

To the Honorable A. V. Barker,
President Judge of the Court of
Quarter Sessions of Cambria County.

The Petition of the undersigned inhabitants of the
Township of Clearfield respectfully represents:

That they labor under inconvenience for want of a
public road, to begin in a public road leading from Eckenrode's
Mill to the Borough of Chest Springs, at or near the residence
of *Jacob Eckenrode*, and to end in a public
road leading from said Eckenrode's Mill to the Borough of
Patton, about one thousand (1,000) feet in a northerly direc-
tion from a point where the said road to Chest Springs inter-
sects with the road leading from Eckenrode's Mill to the Bor-
ough of Patton in the Township of Clearfield.

The petitioners, therefore, pray the Court to ap-
point three persons, qualified according to law, to view the
ground proposed for such road, and, if they should see occa-
sion to lay out the same, to inquire of and vacate that part
of said public road leading from Eckenrode's Mill to Chest
Springs Borough, and that part of said public road leading
from Eckenrode's Mill to the Borough of Patton, between the
points mentioned above as the beginning and the ending of the
proposed public road in the said Township of Clearfield,

which parts of the last mentioned roads will, by reason of the laying out of the proposed road, become useless; and make report of their proceedings at the next Term of said Court.

And they will ever pray, etc.

Names

G. W. Cassidy
N. A. Mellow
H. S. Buck
W. P. Jackson
Silas Dodson
Robert Cassidy
Joseph Darlegan
William Sizinger
Michael Karheim
Frank Harting
Joseph Cochran
James Riley
W. F. Reilly

Names

David Lloyd
M. J. Robinson
Valentine Buck
John McMilligan
Gus E. Saldinger
James Mellow
Paul Lamerick
Peter Johnson
Cyrille Decker
John Saltalimer
Beech Creek Coal & Coke Co.
Supt. R. E. & E. Dept.
James Mellow

To 5th Septerm 1901 Pat.

P E T I T I O N

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Of inhabitants of Clearfield
Township for public road, to
begin in a public road leading
from Eckenrode's Mill to Chest
Springs, and to end in a pub-
lic road leading from Ecken-
rode's Mill to Patton.

Filed 11 Nov 1901

Nov 11, 1901 petition
read and

J. S. Elder
E. A. Dunagan
Jas. E. Malough
appointed viewers
By the Court.

Evans & Leach.

ROAD NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the viewers appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions to view the ground for a public road to lead from the public road leading from Echeurodes Mill to Chest Springs near the residence of Jacob Echeurodes and to end in the public road leading from Echeurodes Mill to Patton, about 100 feet in a westerly direction from where the road to Chest Springs intersects with the road leading from Echeurodes Mill to Patton in Clearfield Township.

will meet at the house of Jacob Echeurodes in the township of Clearfield aforesaid, on the 25th day of November 1901, at 9 o'clock A.M., for the purpose of viewing said ground.

November 14, 1901.

J. Elder
E. R. Dunegan
James E. McGough
Viewers.

Service of Notice accepted for the Co. Comrs
J. W. C. Galt
Nov. 15, 1901

To the Honorable A. V. Barker, President
Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions
of Cambria County, Pa.

We, the undersigned viewers appointed
by the annexed order, respectfully report
that in pursuance thereof, after
having been severally duly sworn or
affirmed to perform our duties impartially
and to the best of our judgment, and
having given due public notice as required
by law, and having served copies of said
notice upon the Supervisors and County
Commissioners, all the viewers appointed
by said order viewed the ground mentioned
therein, and have vacated the following
road for the reason of its being burdensome
and dangerous on account of the
railroad, Beginning at a point
on the road leading from Chest Springs
to Patton near the former residence of
Jacob Eckenrode thence south seventy
seven degrees, forty five minutes west,
four hundred and fifty three feet,
thence south thirty eight degrees thirty
minutes east eighteen feet, thence north
seventy three degrees thirty minutes west
three hundred and twenty two feet,
thence north thirty seven degrees west
two hundred and ten feet, thence

north fourteen degrees, forty five minutes
 east, six hundred and fifty three feet
 to a point about one thousand feet from where
 the road from Chest Springs intersects with
 the road leading from Eckenrodes Mill to
 Patton. And has supplied the following
 road, beginning at the aforesaid point near
 the former residence of Jacob Eckenrode, thence
 north eighty seven degrees, fifteen minutes
 west four hundred and forty four feet, thence
 north fifty eight degrees west, one hundred and
 forty four feet, thence north forty one degrees, thirty
 minutes west one hundred and fifty seven feet
 thence north sixteen degrees, fifteen west, sixty
 eight feet, thence north one degree west, five
 hundred feet. The above road as aforesaid laid
 out, in all of the opinion is necessary for
 a public road and we recommend the same.
 said road passes through lands of Roselia
 Litzinger's heirs and one hundred dollars
 damage was awarded to the same.

