

IN RE
CHANGE OF ROAD IN ADAMS TOWNSHIP

} IN THE COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF
CAMBRIA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.
{ NO. _____, _____ TERM, 1911.

To the Honorable Francis J. O'Connor, President Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County, Pennsylvania:-

The said petition of the undersigned inhabitants of Adams Township, Cambria County, Pennsylvania, respectfully represents:-

That under date of March 17th, A. D., 1909, pursuant to a petition presented and entered to No. 2, March Session, 1909, of the Court of Quarter Sessions, and pursuant to report of viewers filed in the said Court under date of June 14th, A. D., 1909, a public road was laid out by order of this Court on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1910, beginning at a point on the Frankstown Road, a public highway, near Lamb's bridge and a post, and ending at a point one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet from Lake bridge, said point being near Lake bridge on the Township road leading from South Fork to Lovett.

That the said road has become useless, inconvenient, burdensome and dangerous in its present location and would better and more safely accommodate the travelling public by being changed so as to begin and end at the same point, but by following a different course between the point where it now intersects Lincoln Street, in the Town of St. Michael, and the aforesaid point near Lake bridge on the Township Road leading from South Fork to Lovett.

The petitioners therefore pray the Court to inquire of and change the said road, and for such purpose to appoint three (3) persons qualified according to law to view the said road and the ground proposed for the said change as herein set forth, and to inquire of the premises and make report of their proceedings at the next Term of this Court.

Maryland Coal. Comp.
Pa

Richard J. Black

Reid Pillow

E. J. Fanner

W. M. Shank

Wm. Bainbridge

Beth Newell

W. L. Strong

State of Pennsylvania }
County of _____ } SS:

On the First day of May, A. D., 1911,
before me the subscriber, a Notary Public in and for said County,
personally came Archibald L. Black, one of the above
mentioned petitioners, who being by me duly sworn according to law
did depose and say, that the matters set forth in the above and
foregoing petition are true and correct.

Archibald L. Black

Sworn and subscribed to before
me the day and year aforesaid,
as witness my hand and Notarial
seal.

Joseph B. Ritchie
Notary Public.
Justice of Peace
My Commission Expires First Monday in Dec. 1911.

AND NOW, May 8, A. D. 1911, the petition of diverse inhabitants of the Township of Adams, Cambria Co., Pa., was presented, setting forth that they labor under greay inconvenience on account of part of a certain public road, beginning at a point on the Frankstown Road, a public highway near Lamb's Bridge and at a post, and ending at a point one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet from Lake Bridge, said point being near Lake Bridge on the Township Road leading from South Fork to Lovett, being burdensome and dangerous in its present location; and praying the Court to appoint three (3) disinterested persons, qualified according to law, to view the said road and the ground proposed for a change therein as set forth in the said petition, and to inquire into the premises and make report of their proceedings at the next term of this Court.

WHEREFORE, the Court upon due consideration do appoint

W. J. Vickroy, Elihu Koss, and
Edward J. Barber, three persons qualified as aforesaid, who after being respectively sworn or affirmed to perform their duties impartially and according to the best of their judgment, are to view the ground proposed for the said change, and if they or the majority of them agree that there is occasion for such change, they shall proceed to make the same, having respect to the shortest distance and the best ground for a road to supply the said part of the said road, and in such manner as shall do the least injury to private property; and, if practicable, the viewers, if they determine to vacate and supply the said part of the said road, shall lay out the part supplied at an elevation not exceeding five (5) degrees, except at the corssing of ravines or streams where by modern filling or bridging the declination thereof may not be preserved within this limit.

And before said view, public notice of the time and place of meeting of the viewers shall be given by advertisements put up in three or more public places of the vicinity at least ten days before said meeting, and written or printed notice of said time and place of meeting shall be given to the supervisors of the townships through which the said original road may pass at least five (5) days, and to the county commissioners at least ten (10) days before said meeting.

And said viewers shall make report at the next term of Court, stating particularly who of them were present at the view and whether they were severally sworn or affirmed, whether the desired vacation and supply be necessary, and shall annex to their report and return to the Court, a plot or draft of the said vacation and supply, stating the courses and distances, and noting briefly the improvements through which the same may pass.

If the viewers shall decide in favor of the said vacation and supply, they shall also endeavor to procure from the owners of the lands through which the same shall pass releases in writing of all claims to damages that may arise fherefrom, and if they fail to procure such releases, they shall assess the damages, if any to be done thereby, taking into consideration the advantages to be derived from the road passing through said lands, and return the same together with the releases obtained, to the Court.

By the Court

No. 9

March 28, 1911

In re:
PETITION TO CHANGE LOCATION
OF ROAD IN ADAMS TOWNSHIP,
CAMBRIA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

Beginning at a point on the
Frankstown Road, a public
highway, near Lemb's Bridge,
and at a post, and ending
at a point 122 ft. from
Lake Bridge, said point
being near Lake Bridge on
the Township Road leading
from South Fork to Lovett.

Filed 8 May, 1911.

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