

The Commissioners met in regular session at Auditor's Office, and appointed

Viewers, and Surveyor, of said proposed road.

ATTEST:

County Auditor.

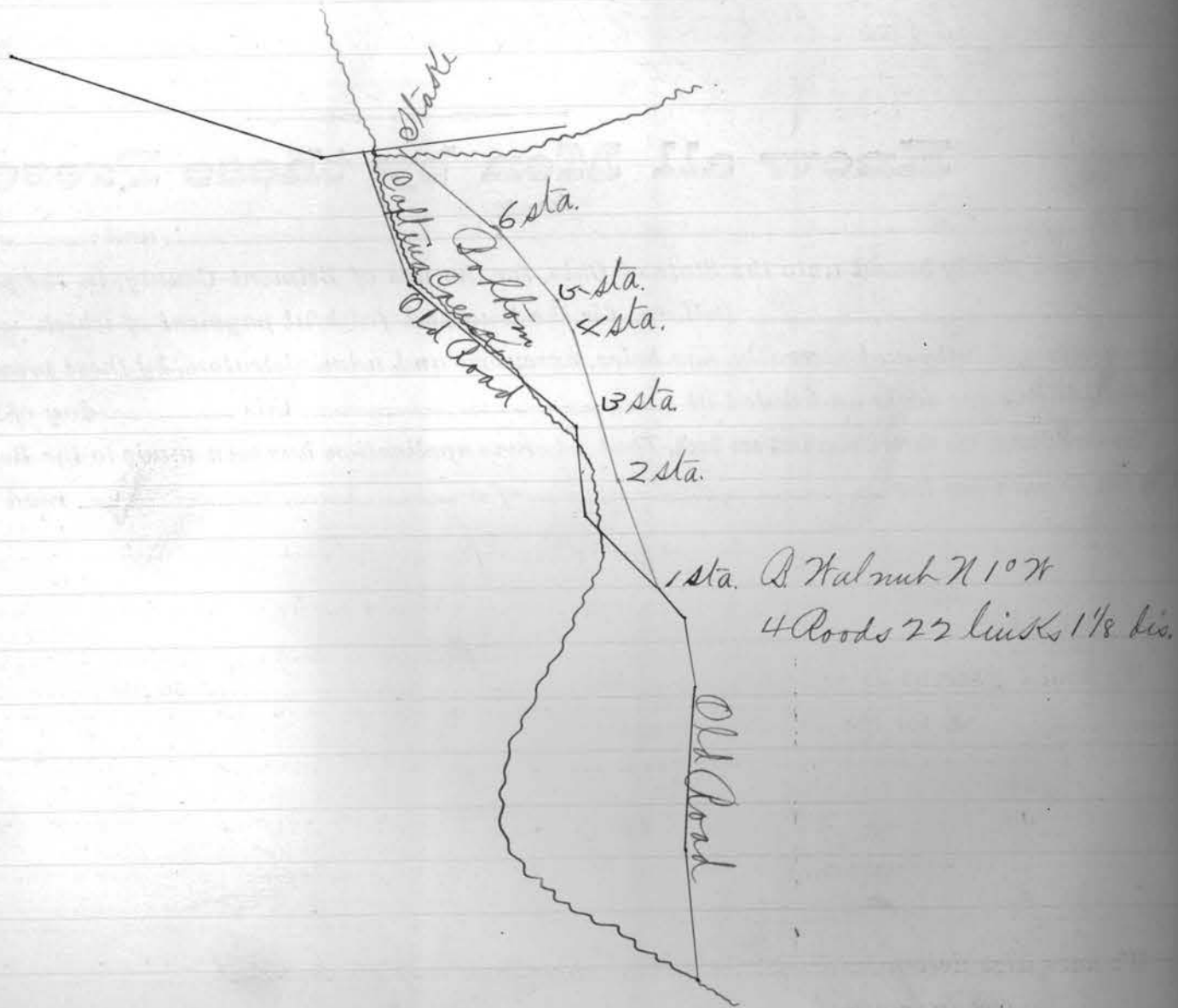
Commissioners.

Surveyor's Report.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned, in obedience to your order, dated 18, 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:

Plat and survey of an alteration of a County road on Coquina Creek in Wayne Township, petitioned for by Jacob Davis et al on the land of D. A. Benson in the NW Quarter of sec. 23, T. 6 R. 5. Viewed from the land of Rosannah Polen to near the first crossing of said creek to a stake in said road at sta. 1. thence N. 20° W. 14 rods 7 links to sta. 2. thence N. 13° W. 9 Rods 15 links to sta. 3 thence 14° W 9 rods 19 1/2 links to sta. 4. thence N. 30 1/2° W 3 rods 8 1/2 links to sta. 5. thence N 38° W 13 rods. 4 links to sta. 6 thence N 60° W 14 rods to a stake. total length 64. rods 4 links



I Certify that the above is a correct plat and return of the survey of the Alteration of a County Road named above petitioned for by Jacob Davis et al.

