Swank Seal
 22 Thomas Gore Seal
 23 of a col. friend Seal
 24 James J. Murphy Seal
 25 Elmer Seal
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 28 "Exhibit A"
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Handwritten notes: "1/2 note" and "Keep copy"

1 Feb 12th 1886

2 Served by copy left with the following
3 named, personally. Mrs Ann Barker, David Lively, Jacob
4 Trefts, David Good, Dr Overdoff, Others and Bannier
5 B. S. Homer, A. G. Lyber, Jno Benton, Irvin Rutledge, Conrad
6 Schmable, John Thomas, Chas. C. Fisher, Alf Stedop per J. M. H. Capt

7 Feb 11th 1886

8 Served by ^{copy} left on the premises of the
9 following persons, J. H. Adams, Beam Hiers, A. J. Boyle
10 Mrs Byrdy.

11 Feb 12th 1886

12 Served by copy left at the following named
13 residence with an adult member of the family.
14 Joseph Morgan Jr. William Slick. Morley Hiers,
15 on Cambridge Co by copy left with S. R. S. Ellis assistant
16 Manager, Baptist Church, Copy left with Rev
17 Henry Collesser, Pastor of the Church.

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21 Do Answer.

22 Jno. S. Harris
23 High Constable
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1886 December Accidents 1886

Return of Officers appointed
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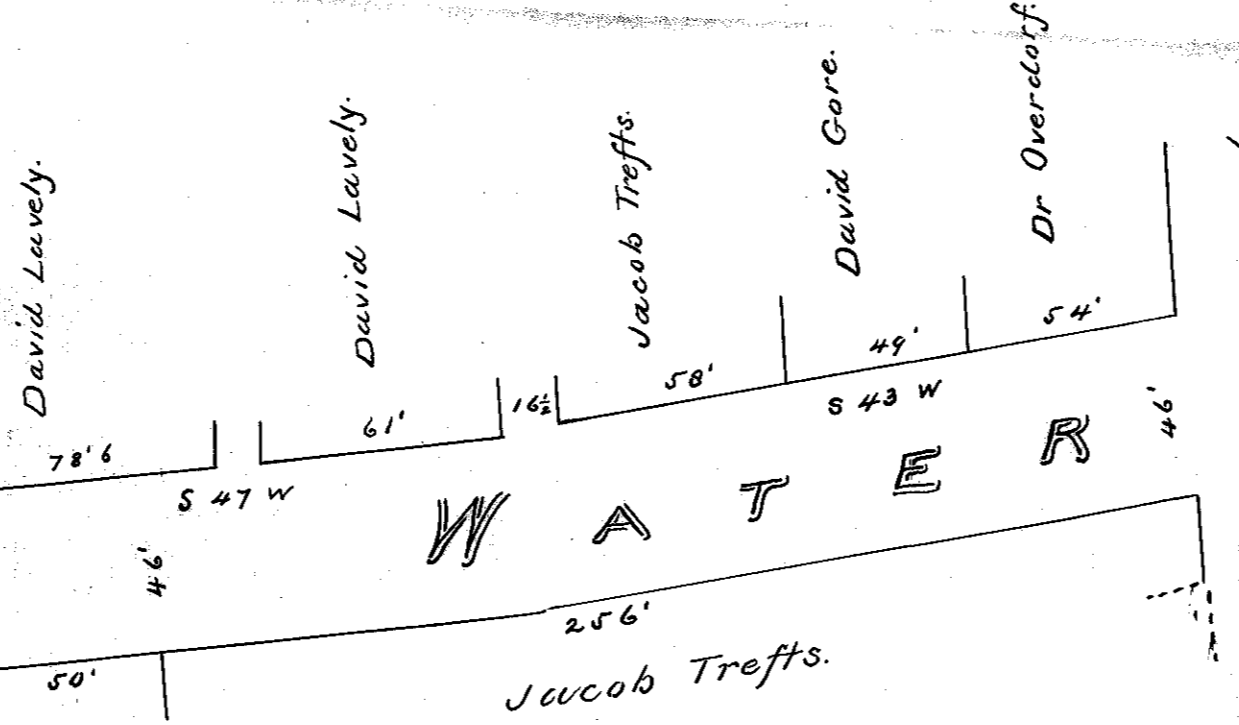
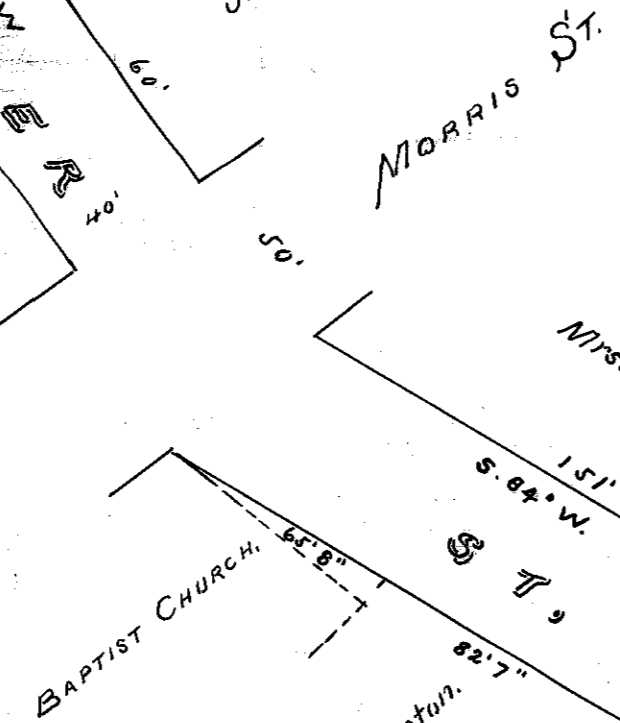
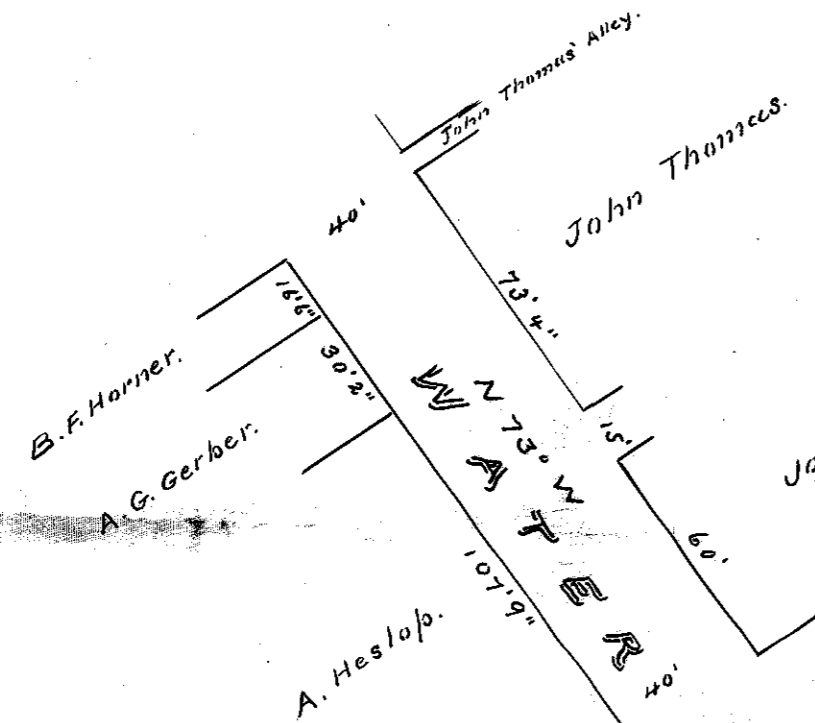
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Mar. 1. 1886 Confined
By the Court

