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IN THE COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY, PA.

To the Honorable Francis J. O'Connor, President Judge of said Court,--

The petition of the undersigned respectfully represent:-

That they are citizens and residents of Portage Township, Cambria County; That they labor under great inconvenience by reason of the steep grade on a certain public road in said township, beginning at a point near Martindale on said road and extending from thence to a point at or near the salt blocks on said public road.

Your petitioners, therefore, pray your Honorable Court to appoint suitable persons to view said road and vacate that portion between the aforementioned points in said public road and lay out a new road, and assess damages and benefits, according to law; and they will ever pray, etc.

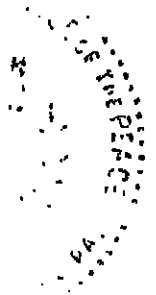
State of Pennsylvania |
County of Cambria | SS:

Before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for the Borough of Portage, said County and State, personally came William Burret, one of the foregoing petitioners, who being duly sworn according to law, doth depose and say that the facts set forth in the above and foregoing petition are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of September A. D. 1906.

Joseph C. Lauffer
Justice of the Peace

William Burret



OFFICE OF THE JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
PORTAGE, CAMBRIA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
AUG 13 1906

To

August R. John

Charles Manjus

Jacob Kritzburger

Supervisors of Portage Twp. Cambria Co.

You are hereby respectfully notified that a petition will be presented to the Court of Quarter Sessions for Cambria County on Monday, September 17th, A. D. 1906, asking for the vacation of the public road between Martindale and a point commonly known as the Salt Blocks, and the laying out of a new road to avoid the steep grade between the two points.

Now August 31st, 1906, we the Supervisors for Portage Township, hereby accept notice of the intention to present the aforementioned petition.

August R. John

Charles Manjus

Jacob Kritzburger

to be Sept Term 1906. R.D.

No. In the Court of Quarter Sessions for Cambria County.

Petition of citizens and residents of Portage Township for the vacation of a portion of a public road in said Township, and the laying of a new road in place thereof.

Filed 17 September, 1906

And now, September 17th, 1906, the within petition presented and duly considered, whereupon

A. J. Hyde
.....
E. S. Henry and
David Swankhaub

are appointed viewers as prayed for.

By the Court
.....
Pres. Judge

Alvin S. Herbine

Attorney at Law,
JOHNSTOWN, PA.

W. B. ...
 J. B. ...
 Arthur H. ...
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 A. J. ...
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 John H. ...
 William ...
 Lewis ...
 Louis M. ...
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Plumier

Dr. Etienne

William B. Bate

Chas. H. ...

George ...

Wagon

Jacob Bickelmann

Fred Abille 5'6"

Fred ...

etc

NO. 6 Sept. SESSION, 1906.

Order to view vacate and
supply road in Portage Ro.
Township.

Filed 7 November, 1906.

Viewers.
A. T. Hyde.
E. S. Henry.
David Brookbank.

Clerk Trovelli 90 cts.
Sherbine.

To the Honorable Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions,

In the matter of the view of a proposed new location of a township from a point near East Martindale in the public road leading from Portage and Puritan to Salt Blocks to a point in said road near Salt Blocks, and the vacation of said road, as at present located, between said points :

The undersigned, appointed viewers in the above mentioned matter, after giving notice of the time place and object of said view and having been duely sworn and having been together upon the ground at the time appointed and having viewed said proposed new location and the part of the road proposed to be vacated, have agreed, and do respectfully report that there is occasion for said road in the proposed new location, and we have laid out the same, having respect to the shortest distance and the best ground for a road, in such manner as shall do the least injury to private property, and agreeably to the desires of the petitioners, which location is particularly described as follows :

Beginning at a stake in the public road leading from Portage and Puritan through East Martindale to Salt Blocks, said stake standing 15 ft. west of the east line of Martin Av. in East Martindale, and 215 ft. south of the center of Storm St., thence running S 20° 30' W 223 ft., S 23° 20' E 306 ft., S 4° 15' W 230 ft., S 14° E 75 ft., S 23° 30' E 185 ft., S 30° 30' E 170 ft., S 26° E 174 ft., S 42° 30' E 135 ft., S 54° 30' E 145 ft., S 57° 45' E 172 ft., S 65° E 110 ft., S 49° 45' E 115 ft., S 32° E 97 ft., S 28° 15' E 149 ft. to a point in said road as now located where a private road branches off leading to the end of the Martins Branch Rail Road.

