

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that Embry Weckland
and C. Otto of the Township of Elder, County of
Cambria, and State of Pennsylvania, are held and firmly bound unto the
County of Cambria, in the sum of fifty dollars lawfully money of the
United States of America; to which payment well and truly to be made
they do bind themselves, their heirs, executors, administrators and as-
signs, and each and every of them firmly by these presents. Sealed
with their seals and dated the First day of June A.D. 1908.

WHEREAS the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County has
upon petition of certain citizens of the Township of Elder, appointed
re-viewers to view the ground and determine upon the necessity for a
public road to lead from a point on the public road passing through
the Village of Swedetown, at or near the house of Lewis Benauer, to a
point on the public road leading from St. Bonifacius to Lentzy's Mills
near the house of George Yeager, in Elder Township.

NOW THEREFORE THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH that if
the said petitioners shall pay or cause to be paid into the treasury
of Cambria County the costs and fees of the re-viewers so appointed
to view said road as the Court by order may direct, then this obli-
gation to be null and void, else to be and remain in full force and
virtue.

Sealed and delivered in

presence of

[Signature]
[Signature]

WITNESSES

Embry Weckland (SEAL)

C. Otto (SEAL)

No.1 Dec. Sessions 1907
Road Docket.

In the Matter of the Appli-
cation for a public road in
Elder Township.

Bond for payment of Costs.

Filed 1 June 1908,

Kittell.

TO THE HONORABLE FRANCIS J. O'CONNOR, PRESIDENT JUDGE OF THE COURT
OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

The petition of the undersigned inhabitants of the Township
of Croyle, in said County and State, respectfully represents:

That a public road was laid out leading from a point on the road
leading from the Frankstown road to Sitman's mill at or near Isaac
Plummer's field, to the half way house on the Portage Railroad, as
shown by the proceedings thereof entered in Road Docket Vol. 1 page
240; that they labor under great inconvenience by reason of said
public road being too narrow in places, the same having been in many
places long since encroached upon, rendering the same too narrow
for the proper travel of the public.

They therefore pray your Honor to appoint proper persons
viewers to view and widen the said road. And they will etc.

Simon Schrift
T. L. Mann
R. C. Anderson
M. M. McLaugh
John Bird
Samuel Rose
T. D. Helman
Peter R. Schrift
Adrian Bey
J. W. Bierling

John B. Burkert
H. C. Over Bodensch
John S. Wilson
F. E. Plummer

Leo Hess
Levi's Hess
Robert Hess
Joseph W. Hess
John Hess
Chris Schrift
Michael Weingart

Cambria County, ss.

Simon Schrift *P. J. Maus*
W. M. McLaughh

being duly sworn says that the matters

set forth in the foregoing petition are true and correct, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Sworn and subscribed before me
this *1st* day of ~~Feb~~ *Mar* 1908

Simon Schrift
P. J. Maus
W. M. McLaughh

Alfred Schofield
J.P.

No. 1 ~~June~~ ^{March} Sessions, 1908.

Petition of inhabitants of Croyle Township for the appointment of viewers for the widening of a road in said township leading from a point on the road leading from the Frankstown road to Sitman's mill at or near Isaac Plummer's field, to the half way house on the Portage Railroad.

Filed 2 March, 1908,

And now, March 2nd, 1908 the within petition read and considered, and the Court appoint

J. A. Elder Jr., A. A. McLaughlin

W. H. Cornell, W. J. Terrey

M. A. Chesby and George Gandy

viewers to inquire into the propriety of granting the prayer of said petition.

Spickard

Kittell.

TO THE HONORABLE FRANCIS J. O'CONNOR, PRESIDENT JUDGE OF THE COURT OF
QUARTER SESSIONS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

The undersigned viewers appointed by your Honor as shown by the annexed order to view a road in the Township of Croyle, in said County of Cambria leading from a point on the road leading from the Frankstown road to Sitman's Mills, at or near Isaac Plummer's field, to the half way house on the Portage Railroad in said Township of Croyle, and to report to the Court upon the matter of widening the same, respectfully represent: That having given due notice of the time and place of meeting by posting at least 10 hand-bills in public places in the vicinity of said road prior to the time of their meeting, they met at the house of Charles and Frank Plummer in the Township of Croyle aforesaid, on the 27th day of May, 1908, at 10 o'clock A.M. to enter upon the performance of their duties, and having each been sworn to perform the duties of his appointment impartially and according to the best of his judgment, they then proceeded to view the said road, and having given said road a careful examination and investigation, and finding the same encroached upon at certain places, as shown on the draft hereto attached, they are of the opinion that said road should be widened so that it will be of the width of thirty feet at all points along said road, which road as shown on said draft is described as follows: Beginning at a stump on the road from Sitman's Mill to Jefferson about 20 perches from post of Isaac Plummer's field, thence North 48 degrees West 32 perches to an elm, thence North 60 degrees West 114 perches to a beech, North 2 degrees East 34 perches to a post, North 42 degrees West 75 perches to a post, North 59 degrees West 48 perches to a post, North 18 perches to a beech, North 32 degrees East 32 perches to a post, North 37 degrees West 20 perches to Knepper's lane, North 32 degrees West 44 perches in Knepper's lane to a post, North 35 degrees West 64 perches to a spruce, North 5 degrees East 80 perches to a post, North 12 degrees West 18 perches to a post, North 37 degrees West 50