A plot or draft of the road is hereto attached,
 Witness our hands this the twenty ninth
 day of November A.D. 1901.

J. L. Elder	2 days	\$2.00
"	mileage	1.40
James E. McConary	1 day	2.00
"	mileage	1.10
E. R. P. ...	1 day	2.00
"	"	.80
Prothonotary ...	Chancery	1.50
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		15.80

J. L. Elder
 James E. McConary
 E. R. P. ...

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
County of Cambria. } ss.

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Cambria held at Ebensburg in the said County, on the Eleventh day of November A. D. 1901, before the Honorable Judge of the said Court: Upon the petition of divers inhabitants of the Township of Clearfield, in the said County, setting forth that they labor under inconvenience for want of a public road or highway, to lead from a public road leading from Eckenrode's Mill to the Borough of Chest Springs, at or near the residence of Jacob Eckenrode, and to end in a public road leading from said Eckenrode's Mill to the Borough of Patton, about one thousand (1,000) feet in a northerly direction from a point where the said road to Chest Springs intersects with the road leading from Eckenrode's Mill to the Borough of Patton in the Township of Clearfield.

If viewers agree to lay out said road then petitioners pray to inquire of and vacate that part of said road leading from Eckenrode's Mill to Chest Springs Borough, and that part of said public road leading from Eckenrode's Mill to the Borough of Patton, between the points mentioned above as the beginning and the ending of the proposed public road in the said Township of Clearfield, which parts of the last mentioned roads will, by reason of the laying out of the proposed road, become useless

and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to -- view and lay out, and vacate the same according to law. The Court upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint

J. L. Elder SURVEYOR, and

E. R. Dunegan and Jas. E. McGough

and vacation.

VIEWERS, to --- view the ground proposed for said road, and if they -- view the same, and shall agree that there is occasion for such road, they shall 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 desires of the petitioners, and that they make a 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 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.

And also report as to the vacating of the above mention road.

By the Court.

Attest:

A. W. Davis, Clerk.

NOTE. "It shall be the duty of all persons appointed in the several counties of this Commonwealth to view and review any public or private road or bridge, if they shall decide in favor of locating said road or bridge, to endeavor to procure from the person or persons over whose land such location may be made releases from all claims for damages that might arise from the opening of such road or the building of such bridge; and in every case where said viewers shall fail to procure such releases, and it shall appear to them that any damages will be sustained, it shall be their duty to assess the damages and make report thereof signed by a majority of their number, and return the same, together with all releases obtained, to the Court of Quarter Sessions, and the damages so assessed shall be conclusive, or may be subject to appeal, review or modification, as may be provided by existing laws in the different counties of this Commonwealth."

"The persons appointed as aforesaid shall view such ground, and if they shall agree that there is occasion for a road, they shall 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."

"The viewers, as aforesaid, shall make report, at the next term of said Court, and in the said report shall state particularly: first, who of them were present at the view; second, whether they were severally sworn or affirmed; third, whether the road desired be necessary for a public or private road; they shall also annex and return to the Court a plot or draft thereof, stating the courses and distances, and noting briefly the improvements through which it may pass; and, whenever practicable, the viewers shall lay out the said roads at an elevation not exceeding five degrees (except at the crossing of ravines and streams), where, by moderate filling and bridging, the declination of the road may be preserved within that limit."

No. 5 SEPTEMBER SESSION, 1901.

Order to -- view vacate and supply a road in Clearfield Twp.

Report of Viewers filed 3 Dec 1901

J. L. Elder
E. R. Dunegan
Jas. E. McGough

Viewers

Clerk Davis for Attys 90 cts.

Evans & Leech

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*And now Jan. 27, 1902 approved and breadth fixed at thirty feet. By the Court
11 June 1902 Confirmed.
C. C. Groffell Clerk*

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