

ROAD RECORD NO.9

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THOMAS GERMAN,ROAD.. BROWN TP..

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ROAD NOTICE..

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition will be presented to the Commissioners of Franklin County, at their next session, June 1, A.D. 1874, praying for the laying out and establishing of a County road on the following lines and route, to-wit: Beginning at the County road, in Brown Township, Franklin County; said road known as the Vanshoyck road, and the Northeast corner of Isaac Hamilton's land in said Township; from thence a southern course on the line of said Hamilton and Smith Vanshoyck; thence with the line of Rachel Bowser and said Hamilton; thence crossing said Rachel Bowser's land, running between her house and her barn to land owned by said Isaac Hamilton; from thence westerly course, on the line of said Hamilton and Rachel Bowser, to the East line of Benjamin Davies; thence South with line of said Hamilton and Benjamin Daviesto second hickory tree in said line; thence crossing said Davies's land to land owned by S.J. Wooley; thence South on the line of said Davies and Wooley, to land owned by Caleb Donavin; thence West on the line of said Donavin and S.J. Wooley, to the County Road known as the Jacob Rogers' Road; thence South with said road to land owned by the heir of Evan Bebb, deceased, and Archable Patterson; thence on the line of said Patterson and the heir of Evan Bebb, Lydia Jones, Edward Burt, Ella O'Harra, Knowlen Bailey, G.W. O'Harra, Margaret Bailey, and G.M. O'Harra, terminating at the County Road, known as the Amity and Creek Road, in said Township and County above mentioned..

April, 18, 1874

Ap. 25, W. 4. W..

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State of Ohio, ) I, Robert H. Thompson, being duly sworn, depose and say, that the Notice; of which a true Franklin County, ss) copy is hereunto annexed, was published one time a week for four consecutive weeks, in The Ohio State Journal, a newspaper printed in said County of Franklin, State of Ohio, and of general circulation therein, and that the first publication was made April, 25<sup>th</sup>. A.D. 1874

Rob't. H. Thompson

Sworn to before me, and signed in my presence, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1874..

Printer's Fees----\$ 5.00  
This Affidavit---- .25  
\$ 5.25

E. Clay Briggs, Notary Public..

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WE, the undersigned, do hereby certify that we do know to our certain knowledge, that there was three Notices placed up in three public places in the Township of Brown and County of Franklin, Stating that there would be a petition presented June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1874, to the Commissioners of Franklin County, Ohio, praying that body to locate and establish a County Road in said Tp., and County, along the lines and route, to-wit: On the line Isaac Hamilton, Smith Vanshoyck, Rachel Bowser, Benjamin Davies and crossing said Davies farm; thence on the line of S.J. Wooley and Caleb Donavin, Evan Bebb, Archable Patterson, Lydia Jones, Edward Burt, Ella O'Harra, Knowlton Bailey, G.W. O'Harra, G.M. O'Harra and Rachel Bailey, terminating at the Creek Road, in said Tp., and that said Notices were posted up in the Month of April, A.D. 1874..

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S.H. Francis,  
A.J. Reason..

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 1<sup>st</sup>. day of June, A.D. 1874.

Robert Bynner, J.P.

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PETITION..

TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

The undersigned petitioners, resident freeholders of said County, respectfully represent that the public convenience requires the laying out and establishing of a County Road on the lines and route hereinafter described; and pray that your body will institute and order the proper proceedings in the premises to lay out and establish such road, to-wit: Beginning at the County road in Brown Township in Franklin County, said road known as the Vanshoyck road, and at the Northeast corner of Isaac Hamilton's land in said Tp.; from thence on the line of said Hamilton and Smith Vanshoyck, a southern direction to said Hamilton's south-east corner of said lot of land; from thence a westerly direction with the line of said Isaac Hamilton and Rachel Bowser to the North-west corner of said Rachel Bowser's orchard fence; from thence a southern course running west of said Rachel Bowser's house and east of said Rachel Bowser's Barn from said point to the North-east corner of another lot of land in said Tp., owned by said Isaac Hamilton's in the South line of said Rachel Bowser lot of land; from thence in a westerly direction along the line of said Isaac Hamilton and said Rachel Bowser's land to Benjamin Davies east line, from thence a southern course on the line of said Benjamin Davies and said Isaac Hamilton's lands to the second hickory tree in a very near to said line, from said point a westerly course across the farm of said Benjamin Davies, to be fifty feet from center of said petitioned for road, to the south west corner of said Benjamin Davies Barn to the line of S.J. Wooley; from thence a southern course along the line of said S.J. Wooley and Benjamin Davies land to the northeast corner of Caleb Donavin lot of land from thence a westerly direction on the line of said Caleb Donavin and S.J. Wooley lots of land to the County road in said Tp., known as the Jacob Rodger's road; from thence a southern course with said road to the southeast corner of Evan Bebb land; from thence a westerly course with the line of said Evan Bebb and Archable Patterson to land owned by Lydia Jones and a crossing said Lydia Jones lot of land, continue on the line of said Patterson to northwest corner of said Patterson farm; from thence on the line of Edward Burt and Ella O'Harra to the southeast corner of land owned by Knowlton Bailey;

from thence a northern course on the line of said Bailey and Ella O'Harra to the northwest corner of said Bailey's lot of land; from thence a westerly direction on the line of said Knowlton Bailey, and G.W.O'Harra, and Margaret Bailey, and G.M.O'Harra, terminating at the County road known as the Amity or Creek road in said Township and County above mentioned.

Dated this 4th day February, A.D. 1874..

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PETITIONERS'..

Thomas German,  
A. Patterson,  
Benjamin Davis,  
Uriah Beach,  
Henry Francis,  
F.L. Grace,  
Lemuel Rathbun,  
J. Burnside,  
A.M.A. Forshee,  
Wm.Alex.Elsey,  
George Cosgray,  
Rob't. Beggs,  
F. Houcher,

Henry Lambert,  
Gideon Armentrout,  
Stephen Cary,  
Clay Alder,  
P. Avery,  
John R.Reason,  
Ths. Merchant,  
Thomas Beach,  
S. Hunter,  
F.A.Sieger,  
J.N. Morse,  
John Helser,  
B.J. Warner..

Edward Evans,  
S.H. Francis,  
Thos.K.Sherwood,  
J.E. Moling,  
G.W. O'Harra,  
Oran Fowler,  
John Parrish,  
J. Hughs,  
C.M.Latham,  
Wm. Winegardner,  
Levi W. Helser,  
F.E. Linn,

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BOND..

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

THAT WE, S.H. Francis, Archibald Patterson, B. Davis and Stephen Cary, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Ohio, for the use of Franklin 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 Brown Tp., in said Co., this 25th day of May, A.D. 1874

THE CONDITIONS OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATIONS ARE SUCH, That whereas application has been made to the Board of Commissioners of said Franklin County, for the establishing of a County road, on the following line and route, to-wit:

Beginning at the County Road in Brown Tp., said Road known as the Vanshoyck Road, and at the Northeast corner of Isaac Hamilton land in said County and Township; from thence southwesterly course on the line of said Hamilton, Smith Vanshoyck, Rachel Bowser, Benjamin Davies and crossing said Davies land; thence on the line of said Davies and S.J. Wooley, and Caleb Donavin to the County Road; thence south with said Road to the southeast corner of land owned by Evan Bebb; from thence west on the line of said Bebb, Archable Patterson, crossing a point of land owned by Lydia Jones; thence on the line of Edward Burt, L.O'Harra, Knowlton Bailey, G.W.O'Harra, Margaret Bailey and G.M.O'Harra, terminating at the County Road, known as the Amity or Creek Road.

Now, if the said applicants shall pay into the treasury of 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.

S.H. Francis, (SEAL)  
Archibald Patterson, (SEAL)  
Stephen Cary, (SEAL)  
Benjamin Davis.. (SEAL)

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VIEWERS AND SURVEYOR APPOINTED..

REGULAR SESSION OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS..  
June, 3<sup>rd</sup> 1874

The following Viewers were appointed:

Lewis Roberts, Wm. Hunter, and Frank Houchard..

John Courtright, Surveyor..

