

To the Honorable the Commissioners of Franklin County

The undersigned freeholders and Citizens of Norwich Township do humbly petition your honorable body to grant and establish a County Road as follows: Commencing on Elias Scofield's west line on the Road petitioned for by John McCau and others; thence South on the west of E. Scofield's land to the Northeast corner of Widow Frazells land; thence West on the north line of Widow Frazell's land to her northwest corner; thence South on the West line of Widow Frazell's land and continuing the same course until it intersects the County Road petitioned for by D. C. Roberts and others.

We humbly pray that your honorable body will take such means as the law requires and grant the prayer of your petitioners, and for which we shall feel in duty bound to pray.

Names of petitioners - J. C. Frazell, Em. Windell, N.E. Ferris, Thomas Crawford, John Colwill, Samuel Gilbert, William Roberts, David Yanskoik, William Yanskoik, Obadiah Gardner, John Gouldin, Abraham Windle, D. O. Roberts, J. Runyan, D. McCrackan, B. McCrackan, Charles L. Peyton, Samuel M. King and William Ortman

Wednesday, Dec. 3, 1851

The Commissioners of Franklin County and in Regular Session appointed present - M. Slyh, Jennings and Baughman.

Thereupon, on the petition of J. C. Frazell and others in Norwich Township the Board appointed Robert Ferguson, Robert Walcutt and James Legg - Viewers and James E. Wright, Surveyor

Auditor's Office - Dec. 9, 1851  
Franklin County, Ohio

To Robert Ferguson, Robert Walcut & James Legg - Viewers

James E. Wright, Surveyor

Gentlemen:-

You have been appointed by the Commissioners of Franklin County to view and survey a route for a new County Road in Norwich Township, Franklin County, Ohio, Commencing on Elias Scofield's West line, on the Road petitioned for by John McCau and others; thence South on the West of said Scofield's land to the Northeast corner of Widow Frazells land to her Northwest corner, thence south on the West line of Widow Frazells land and continuing the same course until it intersects the County Road petitioned for by D. O. Roberts and others. You will therefore meet at the Road on the 26th day of February A.D. 1852 and proceed in the above case according to the law hereunto annexed.

By order of the Board  
H. Cary, Co. Auditor and Clerk of the Board

State of Ohio, Franklin County - SS

Personally came James Legg and Robert Walcutt, named in the annexed order and made solemn oath that they would faithfully discharge the duties devolving upon them by virtue of the annexed order as viewers of the Road therein referred to - Feb. 26, 1852 and also the chain carriers v. markers were sworn by me before entering upon their duties

J. Edward Wright, Surveyor

Know all men by these presents: That we J. C. Frazell and Benjamin McCracken are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio for the payment of which will and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs, jointly and severally firmly by these presents witness our hands and seals, the first day of December in the year 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound J. C. Frazell has this day petitioned commissioners of Franklin County for the location of a County Road in Norwich Township.

Now if the above bound J. C. Frazell shall succeed in his petition, then this obligation to be void and of no effect, otherwise to remain in full force in law.

J. C. Frazell (Seal)  
Benjamin McCrackan (Seal)

Afterward to-wit - Tuesday, March 2, 1852.

The County Commissioners being met in regular session Present - Mrs. Jacob Slyh, E.F. Jennings and Jesse Baughman

And thereupon the viewers and surveyor as aforesaid appointed made their report in the words and figures following to-wit.

Putsuant to the annexed order, the undersigned met at the place of beginning of the road herein described on the 26th day of February, 1832 and proceeded to view a route for the same beginning at a stake in the Road petitioned for by John Mcau and others and then from thence on the West line of Elias Scofield's land N. 9° West 28 poles to the Northeast corner of Widow Frazells land; thence N. 81° E. 4 poles to a mile stake on the north line of Widow Frazells land continuing the same direction 78 poles to the northwest corner of Mrs. F/ Sells land; thence N. 1° E. 138 poles on the said widow Frazells West line to the southwest corner of her land thence N. 78 poles to a stake in the Road petitioned for by D. O. Roberts and others March 2 miles V 11 poles.

