Resolved that the road will extend with the County road
through at their own time annually.

Ordered the Commissioners that their shall be allowed
for each and every County Road. Instead of.

The Committee for the Collection of the County
shall be allowed for every twenty-five
miles of road. The same shall be equal to what the
same amount of money would be required by
the town on the same location by producing a sum of
the same to be deducted by the board when
the same appears before the board on adjournment to
erect the first Monday in March next.

The Commissioners met agreeable to adjourned
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be issued on ___.

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was done accordingly. — The Commissioners then adjourned until tomorrow morning.

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June 13, 1808. Commissions were granted to the members of the Board of Surveyors, to view and report on the proposed roads to be opened and laid out in the town of Cambridge. The Board of Surveyors were instructed to view the proposed roads and report their findings to the Board of Selectmen. The Boards of Selectmen were then to act on the recommendations of the Board of Surveyors.
June 14, 1808, Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment, present Mr. Newell, Mr. Whitten, Jacob Gember, A Member of Account, as the County was handed in Command, allowed and ordered to be filed to be heard on; Monday next made their returns were known and filed. Settle with the county clerk of the city in his favour Ordered for file to be made on. Settle with the Sheriff & made the proper entries, the Board then proceed to appoint a County collector for the present year when Jacob Gember was chosen of the board then adjourned until tomorrow morning 8 o'clock.


June 15, 1808, Commissioners met Command to adjourn. Present present William Newell, William Whitten, Jacob Gember. A Member of Account, were handed in again the县 was Command allowed and ordered to be filed to be heard on. Resolved by the Board that the Summable Dollars be paid out and Bountied for each and every Wolf quarterly certificate, which shall be presented to the Clerk of the Town to be over the age of six months, and The further sum of one dollar for each and every Wolf with the age of six months. An Account in Favor of Mr. Timothy Hey was presented to the board for allow. To which was ordered to be paid over for further Account.


June 16, 1808, Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment present William Newell, William Whitten, Jacob Gember. The Treasurer who was called on for settlement of taxes and a settlement with him took place accordingly. A Petition from Sunday inhabitants of the County was handed in praying to be set off from said Township of indecised in the Township of Jamesville was granted boundaries set off by order for this or the Board then adjourned until tomorrow morning 8 o'clock.


June 17, 1808, Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present Mr. Newell, William Whitten and Jacob Gember. Monday Account was handed in & the city Command allowed & ordered to be filed to be heard on the Board then proceed to add up the several Assessments of Taxable Property which being made after the close of Taxation Day which was to the full amount asserted by Law. The Board then proceed to discuss County Treasurer Joseph F. Thomas being present. His Bond together with the following Securities of Mr. Newell, Daniel & Joseph Converse was filed and signed. The Board then proceed to adjourn to Town and said to be signed the County of Essex July 15th.
Ordered by the Commissioners that all Taverns within the county, except the one in town, Act 1000. To wool.

The State road from Wool to Chillicothe, Eight Dollars each, except those five within the Towns of Jonesville 

ordered to be licensed at Twelve Dollars each.

All other Taverns within the county, open and to be open thereafter, in any direction whatever within the county, except in the Town of the road, to pay Five Dollars each.

Opening the state road immediately to form Jonesville to Springfield to pay a license of Twelve Dollars each.

Opening the State road immediately from Jonesville to Frankfort to be licensed at Eight Dollars each.

Throughout the county, except as above to be licensed at Five Dollars each.

States of Territorial licensing throughout the county.

For a foot passenger, 10.

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September 5th, 1813, a Committee, agreed to by adjournment, passed William Sturtevant, Robert Bacon, John Shaw, and Daniel Hurlbut as such Committee, to take such steps as they shall think proper to report a plan for the improvement of the roads and highways on the north side of the town. The report on this subject is to be presented by the Committee next meeting.

The report on the road from Cambridge to the settlement of the town, was presented by George Brown and John Adams, Mr. Blackman and John Plaistow, and John Adams, ejectors, to meet at the house of John Vortex, on the first Monday in January next. Adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Jno. Benjamin Fuller, Clerk.

December 6th, 1813.

The Board of Selectmen met, agreeable to adjournment, and the Petition of Sunday inhabitants of the Providence Township on the Eleventh Range, was presented, praying that an election may be held, and an election held, to elect new Trustees and a Treasurer, and to have such election in said Township as has not been held since the last Annual meeting. The election was held by John Reynolds.

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December 5th, 1813.

The Selectmen of the County of Massachusetts, in the County, met, agreeable to adjournment, passed William Sturtevant, Jacob Crann, and Daniel Hurlbut as such Committee, to take such steps as they shall think proper to report a plan for the improvement of the roads and highways on the north side of the town. The report on this subject is to be presented by the Committee next meeting.
September 5, 1828, Mr. Wise advised the Town of Cambridge, that a petition for the land leading from Cambridge to the mouth of Watatemaka Creek, at or near the falls of Symmes Creek, which is to be surveyed by John Adams, was laid on the table. The petition was read and discussed. Mr. Wise moved that the petition be referred to the Selectmen. The motion was carried. The petition was then referred to the Selectmen for further action.

December 5, 1828
The Commissioner of the County of Northumberland, having received a petition from the inhabitants of Cambridge, requesting that a road leading from Cambridge to the mouth of Watatemaka Creek, at or near the falls of Symmes Creek, be opened and surveyed, said that the road was not yet surveyed. The petition was referred to the Selectmen for further action.

The Selectmen of Cambridge, December 6, 1828.
Benjamin Tipton, Clerk.
December 31st, 1808

The Board of Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment, as yesterday—

John Leagers and Company, appeared, and requisitioned that this lot on their House in Springfield, might be taken, off as it was not

convenient when the first term late — Ordered by the Commissioners that this lot on said House, of fifteen dollars be remitted and half, hereafter, houses not finished and not occupied shall not be subject to taxation, unless finished or occupied.

A number of accounts were then allowed.

Henry Ford presented his account for finishing the Goal and Courthouse, ordered half when in the opinion of William Nickelt to agree the said work in said account to Contract, that the Clerk give order on the Treasurer for the balance due said Ford. The work so far as it is done has met with the approbation of the Commissioners.

Adjournd to meet to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Test Benjamin Tupper, Clerk.

December 31st, 1808

A number of accounts were allowed.

Adjournd to meet at the Court house in Danville on Monday the second day of January next.

Test Benjamin Tupper, Clerk.

January 2d, 1809

The Commissioners of Muskingum County Ohio, met agreeable to law and adjournment—Present, William Nickelt and Daniel Stithenhill, Esq.—

The County Collector not coming forward for settlement, and no other business for the Board, adjourned to meet Thursday of next.

Test B. Tupper, Clerk.

January 3rd, 1809

The Board of Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment, pursuant to order.

The Collector not appearing the Board adjourned to meet the first Monday in March next.

Test Benjamin Tupper, Clerk.

February 6th, 1809

The Commissioners of Muskingum County, met agreeable to adjournment—Present William Nickelt, Jacob Gombert and Daniel Stithenhill.

A number of accounts were allowed.

The Collector not being ready for settlement, adjourned to meet to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

Test Benjamin Tupper, Clerk.

February 7th, 1809

The Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment, present as yesterday.

Jacob Gomper the Collector presented a receipt from the Treasurer of the County for eleven hundred fifty one dollars and two cents, in part of the amount of his Duplicates for collection for 1808. The Collector having been so high as to render it impracticable for him to go through the county and make collections so as to come to a final settlement at this time. Ordered by the Commissioners that the said Jacob Gomper be allowed until the first Monday in March next to make a final settlement.

Ordered by the Commissioners that in all cases where the Collector finds lands lying deserted within the county, which are not taxed on his Duplicates, that he shall collect so far as is in his power, and shall return a list of the same to the Commissioners.

The Board adjourned sine tempore and adjourn.

No other business during the Board. Adjourned to meet the first Monday in March next.

Test Benjamin Tupper, Clerk.
March 6th, 1809.

The Commissioners of Trumbull County, Ohio, met at the Courthouse in Warren to hear the Adjournment. Present at the meeting: William Stover, John Smith and Daniel Stullwell, Esq.

A Petition was presented signed by several inhabitants asking that a road be laid out from Springfield to the west towards the line of Trumbull County, to enter on a road leading from Warren. John Mathews James Jeffries and William Reynolds, Appointed Surveyor, to meet at the house of William Bingham in Springfield on the last Monday in March, to lay out the road. The Petition for the division of Wells Township was presented and a Simon Stevens presented in person who was elected as a Commissioner. The Petitioners appointed to lay out a road from the Western line of Trumbull County, to enter a road leading from Lambville to Wabash. Creek, at or near the point of separation back of the farm of the county of Seneca, which was laid out and to be surveyed of said road.

The Petitioners appointed to lay out a road from Lambville to the North end of Half-Mile Road in Summit. N. A. Ranger, to enter a road leading from Lambville to the North of Wabash Creek at or near the School lot occupied by John Cooksey, and said road was laid out and signed and certified by said surveyor.

A Committee from the town of Lambville came forward and proposed to lay a road along the County line sufficient to build a Brick Courthouse on the public ground and to build a Brick Court House on the public grounds in Lambville.

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

J. B. Benjamin, J. P. Clerk.

March 7th, 1809.

The Commissioners of Trumbull County met at the Courthouse in Warren to hear the Adjournment. Present at the meeting: William Stover, John Smith and Daniel Stullwell, Esq.

A Petition for the division of Newton Township was presented.

The Commissioners of Trumbull County met at the house of John King on the South part of said Township as divided and ordered to enter the name of Newton Township, and the North part to be called Springfield Township. The second road between was made a route and entered to be opened forty feet wide.

The Petitioners were ordered to meet on the second Monday in March, at the house of William Bingham in Springfield to hear the Petition for the division of Wells Township.

The Petition for the division of Newton Township was presented. Ordered that the Petition be heard in the Township of Newton, be heard at the house of James King on the first Monday in April next, and the Petition for the Township of Springfield be heard at the same time at the house of William Bingham.

The Commissioners having taken into consideration the petition made by a number of the Inhabitants of the Township of Lambville for erecting a Court House in said Township, it is agreed to the erection of said Court House on the following conditions: viz. The money which may be raised by the said county by Levying for the purpose shall not be used until the building is found ready to be occupied. Also, that none of the money shall be drawn from the County Treasury to go towards the payment of the principal or interest of the loan, unless such loan shall be paid in full. The Sheriff, Recorder, Overseers and all other officers of said County shall be paid the salary of said loan, but the County is to be paid for the payment thereof and further, within thirty days after the contract is signed.

J. B. Benjamin, J. P. Clerk.

March 9th, 1809.

The Commissioners of Trumbull County met at the Courthouse in Warren to hear the Adjournment. Present at the meeting: William Stover, John Smith and Daniel Stullwell, Esq.

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J. B. Benjamin, J. P. Clerk.
for the erection of said Building, there shall be paid to the
undertakers One Thousand Dollars and Afterwards one
hundred Dollars shall be paid quarterly, part of the said
sum shall have been paid and the residue of any for the completion
of said building shall be paid within six months thereafter.
Provided the building shall promptly to such as to justify such payments
and shall be paid for by the Commissioners. The same to be
baked of Bush to be sixty feet square, to contain two thousand four
hundred square feet, and thirty feet high from the ground line. Said
same to be signed by the first day of November one Thousand eight
hundred and ten. No money is to be advanced, and no
subsequent contracts entered into by the Commissioners until the
money so advanced to the subscribers is paid, except for
the digging of a well on the public ground and proceeding therefor
for the year—William Scovel being entered by his Deed of
against the proceeding for the same. The Commissioners
had no right to lose money and to destroy the rights
of the County for the payment of such loan.

Copy of a Bond for the payment of the Money, loaned or
above for the building of the asparagus house.

In now all men by their agents that are John: McIver.
Ashe, Peace Robert Tayler William Rainelos Josephs
Woolsey Wylly, Sellman Daniel Converse Robert Fulton
are held and firmly bound unto Sarah James, Daniel Skel
and William Scovel. Commissioners of Westmorland County
in the Sum of sixteen thousand Dollars for the payment of
which we bind ourselves, our and each of our heirs successors
and administrators.

The condition of this Bond is this that whereas
the Commissioners of Westmorland County have agreed to build a Court
for the erection of the Courthouse, that the sum of Money necessary to build the

The same shall be advanced by the inhabitants of said County. Now
of the said sum necessary for building shall be paid. The said Commissioners
being requested to the Court to enter into by the Commissioners, for building
said house, gave this obligation to be paid out of the said money.

Signed by John McIver

March 21 1809

The Commissioners of Westmorland County, met according to
The plan of the house not being ready. Adjourned to
meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock

John Benavino, Speaker Clerk

March 21 1809

The Commissioners met according to adjournment, present.
Yesterday, the plan of the house was received. The plan to be
Corrected and prepared for the examination of the plan, next Tuesday.
James Allon, William Ryan, Domenic Morris were appointed to
on a line from Springfield by John Hays to the last boundary line
of the County and land Whipple person to meet at the town of St. Luke
on Wednesday the 28th day of the next month. Adjourned to meet there, the next day.
John Benavino, Speaker.
April 10, 1809. The commissioners of Muckingham County, met agreeable to adjournment, ordered William Neuell, James Gombee and Daniel Stittwate.

This being the day fixed for the sale of the building of the Court House, the plans and surveys requested were made public.

Following was appointed town. Which building was

Then John Osborne, Daniel Bouanno, and Thomas Belden for seven thousand two hundred fifty dollars.

William Neuell was appointed to approve of the sufficiency of the county to be given by the purchaser for the building of said town.

The Court House to be built forty feet back from the Main street, and in the center between the alley and east end of the lot.

Upon this date the building was commenced.

Adjourned to meet the first Monday in June next.

J. Benjamin Tupper, Clerk.

Monday, June 5th, 1809.

The commissioners of Muckingham County met agreeable to law and adjournment. Ordered William Neuell, James Gombee and Daniel Stittwate.

A petition was presented signed by a number of inhabitants of the Township of Springfield, praying that an avenue may be

appointed to lay out a road from the town of Springfield, thence on the south side of the body of land proper to the town of Springfield, near the house of Thomas Smith near the big fork of Saco Creek, thence taking a school house near John Hales, thence to the west boundary of Muckingham County in the best direction that when it shall be

continued through a part of the county of Muckingham to the state road leading from Danville to Augusta near the Black Fork of Saco Creek – John Matthew, John Thompson & Louis F. W. were appointed to lay out and mark a strip of land fifty feet wide.

Ordered that Benjamin Tupper make out and furnish the contract for building the Court House, with the necessary plans of said building.

Ordered that in future all petition for the town of fifty lines sixty feet.
Requisition and Restrictions for building the Courthouse in Farmville.

1. The foundation of said building to be laid with good sandstone, to be sunk eighteen inches under ground and raised one foot above the level of the surface of the soil, which walls are to be laid thirty-six inches thick, three feet on the back and half of said building the walls to be raised three feet high, with cut stone of the following dimensions viz.: four feet five inches wide on foot, the second tier to raise eleven inches and the third tier to raise ten inches. The wall from the bottom of the cut stone to the top of the same to be laid thirty-three inches. The back or north end of said building wall to be laid the same and thickness as last described with suitable stone but not cut. All of which stone are to be laid in good line Mortar and in the best substantial workmanlike manner— from the top of the cut stone, the walls of said building are to be raised with good and sufficient Bricks, thirty three one of net, In the lower or ground Story the Brick walls are to be laid twenty inches thick, and raised fifteen feet high. The walls of the upper Story to be eighteen inches thick and raised twenty feet from the top of the chamber past. Then is to be a tier of cut Stone dividing the store from below the plan—

2. The window frames are to be made of iroquois, made of the kind of Black Walnut or Yellow poplar timber, to be wrought out in a proper manner to receive weights for hanging the Windows, and ashes and as if on the out side, the window sill to be of cut stone of a size corresponding with the caps.  
3. The windows to have a case under the Headers are eye Dots exactly proportioned to the height of the building.
The Roof to be of the best of timbers and a sufficient quantity and size and framed in the best possible manner for the support of the building; which Roof and Cupola are to be sufficiently bound with iron wherever necessary. The said Roof to be sheathed with Board of a suitable thickness (4 of oak.) The Shingles to be made of chestnut, timber, eighteen inches in length and four eights of an inch thick at the bat and to lay five inches to the weather, and to be put on in the best possible workmanlike manner; the hips and valleys to be turned up in a proper and workmanlike manner; the Cupola is to be light space.

The Stairs to be made with Rampart, hand Railings and turn. Banisters, which Stairs are to be suitably colored Gawne with luminous colors; the vessels of said Stairs to be finished in the best workmanlike manner and in uniform with the parts thereof been described.

The hand railings and Banisters in front of the Judges, with the other hand railings & Banisters in said building, to be finished in the same style as is mentioned in the above description.