Jennings Perkins Surveyor of said Alteration

REPORT OF VIEWERS.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

In obedience to your order, issued at your _____ session, A. D. 18____, we the undersigned, Viewers appointed under said order, met with _____ Surveyor, at _____ 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.

_____ and _____ were selected by us as chain carriers, and _____ as a marker, who were also duly sworn.

We then proceeded to view said proposed _____ 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:

The undersigned Trustees and Viewers of the Downsif Road, petitioned for Jacob Daniels Et Al, respectfully submit the following report together with Jennings Perkins surveyor of said road we met at Rosannah Bolan on the 6th day of March A.D. 1884 at 10 O'clock A.M. and immediately thereafter taking to our assistance George Stidd and Joseph Sutton Chain Carriers and J. W. Russell marker we proceeded to the discharge of the duties of our respective offices, fixing the initial point of the proposed road at a stake. we caused the same to be surveyed along the following route, viewed from the land of Rosannah Bolan to near the first crossing of said creek to a stake in said road at Sta. 1. thence N 20° W. 14 rods 7 links to Sta 2. thence N 13° W. 9 rods 15 links to Sta. 3. thence N 14° W. 9 rods 19 1/2 links to Sta 4. thence N 30 1/2° W. 3 rods 8 1/2 links to Sta. 5. thence N 38° W. 13 rods 4 links to Sta 6 thence N 60° W. 14 rods to a stake. total length 64 rods 4 links. which is as near to the line proposed by the petitioners. as a good road can be made at a reasonable expense. We are of the opinion that the road ought to be established as the convenience of the petitioners and the public requires it and the same can be made at a reasonable expense. we have determined in view of the fortable _____ We would respectfully report that the said _____ ought _____ to be _____

_____ for the following reasons:
Amount of travel over said road. that a width of 30 feet will be proper and sufficient

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

All of which is respectfully submitted. }
March 27th 1884

_____ } Viewers.

FEES.

Viewer,	days,	\$	George Stidd	Chainman,	1	days,	\$1.00
"	"	\$	Joseph Sutton	"	1	"	\$1.00
"	"	\$	J. W. Russell	Marker,	1	"	\$1.00
Jennings Perkins	Surveyor,	1	days,	\$4.00			

Separate Report of Viewers.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned, Viewers of the _____ petitioned for by _____ 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 D. R. Beuson Twenty five dollars;
- To Missour lands this 27th day of March A. D. 1880 dollars;
- To _____ Henry Milhoan Trustee of dollars;
- To _____ George Powell Wayne T. 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 _____ dollars;
- To _____ dollars;
- To _____ dollars;
- To _____ dollars;
- To _____ dollars;

_____ } Viewers and Jurors to award Damages.

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St. Clairsville, O., June 7th 1880

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:

County Auditor. } _____ } Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., June 8th 1880

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:

_____ } _____ } Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., June 9th 1880

The Commissioners met in regular session, and the report of the Viewers in favor of the establishment of said road was this day publicly read being the third reading of the same, and said Viewers having filed a separate report in writing of the amount of compensation and damages which they have assessed to landowners by reason of the location of said road through their several premises said report was also publicly read, and the Board being of opinion that the compensation and damages awarded by said Viewers to the several claimants to wit: To D R Beuson Twenty five (\$25.00) Dollars is 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 Claimant for the amount of Compensation so awarded, 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, It is further ordered that the County Auditor issue in the name of the Board an order to the trustees of Wayne Township directing them to cause said road to be opened according to law,

Attest
 W. Hoffland
 Sup. Audr

Henry Fisher } Commissioners
 J. F. Potts }
 O. Meekhan } Belmont County

ROAD PETITION.

For a County Road in Richland Township

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 _____ of a _____ 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 _____

Notice is hereby given that a Petition will be presented to the Commissioners of Belmont County Ohio at their Session in June 1880, for the location of a County Road, beginning in Section 24, Richland Township, five and a range three on the lands of Owen Meehan about one hundred yards above the residence of William Dallett thence southward across McMahaus Creek to a point in the old creek road thence down the old road to the Rail Road crossing on the line of said Meehan and A Weis and to termination in the public road on the lands of A Weis near a log house some thirty or forty yards from said Rail Road Crossing southwards, also for vacating so much of the old road as runs through the lands of Mary Manion and Michants Burnes east of Bennetts run.

