

ROAD PETITION.

For L. L. Carpenter Road in Union Twp.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned petitioners, resident freeholders of said County, residing in the vicinity of the proposed improvement hereinafter described, respectfully represent that the public convenience requires the location of a County road on the line hereinafter described: and pray that your body will institute and order the proper proceedings in the premises to establish such road, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the national road opposite the south end of Carpenter's lane in the southeast quarter of section No. 15, Township No. 8, range No. 5, thence along said lane to station No. 2, being the N. W. corner of L. Carpenters, thence nearly north to a stake No. 1, on the land of Lizzie M. Hoge, thence east to a stake No. 2, on the north line of Clayton Nichols' land, thence east to a stake No. 3 on the east line of Clayton Nichols' land, thence N. E. on the land of N. B. Nichols to the S. W. corner of the land of S. Brock, thence along the west line of S. Brock's land to the N. W. corner of said farm, thence N. E. to stake No. 4 on the land of N. B. Nichols, thence to a stake No. 5, on the line between the land of N. B. Nichols and John Conard, thence to a wooden culvert on the Lafferty road about 30 rods from the N. W. corner of John Conard's land.

Dated this 17th day of November. D. 1910.

PETITIONERS' NAMES	PETITIONERS' NAMES	PETITIONERS' NAMES	PETITIONERS' NAMES
	L. L. Carpenter C. V. Eagon Calvin Pollock	G. B. Vanhorn W. J. Eagon et al	

**Know all Men by these Presents:**

That we, G. B. Vanhorn, A. O. Orison and John Dunn are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Belmont County, in the penal sum of Two hundred Dollars, for the true and faithful payment of which well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, jointly and severally, our heirs, executors and administrators, by these presents.

Sealed with our seals and dated at \_\_\_\_\_ this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_

The Conditions of the above obligations are such, That whereas application has been made to the Board of Commissioners of said Belmont County for the \_\_\_\_\_ of a \_\_\_\_\_ road on the following line, to-wit:

Now if the said applicants shall pay into the Treasury of the said County the amount of all costs and expenses accruing thereon, in case the prayer of said petitioners shall not be granted, or when the proceedings had in pursuance thereof shall not be finally confirmed and established, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to be in full force in law.

ATTEST:

SEAL.

SEAL.

SEAL.

St. Clairsville, O., Apr. 3<sup>d</sup>, 1911

The Commissioners met in \_\_\_\_\_ session at their office, and the Board being satisfied that the foregoing petition was signed by at least twelve freeholders of the County, residing in the vicinity of the \_\_\_\_\_ of said county road, and that the proper notices had been given according to law, bond filed, approved and accepted, thereupon the Board appointed Geo. E. Smith, Luther Ritchie, & G. B. Vanhorn three disinterested freeholders of the County, viewers, and Arthur Dickson surveyor of said proposed road, to meet at home of Geo. B. Vanhorn on Apr. 19, 1911 at 10 o'clock for the purpose of discharging their official duties relative to the object prayed for in the foregoing petition. And the Auditor is authorized to notify all non-resident land owners by publication, as required by law.

ATTEST:

R. D. Miller  
Clerk.

County Auditor.

Geo. M. Wise

W. N. Miller

D. M. Huntsman

Commissioners.

# Report of Viewers.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

In obedience to your order, issued at your Apr 3rd session, A. D. 1911, we the undersigned, Viewers appointed under said order, met with Arthur Dickson Surveyor, at Geo Vanhorn's on \_\_\_\_\_ and were severally sworn to discharge faithfully and impartially, the duties required of us in said order.

If any Viewer is unable to attend here state by whom the vacancy was filled.

E Shriver and Ira Nichols were selected by us as chain carriers, and Leamon Milner as a marker, who were also duly sworn.

We then proceeded to view said proposed road on the line described in your order, and caused the same to be surveyed, "as prayed for in the petition, or as near the same as in our opinion a good road can be made at a reasonable expense, taking into consideration the utility, convenience, and inconvenience and expense which will result to individuals as well as the public," by the \_\_\_\_\_ of said road as follows:

( See Surveyor's Report )

We would respectfully report that the said road ought to be opened for the following reasons:

Easy grade, good route to splendid market, altogether good outlet for farming community.