The platform on which the Judges seat is to stand is to be raised four feet from the floor; the Stairs leading up to said seat to raise eight inches each step, and to be hand Railings as above, the Judges seat to be a comfortable Seat.

The back Jury room to be inside two feet from the floor, and the front room one foot and four inches, to be finished with handrailings and Banisters in front.

The Sheriff's & Coroner's Rooms to be raised one foot from the floor; and the Deputy Sheriff &Constable's Rooms to be raised above the level of the exterior walls wherein said Rooms are placed, to be finished with a hand railing and Banisters of the description mentioned in the Specification.

All the Corridor seats together with the Clerk's seat and Desk, and the Council table, to be finished in the best workman like manner, corresponding, and in uniform with the other parts of said building; the Clerk's seat to be raise one foot and four inches from the floor.

The second story to be divided equally to the floors, all of which partitions are to be lathed & plastered, all of which work is to be done in a substantial workman like manner.

The two front floors are to be laid with good Oak Boards of one and one quarter inch thick, and to show six inches. When laid, to be tongued and grooved, and to be beared into the chamber floor to be planed, all to be done in the best workman like manner; the Garret floor to be laid with Oak boards, tongued and grooved, and done in a suitable manner.

To each window in said house there shall be imitation Blinds to be painted green and hang in a proper manner with inside Bolts, and hooks to fasten them back on the outside.

The Garret Stairs to be enclosed with a Slate Partition.

The walls of said house to be painted a proper color, the windows frames, doors and corners to be painted white. All dressed sufficiently painted in the Spanish brown. The doors and inside laths work all to be painted such color as colors as the Commissioners shall direct.

The Windows are to be glassed (without shutters agreeable to the Plan)

All the inside of the house to be Lath'd (after nailing), and plastered in the best Workman like manner.

All the Doors and Chimney Boards to be finished in the Corners above and in a good workman like manner.

The Door steps to be of Oak stone agreeable to the plan, and the Door sill to be of Oak stone; the Platform for the Door steps to be four feet wide.

There shall be a Water table of Oak stone four inches thick.
The said to be Building shall, one and three fourths half an
and made and glazed in the best manner.

The windows to be framed with Pannel work, and a double
wooden sash on the inside casing, the sash and Dows
to be sable land and be inserted in the same manner.

There shall be a good and sufficient lock and board
board in every part of said house where it may be thought
necessary, to be inserted in a manner conformed to
the other work on said building.

All the doors for said building are to be Pannel work
and the Sash on the back side doors to be ten inches long
with Brass knobs on handles. The Inside doors to have B's
and Locks of a suitable size.

Tile ten plate stoves are to be placed in the Chamber against the
place, with three iron pipes of suitable dimensions, leading
from said Stove to a proper manner in to the chimney.

An out or round window is to be made and glazed and placed on the Outside.

The Chamber is to be plastered eighteen inches broad from to
be colored, to be fourteen inches in depth, and have one hundred

The Commissioners shall have a right to alter the Great plan
and Chamber floor plans as far as it is not the same
at the Expense.

The principal timber in the lower floor to be fourteen inches
by twelve inches of the best White Oak, and the
main timber in the Chamber floor to be twelve inches
fifteen inches, and the main timber in the Parlor the
ten inches by twelve inches, and the parts of said parlors
to be twelve inches by nine inches.

The Marble faces are to be of Cut Stone, and the Sash are to
be of Cut Stone, and done in the best manner.

All and singular, the work necessary for completing said
building, and which may not be mentioned in this agreement,
is to follow the best substantial manner in the

The foundation is to be, and the timber for the lower floor to be
prepared ready to commence the brick work, or as before

As the tenth day of July next, the Brick walls to be raised to the
top of the first story and the chamber timber places, on or before
the tenth day of October next, the second story to be raised
and the Roof on, by the tenth day of December next and through
the whole of the work for the completion of said building shall
be done on or before the first day of January one thousand
eight hundred and ten.

On condition that the work on the apsersade building shall
be made as before agreed, there shall be paid to the Contractors
on the tenth day of July next, One Thousand Dollars, and
One thousand Dollars thereafter to be paid quarterly yearly
until the full sum of Ten Thousand Dollars shall have been paid, and
the balance of any to be paid in six months there after. What
payments are to be made by a Draught on the Bank.

The Commissioners shall be paid for their bonds given
the Commissioners for the payment as aforesaid.

The Commissioners have a right to employ other hands to carry out
building on own the Contractor shall neglect or fail to carry it out
agreement to their regulation. All workmen shall be paid by the
Contractor in the Money to be in the hands of the Commissioners
for their payment. The Commissioners shall one in three
Many months from the signing of the Contract, examine the work, one
said building, and, either approve or disapprove of the same, so
far as it shall have been performed, and if they disapprove of
the Commissioner shall choose an arbitrator, and the Costs
another of good Character, who shall examine the work, and
if they so chosen cannot agree they are to choose a third
person to examine and determine on their.

No person is to be chosen for the apsersade purposes, but those perfectly
contented, and who have not contracted with building, and
in case that one of the Commissioners shall be of opinion that the work done for it
shall be done agreeable to contract, they shall estimate
ect and the defraying which shall be done from the next year.
Monday June 10, 1807.
The Commissioners of Mecklenburg county, after agreeing to law and adjournment, Petent William Neele, John Lumbard and Daniel Stilwell, a member of the latter of the different Townships made an sworn account of the expense of said affair, all present.

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Int Benjamin Chicago Clarke

Tuesday June 11, 1807.

The Commissioners and agents to adjournment present.

Sitting with the town of Mecklenburg and found a balance due him from the county of five hundred ninety nine dollars and seventy four cents. Sunday accounts were presented and allowed.

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Int Lewis Whipple Clarke Rock

Wednesday June 12, 1807.

We adjourned to adjournment, present as yesterday.

Walter W. Whipple, sheriff of the county and found a balance due him from the county of five hundred ninety dollars and seventy four cents. He informed the commissioners for not allowing a claim on a road leading from Springside to Cabin Ferry.

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

Int Lewis Whipple Clarke Rock
July 11th, 1809

To the Commissioners of Madagascar:

Gentlemen,

This day having been appointed for the Board to meet, I have the honor to inform gentlemen that the Company has been in receipt of the following accounts:

From the Madagascar Company:
- 5000 dollars
- 10000 dollars
- 7500 dollars
- 2500 dollars
- 1500 dollars

From the Merchants:
- 3000 dollars
- 2000 dollars

I have the honor to be,
Your obedient servant,

[Signature]
Monday, September 7th, 1809

The Commissioners of Washington County, Ohio, met according to adjournment. Present: William, Sr., Jacob, and Adam Williams, Esqrs.

A Memorial of Accounts were allowed.

Adjourned to meet on Monday, September 14th.

Samuel Thompson, Jr., Clerk.

Tuesday, September 8th, 1809

The Commissioners met as agreed to, and adjournment previous to yesterday.

Ordered that the Clerk to the Commissioners forthwith make out and deliver to William Williams a duplicate of the President's Patent for 1808.

An order being had on a warrant for the use of Washington County, Ohio, in consequence of the lower part of the same not being surveyed timely, orders the same to be presented to the Commissioners that the same may be conveyed.

Ordered that Charles Williams, George Williams, and William Morrison to be appointed to design and John Carswell to meet at the house of Charles Williams the third Monday in October next.

Ordered that the first day of October next be the day of Appeal, and that the Clerk advertises the same.

Ordered that a Petition be signed to the Governor of the State of Ohio, praying that the same of Peter Barrack and John Burns to meet on the third Monday in October next.

Adjourned to meet the first day of October next.

Lest Benjamin Thompson, Clerk.

Thursday, October 5th, 1809

The Commissioners of Washington County, Ohio, met according to adjournment. Present: William, Sr., Jacob, and Adam Williams, Esqrs.

This being the day appointed for holding Appeal, the Commissioners proceeded to hear and adjourned on the several cases which were brought before them.

Louis Nye petitioned to have the tax before his house, declared on his four quarters, as it was not mounted, and that the tax levied on the same, and fifty cents be remitted.

Andrew Coats petitioned to have the tax taken off his house as it was not found on Survey, ordered that the said tax of twenty-five cents be remitted.

Ordered that the Clerk issue an order on the Treasurer in favor of Jacob Coats for one hundred dollars for digging and forming a well on the public square in Warren, and to the said Warren, agreed to be executed.

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

Samuel Thompson, Jr., Clerk.

Friday, October 6th, 1809

The Commissioners met as agreed to, and adjourned as yesterday.

Ordered that the Clerk issue an order on John W. Johnson for Secretary of the Warren Court House Company for one hundred dollars to be paid in favor of all the Commissioners. The Clerk issues his order as he has signed it with the approval of the Commissioners.

David Harvey states that his house has taken too large a share of his property, and that he was fined for too much. Let his house be remitted.

Ordered that the said amount be taken off his Tax.

Ordered that his house be taken off said Granger's Tax.

Samuel Thompson states that he was fined with an out lot which was not owned or due to his house. Ordered that one dollar and twenty-five cents be deducted from his Tax for the same.

Adjourned to meet the first Monday in December next.

Samuel Thompson, Jr., Clerk.
Monday December 1st 1809.

The commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, met aforesaid, to lay out a road from the south boundary of the county to the site of a town to be named "Hardin," and to name a day for a meeting of the inhabitants for the purpose of laying out the same. The commissioners adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

Benjamin Taft. Clerk.

Tuesday December 2nd 1809.

The commissioners met aforesaid to lay out a road for the town. The commissioners adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

Benjamin Taft. Clerk.

Wednesday December 3rd 1809.

The commissioners met aforesaid to lay out a road from the north boundary of the county to the site of a town to be named "Perry," and to name a day for a meeting of the inhabitants. The commissioners adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

Benjamin Taft. Clerk.

Monday January 1st 1810.

The commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, met aforesaid, to lay out a road from the north boundary to the town of "Perry." The commissioners adjourned to meet the first Monday in February next for the purpose of laying out the road.

Benjamin Taft. Clerk.

Monday February 8th 1810.

The commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, met aforesaid, to lay out a road from the town of "Perry" to the site of a town to be named "Springfield." The commissioners adjourned to meet the first Monday in February next for the purpose of laying out the road.
Monday March 5th 1810.

The commissioners of Muskingum County Ohio, met together at Town Hall, Daniel Stults and Thomas Noble Surgeon. The business appointed to lay out a road consisting of a point on the state road leaving from Alliance to Lushville near the state line. And to divert the town of Lushville on the west to a point on the 4th Range line so that an extension may take place of the survey on the west direction to Alliance City. Resolved 1st. that a road not be laid at this point of land out of said ground.

The commissioners appointed to lay out a road from Springfield on the east of Lushville by Samuel Smith's 4th range that is then given to the town would be of great public utility and the survey return together with the report then publicly read and handed over to be read again tomorrow.

The commissioners not being ready to settle his accounts, adjourn to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

[Signatures]

Tuesday March 6th 1810.

The commissioners met together at Town Hall yesterday. Their business appointed on a road from Springfield on the south side of Lushville 4th Range was again and when John Landes presented a petition praying that a similar kind of call be made to the county to appoint another officer to ascertain the damage which he may sustain in consequence of said road being laid through his land. Therefore the commissioners appointed to pay the same.

The following persons were appointed by William Willet: David Bussick David Seye, John Adam, and John Springer to meet at the house of John Landes on the first Monday in April next.

A petition was presented by a number of inhabitants of the township of the county of Muskingum praying that an officer be set to look over some townships for the purpose of dividing the land, and the Inhabitants of said townships demand that the clerk notify the inhabitants to meet at the house of William Willet on Thursday, the 29th inst. for the purpose aforesaid.

A member of the council present and voted.

[Signatures]
Copy of a Bond for the payment of the money loan or for the building of the said building.

Know all men by these presents, that we, Isaac Stone, John McHale, and Myhas Tellman, are bondman, and by bond unto Daniel Hellwell and Thomas, in the sum of one thousand dollars, for the payment of which we bind ourselves, severally, and each of our heirs, executors and administrators absolutely, by these presents. Sells with one bond, to be due and payable on the eighth day of March one thousand, eight hundred and ten.

The conditions of the above obligation is this, that whereas the commissioners of Muskingum County have agreed to build offices for the Register and Clerk of the County, and also a free schoolhouse, in condition that the sum of money necessary for the same and completion of said buildings, shall be paid the said commissioners payable to the order of the said commissioners payable to be used for building said buildings, this obligation to be void, otherwise, to remain in full force and virtue. Signed by

[Signature]

John A. Justice

Daniel Hellwell

Daniel Cooper

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

John A. Justice

Wednesday, April 15th, 1810.

The commissioners are agreeable to adjournment.

James Thompson and Joseph Clinton, principals, and Samuel Tellman, surety, come to hand and pay bond for the building and completion of the town of offices.

Jacob Brooks, towns of public town, collected and bondsman for the present year.

Ordered that James Thompson have an order upon his former, or John A. Justice, treasurer of the Townville, Court house company for one thousand dollars.

Adjourned to meet the first Monday in June.

John A. Justice

Monday, April 6th, 1810.

The commissioners are agreeable to adjournment.

Daniel Hellwell, Thomas, 1861, Joseph. New, Esquire.

The commissioners directed to make out the necessary requisition, description, &c., for the building of the county offices and rooms.

Adjourned to meet the next morning at 8 o'clock.
Commissions' Office, Mississippi County, April 10th, 1826

Acquisitions and restrictions for building County office 1st. A brick house—twenty feet feet by twenty eight feet, the floor to be ten feet in the clear—The brick to be of a good quality—

2. The foundation to be of stone, sunk eighteen inches below the surface of the ground, and colored sixteen inches above the ground in the good yard work—one square inch of the other eight—the stone to be ground to be a fine quality limestone—Each to be twenty inches thick, except the core wall, which are to be eighteen inches thick.

3. All the side walls to be fourteen inches thick except the corner walls, which are to be twenty two and a half inches. The side walls and gable walls to be nine inches thick, except the part projected into the corner which is to be fourteen inches thick. The arches to be seven feet wide of the walls to be above his thick.

4. The floor to be laid with brick and tile, and to be heated with the brick walls.

5. Stairs, chimneys, agreeable to the plan—

6. A square room, framed in a good manner—plastered with oak boards, to be covered with joint plasters, made of bent lath, eighteen inches long, to lay nine inches to the inch.

7. A plain entrance, with door-keeping—

8. Fifteen light windows, lobby to be divided by 12 footed frames, single architrave inside. Pedestal—pinnacle, with different arrangements and formings. The doors to be placed in a good manner.

9. Two doors, in front 7 six paneled frames. Single light. The doors to be finished and laid on dynamite.
Monday, June 6, 1810

The Commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, met agreeable to law and appointment, present: Daniel Wharton, Thomas Nevet and George Allen, Esq.,

A petition was presented signed by a sufficient number of inhabitants, praying that a road may be had on a road leading from Springville towards Athens, as far as the County line of Muskingum—Cheney Hall, Daniel Converse & Lewis Whipple were appointed surveyors and Lewis Whipple surveyor, to meet at the house of William Burnham in Springville on Monday the 11th Instant.

A petition was presented signed by a number of inhabitants of the Township of Little Chuck. Praying for a division of the same, which was granted and ordered to be recorded by the name of Little Chuck Township, and that a copy of this division be handed to the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas.

The Clerk is directed to copy out all the grants and to have them recorded. The Clerk is directed to hand out the deeds of the land to the parties in the Sheriffs Office.

The Commissioners appointed the 31st March last to ascertain the damage which John Linn wrought in consequence of a road through Springville by John Spry (the said road) not being met at the other end and one of the said Appraisers being absent, John Linn agreed that others might be appointed. Whereupon William A. Tomlin, Moses Sagg, Lewis Nye, John Spry and William Riddle were appointed to meet at the house of John Linn on Monday the 12th Instant.

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at eight o'clock.

Benjamin Tupper, Clerk

Sunday June 5, 1810

The Commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, met agreeable to adjournment present as yesterday.

A petition was presented signed by a number of inhabitants, praying that an alteration may be made in the road leading from Springville to Connersville, to commence at the line of the Township of Springfield, thence in the north direction to intersect the old road, at or near the brick kiln—whenceon William Tupper, James Hamilton and Benjamin Tupper are appointed surveyors, and Benjamin Tupper surveyor, to meet at James Hamilton's the three Monday in August next.

Orders that so much of the road from Springville by Sarah Smurth, to the west boundary of the county, as lies between John Timbelton and the west boundary of the county, be paved sixty feet wide.

A member of accounts was allowed.

Adjourned to meet on Monday the 11th Instant.

Benjamin Tupper, Clerk

Monday, June 11, 1810

The Commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, met agreeable to law and appointment. Present: Daniel Wharton, Thomas Nevet and George Allen, Esq.

Joseph A. Davis, Surveyor of the County, came forward and stated, that he has left in the Court yard a list of his Bond—The Commissioners then appointed Benjamin Nevet Surveyor of the County for the present year.