We have further agreed that in case the new located road as aforesaid is made public there is no further occasion for the present road from the point where the new location leaves it, to the point where it rejoins it, which portion to be vacated is particularly described as follows :

Beginning at a stake in said road which stands 15 ft. west of the east line of Martin Av. in East Martindale and 215 ft. south of the center of Storm St., thence running S 41° 30' E 220 ft., S 26° 30' E 612 ft., S 36° E 328 ft., S 27° 30' E 281 ft., S 57° 30' E 282 ft., S 13° 30' E 195 ft., S 2° W 214 ft. to a point in the road as now located where a private road branches off leading to the end of the Martins Branch Rail Road.

Both of the above described lines are shown on the accompanying map.

We further represent that the new located road is all on easy grades not to exceed, when completed, 4% and that the old location leads unnecessarily over a high hill, having in going southward 100 feet of 9% grade on slippery rock and 900 feet of 8% grade, and going northward a 5% grade, the former being prohibitive of full loads in that direction, and causing much loss and inconvenience to the traveling public.

Viewers

A. J. Hyde
.....
Surveyor.

E. S. Henry
.....

David Brookbank
.....

Costs of Viewers

A. J. Hyde surveyor	2 days @ 4 ⁰⁰	8 ⁰⁰	3 ⁰⁰ miles	18 ⁰⁰
E. S. Henry viewer	1 day @ 2 ⁰⁰	2 ⁰⁰	3 ⁰⁰ miles	18 ⁰⁰
David Brookbank "	1 day 2 ⁰⁰	2 ⁰⁰	"	18 ⁰⁰

N O T I C E O F V I E W .

The undersigned, viewers, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County to view public road at a point beginning near Martindale on said Road and extending from thence to a point at or near the "salt blocks" on said road, and vacate that portion between the aforementioned points in said public road and lay out a new road and assess damages and benefits according to law, here by give notice that we will meet at in the Township of Portage, on the ... day of November, at ten o'clock A. M. for the purposes of performing the duties of said appointment, when and where all persons interested are invited to attend.

A. T. Hyde, Surveyor

E. S. Henry

David Brookbank,

Viewers.

Monday November, 12, 1906.

Notice of View.

The undersigned, viewers, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions for Cambria County to view Public Road at a point, beginning near Martindale on said road and extending from thence to a point at or near the "Salt Blocks" on said road, and vacate that portion between the aforementioned points in said public road and lay out a new road and assess damages and benefits according to law, hereby give notice that we will meet for the purpose of performing said duty at *Martindale*....., in the Township of Portage, on the *26* day of November, at ten o'clock A. M., when and where all persons interested are invited to attend.

