

Riverside Drive - a proposed alteration beginning at McCoy's mill going northerly to the north line of the Ellory Morris farm, and to vacate the road run by John Shields on the William Armstrong petition, on page 106

ROAD RECORD NO. 5.

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( COLS. & MARYSVILLE )  
UP EAST SIDE OF SCIOTO

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On the petition of Ebenezer Richards and others for a road on east side of the Scioto river as follows; Beginning east opposite McCoy's Mill in Norwich Township, thence northwardly on the nearest and best ground to the north line of Ellory Morris's farm in said Township & vacate the road formerly run by John Shields.

Ordered that Daniel Hess, James O. Harak and Samuel Henderson be and they are hereby appointed Viewers and Ezekial Curtis, Surveyor, and that they meet at Robert McCoy's Mill Thursday the 12th day of August 1819. And after being qualified as the law directs, proceed to View and Survey said route and make report thereof at the next meeting of the Commissioners of Franklin County August 4, 1819.

JOSEPH GRATE )  
DAVID JAMESON )  
JAMES MARSHALL) Commissioners.

NOVEMBER 6, 1819. -

EBENEZER RICHARDS ROAD OBJECTED TO.

On the return of a road petitioned for by Ebenezer Richards and others. Beginning east of McCoy's mill in Norwich Township at a Sugar Maple marked with three notches thence northwardly the courses and distances as follows, thence North 15 W 78 P., thence N 69 P. thence N 9 W 67 poles, thence N 5 W 16 P. thence N 15 W 36 poles, thence N 20 W 48 P. N 5 E 11 P. N 24 W 91 P. N 5 W 31 P. N 5 E 60 P. N 80 P. N 7 W 86 N 24 W 78, N 30 W 23 P., N 34 W 42 P. N 28 W 55 P. N 53 W 126 P., N 25 W 28 P.

EZEKIAL CURTIS- Surveyor.

We the viewers of the within or above described road proceeded and viewed said road according to order of the Com. 4th of August 1819. Acting in conjunction with Ezekial Curtis, Surveyor, and believe the within described road to be of Public Utility from the goodness of the ground and other reasons, August 12, 1819.

Remonstrance against the road petitioned on page 157

(JAMES O. HARA )  
(SAMUEL HENDERSON) Viewers.  
(DANIEL HESS )

Postponed to the 23rd Dec. 1819. Whereupon to wit on the 5th day of November 1819 to wit: Thomas Johnston and others present the following petition of remonstrance Viz.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY IN THEIR NOVEMBER SESSION NOV. 2, 1819.

GEN: Whereas there has been a road petitioned for by Ebenezer Richards and others of the East side of Scioto river, to begin east opposite McCoy's mill in Norwich Township, thence northwardly on the nearest and best ground to the north line of Elery Morisse's farm in said Township and to vacate the road formally run by John Shields which road as petitioned for we object to for the following reasons to-wit:

The points of beginning and termination is identified by the petition aforesaid, it is to begin east opposite McCoy's mill --But whether the road is to begin ten rods or five hundred rods east of the mill is not expressed -- thence northwardly to the north line of Morisses farm--But whether to the northeast or northwest or to any other corner part of said farm is not designated -- We also object to said new road which is now the common traveled road and on which considerable Township Labour & money has been expended that we believe is better laid for Public Utility than the new road runs nearly parallel to the old and now traveled road and perhaps at no point more than thirty to fifty or eighty poles from the old road and if granted will be very expensive to the county because it angles and cuts the land of individuals to their injury, therefore we object to and doth hereby remonstrate against the establishing the said new road as petitioned for and we do therefore pray that the Honorable Board of Commissioners of Franklin County grant us and order such remedy as the law admits & the nature of the premises require and we your petitioners as in duty bound do pray.

It is therefore ordered that Samuel Dyer, Charles Hunter, James Gardner, Thomas Roberts & Thomas Biggard be and they are hereby appointed reviewers on the afore road and they meet at the house of George Elij in Norwich Township November 12, 1819, and being qualified as the law directs and make report thereof at next regular meeting of the Com. of said County.

JOSEPH GRATE )  
DAVID JAMESON ) Com.  
GEO. W. WILLIAMS)

November 6th, 1819.