Ordered that the Taxors and Surveyor pay the same for services as last year.

The Rates of Taxation through the County for the present year to be as follows: viz.

For 10. bo. of 55 per cent. 30
For 10. of 35 per cent. 30
For 10. of 45 per cent. 30
The Commissioners met and adjourned to their next meeting present.

The Sheriff of the County came forward and the accounts which were adjourned, and a balance found due said Sheriff.

The Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas brought forward his account for causes in the Court last year and allowed thirty dollars and twelve cents.

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock.

Benjamin Tappan, Clerk.

Wednesday, June 22, 1830

The Commissioners met and adjourned to their next meeting present.

The Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas reported the accounts of the Sheriff and the balance due.

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock.

Benjamin Tappan, Clerk.

Monday, September 3, 1830

The Commissioners of the County of Ontario, met and adjourned to the next Monday, present: Daniel Milburn, Thomas Vosper and George Poece.

The resolution to make an alteration in the county road was made a presentable report, and the surveyor's name, which was read, ordered to be laid on the course of the road leading from Longville to Newark, from thence in the best direction to introduce the road leading from the Sost of the county to Mount Vernon at Town line set by Peter Lippin - Lippin Chapman, John Martin & Lippin Chapman was appointed surveyor, and Lippin Chapman was ordered to make the alteration on the first Monday in November next.

A petition was presented signed by a number of inhabitants of the County of Ontario, praying that...
The commissioners met again to adjournment:

Monday, September 2nd.

The commissioners met again to adjournment:

Present:

Benjamin Tallmadge, Thomas Paine.

The commissioners met again to adjournment:

Monday, December 3rd, 1810

Benjamin Tallmadge, Thomas Paine.

A petition was presented by the inhabitants of the town of Cohocton, requesting that the road be extended from Cohocton to the west.

The commissioners met again to adjournment:

Wednesday, December 5th, 1810

The commissioners met again to adjournment:

Further, the commissioners met again to adjournment:

Thursday, December 14th, 1810

The commissioners met again to adjournment:

Further, the commissioners met again to adjournment:

Friday, December 15th, 1810

The commissioners met again to adjournment:

Further, the commissioners met again to adjournment:
Saturday December 16th 1810

The Commissioners met agreeably to adjournment present Thomas Smith & John Willey Esqrs.

The County Collector not being prepared to settle with the Commissioners adjourned to meet on Wednesday the 19th inst.

Jabez Newman, Judge Clark

Wednesday December 19th 1810

The Commissioners met agreeably to adjournment Present Daniel Hellman, Thomas Nash & John Willey Esqrs.

The Collector of Excise for this County not being prepared to settle with the Commissioners in readiness to settle with the commissioners adjourned to meet the first Monday in January next.

Jabez Newman, Judge Clark

Commissioner Office in the County House of

Monday January 5th 1811

The Commissioners met agreeably to adjournment present T. Hellman, Jabez Newman, & John Willey Esqrs.

On the application of Abraham Thompson and Stephen Hellman to the Commissioners for the determination of a line on a claim in a part of the township of Wilkes called the North West Corner of the first quarter of the second section of the township of Wilkes the same North to the North West Corner of the first quarter of the twenty fourth section of Township 9 north on the fourth range of Township 9 south on the fourth range of Township 10 south on the line between the North East Corner of the town and the North East Corner of the second quarter of

Jabez Newman, Judge Clark
Thursday January 10th 1811.
The Commissioners and agents agree to adjournment, pending yesterday's approval of Subscribers to Court House Funds. ORDERED
That the said subscribers, who have paid their subscription in full, deliver a Certificate for the same, payable to the Original Issuer on the 8th of March, 1809, which shall bear interest from this date, and that all payments made in full, subsequent to this date, shall bear interest from the time such payment was made in full, and these demands be made in due course of letter, out of the surplus Revenue in the Treasury of said County, payable to the Commissioners for building said House, and in proportion to their individual subscriptions and payments.

Settlement made with Jacob Crook, County Collector of Present Due Land Tax.

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.
Lawrence Clerk P.R.

Friday January 11th 1811.
The Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment.

Duplicate Certified Settlement with Jacob Crook, now made, one and half to the Auditor Office, and now more than in the office, Jacob Crook, Collector of Present Due Land for the County of Hamilton. Agreed to make out and have certified, a list of the Districts, etc., of the County, etc., etc., before the first meeting of the Commissioners.

Adjourned to meet on Tuesday this 15th instant, at nine o'clock.

The foregoing minutes were ordered by
Benjamin Griffin Clerk to the Commissioners Drafting
County.
Concordance Office, Surrogate's Court. This, January 22, 1811.

The commissioners met agreeably to adjournment. Present:

Daniel Miller, Thomas Norton, and John Milly. Eager.

They proceeded to calculate the annual land tax.

They adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Wednesday, January 23, 1811.

The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present:

Daniel Miller, Thomas Norton, and John Milly. Eager.

They continued to calculate the annual land tax.

They adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Thursday, January 24, 1811.

The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present:

Daniel Miller, Thomas Norton, and John Milly. Eager.

They continued to calculate the annual land tax.

They adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Friday, January 25, 1811.

The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present:

Daniel Miller, Thomas Norton, and John Milly. Eager.

They continued to calculate the annual land tax.

They adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Saturday, January 26, 1811.

The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present:

Daniel Miller, Thomas Norton, and John Milly. Eager.

They continued to calculate the annual land tax.

They adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Monday, January 28, 1811.

The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present:

Daniel Miller, Thomas Norton, and John Milly. Eager.

They continued to calculate the annual land tax.

They adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Tuesday, January 29, 1811.

The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present:

Daniel Miller, Thomas Norton, and John Milly. Eager.

They continued to calculate the annual land tax.

They adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Friday, January 30, 1811.

The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present:

Daniel Miller, Thomas Norton, and John Milly. Eager.

They continued to calculate the annual land tax.

They adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Monday, February 3, 1811.

The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment. Present:

Daniel Miller, Thomas Norton, and John Milly. Eager.

They continued to calculate the annual land tax.

They adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.
Thursday March 7th 1811

The Commissioners not agreeable to adjournment, present as yesterday. The court was opened and said the amount of taxation in each precinct to be paid on Wednesday the 17th instant.

Adjourned to meet on Wednesday the 17th instant.

[Signature]

Benjamin Tupper Clark


e Commissioners Office, Muskingum County Ohio

The Commissioners not agreeable to adjournment present Daniel Stull and the Honorable Thomas Nelson of the Honorable Judges Appointed.

Ordered that the Clerk to the Commissioners call in the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of this county and with him examine the books and take a list of all fines and penalties and collected since the present Sheriff has been in office.

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

[Signature]

Benjamin Tupper Clark

Thursday April 18th 1811

The Commissioners not agreeable to adjournment present as yesterday. Ordered that the Clerk to the Commissioners call in the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of this county and take a list of all fines and penalties and collected since the present Sheriff has been in office.

Adjourned to meet the 1st Monday in June next.

[Signature]

Benjamin Tupper Clark

Commissioneer Office, Muskingum County Ohio

Monday June 3rd 1811

The Commissioners met agreeable to law present Daniel Stull and the Honorable Judges Appointed.

The present report on a Road from here marked it 10 B. 505 and ordered to be laid over to the morning of the 17th instant.

The Commissioners appointed to lay out a Road commencing at a tree marked 80 yd. on the Rank Road near Jacob Brown hence to Robert Hendersons since 1818. Hence to the intersection of the State Road near John Ford made a report which was read. Ordered to lay out a new Road.

The Act of Secular Township came forward. Ordered that so much of the Original Township 587.53 acres as lay between the Range 84 and the Top of the Ridge and also to make a Whipping Post in the Road Book of Township.

Adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

[Signature]

Benjamin Tupper Clark

Thursday June 14th 1811

The Commissioners not agreeable to adjournment present as yesterday. The commissioners appointed on a Road commencing on the Marietta road at the 10 Mile Tree hence the line of the County of Muskingum 1600 commencing at the line between the roads near Marietta Road through the land lying by John Jones. The commissioners ordered to be laid against tomorrow. John Stoll is appointed Clerk to the Commissioners for the next
Wednesday 6th June 1871

Commissioners met yesterday and adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock. Tax Robert Mitchell Clark

Adjourned to meet tomorrow at 8 o'clock.

Test Robert Mitchell Clark

Wednesday 5th June 1871

Commissioners met and adjourned to meet present as yesterday. The viewers return of a road commencing at or near the Salt Works at the 10 mile line there in an eastern direction to the Greasy County line was "read again and to be opened a meeting will not be held until such order as to be read as ordered to be readed, adjourned to meet tomorrow morning, at 8 o'clock. Test Robert Mitchell Clark

Wednesday 6th June 1871. The Commissioners met and adjourned to adjournment present as ordered.

The viewers return of the road commencing at the Johnstone house to the 10 mile line there in an eastern direction to the Greasy County line was "read again and to be opened a meeting will not be held until such order as to be read as ordered to be readed, adjourned to meet present as ordered.

Wednesday 8th June 1871. The Commissioners met and adjourned to adjournment present as ordered.

Robert Mitchell Clark

Wednesday 9th June 1871. The Commissioners met and adjourned to adjournment present as ordered.

The viewers return of the road commencing at the Johnstone house to the 10 mile line there in an eastern direction to the Greasy County line was "read again and to be opened a meeting will not be held until such order as to be read as ordered to be readed, adjourned to meet present as ordered.

Wednesday 10th June 1871. The Commissioners met and adjourned to adjournment present as ordered.

The viewers return of the road commencing at the Johnstone house to the 10 mile line there in an eastern direction to the Greasy County line was "read again and to be opened a meeting will not be held until such order as to be read as ordered to be readed, adjourned to meet present as ordered.

Wednesday 11th June 1871. The Commissioners met and adjourned to adjournment present as ordered.

The viewers return of the road commencing at the Johnstone house to the 10 mile line there in an eastern direction to the Greasy County line was "read again and to be opened a meeting will not be held until such order as to be read as ordered to be readed, adjourned to meet present as ordered.
The last year & found the County to be indebted the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars & Twenty Five Cents was allowed. Several accounts allowed. Benjamin Sloan was chosen Treasurer for the ensuing year — John Kelly entered his protest against it on the grounds that a Treasurer may be obtained who can do the business on more reasonable terms.

Samuel Thompson is offered to keep the standard measure of the State, which is to be fixed by the Legislature & C.S. Co. to meet on the second Monday of this Instant. For Robert Mitchell Clark

Commissioners Office Mecklenburg County Ohio
Monday June 3, 1857
The Commissioners met & agreeable to law present:
Daniel Stittwell, Thomas Rephrett & John Kelley. When several accounts was allowed. Adjourned to meet on Monday morning at 8 o'clock For Robert Mitchell Clark

Sunday June 10th 1857
Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment present as yesterday. A description of a section of the inhabitants of Madison Town 12 & praying that a new survey may be made of said Town & beginning at the southwest corner of section 39, 18 in change to Secretary on the line between the 7th & 16 Ranger then certainty to the Boundary Line.

Of Madison the law read and ordered to lay over to the next meeting.

Sunday account allowed.
Ordered by the Commissioners that the Town Clerk be at the same rate that they were paid in the year 1860.
Ordered that the license for licenses over the Arsenic immediately to be issued to Benjamin T. Springfield to pay a license of 500 dollars. Copying the above order to be issued.
Ordered that the license for licenses over the Arsenic immediately to be issued to Benjamin T. Springfield to pay a license of 100 dollars. Copying the above order to be issued. Throughout the County except as above to be done.
Ordered that the rate of license be licensed at one dollar. Adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock. For Robert Mitchell Clark

Wednesday 12th June 1857
Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment present as yesterday. When they proceeded to lay 1 mile out a county road for the year 1857. Adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 7 o'clock. For Robert Mitchell Clark

Thursday 13th June 1857
Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment present as yesterday. The day appointed to Scott Collector of County Tax — Adjourned to meet on Tuesday the 25th instant. For Robert Mitchell Clark
Commissioners Office Madison County Ohio

Commissioners met again to adjournment present here. At the attendance of John S. Kelley, Officier there was an order of adjournment to the next adjournment present here. At the attendance of John S. Kelley, Officier there was an order of adjournment present here.

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Commissioners Office Muskingum County Ohio
Friday the 1st of September 1811

The Commissioners met agreeably to adjournment present Oliver Charman, Thomas Willey, and John Willey Esq. when they adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at eight o'clock.

First Robert Mitchell Clerk

First Robert Mitchell Clerk

Saturday the 2nd of September 1811

The Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment present Oliver Charman, Thomas Willey, and John Willey Esq. when they adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at eight o'clock.

First Robert Mitchell Clerk

Commissioners Office Muskingum County Ohio
Tuesday the 5th of October 1811

The Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment present Oliver Charman, Thomas Willey, and John Willey Esq. when they adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at eight o'clock.

First Robert Mitchell Clerk

Wednesday the 6th of October 1811

The Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment present as yesterday when they adjourned as above, also the contractors of the Building to whom the orders of the Board were given and the County roads etc. to Oliver Charman, John Willey, and Thomas Willey Esq. contractors for the building of the road of one hundred and forty four dollars by the County Clerk, adjourned to meet on the first Monday of December next.

First Robert Mitchell Clerk

First Robert Mitchell Clerk

Commissioners Office Muskingum County Ohio
Monday the 2nd of Sept 1811

The Commissioners met agreeable to law present Thomas Willey, John Willey, and Benjamin Hoy Cole when several accounts were allowed, and an act from a number of the Inhabitants of Madison Township praying for certain reasons, were presented, that a part of the Township may be struck off and thence erect a new township by the name of Pipe Line Township, which was taken up when a demonstration was made in against the same Division and ordered to lay over to the next meeting - Adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

First Robert Mitchell Clerk

Second Robert Mitchell Clerk

Tuesday the 3rd of Sept 1811

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday when a number of accounts were presented and allowed. The Revised Report of the Board beginning at a tree marked in the Park by the Commissioners, made the report being three of the revenue agreed. A road from James Willey James Devor to James Bell. The report should have been given in to the board on the first Monday of September last, but owing to James Bell one of the revivers being absent at half away did not report on that day and were not appearing to the board that said road should be granted from the previous Report, therefore ordered that said road be opened a roadway neither not exceeding thirty feet, bounded that said road be bounded on the westwardly by Crooked Creek.
Morning at ten o'clock. 1st. Held M'tchell's Office.

Monday the 14th 1811.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday. Sennson, Lynn in the name of Williamston.) Thompson, this day received an order on John McMillan, Esq., Treasurer of the Court House Company for the sum of one thousand five hundred fifty dollars, it being in full value the last installment for the erection of said house according to the Contract entered into by John McMillan & others. The Seven appointed to view a Road on the land of Mathew Chambers this day made their report which was taken into read, ordered that said road to be established on the old road. Vacated. On motion ordered that Samuel Thompson, Esq., be directed to procure a Copper Standard Measure for the Company. The Board then called upon the Resident Collector for Settlement & found he was not ready, therefore adjourned to meet on the 16th instant for that purpose. Adjourned. nest. Robert M'tchell Clerk.

Thomas Smith
John Willey
Benjamin Spy.

Commissioner's Office
Muskingum County Ohio

Monday the 16th 1811

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present. Thomas Smith, John Willey, Benjamin Spy.

When they again call upon the Resident Collector for Settlement, meet the Court being in session & he at leisure, for the Court could not sit, adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at ten o'clock. 2nd Held M'tchell's Office.

Tuesday the 17th 1811.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday. Ordered by the Commissioners that George Eimer's Map be delivered, amounting to sixty cents, the same to be paid in the order of opening of a letter from the Honorable Mr. O'Born to the Secretary. To George Welch, the Commissioners then proceed to settle with the Resident Collector having found that they allowed several accounts, then adjourned to meet in morning again at ten o'clock 2nd Held M'tchell's Office.

Wednesday the 18th 1811.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday at ten. They proceeded to make an abstract of the Resident's Lands in the County of Guilt; Adjourned again on Sunday the 21st instant.

To Robert M'tchell Clerk.

Thos. Smith
John Willey
Benjamin Spy.

Commissioners Office
Muskingum County Ohio

Monday the 21st 1811

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, and presented John Willey, Benjamin Spy. To agree upon several accounts, adjourned to meet in morning at ten o'clock 3rd Held M'tchell's Office.

Wednesday the 23rd 1811.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present to adjournment, when they proceeded to settle with the Resident Collector to the best of their knowledge. Adjourned to meet on Monday the 31st instant at ten o'clock. 4th Held M'tchell's Office.

