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

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 .....	dollars;
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St. Clairsville, O., June 7 1875

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.

A T T E S T :

*A. E. Stamp* }  
County Auditor.

*Solomon Coogard*  
*Mr. Alexander*  
*William Barber* } Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., June 8 1875

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.

A T T E S T :

*A. E. Stamp* }  
Auditor.

*Solomon Coogard*  
*William Barber*  
*Mr. Alexander* } Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., June 10 1875

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the report of the viewers in relation to the establishment of said road, having been this day publicly read, (being the third reading of the same) and no objections being made, nor damages claimed nor petition for review filed, and the Board being of opinion that said road, as laid out and surveyed, will be of public utility, it is ordered that the reports of said viewers, with the survey and plat of said road be recorded, and that said road be established a public

highway, thirty feet in width. It is further ordered that the County Auditor issue an order, in the name of the Board, directing the trustees of Richland Township to cause said road to be opened, according to law.

Attest,

N.C. Stump  
Auditor

Solomon Hoque }  
William Barber } Commissioners  
T. H. Alexander }  
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# ROAD PETITION

For a Review of County Road in Pulney Oh.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned petitioners, resident freeholders of said county, respectfully represent that the public convenience requires the Review 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 such road, to-wit: Beginning at the Bellair & Wego Pike near the Pulney Coal Works to the Jacobburgh road; Beginning for the same at a point on said road near the N.E. cor. of W. J. Myre Orchard, thence through the lands of R. Brangle, W. J. Myre, J. C. Keyser, Henry C. Keyser, John Preifer, Isaac B. Keyser, David Boyd, John Workman, James Corbet, Thos. Morton and W. S. Littleton, intersecting the Jacobburgh road near the residence of William Workman.

Dated this A. D. 18

PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.
David Boyd	Walter Bennett	William Workman	
W. J. Myre	Geo. Corbet	James Ambler	
P. H. Duthey	Kennon S. Jeffers	Samuel Braiden	
J. H. Corbet	Amos Workman Jr.	Jas. W. Neighleyman	
W. S. Littleton	W. S. Littleton	William Workman	

## Know all Men by these Presents,

That we, David Boyd and Audier King 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.

Sealed with our seals and dated at Melansville this 1st day of March 1875

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 Review of a County road on the following line, to-wit:

Beginning for the same at a point on the road leading from the Bellair & Wego Pike near the Pulney Coal Works to the Jacobburgh Road, near the N.E. cor. of W. J. Myre Orchard, thence through the lands of R. Brangle, W. J. Myre, J. C. Keyser, Henry C. Keyser, John Preifer, Isaac B. Keyser, David Boyd, John Workman, Jas. Corbet, Thos. Morton and W. S. Littleton, intersecting the Jacobburgh road near the residence of W. Workman

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,

H. A. Coffland }  
D. A. A. A. }

David X. Boyd  
mag  
And. King



St. Clairsville, O., March 1<sup>st</sup> 1875.

The Commissioners met in regular session at Auditor's Office, and appointed Daniel Wagener  
Robt. Nelson, and Jas. Laine  
Viewers, and Noble Carter Surveyor, of said proposed road.  
ATTEST: W.E. Stump }  
County Auditor. }  
To meet at William Hague, Monday April 1<sup>st</sup>, 1875, at 10 o'clock A.M.  
Solomon Hague }  
William Barber }  
W. Alexander } Commissioners.

### Surveyor's Report.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned, in obedience to your order, dated March 1875, proceeded, on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of April to survey and mark the County Road described in said order, under the direction of the Viewers therein named, and respectfully submits the following return of said survey:

Beginning according to the petition, in the old road at a point witnessed by A B walnut being  $\frac{3}{4}$  28 $\frac{1}{2}$  rod 13 links, thence as follows:

Leaving	Distance	Links	Leaving	Distance	Link Rods	Links	
1 N 66 $\frac{1}{4}$	W	42	17 7 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	34 $\frac{1}{2}$ 72 $\frac{1}{4}$	W	8 00	
2 N 51	W	10	10 2 35 $\frac{1}{2}$	87 $\frac{1}{2}$	"	23 12	
3 N 65	W	22	9	36 $\frac{1}{4}$ 46 $\frac{1}{4}$	"	13 19	
4 "	65 $\frac{3}{4}$ W	12	00	37 $\frac{1}{4}$ 78	"	13 00	
5 "	76	10	10	38 $\frac{1}{2}$ 87 $\frac{1}{2}$	"	16 00	
6 "	67 $\frac{1}{4}$	15	22	39 $\frac{1}{2}$ 46	"	14 00	
7 8	73 $\frac{1}{4}$	6	10	40 N 88 $\frac{1}{2}$	"	22 20	
8 8	33 $\frac{1}{2}$	14	17	41 $\frac{1}{4}$ 87 $\frac{3}{4}$	"	53 00	
9 "	53	5	3	42 $\frac{1}{4}$ 87 $\frac{1}{4}$	"	32 00	
10 "	70 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	00	43 $\frac{1}{2}$ 44	"	10 10	
11 "	68 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	00	44 $\frac{1}{4}$ 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	"	20 10	
12 "	40 $\frac{1}{2}$	14	16	To 40 middle of the road			
13 "	84 $\frac{1}{2}$	15	00	to Jacobsburgh a lime stone			
14 "	32 $\frac{1}{4}$	13	3	Planted at the terminals			
15 "	78 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	17				
16 N	86 $\frac{1}{2}$	22	00				
17 "	74 $\frac{1}{4}$	24	19				
18 8	75	24	50				
19 "	88 $\frac{1}{2}$	14	00				
20 "	34	14	14				
21 "	68 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	00				
22 N	79 $\frac{3}{4}$	10	00				
23 "	63	10	17				
24 8	50 $\frac{1}{4}$	42	15				
25 "	48 $\frac{1}{4}$	19	22				
26 "	3	14	22				
27 "	59 $\frac{1}{2}$	27	18				
28 "	23	11	2				
29 "	4	18	10				
30 "	55	16	23				
31 "	47 $\frac{1}{2}$	7	21				
32 N	86	41	9				
33 "	78 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	7				

I Certify that the above is a correct plat and return of the survey of the  
named above

Noble Carter Surveyor of said Road

# REPORT OF VIEWERS.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

In obedience to your order, issued at your March session, A. D. 1875, we, the undersigned, Viewers appointed under said order, met with Noble Carter Surveyor, at Wm Myers on 13 day of April and were severally sworn to discharge, faithfully and impartially the duties required of us in said order.

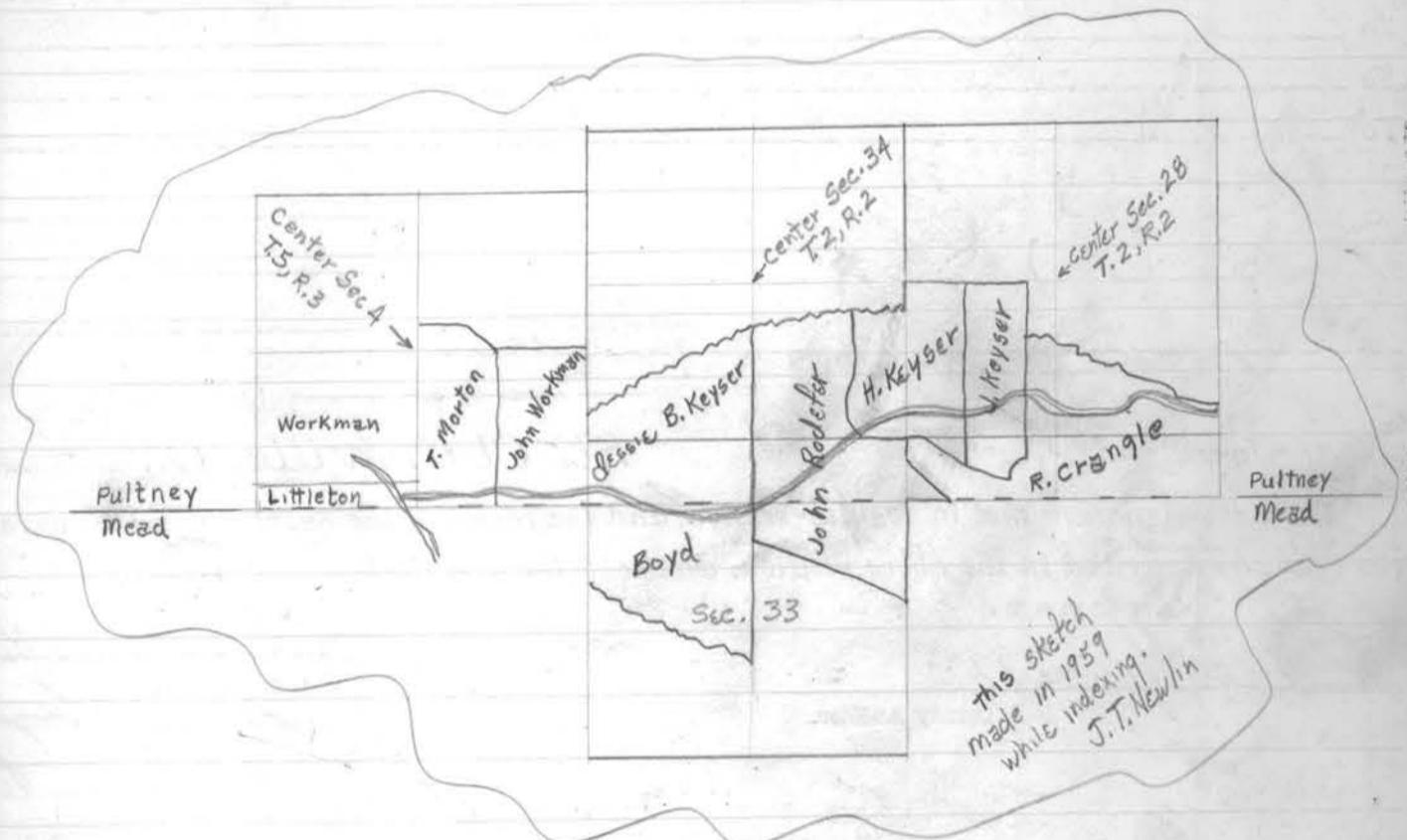
*James Fair being absent we appointed Isaac Booth to serve as Viewer of said road in his stead*