Dated this _____ A. D. 1880 of Bennetts run.

PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.	PETITIONERS' NAMES.
Michael Burnes	Alex Gault	Jas Dixon	Adam Weis
C E Burnes	A Schick	M B Allman	Jno Stewart
Wm. M Drugan	Wm. Kidd	Wm. Greenlee	Thomas Ault
Wm. Harroy	Wm. S Dixon	Mary Manion	Robt Clark

Know all Men by these Presents,

That we, Michael Burnes and C E Burnes 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 Bellair this 10th day of June 1880

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:

Beginning in Section 24 Twp 5 Range 3 on the lands of Owen Meehan about one hundred yards above the residence of William Dallett, thence southwardly across McMahaus Creek to a point in the old road Creek road thence down the old road to the Rail Road Crossing on the line of said Meehan and A Weis and to terminate in the public road on the lands of Weis near a log house some thirty or forty yards from said Rail Road Crossing southwards, also for vacating so much of the old road as runs through the lands of Mary Manion and Michael Burnes east of Bennetts run.

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.

George Oriswall

Michael Burnes
C E Burnes



St Clairsville, O., June 11th 1880

The Commissioners met in regular session at Auditor's Office, and appointed Joseph Taggart

William Chambers and Barry Milligan

Viewers, and James Crossgrove Surveyor, of said proposed road,
to meet at Franklin Station on Thursday Aug 19, 1880 at 10 o'clock A.M.

ATTEST:

W. D. Coffland }
County Auditor.

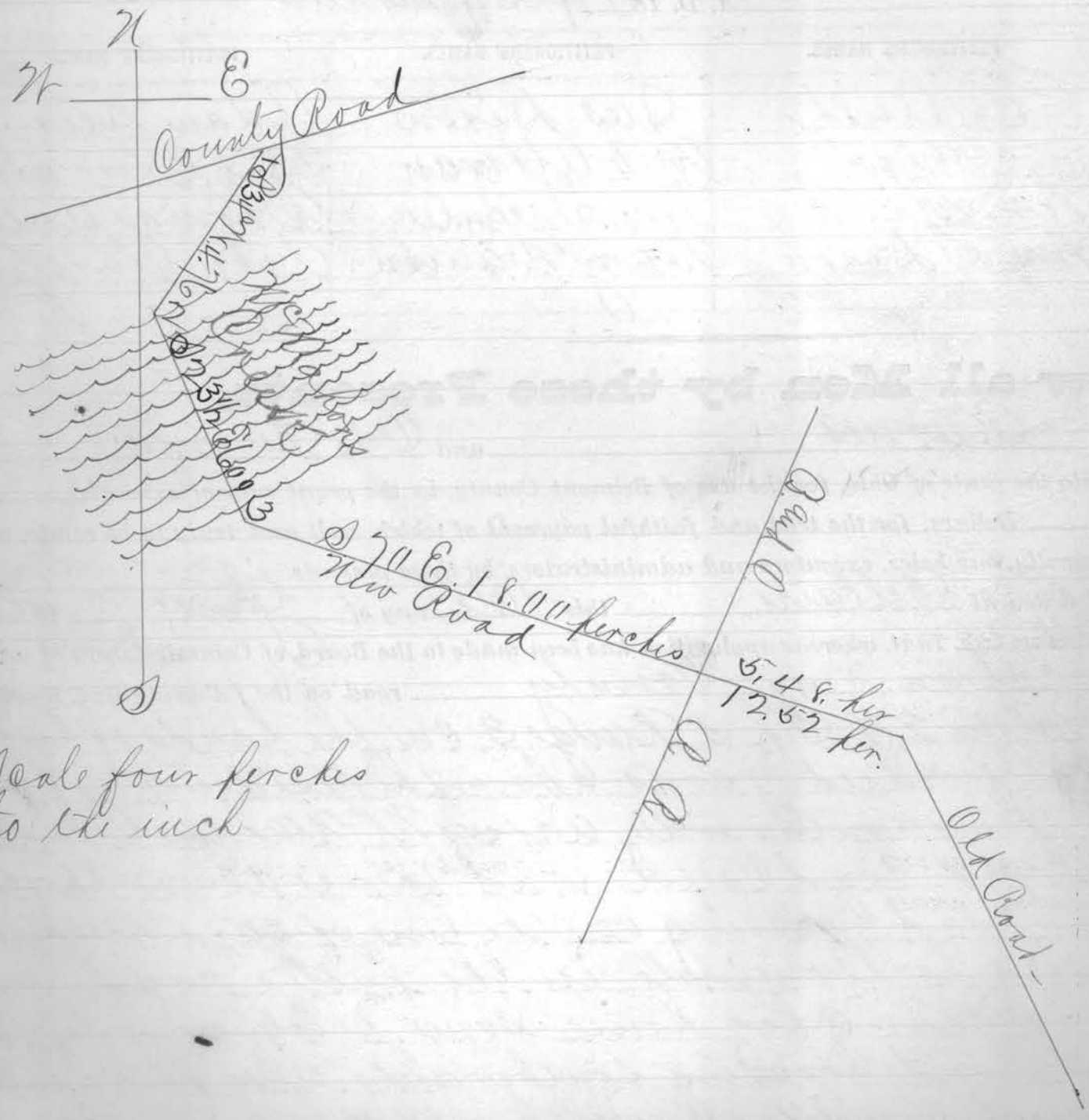
O. M. Muburn }
Henry Trallex }
A. J. Fotts }
Commissioners.

