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Babbitt Road - from Morse Road to Dublin-Granville Road

COUNTY ROAD IN JEFFERSON-PLAIN TPS.

ROW = 40'

by PETITION OF KELLY W. SMITH AND OTHERS

To the Commissioners of Franklin County now in Session;

This the petition of your petitioners, humbly showeth that we and numbers of others, are desirous of having a new County road located, as follows; to commence at the centre of the road leading from Jersey to Columbus, at the north west corner of Peter Albery's farm; thence running a due north course through the land and along the lines of Doct. E. Whitehead, John McGuire, J. Spencer, M. Cook, J. Randolph, D. Noe, D. Swickard, J. Kitsmiller, Kelly W. Smith, J. Clouse, and others to the State Road leading from Granville to Worthington. We the Subscribers pray your Honors to take it into the Consideration, and to appoint viewers to examine said road and if found of utility and advisable to Survey, locate and establish the same.

And your petitioners as in duty bound will ever Pray. Plain Tp. Dec. 1. 1845 Kelly Smith, Jacob Kitsmiller, Philip Albery, A. J. Atherton, Ephriam Noe, George Baty, Daniel Horlocker, Philip Rose, Dand Morrison, Jacob Zelery, Aaron Rose, J. C. Smith, Noble Landon, Philip Rose Jr. Obadiah Devenport, Thomas McCwen, Joseph Huffman, Zinn Hill, John Spencer, David Jackson, James Randolph, John Goodrich, Horace V. Mann, William Sisco, Daniel M. Noe, Peter Albery.

Tuesday Dec 2. 1845; this day the Commissioners appointed Abraham Williams, Samuel Horlocker, and Geo. Wagner, Viewers, and Archibald Smith, Surveyor on a county road petitioned for by Kelly W. Smith and others.

Pursuant to an order from the Commissioners of Franklin County Dated December 2nd 1845; We have examined the ground for a road petitioned for by Kelly W. Smith and others and do believe that if said road be opened 40 feet wide, and improved it will be of public utility. December 16th 1845.

Abraham Williams)  
Geo. Wagner )Viewers  
Samuel Horlocker)

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Plat and Survey of County Road petitioned for by Kelly W. Smith and others.

Pursuant to an Order from the Commissioners of Franklin County after being qualified according to law. I proceeded on the fifteenth day of December, under the direction of Abraham Williams, George Wagner and Samuel Horlocker as viewers therein named, to make a Survey of the ground for a road petitioned for by Kelly W. Smith and others as follows; viz. Commencing at the north west corner of Peter Albery's farm in Franklin County, at the center of the road leading from Jersey to Columbus from thence north on the section line passing a County road petitioned for by E. Cook and others at 106 poles; Same course 214 poles to the first mile tree, thence same course 320 poles to the second mile tree; same course 85 1/2 poles to the road leading from Granville to Worthington- the place of termination, Total distance 2 miles & 85 1/2 poles.

PLAT.

I Certify the above plat and survey to be correct.

December 16th 1845.

Archibald Smith, Surveyor

<u>Fees</u>		
Viewers (Abraham Williams	1 day	\$1.00
(George Wagner	1 do	1.00 paid
(Samuel Horlocker	1 do	1.00 paid
Surveyor Archibald Smith	2 do	3.00 paid
(Philip Albery	1 do	.75 paid
Chainmen (Henry Albery	1 do	.75 paid
Marker Samuel Roberts	1 do	.75 paid

To the Honorable the Commissioners of Franklin County in Session

The undersigned, your petitioner, begs leave respectfully to represent, that a certain proposed County road, to lead from the north west corner of Peter Albery's land, in Jefferson Township, at the centre of the road leading from Jersey in Licking County to Columbus, thence north through land of Ezekiel Whitehead (your petitioner) along land of John McGuire, E. Cook, John Spencer, Randolph Noe, Smith, Albery, Clouse & Hardin to terminate at Wm. Hardins in the Worthington road will injure your petitioner to a considerable amt. to wit; \$200. should it be established, as prayed for by the petitioners.

Your petitioner would therefore respectfully pray your honors to appoint such men and measures, as shall assess an equitable and just damage to the undersigned complainant, for the injury he shall sustain; Should the proposed road above alluded to, be established and opened; and your petitioner, as in duty bound will ever pray

March 3rd 1846.

Ezekiel Whitehead

To the Honorable, the Commissioners of Franklin County in session

The undersigned your petitioner begs leave to make complaint to your Honors, that a certain proposed County road, to lead from the north west corner of Peter Albery's land, in Jefferson Township, at the center of the road leading from Jersey, in Licking County, to Columbus, thence north through land of E. Whitehead, along land of John McGuire, E. Cook, J. Spencer, J. Randolph, Noe, Smith, Clouse, Hardin and terminating at William Hardins in the road leading to Worthington, will, should the same be established and opened, greatly injure your petitioner by its occupying a valuable part of the farm on which he, your petitioner resides, The undersigned therefore respectfully remonstrates against the establishing of the said proposed road, as it cannot in any manner or degree, benefit him, but on the contrary will be of considerable injury to him, if it shall be established and opened. The Subscriber, your petitioner, claims damages to the amount of one hundred dollars, should the said proposed road be established, and pray your Honors to order such measures, and appoint such men as shall equitably and justly assess the same; And your petitioner, as in duty bound will ever pray.

June 2nd 1846

John Clouse

Wednesday June 3rd 1846. the Commissioners appointed Michael Neiswender Sen. Geo. Smith & Geo. Dague viewers of damages.

We the undersigned by the order of Commissioners of Franklin County have this day Viewed and examined the damages and benefits of the Said County road, whereupon Ezekiel Whitehead and John Clouse claim damages; and by so doing we have found damage in favor of Ezekiel Whitehead of Twenty dollars, according to the best of our information and judgement-

We also certify that we were duly sworn according to law.

Michael Neiswender	\$2.00
Geo. Smith	\$1.00
Geo. Dague	

At the March Session 1847. Ephraim Noe produced to the board the receipt of the County Treasurer for Twenty dollars, the damage allowed E. Whitehead; therefore it is ordered by the board, that said road be declared and established a public highway, and the plat thereof recorded as such, and that said Road be 40 feet wide.

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