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

Israel Lay and Henry Kaisers were selected by us as chain carriers, and Jesse Kaisers as a marker, who were also duly sworn.

We then proceeded to view said proposed Straighten said 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~~ <sup>the line of the old road</sup> 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:

*as it was possible for us to do. for description of route see Surveyor's Report hereto attached*



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

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

All of which is respectfully submitted,

April 15 1875

L. Wagner  
Robt Nelson  
Isaac Booth

} Viewers.

L. Wagner  
Isaac Booth  
Robt Nelson

F E E S:  
Viewer, 3 days, \$ 4 00  
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" " 3 " 4 00  
Noble Carter

Israel Lay Chairman, 2 days, \$ 2 00  
Henry Kaisers " 2 " 2 00  
Jesse Kaisers Marker, 2 " 1 00  
Surveyor, 4 days, \$ 12 00

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ATTEST:  
*N. E. Stamp* }  
County Auditor.

*Solomon Vogel*  
*John Mayander*  
*William Barber* } Commissioners.

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Auditor.

*Solomon Vogel*  
*William Barber*  
*John Mayander* } Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., June 10 1875

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the reviewers appointed to view and survey said road, the place of beginning and true course of which has become uncertain, having filed their report, with a plat and survey of said road. It is ordered that said report, plat and survey of said road be recorded, and that the lines of said road, as established by said reviewers, be henceforth taken and received to be the true course of the same.

*Solomon Vogel*  
*William Barber* } Commissioners.  
*John Mayander*

# ROAD PETITION

For a Location of County Road in Rich

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned petitioners, resident freeholders of said county, 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 Locate and Establish such road, to-wit:

Beginning at the mouth of "Far Run" in Richland Th. on land belonging to the heirs of Jas. King deceased, being in sec. 29, Th. 5. R. 3. and on the S. W. quarter thereof, thence the nearest & best route down McMahons Creek, through the lands of Am. & Thos. H. Nichol in said section, thence through the lands of said William Nichol, Thos. J. King, William Follett, Michael O'Grady and John Clark, or James McFarland, Thos. Flanagan, Michael Burns & said Michael O'Grady & John Clark, and George Neff in sec. 18, Th. 5. R. 3. thence through the lands of said George Neff and James Dixon in sec. 31, Th. 6. R. 3., thence through the lands of Samuel Alexander in sec. 7, Th. 6. R. 3. thence through the lands of J. D. Hutchinson, N. C. Bill & William Greenlee, in sec. 12, Th. 5. R. 3. thence through the lands of Mrs. Mary B. Allman sec. 7, Th. 6. R. 3. thence through the lands of William Thomas sec. 1, Th. 6. R. 3. thence through the lands of Jas. Scott, Charles Hall, Hugh Minott, Robt. Minott and Jas. Loyd to the line of Loyd and Jas. Welsh to a point where the late surveyed road crosses said line.

Dated this Dec. 31. A. D. 1875

PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.
Crawford E. Welsh	Robt. Minott	James Shields	William Follett
John Stewart	Hugh M. Minott	John Clark	Geo. McFarland
Thos. H. Nichol	G. H. McGregor	William Harvey	And. King
Samuel Alexander	Jas. G. McFarland	Jas. Johnson	William Hall, and
Robt. Clark.	J. E. Dixon	And. McFarland	forty two others.

**Know all Men by these Presents,**

That we, C. C. Welsh and John Stewart,  
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.

Sealed with our seals and dated at Martinsville this 1st day of March 1875

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 Location of a County road on the following line, to-wit:

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ATTEST:

H. C. Stamps }  
Auditor

C. C. Welsh  
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