Surveyor's Report.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned, in obedience to your order, dated June 11th 1880, proceeded, on the 19 day of August to survey and mark the route of a County road described in said order, under the direction of the Viewers therein named, and respectfully submits the following return of said survey:

Beginning at a stone in the County road known as McMahon's Crust road from which a pin oak bears S 44° N. 4.68 perches thence S 34° N. 4.76 perches to the edge of McMahon's Crust thence S 23 1/2° E 6.00 perches to the opposite edge of said Crust thence S 70° E 18.00 perches to a Rail Road bar as a corner in the County Road



Scale four perches to the inch

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

James Crossgrove Surveyor of said Road

REPORT OF VIEWERS.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

In obedience to your order, issued at your June session, A. D. 1880, we the undersigned, Viewers appointed under said order, met with James Crosgrove Surveyor, at Franklin B & C R R 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.

William Chambers being unable to attend. Thomas Harrey was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Thomas Ault and Henry Miller were selected by us as chain carriers, and _____ 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 Opening of said road as follows:

For description "See Surveyors Report"

Order issued Dec 24th 80

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

Public Convenience demands it. The shortness of the route. It is also a practicable route and will make a good road when opened.

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. August 28th 1880

Jos J Naggarh
J H Milligan
Thos J Harrey } Viewers.

		FEES.					
<u>Jos J Naggarh</u>	Viewer,	<u>2</u>	days, \$ <u>300</u>	<u>Thos Ault</u>	Chainman,	<u>1</u>	days, \$ <u>100</u>
<u>Thos J Harrey</u>	"	<u>2</u>	" \$ <u>300</u>	<u>Henry Miller</u>	"	<u>1</u>	" \$ <u>100</u>
<u>Henry Miller</u>	"	<u>2</u>	" \$ <u>300</u>		Marker,		" \$
<u>James Crosgrove</u>	Surveyor,	<u>20</u>	days, \$ <u>1000</u>				

Separate Report of Viewers.

To the Board of Commissioners of Belmont County, Ohio:

The undersigned, Viewers of the _____ petitioned for by _____ 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 _____ dollars;
- To _____ dollars;
- To _____ 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 _____ dollars;
- To _____ dollars;
- To _____ dollars;
- To _____ dollars;
- To _____ dollars;

 _____ } Viewers and Jurors to award Damages.

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St. Clairsville, O., Sept 6th 1880

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:

M A Coffland }
 County Auditor.

Henry Frasher
J. J. Potts
O. Meehan } Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., Sept 7th 1880

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:

M A Coffland }
 Auditor

Henry Frasher
J. J. Potts
O. Meehan } Commissioners.

St. Clairsville, O., Sept-8th 1880

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.

Now comes William Boyd Sr for himself and others interested by J. M. Riley attorney and moves your honorable body to quash the proceedings herein and for cause shows that

First. No petition such as is required by law has been presented and filed according to law. nor has any petition whatever been presented and filed

Secondly That your honorable body has no warrant of law for the proceedings already had. nor to proceed further for want of jurisdiction.

Third. Two distinct proceedings attempted to be had are improperly united.

Fourth. No complete proof of notice has been made as required by law.

Fifth. The entire proceedings already had are irregular and fatal to further proceedings herein.

William Boyd Sr Et Al

By J. M. Riley Atty

Which motion was overruled, 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 directed by the Trustees of Richland Township to cause said road to be opened according to law. The prayer contained in the petition for above road for vacation not granted.

Attest
M. A. Coffland Dux
Auditor

Henry Trask } Commissioners
J. F. Potts } of Belmont
O. McKean } County.