John Willey
Benjamin Spy.
Monday January 6th 1812. The Commissioners met pursuant to an order of the County Court, present John W. Ashley, John W. Ashley, Benjamin Gray, Esq., when they proceeded to execute the said order, then adjourned to meet on Tuesday the 7th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Tuesday 7th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when the said order was read, and the Commissioners then adjourned to meet on Wednesday the 8th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Wednesday 8th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on Thursday the 9th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Thursday 9th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on Friday the 10th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Friday 10th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on Monday the 13th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Monday 13th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 15th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Tuesday 15th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 16th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Wednesday 16th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 17th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Thursday 17th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 20th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Friday 20th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 22nd.

Robert Atchison Clark

Saturday 22nd 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 25th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Tuesday 25th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 28th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Wednesday 28th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 30th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Friday 30th 1812.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 2nd of February.

Robert Atchison Clark

Monday 2nd February 1813.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 3rd.

Robert Atchison Clark

Wednesday 3rd February 1813.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 5th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Friday 5th February 1813.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 8th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Monday 8th February 1813.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 11th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Wednesday 11th February 1813.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 14th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Saturday 14th February 1813.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 17th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Tuesday 17th February 1813.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 20th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Thursday 20th February 1813.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 23rd.

Robert Atchison Clark

Saturday 23rd February 1813.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 26th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Tuesday 26th February 1813.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 29th.

Robert Atchison Clark

Friday 29th February 1813.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, when they proceeded as above adjourned to meet on the 1st of March.

Robert Atchison Clark
Commissioners Office

The Commissioners met pursuant to the petition of Mr. James Mitchell of the township of Hamilton, County of Hamilton, on Wednesday, May 15, 1812. The petition stated that the inhabitants of the township were desirous of having a road built to improve the transportation and economy of the area. The petitioners requested that the road be constructed along a specific route to connect with the nearest town.

Commissioners met pursuant to the petition as requested. After hearing the petitioners' arguments, the Commissioners voted to approve the construction of the road. The road was to be built along the route specified in the petition and was to be completed by the following year.

Thursday, May 24, 1812

The Commissioners met today to discuss the progress of the road construction. The contractor reported that the work was progressing well and that the road would be completed on schedule. The Commissioners were pleased with the progress and instructed the contractor to continue with the work.

Friday, May 25, 1812

The Commissioners met today to consider the road construction project further. They discussed the potential impact of the road on local businesses and decided to hold a public meeting to hear the concerns of the local residents. The meeting was scheduled for May 30, 1812, at the town hall.
Commissary Office. The Commissioners, on the 9th of June, appointed
Thomas Asbury and John Atwood, as Joint Collectors, for the
Municipality of New Brunswick.

On the 10th of June, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 12th of June, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 14th of June, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 16th of June, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 18th of June, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 20th of June, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 22nd of June, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 24th of June, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 26th of June, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 28th of June, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 30th of June, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 2nd of July, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 4th of July, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 6th of July, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 8th of July, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 10th of July, the Commissioners met at the
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Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

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On the 28th of July, the Commissioners met at the
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On the 30th of July, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
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On the 1st of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 3rd of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 5th of August, the Commissioners met at the
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Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 7th of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 9th of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 11th of August, the Commissioners met at the
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Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 13th of August, the Commissioners met at the
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Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 15th of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 17th of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 19th of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 21st of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 23rd of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 25th of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 27th of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 29th of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.

On the 31st of August, the Commissioners met at the
Municipality of New Brunswick, to settle the accounts of the
Joint Collectors, and to appoint new Collectors.
Eight Dollars each except those within the Towns of Yonexville & Springfield, viz.
In Yonexville Twelve Dollars & Springfield Twenty Dollars all other Towns within the County
opened or to be opened hereafter in any
Direction whatever Except in the Towns and
on the Roads approved to pay five Dollars
Ordered that the Sum for Taxes between
Yonexville & Springfield be at the rate of
Eighteen Dollars & the upper Ferry from
Yonexville to Frankforton to be at Ten Dollars.
From Seeking to Yonexville Including Both
Sides of Said Creek four Dollars
The Rate of Fencing Throughout the County
for the present year as follows:—
For a Wagon & five or six horses . . . 0 75
For a Wagon & three or four horses . . 0 50
Two wagons & two horses . . . . . 0 37 ½
For a four wheeled carriage Team . . 0 37 ½
For a two wheeled carriage and one horse . . 2 6
For a man & horse . . . . . 1 2
For a horse & one or two
Two cattle each . . . . . 6
Sheep & Hogs each . . . . . 3
For a foot Passenger
Then appointed to meet Tuesday the 17th instant

Test: — John Craig & Clark County

Which was taken up and read Whereupon
Joseph Young & John Gregory & Mr. Emmons & Mr. Craig Surveys together
summoned on Monday the 8th Instant to
& to Report on the first Monday of October last
the same day, appraisers James Peppin & Robert Miller
of Mill Road on which he was appointed Real
Commissioner by the Legislative and Senate and
it was agreed that they would view the same on
Monday the 18th Instant
They then continued to view the County most
Thursday June 6th
and directed to adjourn and permit to open
and to meet on the 8th Instant

Robert Mitchell Clark
Commissioner

Commissioners office June 8th 1802
Huntington County

The Commissioners most humbly to adjourn
and proceed to view the County on Mr. Emmons' presentation of the Duplicate for Tasting Township,
they then proceeded to the Regular Licence of Towns
and Surveys ordered by the Commissioners that
the Township be so allotted as
On the whole Broad from selecting to Chilicottie.
Then a petition was taken up from a member of the
inhabitants of Madison Township praying for the 18 Towns
in the 15 townships to be incorporated into a separate
Township by the name of Clinton which was
granted and the election is to be held on the third
Day of September first at the house of James S. 

Patterson, for a Township called, with their petition for the election of 3 Trustees
and one Treasurer to take to their care the
School funds in said Township, therefore ordered
that an election be held for said purpose at the
House of James Patterson in Township aforesaid
on the third day of September next.
Then the Commissioners adjourned to meet at the
Courthouse on the first Monday in September next.

Jas. Wm. Craig, Justice.

August the third Pet. Michael gave this bond to Benjamin Craig Treasurer
for the amount of two Thousand One
Hundred and Seventy Nine Dollars and
Thirty Eight Cents for the Willey being
Collector of the said Town.

Jas. Wm. Craig, Justice.
Thursday June 19 1814

The commissioners of Washington County met at the request of the inhabitants of the Concession of Alnworth to make arrangements to
rent the land office and offer the consideration

owed that the office be let to the president and
secretary of the Washington Bank for the term of five years or until the charter of said Bank expires
at the yearly sum of sixty dollars commencing on the
first day of July next and said office is to be
made up to the commissioners in a good order so they can
permit bought the common areas of such buildings.

Then tendered \\
Wm. Craig Clerk Com.

Mondays Sept 7th 1814

Then John weekly Thomas (Veschlot and Benning) commissioners of Washington County met
Pursuant to a government and took up the report of actual beginning at Fred. Swiggin mill
and running on Westerly direction until it crosses
the road leading to the lands of William McConnell and John Stokey. was then
the place where Bissett County and the lands of
William McConnell and John Shokey were taken up and
one other Swamp was paved off from the
next to meet on Sunday the 9th instant. At the
of Albemarle

Wm. Craig Clerk Com.

Thursday Sept 4th 1814

The commissioners met
and took up the report of such
which was allowed and ordered to be given

Albemarle not exceeding sixty feet
then took up the surveyors report on an extent
of wood on the land of Joseph Dillon on the
same day a notice was presented by
George Fisk from absentee of the inhabitants
of Falls Township against any such alteration
which was taken up and read and from consideration
when the commissioners decided that any
such alteration would be improper to several
of the inhabitants of Albemarle Town and said report
was set aside by order of said commissioners.
Then adjourned to meet according to law
on the first Monday in December

Wm. Craig Clerk Com.
Sheriffs Bond

Know all men by these presents that we, John Reynolds, principal, and John Hamlin, surety, Robert Mitchell, his security, all of Mingo county, and state of Ohio, are held and firmly bound unto John Willey, Benjamin Sing, and William H. Moore, commissioners of said county, to their sureties in the sum of five thousand dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made and performed, we bind ourselves, and each of us, their heirs and assigns, by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this thirty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

The condition of this obligation is such that if the above bond of John Reynolds shall well and truly discharge the duties of the office of sheriff of said county in all things according to the laws of this state until the same be otherwise disposed of, or the said office be lawfully discharged, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

James T. Seabrook, Asst. Sheriff

[Signatures]

Commissions' office (Mingo county) 6th Wednesday, December 7, 1812.

The commissioners met agreeable to law present John Willey, Benjamin Sing, and William H. Moore, Esq., then proceeded to audit some accounts, and gave notice presented the accounts which he paid for around both which was eighteen dollars and it was allowed some day February 10th, and to the clerk of the court of common pleas produced an account for his service, and he was allowed fifty-eight dollars and thirty-eight cents and paid the clerk to give him an order.

James T. Seabrook, resident collector, produced the Invoices to correct some mistakes which were done.

Then the commissioners adjourned to meet on Monday, morning, 9th, at 10 o'clock.

J. M. Craig, Clerk.

Saturday, December the 8th, 1812.

The commissioners met agreeable to adjournment present as yesterday and proceeded to audit several accounts. Petition of said account was presented to the commissioners from remember of the inhabitants of Clayton Township.
Praying for a resit on account beginning 7th or near the South Boundary line of said survey, and running from Thence 3000 West to a point which the grantee will be entitled to, and to Springfields et al or near the house of John Rolston and others was granted on the same line Thos Keir & Wm Hamilton and others is appointed viewers and Wm Craig is appointed to survey the same to meet at the house of Jesse Mee on the 25 Instant Febru 1813

Wm Craig

Then Adjourned to Meet on Monday the 14th Day of December 1812. Wm Craig Clerk

Commissioners Office Muskingum County Ohio Jan 14 1813

Commissioners met to adjournment to settle with the resident collectors of which proceed their accounts to be adjusted. Then the commissioners adjourned to meet to Morrow morning at 9 o'clock

Wm Craig Clerk
Commissioners, Office, Hamilton County, the
Monday January the 4th 1813

Commissioners of Said County Met
Present: John Willey, Benj. Spoor, J.
Smyth, J. More, T. Price and proceed to settle on the
resident collector James Holder and he produced
the Treasurer receipt for the amount of the bill of
Sale they made alleged Settlement
Commissioners then proceed to make out the various
Outlays for the land tax for the year 1813.
then adjourned to meet to Morrow morning
at 10 o'clock

Sampson Robs, Comr

Tuesday January the 5th 1813

Commissioners Met pursuant to adjournment
present as yesterday they proceeded to make out
the resident duplicate and John M.'s
and Alex McLaughlin brought in their lists
of lands to be bought on the resident duplicate, Commissioners then adjourned to meet to Morrow morning at 10 o'clock

Tst

Sampson Robs, Comr

Wednesday January the 6th 1813

Commissioners Met pursuant to adjournment
present as yesterday and then again proceed to
Morrow and the resident duplicate, neither of
those again, then adjourned to meet to
Morrow morning at 9 o'clock

Mr. Craig Robs, Comr.

Thursday January 7th 1813

Commissioners Met pursuant to adjournment
present as yesterday and again
proceeded to Morrow and the resident
duplicate and John Houch Collador complicated
part of the county survey by producing the
Treasurer receipt here, the Commissioners
Adjourned to meet to Morrow morning
at 9 o'clock

Mr. Craig Robs, Comr.

Friday January the 8th 1813

Commissioners Met pursuant to adjournment
present as yesterday they proceeded to
Morrow and the resident duplicate and
adjourned to meet to Morrow morning
at 10 o'clock

Tst

Mr. Craig Robs, Comr.
Saturday January the 9th 1813
Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment present as yesterday and proceeded to probe in the Absent Deputies and Adjourned to meet Tuesday the 11 instant to finish any out the Absent Deputies.

Jlra Craig EII

Tuesday January the 13th they proceeded to make out the resident Deputies and finish making out the calculations then adjourned to meet on the 16th the clerk may give Notice

Jlra Craig EII

Commissioners Office March the 1st 1813
L. R. M. E. L. R. M. Adjourned
Mont Printer John W. Halle Benjamin Spyres.
J William the Moore Judge and took up the report of the Printer on account beginning at the Printer's road and January 16th running twenty North Section running through the lands of Moses Oden George Shinner & others at intervals the road leading from town.

to Lancaster at Eblick Oak about forty poles west of Thomas Telson which bury road in open Meeting according to law them adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Jlra Craig EII

Tuesday March the 3rd, 1813
Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment present as yesterday and took up the Printer's report on the above road which being read the second day in open Meeting and after some debate said road was allowed they ordered that the Clerk give an order that said road may be opened beginning with not exceeding 60 feet which order is to be presented to the Assembler of Clifton Township and the Corporation of Clifton Township at the expiration of 15 days then they ordered that the Clerk get 300 orders printed for those who may be entitled to orders on account of the County Office that he proceed to open John Reynolds resident collector for one year then adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Jlra Craig EII
Wednesday March 9 1813

Commissions met pursuant to appointment

Then proceeded to examine something concerning

an order which was got by John Alter for

Drums and some provisions to go against the said John Alter for forty

hundred before Samuel Thompson Esq

same day. An order was formalized by John Ely

being joined by a member of the inhabitants of Jones

Hilli Township praying for an allemation or

road beginning at the end of John Ablin's

same and running at right direction until it

enters the road from thence north on or along the

lands of John Black, William Grimes, John

Lewis Brown and Peter York to another

preyers and when Craig is appointed surveyor

all to meet at the house of John Ablin

on the 20th and then the commissioners

appointed to meet on the first Monday in

June


Mon. June 7th 1813

Commissioners' office, Washington County, Ohio

Commissioners of Martin Township met pursuant John Stilly

Deputy Surveyor of that Township and Major John I. Ablin, who were

informed from a member of Inhabitants of Blotton

Madison & Newton Townships praying for an act to

be laid out and beginning at the north west corner of

the said Towns on the 20th Instant and from

thence southwesterly direction the extrem and best way until it

enters the Federal Road or until deemed correct in

with one in three places running through the said

section of Newton Township and after due deliberation

Thomas Nisbett, John A. Howard, and James

Nisbett owners of the land which is to meet at the house of

George Holmes at Jones Creek Bridge on the

23rd of August next the survey order to

said road and same report on the first Monday in

September the same copy permit was presented

from a member of Inhabitants of Jefferson Township

praying for an act on road beginning at Alexander

Stith's Hill thence north east direction until it

enters the Rock River County lines across the

north range and after due deliberation James

Greer, Jacob Baunton and Philip Smaggy were again

named September by Craig was appointed surveyor

all to meet at the house of Alexander Stith on the

2nd day of August and make it return on the

first Monday of September same copy permit was

presented from a member of Inhabitants of Jefferson

Township praying for an act to be laid off or any

road beginning at Stith's Hill north
Tuesday June the 8th 1813

Commissioners met pursuant to Adjourned great meeting as yesterday, they proceeded to pay the County Tax. The Day settled with Benjamin Sloan, Treasurer of the County of Washington. And it was found on settlement that there was obedience in the Treasurer of Two Thousand and Two Hundred Dollars. Shortly after, they took the report of the Issuer on account beginning with the Land of John Robins and running there ascertained direction until it intersects a southwesterly road near the lands of John Black. It being the second reading of the said road was published declared that the same spread Necessary width not exceeding thirty feet wide ordered that the Clerk Issue an order for the same then Adjourned to meet on Monday the 14th Instant at any time.

Sampson Craig
Judge of the Commonwealth Office

Monday Came the 14th 1813

Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment pursuant to Plan latter Benjamin Sloan is J.

Mr. Wm. Black, and other expectations was furnished by the inhabitants of the fourteenth Township, desiring to be Incorporated into Corporate Township by the Way of Reorganization the same being done and duly Convened ordered that said Township with the
...Sect. 11.

Then the Commissioners proceeded to dig est the
Sewer & Ferry Licence throughout the
County
First the Town of Dunesville to be at the
Rate of twelve Dollars per year
Second the Town of Springfield to be at
the Rate of ten Dollars per year
Third the Town of Dunesville to be at the Rate
of ten Dollars per year
fifth all those on the road from Wheeling to
Chillicothe to be at the rate of Eight
Dollars per year

Sunday June the 15th 1812
Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment
proceded as ordered and proceeded to dig the
county line. Afterwards took up the viewers Report
and laid the same on the table
And read and ordered to be signed
Instructions with not exceeding Sixty feet therein
where the Clerk to read the minutes that in
the Court and proceedings of the same and upon
an order to the Treasurer of the Township
...
Commissioners Office Muskingum County

Monday Sept 6th 1813

Commissioners Agreable to law present John Silley Comyns Spry & John Moore Egg's

when application was presented by a number of the Inhabitants of Newton Township praying that a road may be laid out from John Mathews Mill to a point where the road leading from Springfield to Athens at an easterly the land of Hope Simons and a new was granted and John Springer Samuel Weber & James Vickers was appointed viewers and William Craig Surveyor all to meet at John Mathews Mill on the 13th of Sept at 10 o'clock 1813. When application was presented by a number of the Inhabitants of Newton Township praying that a road may be laid out from John Mathews Mill to a point where the road leading from Springfield to Athens at an easterly the land of Hope Simons and a new was granted and John Springer Samuel Weber & James Vickers was appointed viewers and William Craig Surveyor all to meet at John Mathews Mill on the 13th of Sept at 10 o'clock 1813.