perches across the Johnstown and Frankstown road to a post, North 67 degrees West 38 perches to a post, North 44 degrees West 16 perches to a spruce, North 25 degrees West 6 perches on a small run to a post, North 30 degrees West 26 perches to a spruce, thence North 25 degrees West 92 perches to a beech, North _____ degrees East 10 perches to a spruce, North 3 degrees East _____ perches to a post, North 18 degrees West 12 perches, North 85 degrees West 20 perches to a post, South 69 degrees West 18 perches to a post, South 30 degrees West 34 perches to the Bridge, North _____ degrees West 20 perches to Railroad at half way house. The courses and distances above given being taken from a survey of said road made at the time when it was laid out and opened and the draft hereto attached shows in courses and distances with bearings of the present date those portions of the road where said road is to be widened and shows also the number of feet said road is to be widened at each place.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. L. Elder, Jr. 2 days	10.00
mileage	1.30
Mrs. H. Cornell 1 day	3.00
mileage	1.30
George Gurley 1 day	3.00
mileage	1.30
M. D. Eberly 1 day	3.00
mileage	1.30
Mrs. J. Tierney 1 day	3.00
mileage	1.30
D. A. M'Gough 1 day	3.00
mileage	1.30

<u>J. L. Elder, Jr.</u>
<u>Wm. H. Cornell</u>
<u>George Gurley</u>
<u>M. D. Eberly</u>
<u>Wm. J. Tierney</u>
<u>D. A. M'Gough</u>
Viewers.

ROAD NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the viewers appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County, Pennsylvania, to view the ground for ~~a proposed road to lead from~~ proposed for the widening of a public road leading from a point on the road leading from the Frankstown Road to Sitman's Mills, at or near Isaac Plummer's field,

to the half way house on the Portage Railroad, in Croyle Township

will meet at the house of Charles and Frank Plummer in the Township of Croyle aforesaid, on the 27th day of May, 1908, at 10 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of performing the duties of their appointment.

J. L. Elder Jr.

D. A. McGough

William H. Connell,

William J. Tierney

M. D. Eberly,

George Gurley,

May 15th 1908

Viewers.

The undersigned, being the Supervisors
of Croyle Township, hereby accept service
of the notice of view contained within.
Witness our hands the day of
May, 1908

Simon Schuyt

F. L. Hans

J. H. ...

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May 15th 1908.

Viewers.

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
County of Cambria. } as

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Cambria held at Ebensburg, in the said County, on the 2 day of March A. D. 1908, before the Honorable Judge of the said Court: Upon the petition of divers inhabitants of the Township of Broyle, in the said County, setting forth that they labor under inconvenience for want of a road or highway, to lead from

That a public road was laid out leading from a point on the road leading from the Frankstown road to Siltman's mill at or near Isaac Plummer's field, to the half-way house on the Portage Railroad, as shown by the proceedings thereof entered in Record Docket Vol. 1 page 240; that they labor under great inconvenience by reason of said public road being too narrow in places, the same having been in many places long since encroached upon, rendering the same too narrow for the proper travel of the public

and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to ^{widen} view and lay-out the same according to law. The Court, upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint J. C. Elder, Jr. surveyor, and D. A. McLaughlin, H. Connell, Wm. J. Turner, M. D. Eberly, and George Purley viewers, to view the ground proposed for said road, and if they ^{widening of} view the same, and shall agree that there is occasion for such road, ^{widening of} 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.

By the Court.

Attest:

S. J. Knicker, 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. 1, March SESSION, 1908.

Order to view ^{Western} ~~the~~ ~~road~~ ~~in~~
 in ^{the} ~~the~~ ~~township~~
 and
 Report of Viewers

Filed & ^{open} ~~open~~ ~~at~~ ~~the~~ ~~next~~ ~~term~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~Court~~
 1908.

Viewers.
 C. E. Eldred, Jr., D. A. McLaughlin
 Wm. H. Bennett, Wm. C. Tierney
 M. D. Eberly, George S. Searcy

Clerk for duty 90 cts.
 R. H. Bell

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4 August, 1908, Approved,

By the Court.