A. J. Hyde.....
....., Surveyor

D. Brookbank.....

E. S. Henry.....
..... Viewers.

To Charles Leventry, Conrad Hahn and John Owens,

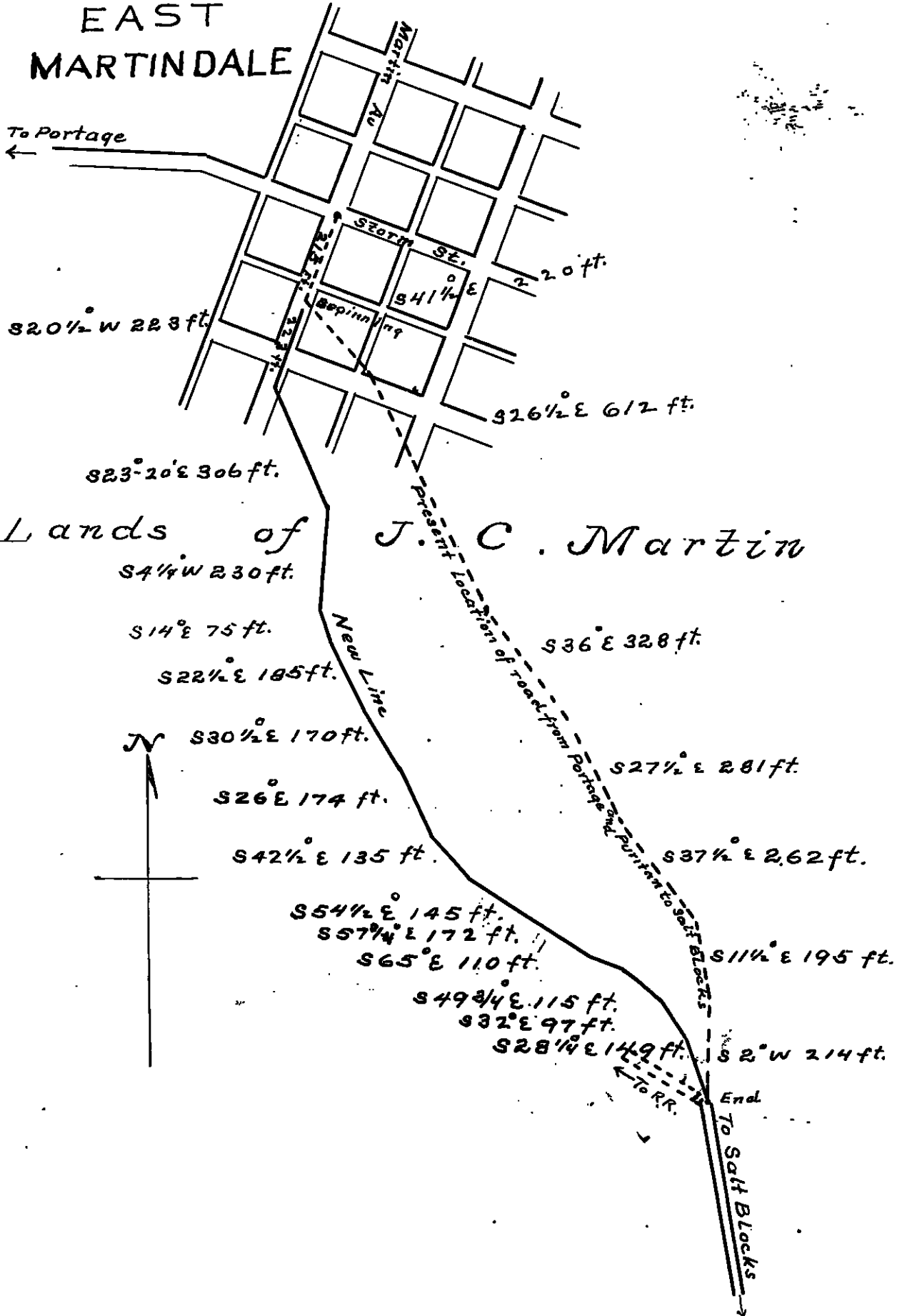
Commissioners for Cambria County.

Now, November *22*"....., A.D., 1906, notice of the above view is hereby accepted.

J. P. Schuman.....
Clemis

EAST MARTINDALE

To Portage ←



Lands of J. C. Martin

$S 4^{\circ} W$ 230 ft.

$S 14^{\circ} E$ 75 ft.

$S 22^{\circ} E$ 185 ft.

$S 30^{\circ} E$ 170 ft.

$S 26^{\circ} E$ 174 ft.

$S 42^{\circ} E$ 135 ft.

$S 54^{\circ} E$ 145 ft.

$S 57^{\circ} E$ 172 ft.

$S 65^{\circ} E$ 110 ft.

$S 49^{\circ} E$ 115 ft.

$S 32^{\circ} E$ 97 ft.

$S 28^{\circ} E$ 149 ft.

$S 2^{\circ} W$ 214 ft.



To RR.

End

To Salt Blocks

In the Court of Quarter Sessions
for Cambria County.

No. 6 September Sessions, 1906.

Report of Viewers, appointed
to view a public road, beginning
at a point near Martindale, and
extending from thence to a point
at or near the Salt Blocks on
said road in Portage Township,
and vacate said road between
said points, and lay out a new
road.

Filed 27 November, 1906.

Sherbine.

August 6, 1907, approved and breadth fixed at
thirty feet,
25 Jan'y 1908 Confirmed
By the Court