

JOHN HARPER ROAD in Jackson & Prairie Twps.

ROAD RECORD NO. 8

ROW = 40'
per CJ 1 pg 302

NOTICE

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Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, at their next regular session praing them to grant the petitioners a 40 feet County Road to commence and run as follows: Beginning in the centre of the County Road granted on the petition of John Howard and others, on the line between Jackson and Prairie Townships and run north on the line between said Township, so far as to the North west corner of the Washington Survey, and the southwest corner of the Kirkpatrick Survey, then to leave the line of said Townships and to run a west direction about 90 rods so as to make a square angle, so as to hit and run the line between Charles Holt and John Harper, stright through to the County Road granted on the petition of Charles Harrison and others.

PETITION

To the Commissioners of Franklin County:

We, the undersigned petitioners, do pray our honorable body, to grant us a 40 feet road; to commence and run as follows: Beginning in the centre of the county road granted on the petition of John Howard and others on the line between Jackson and Prairie Townships and run north on the line between said Township so far as to the northwest corner of the Washington Survey, and the south west corner of the Kirkpatrick Survey then to leave the line of said Townships, and to run a west direc- tion about 90 rods so as to make a square angle, so as to hit an run ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ the line between Charles Holt and John Harper, straight through to the County Road, granted on the petition of Charles Harrison and others.

John Large, George Townsend , Stephen Johnson, Walter Welch , Charles Harper, Wm. M. Chambers, Hiram Malott, Johannes Bettinger, Chapman Elliott, John Harper, John Demorest, Thomas Holt, Timothy Barfell, Jonah Snaith, Alexander White, Elias Holt, Eli Peters, N. Buckingham , Francis Harper Jr., Francis Harper, Sr., Wm. Merrch and John Malott

BOND

Know all men by these presents, that we John Harper and Chapman Elliott, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio for the use of Franklin County, in the just and full sum of one hundred dollars, the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, vx. jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Witness our hands and seals, the sixth day of June in the year 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Harper has this day presented a petition to the Commissioners for a new County Road in Jackson and Prairie Townships. Now if he shall succeed in his petition then this obligation to be void and of no effect, otherwise to remain in full force in law.

John Harper Seal
Chapman Elliott Marker Seal

ORDER

Auditor's Office, Franklin County, Ohio, Columbus, June 16, 1853.

Jacob Slygh)
John Legg) Viewers
Majes Walcutt)

Jesse Courtright, Surveyor

Gentlemen:-

You have been appointed by the Commissioners of Franklin County to view and survey a route for a new County Road, granted on a petition by John Howard and others on the line between Jackson and Prairie Townships and to run north on the lines between the said Townships so far as to the north west corner of the Washington Survey and the southwest corner of the Kirkpatrick Survey, then to leave the line of said Townships and to run a west direction about 90 rods so as to make a square angle through a part of the Gilmore survey in Prairie Townships, thence to run a north direction making a square angle so as to hit and run the line between Charles Holt and John Harper straight through to the County Road granted on a petition of Charles Harrison and others.

You will therefore meet at the begining of said road on the 24th day of June, 1853, and proceed to view and survey the same according to law.

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

I certify that I hawe sqorn Jacob Slygh, John Legg and James Walcutt, viewers and Jacob Slygh and John Harper, Chain carriers, and S. Johnson, Marker, of the within road - June 24, A.D. 1855

Jesse Courtright, S.F.C.

VIEWERS REPORT

Gentlemen: In obedience with an order from the county Auditor of Franklin County to view and lay out a road petitioned for by John Howard and others, we proceeded on the 24th of June, 1853, Jesse Courtright, Surveyor, After duly examining the said Road, we are of the opinion that said road will be of public utility and will seriously injur no one, but John Walters and we therefore allow, John Walters four dollars damage and also Charles Holt, twenty dollars. For further reference, see Survey made by Jesse Courtright and plat of said road. Whole distance one mile 155 poles and 21 links.

Given under our hands this 13th day of August ~~1853~~ 1853.

Jacob Slyh)
John Legg) Viewers
James Walcutt)

Pursuant to the annexed order, I proceeded on the 25th day of June, A.D. 1853, under the direction of Jacob Slygh; and James Walcutt and John Legg, Viewers, to make the following survey of the road set forth in said order: Beginning at a stone in the Howard Road, and in the line between Jackson and Prairie Townships N.E. corner of C. Strateman's, and S.E. corner of William Bukey's land, from which a hickory 14 in. diameter bears N. $62\frac{1}{4}^{\circ}$ W. $12\frac{3}{4}$ links distant, thence with said line N. $0^{\circ} 5'$ E. 207 poles to a stake opposite the N.W. corner of Washington's Survey No. 1388, and S.W. corner of Kirkpatrick's Survey No. 1389, thence N. $89^{\circ} 55'$ W. 88 poles and 16 links to a stake; thence N. 1° W. 24 poles and 9 links to a mile post continued north 1° west 155 poles and 21 links to a stone in the Harrison Road, N.W. corner of Charles

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Holt's and N.E. corner of John Harper's Land from which a hickory 16 in. in diameter bears S. 47° E. 21 links distant; making the total distance run one mile and 155 poles and 21 links.

I certify the above to be correct

Jesse Courtright S.F. C.

Jacob Slygh - Ch. C.
John Legg - Ch. C.
S. Johnson, Marker