The Same Day application was presented by a number of the Inhabitants of Madison Township praying for a road beginning at the East side of Section 2133 where Claytons Road crosses said line thence on direct route to it intersects the State road and from there direct route to Henderson Mill and Andrew Brooks James Claypool and Moses Holme was appointed viewers and Lewis Nye was appointed Surveyor all to meet at the House of Nathan Hill on Tuesday the fifteenth Day of October 1813. When application was presented by a number of the Inhabitants of Newton Township praying for a road beginning at the Eleventh mile thence to intersect the State Road at a point between Andrew McCambron and Abraham Deavers and John James Daniel Wishney & Hope Smith was appointed viewers and were Craig Surveyor all to meet at the House of John Mathews on Tuesday the 15th Day of October 1813.
Then the Commissioners adjourned to meet 
the following morning at nine o'clock
Mr. Craig Clerk

Tuesday September 7th 1813
Commissioners met agreeably to Colgren's report or present, or yesterday, on a subject, that John B. Houston
Presented the account which he had to pay for
Furniture in the office of Clerk of Common Pleas
Then took up the surveyor's report on a road,
Beginning near Seabrook's Mill and running thence to
the north road, where three roads met with an arm
the place is being the second reading obviating the
same to be recorded and an order given that the
said road be defined at any width not exceeding
forty feet. Some day took up the surveyor's report
on two roads. Beginning at Alexander Strothers
Mill and running from thence (north direction
until it strikes the Mr. Houston property line at the
the second reading, obviating that the same be recorded
and an order given to the subscriber to open the
same any way with not exceeding forty feet
Then the Commissioners adjourned on the first
Monday in December.

Mr. Craig Clerk C

Monday the 27th Oct 1813
Commissioners met to make the appointed
of Treasurer in the place of Benjamin Sloan
Died and Christian Spangler was
appointed Treasurer for the county of

Thursday Oct. 28th 1813
Then the Commissioners settled up with
James Vanhorn, administrator to the estate
of Benjamin Sloan, deceased, Treasurer of

The amount of the orders due, $167.78
Commissioners allowed on the Common 6.71
Balance on hand and now paid 18.6794
Then I made the above settlement.

Mr. Craig Clerk

$321.28
Commissioners' Office, Muskingum County
December 6th, 1813

The Commissioners of Said County present the Petition of Mr. John Miller and John Willey Esqrs.

Petition was presented by one of the Inhabitants of Snavely Township praying for a line on one and a half miles north of the road running from Zanesville to Coshocton being the first reading and it was ordered that the said road was not legally advertised in Jefferson Township and said road was set aside. Then took up the report on second reading and the said road was set aside. Then took up the report on an amendment made by the surveyor.

Spencer A. Moore was appointed overseer and Jacob Hopp was surveyor all to meet at the house of John Slacks on Tuesday the first day of February. Same day petition was presented by one of the Inhabitants of Zanesville and Jefferson Townships praying for a line on one and a half miles north of the road running from Zanesville to Coshocton being the first reading and it was ordered that the said road was not legally advertised in Jefferson Township and said road was set aside by order of the Commissioners.

Then the Commissioners adjourned to meet on second morning of the second Tuesday in January 1813 commissioners adjourned and J. E. Staniford produced his account to be adjusted and it was allowed.

Petition was presented by one of the Inhabitants of Zanesville and South Creek Township praying for a line on road beginning at the old McAlpine's.
From thence down the river to the Washington County line the east and Best Ground and Thomas Merrihead Thomas New Kenton Ayres was appointed surveyors and William B. Surveyors are to meet at the house of the said Ayers on Monday the 27th December.

Some day previous was appointed on the road begun at John Matthews will move south direction up Brush Creek to the State road at or near to Levi Beavers and Sheneyor Blackburn Luke Walpole Sam Thompson Daniel Converse & James Layton was appointed runners all to meet at the house of John Matthews on Monday the 17th Instant. Then the commissioners adjourned to meet at tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Seth Craig Clark

December 3rd 1813

Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment present as yesterday then proceeded to adjourn. Some accounts and lease was sold the last day for 100 dollars and twenty five cents. Samuel Goff then asked of the inhabitants of Scottsville and Jamesville Townships petitioned to be incorporated into an new Township by the name of Blue Rock and it was granted.

Seth Craig Clark

Commissioner

Monday January the 2nd 1814

Commissioners office the commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment present. Benjamin Gray, Mr. A. Moore Esq. and proceeded to settle with the Collector and after some time spent in settlement passed Duplicate Receipt. Then the commissioners adjourned to meet as the law directs.

Seth Craig Clark Commissioner

Tuesday January the 4th 1814

Commissioners office the commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment present as yesterday proceeded as before then adjourned.

Wednesday January the 5th Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment present as yesterday then proceed as before and adjourned to meet to move morning at nine o'clock.
Commissioners' Office June 6th 1814

Commissioners met pursuant as yesterday and proceeded to make out the Resident Duplicate. Then Adjourned to morning meeting at nine o'clock. Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment, present as yesterday; the proceeding as before to make out the Resident Duplicate and Adjourned to make out morning meeting at nine o'clock, June 3rd 1814.

Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment present as yesterday; then proceeded to make out the Duplicate. Then Adjourned to meet Monday morning at nine o'clock.

Then the Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment present as yesterday; then proceeded to make out the Resident Duplicate.

The Commissioners agreed to accept the County orders and agreed to pay Interest for the amount of which they have not been paid by orders on the County Treasurer. as soon as there is a surplus in the Treasury and the Interest is to be paid from December the 3rd 1810.

March the 6th 1814

Capt. Clark, Comr.
The petition was presented by the Commissioners from a number of the Inhabitants of Stonewall Township praying for an act to be done out being at Nathan Willson on the road from Stonewall Township to Sellers Ford Thence part thereof to a point between Bills and Scudder's House to the nearest

coal bank and entering the same road leading from Stonewall to Cosherton between John Taylor and John Taylor Smirke and John Blank Reid. Welsh & Edward Somers was appointed Surveyor William Craig Surveyor all to meet at the House of John Siddle on the 4th Day of April.

The petition was presented by a number of the Inhabitants of Stonewall Township and Jefferson Township praying on account of the road beginning at Leonard Thumbs Thums to James Cost Thums to John Taylor and other bills Ilerman Wood & Edmond Leplin was appointed Surveyor and William Craig Surveyor all to meet at the House of Leonard Thumbs on the 4th Day of April.

The petition was presented by a number of the Inhabitants of the North Eastern Division of Muskingum County praying that the line of the 3rd South Range Thems South to the line that forms the 1st Division Township Thems North to the place of beginning May be so connected into the new Township by the name of Highfield

The adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at

Nine o'clock

N. Craig

Clock Commissioner

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment on Tuesday March 9th 1814.

Present as yesterday when petition was presented by a number of the inhabitants of Stonewall & Springfield Townships praying for an act to be done out being at the east end of Main Street from there to the Island on the mouth of Stonewall Thems both mouths to it. Enters the said cut roads on each side of Stonewall Marion Joseph Thugs John Springer & Henry Gray was appointed Surveyor and Charles Roberts Surveyor all to meet at the House of Thomas Wishnow on the 4th day about

... then proceeded to absent the present collector and after some deliberation the appointed James Pickers collector of Susquehanna County to absent was read on three roads being the second reading and some consideration said roads was ordered to be opened an open way with a grade crossing seventy feet wide.

Some day after the McNelis Social in able to damage an account of said road cut through said road & road beginning at a bridge between the roads of John Niles & Mr. McNelis from there north to the County to the limit of the

...
Caribou County School Near the Mouth of White Eggs and Thomas New Greer Gillon,
Seren Vans Samuel Joseph & John Gardner was to meet at the House of John Sleek to Appraise
the Damage on said road and likewise to another road. Beginning at the End of Robinson's lane and from thence to the two Mile Tree run to Harry Wilsons and establish the same if my
thinking proper.

Then took into consideration the petition from the Inhabitants of the Northwest Section of the County taking
in the fifth and Sixth Range and the Third and Sixth Townships which was granted and Incorporated
and known as Island or their Election is to be
Held on the first Monday in April at the
House of William Trenor in Said Townships.
The commissioners adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Commissioners Office?
Saturday March the 12th 1814
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present.

Proceeded to make out the Lewis for the incident Box
and adjourned from day to day until the inhabitants
was made out which was on the 24th of March.
Then adjourned to meet as the law directs.

First 1814. Craig Clerk

As the Assembly at their last Session left it optional with the Commissioners of the
Ablest County to make other or many

It is ordered by the Commissioners of Mushonig County that all Traces in the different Townships

Some part the County in hereby made subject of

For the above 1814. agreed by the Commissioners that Mr. Colborne
take the instructions to the citizens of the different Townships and shall he shelve receive one

and fifty cents a township.

Mr. Craig Clerk Compt

June the 6th 1814

Commissioners of Mushonig County met

Present Benjamin Spy, William H. Moore & Luke Walpole Eggs

Then proceeded to Business. Then Isaac Dunham furnished petition
from inhabitants of the Inhabitants Meeting
Madison Trenor & Clayton Townships praying

for land to be laid out. Begging at

Isaac Harris hence West to apoint some

where hence to William Moore hence the

Nearest and Best ground to lands & creek at the Bridge cross Jonathan's Creek
Then the commissioners appointed John Quarmby, John Speak, John Porter, viewers & William Bray, Surveyor, all which is to meet at the house of Isaac Newes, on the last Monday in August, and view said road and make report on the first Monday in September next:—Some Day the viewers made report on said road, beginning at the southwest Shop of the said John Speak, thence to John Chandler's House, thence to the Methodist meeting house then to it Emmanuel the Cambridge road being the first report.

Some Day the viewers made report on said road, beginning at Nathan Wilton and the northeast half the said road, thence to John Tylers and New to John Tylers, it being the first reading.

Some Day the viewers that were appointed to view the Damage on said road, beginning at the bridge, to John Slacke and the said road, and reported the Damage would be four hundred thousand shillings, but the Appraisers found out another report as said road, beginning at the end of John Gibbons' door, and from thence to the bridge, and east bound to the two mile tree, and no Damage to be taken by the said Melonells and Wilton this being the first reading. Some Day the viewers made report on said road, beginning at the west end of main street, from thence went to the Ireland from thence.

Gaze Both parties of viewing reported it Interested the said off roads, it being the first reading.

Some Day the viewers made report on said road, beginning at the west corner of sent Humpis field from thence to Nathan Fleming, thence to the northeast corner of said field from thence to John Saylors, thence to the said road, it being the first reading. Then proceeded to adjust the accounts of the several sides throughout the county, then commenced making out the Deeds for the county along. Some Day appointed James Riders, Collector for the county, and Christian Sponger, Treasurer for said county, then adjourned to meet to morrow morning at nine o'clock 14th day blank.

Tuesday June the 7th 1814

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present, as yesterday their powers made it known that Charles Bushburn and Stephen C. Smith would be his deputy for his faithful performance of County Affairs and they were Elected:— and the Commissioners went down to the Wishingham Swan to the next proper place in the room of the Hope which is to be built by John McTorte and assigned some Day the viewers reported were heard on said road, beginning at John Chandler's Blacksmith Shop thence, commissioner, along the bridge past the Methodist meeting house to it interested the Cambridge road, it being the same.

Reading the bill, Established and ordered to begin.
June 2d, 1814. A commission, consisting of three commissioners, was appointed to examine and report on a grant of land made to the town of Brady in the year 1810, on which the county of Muskingum had been established and ordered to be opened a common width not exceeding forty feet.

June 2d, 1814. The town of Bradyville to be set at the rate of $12.00.

The town of Hebron, at the rate of $8.10.00.

The town of West Bradyville, at the rate of $5.00.

On all other roads throughout the county to be set at the rate of $1.60.00.

The ferry from Bradyville to Springfield is to be set at the rate of $5.00 per year.

The ferry from Bradyville to Toddville is to be set at the rate of $6.00 per year.

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State of Ferries

For a conveyer and five or six horses $6.75
For a conveyer and three or four horses $5.00
For a conveyer and two horses — $4.25
For a conveyer and one horse — $4.00
For a man and horse — $2.12
For a horse and cart - $1.00
For meat, beef each — $8.00
For beef and eggs each — $8.00
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Same day a petition was presented by Peter Sawyer and John McIntire for an alteration or road which was not made. Then the commissioners adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Since the 2d of June 1814, commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present yesterday, then adjourned to examine the duplicate and compare them, with the or sewer lists for the county. Since then, John Bower presented his accounts and was allowed.

Since that time, the commissioners have met the nights for the Dam across the Schuylkill River.

Orders that the East Side of the Dam shall begin at the south of the town from the point on the East Side of the River then the commissioners ordered to meet to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Mr. Craig, Clerk.

The 10th of June 1814.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present yesterday; then adjourned to examine the duplicate by number of the inhabitants of this county for the purpose of building and erecting a house on the public square.

Likewise a petition was presented against it and both being taken into consideration, the petition was rejected as there was a large majority against it. Ordered by the commissioners that Thomas Townsend is to have the sum of five dollars and fifty cents for laying bricks. Also to cease and desist from baking.

Went proceeds to appoint William Craig clerk and Daniel Greene to take care of the well and adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at ten o'clock or some the next Monday to finish making out the specifications.

Mr. Craig, Clerk.

Monday the 27th of June 1814.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present.

Mr. Greene & Benjamin Grey Esqrs. then proceed to make out the said duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock.

Tuesday the 28th of June 1814, then the commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday; then proceeded as before and adjourned to meet with these present.

Mr. Craig, Clerk.
The justices of the peace were summoned to meet on the 6th instant, at the house of John Lebbon, on the first Monday of December, at 10 o'clock in the morning, to proceed to the examination of the petitioners, and to hear and determine the same. The petition was presented by a number of the inhabitants of Lampet, praying for a District Court to be established within the township of Lampet, and for a road to be extended to the north.

The petitioners were John Gardner, John Black, and a number of other residents.

The petitioners were ordered to appear before the justices at the next meeting to present their case.

The meeting was adjourned to the next Monday, at 10 o'clock in the morning, for the further consideration of the petition.
Saturday, November 12th, 1811. William N. Moser, William Hunter, Attenne, to take the

states of the ship. The being about
the business cannot be accomplished.

Aspend. to meet the 1st Monday in

December. C. Reynolds, Clerk,

Commissioners.

December 5th, 1811. William H. Meg, James

Fleming, and William Hunter, Commissioners,

Met to consider the Surveying Report:

On a Road Beginning at the East end
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of Market Street in Taneyville, towards
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South East direction. Until it intersects
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the Shenandoah River near a White Oak Tree.
.

on the rising grounds which stands
.

Nearly 400 feet South west. being the first Reading was on this line to be laid out for a Second Reading.
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Tomorrow.
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The same day a Petition was presented
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from a number of inhabitants of Clinton
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Township, praying a vacation of the East
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end of a Road leading from Leffing-
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ville 12th Block E. From intersection the
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Jackson Road it being the first Reading,
.

o'clock for a Second Reading tomorrow.
December 5th, 1844, This day the Wesleyan Report was presented on a Road beginning at
the Mumpsaw River at the farm of John
Putts up to Jaffrey Price's Farm from whence
Jaffrey Gate hence on a direct course to
Sung Taile on the 1st day of December, at
which time the same was approved by
the Committee.

The same day the Wesleyan Report was
also read at the 1st day of December, at
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December 6th 1814. The Viewer's Report of a Road, Beginning at the Muskingum River, where a large Cut put up to Jeffery Price's Farm, thence to this Line, Price's Gate, thence on a direct Course to Spencer's Bridge, thence the nearest to lost Road, to the Township Road which intersects where Talbott's and Perry's Line—Course the 1st Road of being the Second Winding Course, the 2nd Road to be Established & Open a Necessary Width not exceeding thirty feet.

The same day the Viewer's Report was Presented for the Alteration of a Road Beginning at the bend of the Creek, thence West, and North the first River, thence West 120 Perches, thence on a direct Course to the First River—Being the first Reading.

The same day the Viewer's Report was Presented of a Road Beginning at the Mouth of Peanut Swamp, thence West 120 Perches, thence South, the Street to be Established, & Open a Necessary Width not exceeding thirty feet.

The board Adjourn'd to meet tomorrow. Running 10 0'clock over Reynolds Creek.

Dated December 7th, 1814. Met at Perry's.

This day look'd up the Viewer's Report of the Alteration of a Road Beginning at the bend of the Creek, thence West 120 Perches, thence South of Jonathan Smith's Bridge, thence West 120 Perches, thence on a direct Course to the First River—Being the first Reading.