The undersigned are of opinion that a good road may be established on said line and will be of great benefit to community. No route recommend that said Road be forty feet wide. No damages allowed .

Robert Walcutt 3 Days                      Robert Walcutt)  
James Legg 3 Days                      James Legg ) Viewers

Pursuant to an order from the Commissioners of Franklin County on the application of Frazell and others for a new county Road I proceeded on the 26th of February A.D. 1852, and after being qualified according to law under the direction of James Legg and Robert Walcutt, Viewers to make a survey and location of said road viz Beginning at a stake in the Road petitioned for by John W. Mcau and others and run from thence on the West line of Elias Scofield's land N. 9° West 280 poles to the Northeast corner of widow Frazell's land, thence N. 81 ° East 40 poles to a mile stake on the north line of said Widow Frazell's land and continuing the same direction 78 Poles to her northwest corner; thence N. 1° E. 135 poles on the said widow Frazell's West line to her Southwest corner, thence N. 78 poles to a stake in the Road petitioned for by D. O. Roberts and others marked 2 miles and 11 poles, this being the whole distance,

I certify the foregoing plat and notes to be correct

		J. Edward Wright Surveyor
J. Evans Wright Surveyor	3 days	\$6.00
Moses Britton CC	1 day	.75
M. M. Frazell CC	1 Day	.75
Miles McCrackan Marker	1 Day	,65

Afterward, to wit, on Tuesday, March 2, 1852 the Board of Commissioners aforesaid Road the report of the viewers and surveyor on the Road petitioned for by E.C. Frazell et al aforesaid in open session the first time and on Wednesday, March 3, 1852, said Commissioners read said reports the second time in open session.

Afterward to wit: on Wednesday, June 9, 1852 said Commissioners aforesaid met in regular session, present M. Slyh, E. F. Jennings and Jesse Baughman. Said Commissioners then ordered that the Road petitioned for by E. C. Frazell and others in Norwich Township be established and recorded and that the same opened \_\_\_\_\_ feet wide.

Thereupon Nathan Wilcox gave notice that he should take an appeal from the decision of the in relation to the establishment of a new County Road in Norwich Township petitioned for by J. C. Frazell and others and gave bond according to law.

Jan. the 15th, 1851

Sarah V Nathan Wilcox VS. J. C. Frzell V Benjamin McCrackan  
This Nathan Wilcox filed with me a certified transcript of the rproceedings had in the case of a new County Road petitioned for by J. C. Frazell and others whereupon issued a summons on the 11th of August 1852 vs. against said Frazell and McCracken returnable on the 17th at 10 o'clock A.M. and directed to N. F. Britton const. returned on the 11th 1852, served on the 11th by reading to all the defendants cost .75 N. F. Britton Const. Whereupon opened a venire for Peter Bowers Daniel Wright, Abner Belford, Alexander Shepherd, James McCoy and Abraham Sells and deliverdd it to N. F. Britton Const. returned on the 13 served on all by reading but James McCoy not found Cost \$1.20 A. F. Britton Const. Aug. 13, 1852, James McCoy not appearing the pannel was filled by the Constable calling on Samuel F. Britton. Thereupon after being duly qualified according to law, the jury myself and Const. proceeded to view said road and after mature deliberation the jury awarded the plaintiff the sum of ten dollars damages. The above judgment is approved by me. Sarah V. Nathan Wilcox ten dollars damage justices fees \$1.27 Const. N. F. Britton two dollars v 70 Cents .

Nathan Wilcox three dollars jury fees

The State of Ohio, Franklin County, Norwich Twp. SS  
I do hereby certify that the above cause is a full and same copy from my docket of the proceedings had by me in the above cause

John Britton J.P.