To meet at Isaac Hambleton's on June, 18<sup>th</sup> 1874..

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SURVEYOR'S AFFIDAVIT..

STATE OF OHIO, )  
Franklin County, ss.)

June, 18<sup>th</sup>. A.D. 1874..

Personally came before me, Orange Sells, a Notary Public in and for Franklin Co., John Courtright, Asst. County Surveyor, and was duly sworn by me, according to law, to faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of Surveyor of the Thomas Jerman Road in Brown Township, Franklin Co., Ohio..

(SEAL)

Orange Sells, Notary Public,  
in and for Franklin County, Ohio..

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VIEWERS, CHAIN CARRIERS ETC AFFIDAVIT..

THE STATE OF OHIO, ) BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this 18th day of June, A.D. 1874, personally appeared before me, John Courtright, a Surveyor in and for said County, Lewis Roberts, N.F. Houcher and John Helser, Viewers, Knowlton Bailey and G.M. O'Harra, chain carriers, and Robert Binner, Marker, of a County Road petitioned for by Thomas German and others, and were by me duly sworn to the faithful and impartial performance of their respective duties..

John Courtright, Surveyor of said Road..

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NOTICE TO LANDOWNERS OF THE TIME AND PLACE OF HOLDING VIEW..

You are hereby notified that the Viewers and Surveyor appointed by the Commissioners of Franklin County Ohio, in their order of June 18<sup>th</sup> 1874, to lay out and survey the County Road petitioned for by the undersigned and others, will meet at Isaac Hamilton on the 18th day of June, A.D. 1874..

Thomas German Principle Petitioner.

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VIEWERS REPORT..

TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

In obedience to your order, issued at your June session, A.D. 1874, we, the undersigned, Viewers appointed under said order, met with John Courtright Surveyor, at Isaac Hamilton's on the 18th day of June, and were severally sworn to discharge, faithfully and impartially, the duties required of us in said order..

John Helser and K. Bailey & G.M. O'Harra were selected by us as Chain Carriers, and Robert Binner as a marker, who were also duly sworn.

We then proceeded to view said proposed County 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 establishment of said road, as follows: Beginning at a stake in the center of the Vanshoyck Road, it being the N.E. corner of Isaac Hamilton's farm & a corner to Smith Vanshoyck's farm; thence S. 71° W. 35.88 poles to a stake, the S.E. corner of said Hamilton's farm & the N.E. corner of Rachel Bowser's farm; thence S. 59° W. 64 poles to a stake in the south line of Hamilton's farm, & in the north line of Bowser's farm; thence S. 12° E. through Bowser's farms 28.48 poles to a stake; thence S. 27° W. 27.72 poles to a blk. Walnut tree, the N.E. corner to another tract of Isaac Hamilton's & being a corner to Bowser's farm; thence S. 55 1/4° W. 67.72 poles to a stake, the S.W. corner of said Bowser's farm & the N.W. corner of said Hamilton's farm & in the east line of Benjamin Davis farm; thence on the line between Hamilton's & Davis S. 35° E. 40.16 poles to a Hickory tree; thence S. 54 3/4° W. 56.24 poles to a stake marked one mile; thence S. 54 3/4° W. 28.92 poles to a stake in the west line of Davis & in the east line of J.S. Wooley's farm; thence S. 35° E. 8.80 poles to a stake S.E. corner of J.S. Wooley's farm & being N.E. corner of C. Donivan's farm & in the west line of Davis farm; thence S. 54 1/2° W. 250.80 poles to a stake in the center of Jacob Rogers Road, it being the N.W. corner of Donivan's farm & S.W. corner of J.S. Wooley's farm in the east line of Gideon Armentrout's farm; thence with the center of Rogers Road S. 38 1/4° E. 31.48 poles to a stake marked two miles, same course 4.84 poles to the S.E. corner of said Armentrout's farm & N.E. corner of E. Bebb's farm & in the west line of Donivan's farm; thence same course 31.20 poles to a stake, the S.E. corner of E. Bebb's farm & N.E. corner of A. Patterson's farm & S.W. corner of Donivan's farm & N.W. corner of Evin's farm & in the center of Rogers' Road; thence S. 54 1/2° W. 269.32 poles to the S.E. corner of E. Bebb's farm, it being south corner of Lydia Jones farm & in the south line of A. Patterson's farm; thence S. 54 1/2° W. 14.64 poles to a stake marked three miles. Thence S. 54 1/2° W. 34.52 poles to the N.W. corner of A. Patterson's farm & N.E. corner of E. Berts' farm & in the south line of Ellie O'Harra's farm; thence S. 54 1/2° W. 52.32 poles to a stone, the S.W. corner of Ellie O'Harra's farm & S.E. corner of Knowlton Bailey's farm & in the north line of E. Bert's farm; thence N. 35 1/2° W. 32.52 poles to a stone, the N.E. corner of said Bailey's farm, it being the corner to Ellie O'Harra's farm; thence S. 55° W. 4 poles to the S.W. corner of Ellie O'Harra's farm & S.E. corner of G.W. O'Harra in the North line of Knowlton Bailey's farm; thence S. 55° W. 18 poles to a stake the S.W. corner of G.W. O'Harra's farm & S.E. corner of G.M. O'Harra's farm; thence S. 55° W. 178.46 to a stake marked four miles; thence S. 55° W. 137.12 poles to a stake in the line between Knowlton Bailey & G. M. O'Harra & in the center of the Amity Road. Total length four miles & 137.12 poles.