The same day the Viewer's Report was Presented of a Road Beginning at the Mouth of Peanut Swamp, thence West, thence South 120 Perches, thence South, the Street to be Established, & Open a Necessary Width not exceeding thirty feet.

Ordin'd by the Board of commissioners—

That in full course of a General Election, adjourn'd the Township Pet to the first of the town of Lewisville & the town of Root. The 20th of the town of Root.

This day, John, to John, and Robert, Robert, to John, and John, to Robert, for voting the balance $3.00. After considerable time, being spent in considering the motion of the Rising & Corder to sell the Clerk's Goods in the name of John, at the Court of the Township.

Ordered that the Clerk issue the Clerk's Goods in the name of John, for the Court of the County.

The Clerk adjourn'd to meet again on the 15th instant. The Clerk without the Clerk's Goods.
December 13, 1814. William Moore, James Fleming & William, surveyors commissioned and appointed to ascertain After attending A meeting of the County Commissaries, the Collector Publican, Surveyor & Justice of the Peace, James Fleming & William, much time was taken up in ascertaining the deficiency in the duplicate having claims to settlement about 1808, and left the property in the hands of the commissioners to meet again on the last Saturday of the last month, December, 1814.

December 31, 1814. William Moore, James Fleming & William, surveyors commissioned and appointed, joined in ascertaining the deficiency in the duplicate having claims to settlement about 1808, and left the property in the hands of the commissioners to meet again on the last Saturday of the last month, December, 1814.

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Monday, February 6th, 1815. Commissioners met pursuant to appointment. A petition by Mr. Robinson of Easton was presented, and the Commissioners were requested to adjourn the matter to Monday, March 6th, 1815.

Tuesday, February 7th, 1815. The Commissioners met pursuant to appointment. A petition by Mr. Robinson of Easton was presented, and the Commissioners were requested to adjourn the matter to Monday, March 6th, 1815.

Wednesday, February 8th, 1815. The Commissioners met pursuant to appointment. A petition by Mr. Robinson of Easton was presented, and the Commissioners were requested to adjourn the matter to Monday, March 6th, 1815.
The Commissioners appointed James Smith, John Thompson, and George Andrew Vinson to survey on the 30th of December a Road to meet at Milford on the third Sunday at 10 o'clock on the shoring and view survey said Road and make report to the Commissioners on the first Monday in June next.

Some persons from Ohio fidelity

A Petition was presented praying a Survey on said Road from Newblank to Spring Hill in the Town of Centreville, also at the County Line between the counties of Licking and Washington, and moved by the Commissioner, which the Commissioners that James Smith and John Thompson and Charles Smith surveyed said Road and to meet at the House of Andrew Scribner on the first Monday at 10 o'clock in the Morning and view survey said Road and make report thereon agreeable to Law to the Commissioners on the first Monday in June next.

A Petition was presented to the Commissioners for a public Road in the County of Licking and Washington to the Breast of Judge Toddings 1 1/2 miles thence, east running thence along the present Township Road just three 3/4 miles south onto the West Boundary or near to 11 at the Grounds. East 1/4 of the South west quarter of section 34 in the first township and fifth range and then west and north in the section 26, then on the southerly Range between the Waters of White and Cook on the south side of said Ranges, thence along said Ranges to the north line and then along said Ridge to the north line and on to the Marksmen to cross this White creek and run southward to the north line agreeable to the plan of the subscribers of Jefferson Township, also before the Commissioners by the Commissioners that James A. Smith, Charles Smith, and Peter D. Peason, by Messrs. and Charles Roberts and Mr. Robert on said Road and were to meet at 10 o'clock on the Morning and view survey said Road and make report thereof according to Law to the Commissioners on the first Monday in June next.

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A Petition was presented to the Commissioners for a public Road. Beginning at the upper end of the County Line between Licking and Washington, thence to intersect the French Road, thence to the Park leading from Cadell to the French Road there along the French Road as far as may be consistent with the best彼此 the Straightest Direction to the County Line at the South 30 feet of Section 30 of Township No. 16 Range No. 8. Samuel Bealtz and Samuel Grant Colthart, also by the Commissioners that James Smith and John Thompson and Charles Smith surveyed said Road and to meet at the House of Andrew Scribner on the first Monday at 10 o'clock on the Morning and view survey said Road and make report thereon agreeable to Law to the Commissioners on the first Monday in June next.

Bank grant this order
A Petition was presented to the Commissioners praying that

the public Road be laid out beginning, taking from the Patent Works, at Cambridge near the Road of Top Brook, thence a Southwesterly Course to the Road which leads from the Village Road to David Livingstone Mile, to near where John Livingstone, Esq., entered the same a slow road upon the most

suitable ground to the Village Road near the place it intersects the Wheeling Road. Ordered by the Commissioners that Samuel Warden James Dowell, George May, to be Viewer and John Hewes, viewer, to run Road and to extend the Road at Ralph Hadley's House on Tuesday the 12th day of May at 10 o'clock in the morning, and every morning and Road and make Return thereof according to Law to the Commissioners on the first day of June next.

Bonds given & ordered paid.

Tuesday March 11th 1815. The Commissioners all present to Appointment.

A Petition was presented to the Commissioners praying for an alteration in the Wheeling Road to begin a short distance east of the three Mile Stone and running nearly through Rock of the Poor South of the present Road to intersect said Road where the Taunton Road intersects the aforesaid Wheeling Road on a spur that being as may be thought proper. Ordered by the Commissioners that Ralph, John, Peter, Malcolm and Francis Robinson to Viewer and view the Road and make Return thereof. According to Law to the Commissioners on the first Monday of June next. Bonds given & ordered paid.

An Order was presented to the Commissioners to grant a Road beginning at the last end of Ralph Hadley's Road, thence to the nearest Road, the lowest Road, and from thence to the nearest Road that can be found to extend the Wasona Road at Ralph Hadley's old Blacksmith Shop. Ordered by the Commissioners that Abraham Warden, James Dowell, George May, to be Viewer and John Hewes, viewer, to run Road and to extend the Road at Ralph Hadley's House on Tuesday the 12th day of May at 10 o'clock in the morning and every morning and make Return thereof according to Law to the Commissioners on the first day of June next.

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A Petition was presented to the Commissioners for a Road to be laid out. Beginning at the Road from the town of Adams, thence along the said Road, the said Road is to be laid out to a point near the same, then thence along the said Road to the meadow.</p>

Wednesday, March 8, 1865. The commissioners deemed it expedient to adjournment.

A Petition from a number of the inhabitants of Bell Creek Township was presented, praying that the original surveyed township of thirteen in Range twelve be extended into a township called by the name of Bell Creek Township, and that, out of the surplus lands, they should be added to the township, being part of the townships of Elk and Range, which lie in Muskingum County, according to the commissioners that the above-named township be established.

Thursday, March 9, 1865. The commissioners adjourned to the duplicate adjourned to tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.
Saturday, March 11th 1815. The commissioners went up to adjust and prepare to calculate for the previous season on the duplicate and agreed until Sunday the 19th of March at 9 o'clock evening, Henry Clark.

Sunday, March 12th 1815. The commissioners continued to adjust and continued to calculate the papers on the previous duplicate. This day John St. John entered on Road to procure the bond of a bond riding from South and North street to a White Oak Tree opposite all, in a time of winter. Was ordered by the commissioners that the same be made and delivered to the court at 9 o'clock morning.

Wednesday, March 15th 1815. The commissioners met at 9 o'clock and proceeded to the making out the duplicates and agreed to the foregoing meeting.

Thursday, March 16th 1815. The commissioners met at 9 o'clock.

A petition was presented to the commissioners praying to be granted a sum due to the county of £200 each for the appearance of David Smith, that said David did not object but made the amount in tenpence against the sum of £200, and the commissioners ordered that the said David and Robert Smith be paid £200 each.

Sunday, June 6th 1815. The commissioners met at 9 o'clock and ordered to lay out a road from the State House from the bridge near Southard Creek, near the second road way to the main road, from North to the town of Graves, and ordered that John Bush, George Darby & George Logan be viewers and Charles Robertson be an assessor and used at Ander Lock Cow and at 10 o'clock on Monday the twenty-first, and the returning of the proceedings on the first Monday in September or any other place.
A Petition was presented to the Commissioners praying a Road to be laid out and Begunning at Dalton from thence to be travelled by the Common Road thence over The Hunting Ridge between the Rutters of Sinking Valley & Comets Know as the ground and used as the Common Road and in the County of Tompkins and running on the north west half ground in the long line being from New-rice to Suffern at Westlake Creek, and to the County line that Sinking Valley & Comets Know as Kelly Street & New Wadlar surveyed and to meet at the beginning of the same on the 2nd Saturday in December next at 12 OClock The Morning and make Report of their findings to this Board on the first Monday in October next according to Law

The Commissioners proceeded to call a Clerk when James Page was shown to be that for the ensuing year

Christian Granger was elected Clerk for the ensuing year

James Sibley clerk

Tuesday June 6, 1815 The Commissioners and Clerk attended this day

The Commissioners and Clerk are present as yesterday

The Commissioners and Clerk attended this day

In the Application of Charles M'Clur who demand to pay the assessments of a small estate on a Mill-dam to be erected on the north west quarter of the 5th Range on Sible Creek, Ordered by the Commissioners that Charles M'Clur shall be paid the amount of said Dam shall be set up, that a portion shall be used to maintain the said Dam as shall best accommodate the navigation of the creek, being the same rect and extending across the stream in proportion to the width of the dam, so that they shall not be more than one foot below the average breadth of the dam, and that said Lots shall be at all times be preserved with Selects Pitches and other Trypaul for the purpose of furnishing the Playstation of Paunch at Strawberry Water South of and along down the line from Atick N

Signed

Dated This 6th day of June 1815
Some day took up & read the Viewer Report on the attention of a Road beginning a short distance out of the three mile Spring Crk. South of the present Road to intersect Road near the Whirling Well being the first Reading.

Same day took up & read the Report of the Viewer Reprint on a Road beginning at the southern end of the County Road between a Round Green, Plate & Square, Route to a point thence on the Swingers Mill to intersect the County Road at the Southwest corner of Section 34, T. 15 R. 6.3 A. & 3.10 A. being the second reading.

Same day took up & read the alteration of Road from New to Spring Crk. beginning at the County Line east a part of said Road moved by the Highway. Being the first Reading.

Same day took up & read the Report of the Viewer on a Road from a Round Tree near John Burs to north township a part of said New Road in a straight line being the following.

Same day took up & read the Report of the Viewer on a Road from New to Spring Crk. being the third reading.

Same day took up & read the Viewer Report on a Road from a Round Tree near John Burs to north township a part of said New Road in a straight line being the fourth reading.

Some day took up & read the Report of the Viewer on a Road from the Town of Springfield to the County Road near Town being the fourth reading.

A petition at the same time was presented against the relator of the above mentioned Road and pray that a Reeve may be granted.

Some day took up & read the Report of the Viewer on a Road from the Fall Hubb to the Road ending near the Well to Cambridge near the Road of Egypt Town and the West Bridge Road near the Whirling Well the Viewer reported unfavorably to the Road.

Same day took up & read the Report of the Viewer on the alteration of a Road beginning at the South & ending near the 36th Line of the Town of Springfield 1 mile 360 feet two corners a part of the original Road being the first reading.
Division of Licking Township

A Petition was presented to the Commissioners praying for an allocation to be made on the public road running through the Township, Land beginning at the two oak trees on said road, and ending near the Northwesterly course of the river; said road to have a large and oak. Ordered, that Mr. Robert Housel, Jacob Beveridge, John Black be surveyors and Robert Kenet surveyor at said point at the will of the House of Mayors. The Petition, on the fourth Tuesday of the Month and made. Report of the proceedings to the Board on the first day in September next agreeable to law.

Adjourned to 9th October Newbury, James Peery Clerk

Wednesday June 3rd 1802. Commissioners present

The Commissioners proceeded to establish the Rates of Tariff Licences for the ensuing year 1803.

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Rates of Tariffages:

- For a Wagon with five or six Horses: $7.75
- For a Wagon with three or four Horses: $5.00
- For a Wagon with two Horses: $2.50
- For a Man & Horses: $1.00
- For More Horses: $0.50
- For More Cattle: $0.50
- For Sheep or Hogs: $0.50
- For a foot Passenger: $0.50

This day the Board had the several reports of road improvement at the house of David funding and many others by different persons agreed to the public works, return to the Woodington Road to the east of Pitts Town and continue to the City of Newbury, being the second reading confirmed.
This day a Memorandum was presented to the Commonw.
praying that that part of the foregoing Road from Philip's
Pond to the Fall whereon the Mouth of Hills Creek
and not be confirmed. But said Memorandum was not handed
in by any of the said twelve signers and two persons to enter
therein for the
Cost of a Reunion and that the Road be confirmed.

Same day took up & Read the Report of the Surveyor
the allocation of a Road beginning a Road Distance. West of the
Pike Street and running South of the present Road and that
John Young wanderlent the said Wheeling Road near where
the Whipplebaana Road met the Wheeling Road.

Being the Second Reading

The above Road confirmed Ordered to be opened the roadway.

Same day took up the Surveyor's Report on a Road begun at
the upper exit of the County Road between the
State of New York and from there into the State of
South Carolina of the Surveyor, 16Nov 1821. Beginning at a
some distance. Being the Second Reading 1st confirmed to be

The same day took up & Read the Report of the Surveyor
on the allocation of the Road from the state to Georgia.

Wherein Daniel Boyd as Surveyor of the County of
South Carolina doth hereby certify that the said Road

Whereas John_MT_Foster paid into the Treasury of this
County twenty dollars as fine for not taking a lease for a year of
the

The said John_MT_Foster for twenty dollars.

John Pendleton Esq. had presented this account of eight dollars
and four cents for keeping Corrals in May and April Fees
allowed by the Commonw.
Ordered that the clerk of the County Court shall draw twenty-eight dollars eighty-seven cents for the half year salary and deliver the same to the Clerk of the County or the County sheriff in the name of the County. The Clerk shall pay the same to the person entitled thereto.

Friday, July 28th, 1815

The Commissioners and agreeable adjournment present William Allen & William Hunter, Commissioners

Ordered to draw the post of the County Court and to the Clerk, William Allen & William Hunter, Commissioners of the County Court, in the name of the County, five hundred and twenty-five dollars for the collection of the County Levies and to pay the same to the Clerk, William Allen & William Hunter, Commissioners of the County Court, in the name of the County, five hundred and twenty-five dollars for the collection of the County Levies and all other accounts for the half year salary and duties of the Clerk of the County.

John Perry Clerk

January 7th, 1816

The Commissioners agreeable adjournment present William Allen & William Hunter, Commissioners

Ordered to draw the post of the County Court and to the Clerk, William Allen & William Hunter, Commissioners of the County Court, in the name of the County, five hundred and twenty-five dollars for the collection of the County Levies and all other accounts for the half year salary and duties of the Clerk of the County.

John Perry Clerk
Saturday July 29th 1815 The Commissioners met pursuant to a Resolution of the Towne of Brandon Township petitioned the Commissioners to appoint three disinterested Rate-Payers to be ball upon 30th inst. to appraise to a value on the last half of the year twenty-three feet of the Stock Road between the last full section or lot of land granted to a London Company and a permanent line between walls of the State of New York and the State of Ohio. The Commissioners appointed three Rate-Payers to apprise and agree the value of the land granted. John Bowers, John Bowers and John Walters were appointed to make and agree the value of the land granted.

The Commissioners having compared the said returns with the duplicates made out by their Clerk find the whole amount of the county taxes for the present year to be $2354 40 adjusted until the first Monday in September.

James Perry Clerk.

August 28th 1815

Robert Moore, James L. Summing and the company of James Shriver Road Commissioners were appointed to make and agree the value of the Stock Road between the last full section or lot of land granted to a London Company and a permanent line between walls of the State of New York and the State of Ohio. The commissioners appointed three Rate-Payers to make and agree the value of the land granted.

James Perry Clerk.
This Day the Commissioners took up and read the Report on a Road Beginning at the Junction of the Two Roads in the Township of Ten Mile Creek and ending in the Township of Ten Mile Creek. The Commissioners then directed that the road be surveyed and reported upon.

The same day the Commissioners took up and read the Report of the Survey on a Road Beginning at the Junction of the Two Roads in the Township of Ten Mile Creek and ending in the Township of Ten Mile Creek. The Commissioners then directed that the road be surveyed and reported upon.

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Tuesday 5th October 1815

The Commissioners took of the Petition of...township, line of the State Road leading from Conneaut to Sandusky to be extended from the ...of Sandusky Point, and enter the

Wednesday 6th September 1815

The Commissioners met pursuant to the Department

Petition of the Petition of the Commissioners of the Road from Conneaut to Sandusky, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Bartlett, to, the Commissioners, William Smith and John Barle...
Ordered that the said Commissioners of Ashingdon &c. be notified to the said Commissioners of the County to give Bonds for the performance of their duty according to law.