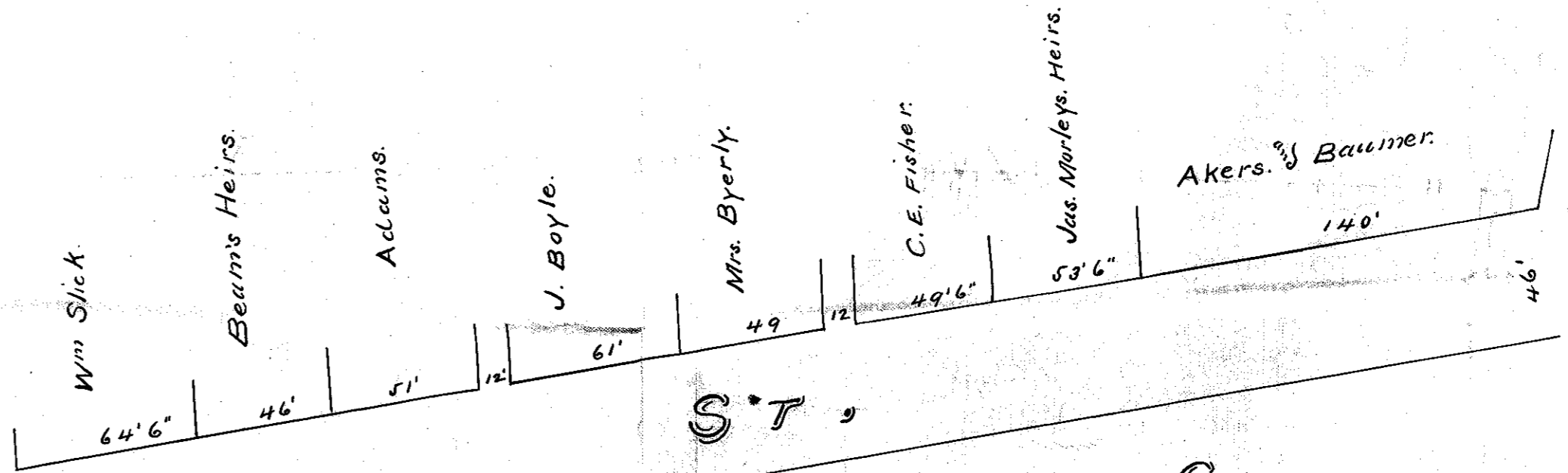
Sued Mar 1. 1886.

Aug. 3. 1886. Confined Absolutely.
By the Court

Robert



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CAMBRIA IRON CO.

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ROAD TO MILL CREEK.

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