We have also determined that the public convenience requires that such road shall be established 36 feet in width.

All of which is respectfully submitted, }  
19 \_\_\_\_\_ }

Geo E. Smith  
J. N. Kennon  
Luther Ritchey } Viewers.

FEES.			
<u>Geo E. Smith</u>	Viewer,	<u>4</u> days, \$ <u>8.00</u>	<u>E Shriver</u> Chainman, <u>3</u> days, \$ _____
<u>Luther Ritchey</u>	"	<u>3</u> days, \$ <u>6.00</u>	<u>Ira Nichols</u> " <u>2</u> days, \$ <u>4.00</u>
<u>J. N. Kennon</u>	"	<u>3</u> days, \$ <u>6.00</u>	<u>S Milner</u> Marker, <u>2</u> days, \$ <u>4.00</u>
<u>Arthur Dickson</u> Surveyor,		<u>3 1/2</u> days, \$ _____	



# Separate Report of Viewers.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned, Viewers of the Road petitioned for by L. L. Carpenter and others, make the following separate report of the compensation and damages assessed and awarded by them to persons entitled thereto. The parties named below have filed their written applications for the said allowances, according to law, and the same are hereto appended and returned with this report.

Compensation for land taken for said road has been awarded in the following sums:

To <u>L. L. Carpenter</u>	<u>\$ 25 00</u>	Dollars;
To <u>Eliza Hoge</u>	<u>\$ 70 00</u>	Dollars;
To <u>B. A. Nichols</u>	<u>\$ 33 00</u>	Dollars;
To <u>Nathan B. Nichols</u>	<u>\$ 175 00</u>	Dollars;
To <u>G. S. Brock</u>	<u>\$ 28 80</u>	Dollars;
To <u>John L. Cunnard</u>	<u>\$ 34 80</u>	Dollars;
To		Dollars;
To		Dollars;

Each of the above sums has been assessed without deduction for benefits to any property of the owner, which would accrue by the opening of said road.

The following sums are allowed as damages to be paid to claimants whose premises will be rendered less valuable by the opening and construction of said road through the same:

To <u>L. L. Carpenter</u>	<u>\$ 25 00</u>	Dollars;
To <u>Lizzie M. Hoge</u>	<u>\$ 174 00</u>	Dollars;
To <u>Clayton Nichols</u>	<u>\$ 72 00</u>	Dollars;
To <u>N. B. Nichols</u>	<u>\$ 325 00</u>	Dollars;
To <u>G. S. Brock</u>	<u>\$ 53 70</u>	Dollars;
To <u>Jns. L. Cunnard</u>	<u>\$ 115 70</u>	Dollars;
To		Dollars;
To		Dollars;

*Compensation + damage*

Geo. E. Smith  
Luther Ritchey  
J. N. Kennon

Viewers and Jurors to  
award damages.

10th day of May 1911

St. Clairsville, O., June 5 1911

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the report of the Surveyor and Viewers appointed to survey and view the road, as described in the above petition, was read the first time.

ATTEST:

R. D. Stilles  
Clerk. County Auditor.

Geo. Wise

W. N. Miller

D. M. Huntsman

Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., June 6 1911

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the report of the Surveyor and Viewers appointed to survey and view the road, as described in the above petition, was read the second time.

ATTEST:

R. D. Stilles  
Clerk. County Auditor.

Geo. Wise

W. N. Miller

D. M. Huntsman

Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., June 7, 1911.

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the viewers having reported in favor of L. L. Carpenter road, the report was this day publicly read for the third time. Remonstrance was presented by C. A. Nichols et al, and owing to the financial condition of the County, further consideration of this report was deferred to some future date.

Yea. Wise, Miller, Huntsman.

Mar. 6, 1912.