The Commissioners appointed Daniel Alcock Esq. to agree with a Carpenter to make the said alterations, at the cost of the said house as shall be that necessity.

The Commissioners granted James Perry three hundred twenty dollars for extra services in the clerk's office.

Ordered by the Commissioners that the Clerk of the said John B. Stone, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, to render to the Commissioners an account of the fees of forfeiture in his office since August 1812.

Adjoined to the first Monday in December.

James Payter Clark
Commissioner's Office Lanark, August 28th 1812.

James Perry having presented his petition to the Board, to have the said road from the town toward the shore of the said road, as shown by the instrumentality of the said road, and the road as properly satisfied that the said paper is the money appropriated therefor.

James Perry Clark

William Hunter, one day, viewing the situation of the bridge over Salt Brook at the request of James the Road Commissioners, Nov. 13th, 1815.

William Hunter. one day, Nov. 13th, 1815, on the road, on which Nathan Perry was appointed Roadman.

Monday December 4th, 1815 The commissioners met at the house of William Hunter at the house of William Hunter at the request of the said Commissioners and the present on the house of William Hunter. The Commissioners appointed Nathan Perry, John Stone, and Charles B. Stone, to agree with a Carpenter to make the said alterations at the said house as shall be that necessity.

A petition was presented to the Town, praying that a road may be opened and laid out. Beginning at the house of Nathan Perry, Salt Brook, Granby, and extending to the said road, thence a road to the town of Granby, thence a road to the town of Granby, thence a road to the town of Granby, and thence a road to the town of Granby.
Tuesday, December 15, 1841

The Council met pursuant to adjournment previous to adjournment.

First Day of the Business, the Secretary read the following report of the Commissioners appointed to superintend the construction of the various roads, as follows:

1. From the Meeting House to the County Line at Smoot's Mill.
2. From the Old Road beginning at the Middle Mill and running north of the Township Line, to the County Line.
3. From the Town of Newark to the County Line.
4. From the Smoot's Mill Road to the County Line.

The report was read, and the same was confirmed.

The Council resolved that the Surveyor of Roads be authorized to superintend the construction of the various roads.

John Robinson, Surveyor.

James R. Smith, Chairman.

Stephen Grayson, Chairman.
The County of joint William Blackmore, Nathan B. Pohn, David Devoe, Edward & Martin, voted on the first Tuesday of January next, made the Petition of their inhabitants to this House. In the 70th Meeting, March 17th, a Committee to examine and settle the losses of damage caused by the winds and storms which have lately occurred. The Committee voted the damage to be assessed to the County and to the County Line with the nearest neighbor.

The Committee on the 15th of December 1815

Friday, December 15th, 1815

The Committee convened this day and made arrangement for the settlement of accounts with the Surveyor of the County, the Register of Deeds, and the Collector of Taxes, to settle with James W. Smith, Collector of the Internal Tax for the past year and 1815, and have passed the settlement in adjournment until 20th January next.

James D. Clark, Clerk

Saturday, December 16th, 1815

The Committee received the same with the settlement with James W. Smith, Collector of Taxes, and the Register of Deeds, to settle with James W. Smith, Collector of the Internal Tax for the past year and 1815, and have passed the settlement in adjournment until 20th January next.

James D. Clark, Clerk

Wednesday, January 3rd, 1816

The Committee met and passed William W. Smith, Collector of Taxes, and the Register of Deeds, to settle with James W. Smith, Collector of the Internal Tax for the past year and 1815, and have passed the settlement in adjournment until 20th January next.
Monday January 1st, 1816

The Commissioners met this day at two o'clock, at the house of William A. Blakeslee, Esq.; and after proceeding in the usual way, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved by the Commissioners one room in the present house be built up with oak timber 12 by 16 inches thick, 4 by 20 inches, and 10 feet long, and every door that is the old stock to be set at a height of 10 feet from the floor, in the lowest room, on the front of the house.

William Blakeslee attended one day to give the keys on the building, and was paid $2 4o. 60.

A Job blur folded tomorrow morning.

James Bigg Clark.

Saturday, Jan. 26th, 1816

The Commissioners met this day at the house of William A. Blakeslee, and after proceeding in the usual way, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved that the building be divided into three places, one to be a room, one to be a kitchen, and one to be a storehouse.

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Monday February 19th 1816
Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment and proceeded to examine the Southern Route & Thompson's Run bridge by the said Commissioners and report favorably of both bridges adjourned until 7 O'Clock.

Tuesday February 20th 1816
Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment and began making the Duplicates for the Land. James Fleming Laid attend to this duty adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 O'Clock in the Morning.

Wednesday February 21st 1816
Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment and proceeded to make out the Duplicates for the land. James Fleming Laid attended this day adjourned until tomorrow at 9 O'Clock in the Morning.

James Perry Clerk

Thursday February 22nd 1816
Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment for William Moore, James Fleming, William Hunter & Alonzo Ross and proceeded to examine the Southern Route & Thompson's Run bridge by the said Commissioners and report favorably of both bridges.

Friday February 23rd 1816
Commissioners met and the same proceeded to make out the Duplicates after making some steps pursuant until 9 O'Clock in the Morning.

Saturday February 24th 1816
Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment from the same as yesterday and proceeded to make out the land Duplicates and adjourned until the first Tuesday in March.

James Perry Clerk

Monday March 1st 1816
Commissioners met this day according to law present James Fleming, William Hunter, William W. Ross & Alonzo Ross and proceeded to receive Petitions of Admission of Roads.

The Petition for a Road to start from Barlow's Hall to Russel's Run signed by William Hunter & Alonzo Ross.

The Petition was presented from Joseph Smith for a Road to be built out beginning at a Branch &c. and signed by the Petitioner &c. on the 2nd Tuesday in March and make Return of this Petition to the Board at the first Monday in June next & advising the Commissioners how.

A Petition was presented from Joseph Smith for a Road to be built out beginning at a Branch &c. and signed by the Petitioner &c. on the 2nd Tuesday in March.
Petition was presented to the Commissioners praying a Road to be laid out in Laudon Township, beginning at a stone at John Johnston's house on the west side of the Creek, thence running due South to the Land of James Anthony for one mile, then running due the same course until it meets the Land of Richard Norton at near the Lane of Jacob Brown and Juan Brown, and then due West to the Land of Jacob Brown and Juan Brown at the land of Joseph Brown, and then due North to the Creek, thence due West to the Land of Jacob Brown and Juan Brown, and then due South to the Creek, thence due East to the Land of Joseph Brown, and then due North to the Land of Jacob Brown and Juan Brown.

The petitioners state that they have surveyed the land and have marked off the same with stakes.

The petitioners further state that they are ready to make all necessary improvements to the proposed Road.

Petitioner: John Johnston

Witness: William Brown

County Clerk: Richard Norton
Mr. Balle field three in a northern direction to the country and
set early from Chrismar's store along the Road with the
Bear town on the Ridge, however the smoke continued day
The highest and last grind a large cut by the same town for
chance on the right and last grind by the same town for
the Bridge on the highest level ground to extend the Whiting
Road at Green River town. The Commissioners appointed
Johannah Chandler Davis Jones William Brown Simon N. S.
Hayward; Surveyor where to meet at Elizabet Hall on the first
Wednesday in October to and make Report to this Board.
Proceedings on the first Monday in June most according to the
Order and

Reported for Opening

The case was taken up by Mr. and the Report of the Commissioners
from John Brown Ill to the Washington county Line and further
The day was first read for the Admission
of a Road that Michael Peters Land
The day was the first to be used for
a Road from Brownsville to the Line to Horton Land
Says Chapman certified that he attended at the Bar
as granted by the Commissioners for a Road from the Sike to
the end of Top Brook but as none of the others witnesses this
nothing was done

Adjourned until Tomorrow Morning

1. Peters' Clerk

Wednesday March 4th 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present
the same as yesterday

Proceedings Commissioners opened by the Clerk
in 1819 on the Building of two Bridge one over Horse Run and
the other over a Run near the county line proceeded his plans
on both Bridges the Commissioners having on the 92 of February

Proceeded the day, reported a Report that the Money has been fully
paid to the two and gave binding order for showing hanging from the
Receipt of the grant of Simon 0. D. on the county from or
honor some amount of notes for or accomplishing the building of said Bridges

Thursday March 5th

Commissioners as yesterday

and latter, this day was taken up for the Report of the Survey on
the Road from Ensign Mill to Horton Road near by Ruth
As the statement on Richard Broughton and John Greer made to objection
the Commissioners and served by Charles Roberts the Surveyor that the above
was served by a Legal Officer upon which complaint the Commissioners
upon the same adjourned

This Day was taken up in reading a document from the Secretary:
The仪器 on the Admission of a Road through Michael Peters Land

Thursday was taken up to see the Execution in

Adoption of the Survey on the Road from Ensign Mill to the town
Washington town by this Road and for extending the Whiting road
Thanks given to the Commissioners in the Survey to the
Commissioners on the Road from the Road by the Brook to the
Whiting Road also to John CS. Jones of the town and
Commissioner John Clancy Joash Chapman Andrew S. Jones John Thompson
and to eight John Jones in the first Negative they are not made
out of their proceedings to this Board on the 9th of February

Adjourned to the present Meeting
Friday, March 8th, 1816

The Commissioners met pursuant to
Adjournment, present as yesterday and proceeded on
with the said proceedings.

William Craig by the authority of the Board,
made application to the Commissioners to include a part of the
Road from the Dead-Market Bridge to the town of Danville,
and a deed to John Mitchell for a right of way to the
same. The Commissioners then proceeded to
view the proposed
Road, and proceeded to the town of Danville,
and made the required measurements
and laid out the Road.

The Commissioners then
proceeded to view the Road, and
lay out the Road in the town of Danville,
and made the required measurements
and laid out the Road.

Wednesday, March 13th, 1816

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment,
and proceeded on with the said business.

The Commissioners then proceeded to lay
out the Road in the town of Danville,
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Monday June 3, 1800, commencing at nine o'clock, present William M. Moore, James P. Fleming, and Benjamin Paul, Esq. The Petition of the Road Committee for a Road beginning at a branch from the road leading from Leonard Clark's to a Point on the Mahoning River, and thence the boundary of the Proprietors thence cross the Old Main Gap to the Old Mohawk Road was opened and read. It appeared to be an unnecessary Road, and that a Number of Roads, in the Township, had been obstructed and not popular enough to keep them in Order; the Petitioners therefore, recommended a few Individuals and not a Publick. It was a condition that all the expenses of making a Road across the Cranberry be paid; and we can by no means dispute with unjust demands, nor do I think reasonable that your Honor will alter the same and not rendering them any pay at the same time a Petition was brought to the Committee, praying that the said Road may not be advanced agreeable to the prayer of the aforesaid petition. The Commissioners ordered that a survey to be made of said Road and agree with Messrs. Bacon, Joseph Coats, Daniel Sullivan, and the said Walker, and present the Job to the undersigned to examine and estimate the same, according to law.
A Petition was presented to the Commissioners praying a Road to be laid out and Beginning at the other End of South Dover Run running by Edward Balsom's home, by Joseph Wiltz home, by the Agreement of John Rittenhouse home to advance the Cooper and $200 towards the same, and after the Petition of Joseph Southmore & William Chapman, Surveying Officer, and meet at the Dunlop on the 23rd Day in August and make other of the Petitions to the Road on the first Saturday in September to be presented to the County.

The same day a Petition was presented to the County from James Bunn William & John H. Southmore praying for an alteration of the Road from the Town Road past these places to be altered where the said Road is now opened and John. He says John Southmore & Edward Crank was appointed surveyor and John Southmore was the Fifer of the town, and said petition on the first Monday in September next, for providing for Road.
Tuesday June 4th 1816
Commissioners met pursuant to Appointment -
Present as Yesterday.

First Read and Considered that the Commissioners pursuant to the 4th section of sixty four of an Act of Parliament passed in the year last past.
The survey and description of the land from Gilbert to John Nixon for the Road to Cottageville in Lunenburg West and Fort Road to Lunenburg and Fort Road to the South of the said Road on the fifth day of July at the time of High Water.

The Commissioners for the Survey and Appraisement the within described Land were Benjamin Northcote and Joseph Rice Surveyors and to meet at noon on the 3rd Saturday in August next and on the Birth, Ascension, St. John, and St. Peter the Three Feasts of the Year at the time of High Water.

The fees of the Commissioners are thirty dollars, and each Surveyor ten dollars, and if any of the Surveyors be not present, the appointment of such Surveyors shall be countermanded.

The Commissioners are to survey and describe the said Land and to report the same on the first Monday next to this Town in the year next ensuing.
Wednesday, June 5th, 1816

The Commissioners not present. A deposit not present as yesterday.

Ordered: The deposit to be retained until the 9th inst., when an order on the Treasury for bringing a similar entry into the Book of Return. The deposit not to be returned until ordered by the Commissioners, or unless the deposit is given to the Town of Edinburgh by the Commissioners of the Town of Edinburgh, or by the proper person.

Adjourned until Tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Friday, June 7th, 1816

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Ordered as yesterday, Williams here William Hunter and James Heming Esq.

Settle the day with Christian Hunter Esq.

Revenue rendered to the County for the

For Super License £12

For County Order proceeding to

Commissioners for Settlement

Bailiff in the Township

Adjourned until Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

Friday, June 7th, 1816

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment—present as yesterday.
West Zanesville Township

A Petition was presented to the Commissioners by a large Number of the Inhabitants of the Township requesting that the Township be laid out in streets or streets so that the public can use the same without hindrance. The Commissioners agreed to the request and divided the Township into streets as follows:

The north boundary is the line of the Muskingum River. The east boundary is the line of the Muskingum River. The south boundary is the line of the Muskingum River. The west boundary is the line of the Muskingum River. The Township is divided into nine sections, each section containing 1,280 acres. The sections are numbered from one to nine, starting from the north boundary and moving southward. Each section is divided into blocks, each block containing 20 acres. The blocks are numbered from one to ten, starting from the west boundary and moving eastward. The Township is named West Zanesville.

The Commissioners agreed that if the petitioners paid two dollars a month for one year, they would be allowed to use the Township for the purpose of building and maintenance. If the petitioners did not pay the two dollars a month, the Township would be returned to the public domain. The petitioners agreed to the terms and paid the two dollars a month for one year. The Township was then registered as West Zanesville.

The petitioners also agreed to pay five dollars a month for the maintenance of the Township. If the petitioners did not pay the five dollars a month, the Township would be returned to the public domain. The petitioners agreed to the terms and paid the five dollars a month for one year. The Township was then registered as West Zanesville.

The petitioners also agreed to pay ten dollars a month for the maintenance of the Township. If the petitioners did not pay the ten dollars a month, the Township would be returned to the public domain. The petitioners agreed to the terms and paid the ten dollars a month for one year. The Township was then registered as West Zanesville.

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The petitioners also agreed to pay twenty dollars a month for the maintenance of the Township. If the petitioners did not pay the twenty dollars a month, the Township would be returned to the public domain. The petitioners agreed to the terms and paid the twenty dollars a month for one year. The Township was then registered as West Zanesville.
The Commissioners agree that W. William Rittenhouse be a member to make a Chain for the Land made
adjourned James Perry Clerk

Samantha September 7, 1818
The Commissioners present to the Honorable William Anthony and
William H. Smart Esq.

The Commissioners appointed yesterday began to work from the John Trencher to the Road from the Ann Arbor and
the damming of a Stream which went through their plantation and
the Commissioners agreed to the same to be stopped and the first
Time of Day.

The Commissioners appointed to view location of a Road began
at John Trencher's road on the Road from the Honorable William
Trencher's road that the said Road should lie at the same place
and the first being at work on a Road beginning by the first
in the Quarter boundary. The honorables who have been so appointed the Road
and the Commissioners agreed to the same to be stopped and the first

A letter received from an Adjournment in the Wooding who was at the Village of Lisle and asked to send some
Gentleman and appointed on the Road Beginning a way

This was done when the same was given.
That the Clerk of the Committee on the 4th for the Plan of the Senate Chamber for their chambers agree to contract for the building of the Senate Chamber, at the expense of the State, according to the plan of the Senate Chamber on the north-east corner of the publicly ground.

A petition was presented to the Committee praying that the Senate Chamber be placed on the north-east corner of the publicly ground, as it is a necessity in the place where the Committee agree that it may be moved to the Senate Palace and be both the 4th and the 4th, and be placed somewhere adjacent to 4th from the ground.

October 3, 1816.

Mr. Lincoln and William H. Moore, for the plan of altering the 4th Chamber building, a Bridge built by them, on the 4th Bridge in the town of Portland, which Bridge was of stone and wood and 4th and 4th on Saturday the 28th of September last, and was of opinion that the same was necessary for the building of said Bridge was fully approved and therefore said order to be paid on the Treasurer of State for said Bridge approved, gave him a certificate of the same.
of the south lot of section 14, township 1, range 2, county of Wet. In the name of the Lord, amen. 