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We would respectfully report that the said County Road ought to be established for the following reasons: Said County Road is very much needed, from Isaac Hamilton's northeast corner on to Rachel Bowser & through Benjamin Davis on to the Roger's Road. About two miles from the beginning the balance of the Road is not deemed necessary..

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

All of which is respectfully submitted, )  
June, 18th. 1874 )

F. Houchard, |  
John Helser ) VIEWERS.  
Louis Roberts )

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FEEES..

Lewis Roberts,	Viewer,	1 day,	\$ 2.00
N.F. Houchard,	"	2 "	\$ 4.00
John Helser	"	1 "	\$ 2.00
K. Bailey,	Chainman,	1 day,	\$ 1.00
G.M. O'Harra,	"	1 "	\$ 1.00
Robert Binner,	Marker,	1 "	\$ 1.00
John Courtright,	Surveyor,	3 days,	\$15.00

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SEPARATE REPORT OF VIEWERS..

TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

The undersigned Viewers, of the County Road petitioned for by Thomas German 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 Caleb Donivan, Fifty DOLLARS;  
TO J.S. Woolley, Fifty 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 sum is 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 Rachel Bowser, Fifty DOLLARS;  
June 18th. 1874.. Lewis Roberts, ) VIEWERS AND  
F. Houchard, ) JURORS TO  
John Helser, ) AWARD DAMAGES.

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SURVEYOR'S REPORT..

TO THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

The undersigned, in obedience to your order, dated June \_\_\_\_, A.D. 1874, proceeded on the 18th day of June, A.D. 1874, to survey and mark the Thomas German Road described in said order, under the direction of the Viewers therein named, and respectfully submits the following return of said survey:

SEE PLAT AT END OF RECORD

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COM'RS. MEETING, REGULAR SESSION..  
Sept. 12" 1874

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION )  
OF THOMAS GERMAN AND OTHERS. )  
FOR A COUNTY ROAD.. ) The Viewers having reported in favor of the establishment of said road. Said report was this day publicly read for the first time..

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September, 13" 1874..

The Report of the Viewers in relation to the establishment of the Road petitioned for by Thomas German and others was this day publicly read for the second time..