The report of the viewers on the petition of L. L. Carpenter and others praying for the establishment of a road in Union Twp., having been publicly read at three different sessions, as shown by the Journal of the retiring Board of Commissioners, and referred to this Board for further action; and the viewers on said road having filed a separate report in writing of the amount of compensation and damages which they have assessed to land owners by reason of the location of said road through their several premises which report was also publicly read by the Board, and the Board being of the opinion that the compensation and damages awarded by said viewers to the several claimants, to-wit:

L. L. Carpenter	\$25.00
Clayton Nichol	\$72.00
Lizzie M. Hoge	\$174.00
N. B. Nichol	\$325.00
G. L. Brock	\$53.70
John L. Cunnard	\$115.70

are reasonable and just, that said road will be of public utility and of sufficient importance to the public to justify the payment of said compensation and damages out of the county treasury; and no petition for review being filed, it is ordered that the County Auditor draw his order upon the County Treasurer, in favor of said claimants, for the amount of compensation and damage so awarded to them, respectfully; that the several reports of the viewers, and the survey and plat of said road be recorded, and that said road be established a public highway, providing the said land-owners accept the compensation and damages awarded them by the viewers of said road.

Yea. McAllister, Koehnline, Caldwell



# Surveyor's Report.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

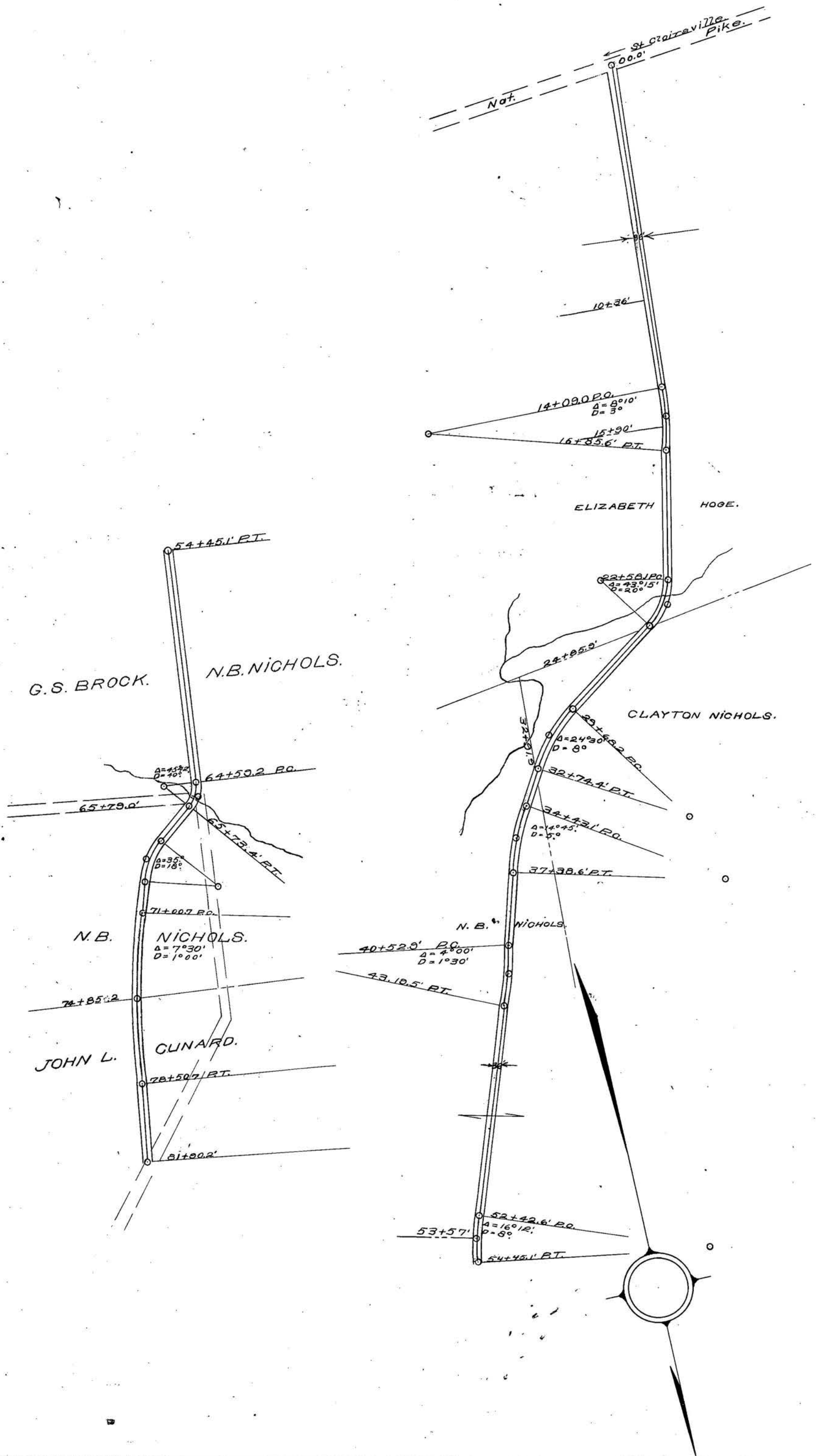
The undersigned, in obedience to your order, dated.....19....., proceeded on the..... day of..... to survey and mark the ..... described in said order, under the direction of the Viewers therein named, and respectfully submits the following return of said survey:

Sta.	Angle.	Bearing.	Description.	Remarks.
00+0		N 4° 22' E.	P.C. 3° R	To Tel. Post South of Road 47.0'
14+09.0	8° 18' L.			I.P. Fence " " " 33.2'
16+85.6		N 12° 40' E.	P.T. 138.6 T.	
22+58.1	43° 15' L.		P.C. 20° R.	P.I. 70 18" Hickory 45.2'
24+74.3		N 55° 55' E.	P.T. 113.6 T.	30" White Oak 34.8'
29+68.2	24° 30' R.		P.C. 8° L.	P.I. 6" Elm 8 11° 33' E 47.5'
32+74.4		N 31° 25' E.	P.T. 155.5 T.	
34+43.6	14° 45' R.		P.C. 5° L.	P.I. 30" Walnut N 58° 45' W 49.5'
37+38.6		N 16° 40' E.	P.T. 148.3 T.	
40+52.9	4° 00' L.		P.C. 1° 30' R.	P.I. Right to 20" Walnut 15.0'
43+19.5		N 20° 40' E.	P.T. 133.3 T.	14" " 27.0'
52+42.6	16° 12' R.		P.C. 8° L.	
54+45.1		N 4° 28' E.	P.T. 101.9 T.	
64+59.2	45° 42' R.		P.C. 40° R.	
65+73.4		N 50° 10' E.	P.T. 60.3 T.	
67+70.1	35° 00' L.		P.C. 18° L.	
69+64.5		N 15° 10' E.	P.T. 100.3 T.	
71+00.7	7° 30' L.		P.C. 1° 00' L.	P.I. 30" Walnut Beat 8 N 28° 42' W 35.5'
78+50.7		N 7° 40' E.	P.T. 375.5 T End	Take in Post Right 23.2'
81+90.2			End Length 155 M.	15.0'
				Width 36.0'

I Certify, That the above is a correct plat and return of the survey of the ..... named above.....

Surveyor of said.....

Plat of L.L. CARPENTER. Road.



ROAD PETITION.

For Paul Stropka Road in Wheeling & Colerain Twp.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

We, the undersigned, being twelve or more freeholders residing in the vicinity of the road hereinafter described, do hereby petition your honorable body to lay out and establish a County Road over the following described line in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 2 of the laws relating to Public Wants being Section 6860 to 6956 of the General Code, said proposed road is situated in the Townships of Colerain and Wheeling County of Belmont and State of Ohio as is described as follows. To wit: beginning at a point in the road leading from Maynard to St. Clairsville (up Maynard Hill through a number of houses locally called Pittsburg) said point being about fifty (50) feet south west of a spring on the land of the Lorain Coal and Dock Co.; thence northwesterly over the lands of the Lorain Coal and Dock Co. about six hundred or seven hundred feet to the lands of Paul Stropka thence over the lands of Paul Stropka northwesterly about three hundred feet to the lands of Frank Poss: thence northwesterly about three hundred feet over lands of Frank Poss to lands of Andy Timko; thence northwesterly over lands of Andy Timko to lands of E. Strabak; thence northwesterly over lands of E. Strabak about nine hundred feet to Wheeling Creek; thence crossing Wheeling Creek to lands of August Gaunsee; thence over the lands of August Gaunsee about one hundred and fifty feet to lot of Charles Marsinko; thence about one hundred and twenty over said Marsinko lot to Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling Railway Company tracks: thence across said tracks and ending in a road leading from Coleman's addition to Blaineville, being about three fourths (3/4) of a mile in length.

Dated this 4th day of March A. D. 1912

PETITIONERS' NAMES	PETITIONERS' NAMES	PETITIONERS' NAMES	PETITIONERS' NAMES
Paul Stropka John Gille Joseph Strabak and sixteen others.			



**Know all Men by these Presents:**

That we, Joseph Hrabak, Egnac Hrabak and A. J. Henderson  
are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Belmont County, in the penal sum of One  
hundred Dollars, for the true and faithful payment of which well and truly to be made,  
we bind ourselves, jointly and severally, our heirs, executors and administrators, by these presents.

Scaled with our seals and dated at \_\_\_\_\_ this 4th day of March 1912

The Conditions of the above obligations are such, That whereas application has been made to the Board of Commis-  
sioners of said Belmont County for the \_\_\_\_\_ of a \_\_\_\_\_ road on the following line, to-wit:

Now if the said applicants shall pay into the Treasury of the said County the amount of all costs and ex-  
penses accruing thereon, in case the prayer of said petitioners shall not be granted, or when the proceedings had in  
pursuance thereof shall not be finally confirmed and established, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to be in  
full force in law.

ATTEST:

SEAL.

SEAL.

SEAL.

St. Clairsville, O., March 4 1912

The Commissioners met in \_\_\_\_\_ session at their office, and the Board being satisfied that the fore-  
going petition was signed by at least twelve freeholders of the County, residing in the vicinity of the \_\_\_\_\_  
of said county road, and that the proper notices had been given according to law, bond filed, approved and accepted,  
thereupon the Board appointed George Caldwell, Thos. Boyd and Wm. Wiley  
three disinterested freeholders of the County, viewers, and D. C. Kennon surveyor  
of said proposed road, to meet at Boggs Store in Maynard on 28th day of March  
for the purpose of discharging their official duties relative to the object prayed for in the foregoing petition. And  
the Auditor is authorized to notify all non-resident land owners by publication, as required by law.

ATTEST:

Emerson Campbell  
County Auditor.

Jos. Mc Allister  
Wm. Koehnline  
Wm. Caldwell  
Commissioners.

# Report of Viewers.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

In obedience to your order, issued at your March 4th session, A. D. 1912, we the undersigned, Viewers appointed under said order, met with D. C. Kennon Surveyor, at Boggs Store on March 28th and were severally sworn to discharge, faithfully and impartially, the duties required of us in said order.

If any Viewer is unable to attend here state by whom the vacancy was filled.

John Scott and Brice Murphy were selected by us as chain carriers, and Samuel Kuhn as a marker, who were also duly sworn.

We then proceeded to view said proposed road on the line described in your order, and caused the same to be surveyed, "as prayed for in the petition, or as near the same as in our opinion a good road can be made at a reasonable expense, taking into consideration the utility, convenience, and inconvenience and expense which will result to individuals as well as the public," by the of said road as follows:

( See Surveyor's Report )

We would respectfully report that the said road ought to be opened for the following reasons:

- 1st. Its great necessity for the people.
- 2nd. Good grade.

We have also determined that the public convenience requires that such road shall be established 30 feet in width.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

March 28, 1912.

George Caldwell  
Thomas E. Boyd  
Wm. Wiley Viewers.