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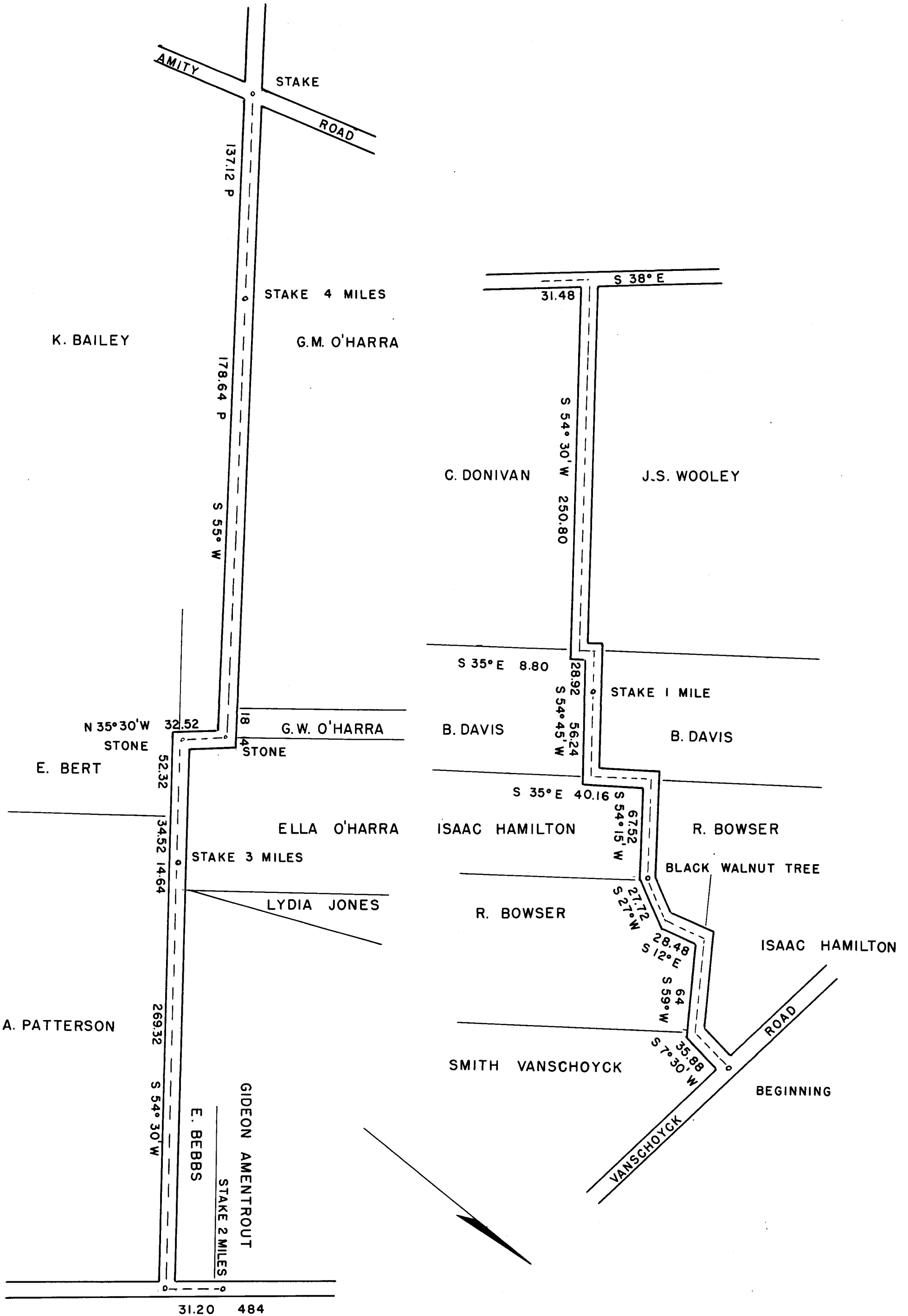
September, 14, 1874..

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION )  
OF THOMAS GERMAN AND OTHERS )  
FOR A COUNTY ROAD: ) The Report of the Viewers in relation to the establishment of said road, having this day been publicly read (being the third reading of the same) and no objections being made nor petition for review filed. The Board being of the opinion that said road as layed out and surveyed will be of public utility, it is ordered that the plat of said road be recorded and that said road be established a public highway, as in accordance to law; 40 feet wide, as recommended by Viewers.

It is further ordered that the County Auditor issue an order in the name of the Board directing the Trustees of Brown Township to open said road..

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\*\*\*\*\*SEE PLAT ON OTHER SIDE\*\*\*\*\*



I HEREBY CERTIFY that the above is a correct plat of T.German Road..

John Courtright, Surveyor...