## FEES

<u>Geo. Caldwell</u> Viewer, <u>1</u> days, \$ <u>3.70</u>	<u>Brice Murphy</u> Chainman, <u>1</u> days, \$ <u>2.00</u>
<u>Thos. Boyd</u> " <u>1</u> days, \$ <u>3.70</u>	<u>John Scott</u> " <u>1</u> days, \$ <u>2.00</u>
<u>Wm. Wiley</u> " <u>1</u> days, \$ <u>3.70</u>	<u>S. L. Kuhn</u> Marker, <u>1</u> days, \$ <u>2.00</u>
<u>David C. Kennon</u> Surveyor, <u>2</u> days, \$ <u>10.00</u>	



# Separate Report of Viewers.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned, Viewers of the road petitioned for by Paul Stropka and others, make the following separate report of the compensation and damages assessed and awarded by them to persons entitled thereto. The parties named below have filed their written applications for the said allowances, according to law, and the same are hereto appended and returned with this report.

Compensation for land taken for said road has been awarded in the following sums:

To	<u>Paul Stropka</u>	<u>1/4 A.</u>	<u>Thirty-five</u>	<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To	"	<u>Fence</u>	<u>Twenty-five</u>	<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To	"	<u>Well</u>	<u>Twenty</u>	<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To	<u>Egnac Hrabak</u>		<u>Sixty-five</u>	<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To	<u>Andy Timko</u>		<u>Forty</u>	<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To					Dollars;
To					Dollars;
To					Dollars;

Each of the above sums has been assessed without deduction for benefits to any property of the owner, which would accrue by the opening of said road.

The following sums are allowed as damages to be paid to claimants whose premises will be rendered less valuable by the opening and construction of said road through the same:

To		<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To	<u>No damages allowed</u>	<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To		<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To		<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To		<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To		<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To		<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To		<u>_____</u>	Dollars;
To		<u>_____</u>	Dollars;

George Caldwell  
Thos. E. Boyd  
Wm. Wiley

Viewers and Jurors to  
award damages.

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St. Clairsville, O., Apr. 1 1912

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the report of the Surveyor and Viewers appointed to survey and view the road, as described in the above petition, was read the first time.

ATTEST:

Emerson Campbell  
County Auditor.

Jos. McAllister  
Wm. Koehnline  
Wm. Caldwell

Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., Apr. 2 1912

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the report of the Surveyor and Viewers appointed to survey and view the road, as described in the above petition, was read the second time.

ATTEST:

Emerson Campbell  
County Auditor.

Jos. McAllister  
Wm. Koehnline  
Wm. Caldwell

Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., June 3,

1912

The Commissioners met in regular session, and

The report of the viewers in favor of the establishment of road petitioned for by Paul Stropka and others in Wheeling and ~~Colerain~~ Townships, having been publicly read three times and the viewers having filed a separate report in writing of the amount of compensation and damages which they have assessed to land owners by reason of the location of said road through their several premises, which report was also publicly read: and the Board being of the opinion that the compensation and damages awarded by said viewers to the several claimants to wit:

Paul Stropka, \$80. Compensation.  
 Egnac Strabak \$65. Compensation  
 Andy Timko \$40. Compensation.

are reasonable and just: that said road will be of public utility and of sufficient importance to the public to justify the payment of said compensation out of the County Treasury; and no petition for review being filed, it is ordered that the county Auditor draw his order upon the county treasurer in favor of said claimants for the amount of compensation so awarded them, respectfully: that the several reports of the viewers with the survey and plat of said road be recorded and that said road be established a public highway.

Yea. McAllister, Koehline and Caldwell.

N. B. This report was read for third time on April 16th and action deferred to above date.



Plat of PAUL STOPKA Road.

DESCRIPTION

Sta.	Course	Dist.
0-1.	S 89° 00' W.	231'
1-2.	N 81° 30' W.	338'
2-3.	S 63° 15' W.	652'
3-4.	S 57° 30' W.	530'
4-5.	S 81° 30' W.	230'
5-6.	N 85° 00' W.	202'
30' Wide. Total Dist. = 2183'		
OT 41 M. Scale 1" = 100'		