1. The petition of the Committee of Enclosure against the commissioners of the

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10. The petition of John Park and Benjamin Long of the
Thomson, being requested by the 5th of March, 1816, to report on the
work of constructing a Road beginning at the East End of the
Lowell Road, to the West End of the
Lowell Road, and to make a report in favor of said Road.

A report was presented by Mary Thomson and others, stating that
they were unable to proceed with the construction of the Road.

The Committee appointed to review the allocation of the
Road made the following report:

A Road beginning at the East End of the Lowell Road and
terminating at the West End of the
Lowell Road, to the West End of the
Lowell Road, and to make a report in favor of said Road.

The Committee requested that the
Road be extended as far as

The report was accepted by the
Committee and the Road was
proceeded with as requested by
Mary Thomson.

The Road was constructed by the
Lowell Road Association, under the
supervision of Mr. Thomson.
These Petitions were presented to the Common Council in the following words:

William Abbot, Bane, and William Cast, both residing on the Damage on Account of a Road leading from their land on the Road Beginning at the Close Road and running thence to their land on the Road, and running thence thence to the Applicant's land, and said land into which one of the said streets is entered. Such Road that is about three miles in length, the other roads but you are to extend the ground that the said.

Then the said Petitioners and make as many as occur to the County, and to the County Council of Tuesday, the 5th Day of February, and set the said Petitioners and the Council to the County.

The said Petitioners and the Petitioner to the County.

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Saturday, December 14th 1816

The commissioners met present William Allison and William Hunter by motion of William Logan, in order to settle with the collector of taxes, but he not attending the meeting, the same was adjourned to Monday 20th inst. James Rigg Clerk.

Monday, December 16th 1816

William Hunter arrived by the Washington passenger train. James Rigg Clerk.

On the 20th day of December 1816, the commissioners met, accompanied by present Wm. Allison, Wm. Hunter, and the collector of taxes, agreed upon the following:

The amount of Auditor's certificate July 25th 1816.

By deficiency

$477.37

By collector's fees at 5c. each

227.73

By 1/2 cent retained by the county

46.94

By the valuation due the county

380.30

$1,224.33

The commissioners allowed Samuel Tharp and his associates to receive a grant for two days, to be deducted from the land at the rate of $10 per day.
Leading from Johnson Plumeau to John Knowles Hill in the
Ashern, County of, as follows, from near Nathan Hale to
Upon the North shore of Long Island, 9 18 miles, where Field was
Fled the river and left ground to a certain exhibition
Now a post, from thence near the Bank of Jonathan Look
To intercept the Sagam Road at a corner, between the
Massachusetts and New York
The Commissioners appointed, Thomas Smith, William Knowles,
Samuel Goodwin, and Cornelius Sullivan, to
Present at Nathan Hale on the first Monday in March next and do
Report to this Board and the first Monday in March next

The Committee appointed to view a Road from the
South End of Pelham to the Road in favor of the Road
Road this day first term, it Remains

The Committee appointed, at last Novembem-
Term on the allocation of a Road from Dennis to Quailville the
Allocation to begin at the foot of the Hill East of Field Creek, and
accept the money at Big Hill Creek, thence to a Sarjeant near
near Little and a favorable Report—This day and first time
May 18th, 1812

A Poll was taken and presented to the Commissioners,
which, against the Road from Dennis to the Hill, of the road near
the Town of Columbia, thence to Intervale the town Road at
the foot of the Hill and praying that a Resolution be passed
To order Publication on the same. The Commissioners appointed,
Joseph Scott, William Chapman, John Adams, Johnersen and
Also Adjy Commissioners to meet at the House of Mr. Knowles
in Pelham, the first Monday in December to take
Report to the Road on this second Monday in May

The report according to law

Monday February 10th 1817
The Commission meet present William and Mr.
March 8 and William Knowles, Esq. having a
Some of the Commissioners and not having furnished
Debated till tomorrow morning

Tuesday February 11th 1817
The Commission proceed the survey of last day
A Poll was presented to the Commissioners
A Road to be laid out, that the Road may be established.
Wednesday, July 12th, 1814

Commissions were presented to adjournments present as yesterday.

Doctor Conrad advised that his property was charged higher in proportionate rate not due than it ought to be. The Commissioners agreed to grant him four dollars fifty cents, Deducting the Valuation to be too high.

Ordered by the Commissioners that the Township of Brush Creek be advertised to meet at the schoolhouse in the second District No. 18, Township No. 13, Range No. 18, to elect Township Officers on the second Monday in April next, to choose their Township Officers.

A permanent lane was granted to Henry Hays, in Michigan County for the sum of one dollar for the benefit of said road. Township No. 13, Range No. 18, granted by Congress for the use of the people of said Township for the road and any other public purposes.

__Signed__

A Petition was presented by the Commissioners praying to be laid and beginning where the Old Border runs at a point near the land of Jacob Wacker, and then southerly into the County Road, and then due east into the road leading to Canandaigua. The Commissioners agreed to John Johnson, John Brown and John McHenry, esquires, and that said John Wacker, and Joseph Votier, on the second Monday in April next to elect the said Officers.

The Petition was presented to the Commissioners, beguine a Township to be incorporated, beginning at the southeast corner of Township No. 12, Range No. 18, of the Military District, north from thence to Range No. 19, thence west from thence to Township No. 19, thence west from thence to Range No. 17, thence south from thence to the place of beginning, being the second Township in the eight range of the Military District, and to be called SALTUS TOWNSHIP.

The Ballot for Electors to meet at the House of John TaylorEsquire, on the first Monday in April next, to elect three Township Officers agreeable to law.

Vice-Consul made a favourable report on a road beginning at the road leading from Canandaigua to Cohocton, near the home of John Taylor, Esquire to the road from from thence, Mill to the mouth of the Salmon Creek, thence to the town of Cohocton.

__Signed__

19th day next to Town.

[Signature]
The Commissioners put the bond in the care of William Wood, to be the surety. The subscriber shall not fail to cause the bond for public meeting or other public business to be given by the subscriber immediately to be destroyed and the bond shall be made void.

Rejoined until tomorrow morning.

Commissioner and pursuant to adjournment present at yesterday.

Mr. Bridges, Commissioner.

A petition was presented from a number of inhabitants of Lowther praying a road to be laid out from the corner of Market Street in the town of Lowther and running through the town and ending by crossing the road at a point where the road from Lowther and New Lowther can be made to connect with the bridge over the river. The Commissioners appointed Mr. Cooper, Frederick Gwyer, John Lowther, and John Beale, inspectors, and to meet at the Market House on the Monday in March next for the purpose of reporting their finding. The order made on the second Monday in May next according to law. Order to the subscriber.

March 4th, 1787

The Commissioners and pursuant to adjournment present William Hunter, William M. Moore, and John Lowther to examine some accounts and adjourned until tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, March 5th, 1787, present yesterday, agreed to make the duplicate for land for Thursday, 6th March present as yesterday, continued making the duplicate for the present day, continued to make the duplicate.
Saturday March 8th 1817
Continued to make the land duplicates
Granted a lease to Henry Hardy for 100 acres of school land on Feb 7

Monday 10th March
Commissioners met pursuant to adjourn
Present are former g. Spent in making the
duplicate Adjourned

Tuesday continued to make duplicate

Wednesday 12th March continued
making over the duplicate

Thursday 13th March 1817 spent in
Day on the land duplicates
Commissioners met pursuant to adjourn,
present Wm. Train, James Fleming & Jn
Hunter Day continued making the resident land
duplicate

Friday March 14th 1817
Commissioner present as yesterday continued
so make the land duplicates signed a perm.
lease of one hundred sixty acres of the school land
in Range five Township section 19

This day James Thompson Samuel Thompson &
James Fisher appointed by the board at first
November Term 1816 to address the school land
Dept to divided court agreeable to all of the
State of ohio granting permanent Leases for use

school Land

The address to an order of school common for Thomas
From 1816 granting to Peter Monument applied for a
permanent lease of the South East quarter of section twenty
two Township one & Range five 

The present Freeholders also made report to the Commissioners that they had sold
The aforesaid South East quarter of section twenty two
Township one & Range five for applied for by the
Court of Common Pleas at New York Term 1816 by Catharine
City at Three Dollar per acre

The aforesaid James Thompson Samuel
Thompson & James Fisher appointed by the board at first
November Term 1816 and reported today
To the Commissioners agreeable to law that they
Applied the South East quarter of section thirteen
Township one & Range five said land here is
the due of school land applicable for by John Guild

Screw J. & Andrew Barron at five dollars
the rise

The aforesaid James Thompson Samuel
Thompson & James Fisher appointed by the board at first
November Term 1816 made report the day
To the Commissioners agreeable today that they had
in pursuance of an order from the Board the South
East quarter of section eight Township one and
Range five said land is used for the length of school and
Applied for a Permanent lease by Samuel Guild
The said James Thompson, Samuel Thompson, & Warner, do petition by the Court of Common Pleas at their October Term 1816 to apprise all other Lands Lords by copy of the description of the premises to the Court, and the Commissioners that they will not infringe the fourth quarter of the South East Quarter of Section Twenty, South East Quarter of Section Twenty, North one hundred Rods thence East one hundred forty rods thence South one hundred eighty rods thence East one hundred eighty rods thence North to the place of beginning, all of which is valued at three dollars per acre.

James Vickers, Samuel Thompson, and Warner do petition by the Court of Common Pleas at their October Term 1817 to apprise said Land granted by Congress for the use of Schools, more especially the Commissioners that they had valued the following tract of land, beginning at the North East Corner of Section No. 18 in the first Township to the South of the line of said school, and running thence west to the line of said school, and all the South East corner of said Section thence east one hundred and sixty rods thence North one hundred sixty rods thence East one hundred sixty rods thence East one hundred sixty rods thence South fifty rods.

The Commissioners allowed the appraisement of land granted for the use of schools for the first day while they are employed in that business.

Said day March 15th, 1817.

Commissioners, one of whom, or any number thereof, is authorized to execute the delinquent.

Resolved by the Commissioners that the Commissioners may have the use of the Senate Chamber at one dollar per night at any time after they have vacated or two dollars per month as long as the Commissioners shall find convenient for the business of the Senate.

Deemed until Tuesday the 24th instant.

[Signature]

Monday March 24th 1817 Commissioners met according to appointment present Wm. Moore and William Vickers Esq, having submitted to make to the Delegates.
Tuesday 28th March 1817

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present at 12 noon, William Hunter & James S. &c.

Agreed upon the Diena's and adjourned till tomorrow Morning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday 20th March 1817

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday.

Agreed upon William Pale to receive one day for clearing the coast house, carrying off the iron, the old Payle, and also thirty-two shillings as an additional day for attending to the heating fires in the Senate Chamber while the Commissioners were sitting.

Sundays Day 27th March 1817

Agreed upon changing the Diene's. Deferred to Monday 28th and did not allow.

Thursday, Wednesday 24th April 1817

Attended the Election at 10 o'clock, and the House resuming 11th one Diene's each one day to sign the Diene's.

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11th Nover. Day allowing on coloured persons issue.
Tuesday, May 19th, 1817

Coomingtown. A Petition was presented to the Government by James School, Esq., son of the late Mr. School, on the 14th instant, praying to be permitted to extend the Coomingtown Road to the County road, or if not, to have a continuation of the same.

A Petition was presented to the Commissioner, praying that part of the road from Cooringtown to Limerick and to Ballysadore, and to thence to Thomastown, be surveyed, and that the said road be continued through the lands of the person paying the cost of the same.

A Petition was presented to the Commissioner, praying that the road from Cooringtown to the County road be continued, and that the Commissioner appoint for the purpose such persons as are willing to pay the expenses of the same.

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The petitioners appeared on a road from the last end of Market Street nearest to Deep Creek, and made their appearance to the proponents of the petition as a road leading on that ground would be disadvantageous.

The Commissioners proceed to divide the land & highland

An order was given to the County Surveyor to remove the road into the western range & to establish a line for the purpose.

The Commissioners adjourned to adjournment on the first Monday of June next.
May 29th. The. Hon. George E. Jones, Esq. was appointed Inspector of Roads. May 30th. The Hon. George E. Jones, Esq. was appointed Inspector of Roads.

Friday, May 18th, 1827.

Commissioners and their seat and agreement present.

The Hon. William A. C. Allen, Esq. for the commissioners.

The Rev. Mr. Morgan, 160 a., for 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

Mr. Thompson, 160 a., for 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

The Hon. George Clay, 160 a., for 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

The Hon. James Morton, 160 a., for 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

The Hon. Henry Clay, 160 a., for 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

The Hon. John Smith, 160 a., for 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

The Hon. John Brown, 160 a., for 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

The Hon. William McCall, 160 a., for 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

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The Hon. John Smith, 160 a., for 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.
The commissioners met and agreed to the appointment made the same as yesterday.

The commissioners voted as above to be made of the agreement

For September 23, 1817.  

Daniel Barning 50 acres A 16 27 28 56 9 2 2 70  

Daniel Barning 50 acres B 8 3 25 56 2 2 18 2 2 26  

Henry Barning 160 acres 8 3 23 18 2 2 26  

Report of Land from James Stagg to the Lancaster County for

The Lancaster Road near Zaydos June for  

Second Time & Confirmed

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Report of Land from Thomas Barning to the Lancaster Road near Zaydos June for  

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The commissioners appointed a Collector

William Brown was appointed to collect both the 
Land and County taxes at four per cent and Christian 
Sharpley Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Submitted to the Lancaster County June 23, 1817.
The surveyors appointed by the commissioners on the
Allegation of the Road the Road from the Land of James
Smith beginning at the East corner of Samuel Richards
Town and to extend the Road beginning from James Smith's
Mark near the Land of Robert Wilcox made a report in favor
of said alteration agreeable to the surveyors June 4th 1777

A Petition was presented to the Commissioners
by Jacob D. Younger that a Road lately laid out on
said Land beginning at Jackson's Bridge say taking the
most direct and running as it entered the Farmer's
Road between Jonathan Thompson & Daniel Hobbs and
Road being very injurious to the inhabitants by cutting
off part of said Land which will take no small sum in
the time to defend and not be worth the trouble therefore
prays to make the alteration in location and apply suitable
persons to view and appraise the
Damage he may sustain by said Road
The commissioners appointed Abiah Whitman, George
Belcher, Wm. Daniel Sherwood & Samuel Reed
Owens to meet and draw on the last Saturday of the first
and make a report of their proceedings to this Board on
the first Monday in August next according to law.

Michael Collins presented Negro John to have that said slave and send
this Land

And according to law agreeable to the report of the surveyor laid to the
Road at this Mark July 1st 1777. The commissioners being together with the
Board report confirm said alteration

William Collins presented a Petition to the Commissioners
for Alterations on the Road to finding from Southtown Bridge to
Northtown Hall Beginning at 34th Oaktree on the North side of
North Road and running about a West and East to enter the original
Land at a small distance higher therein to a small creek at thence nearly
a North bound to a Salley white oak on the North Side this Line
the corner between the Southtown Commons and the Donation line North
of Thomas Sand near the Methodist Meeting House the other alteration to
the said Beginning at a White Oak near about twenty rods north
of said Methodist Meeting House near a Black Oak but on the line of
the old Road. The commissioners appoint William, George Lappan and
Robert Wilson. Haines and Thomas Buxton to agree and make report of
their proceedings to the Board on the first Monday in August next according
be the surveyor to meet William Collins on the second Monday in August

This day the Commissioners settled with Christian
Spranger Esq. Treasurer of the County

Chilton Fergen Esq. Treasurer to the County $4506 00
6c. by Order Rehoboth $365 00

Balance due the County Sheriff & Jailer $73 82

Subscribed and Acknowledged

Thursday June 5th 1777

Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment present after
This Day.
The Commissioners resolved to establish the rates
of Tariff Tariffs Custom House Rates and
Tariff Rates for the ensuing year,
In the Town of Danville, for year
10.
In Beaver
In that Town
On the Road from Chillicothe to Wheeling
On the Old Road from Danville to Sharps
Valley Furnace.
On all other Roads throughout the County.

Taxes of Vehicles
For a Wagon with five or six Horses 50
For a Wagon with four or five Horses 40
For a Wagon with two Horses 37
For a Wagon with one Horse 26
For a Horse and cart 19
For a Horse and cart 12
For a Horse and cart 7
For a Horse and cart 6
For a Horse and cart 3
For a foot Passage

Friday, June 6th, 1879
Acted on David Chambers, Clerk of the
Hall of Frederic Dickson, W. C. H.,
Hale of Frederick Dickson, W. C. H.,
Hale of Samuel E. W. May, Esq.

Paid Chambers $2,666.60 for his help,
during the small town belonging to himself except the Taxation
provided for by Law.
The commissioners appointed James Perry, Clerk to the
Commissioners, to be the Commissioner of Taxes for the ensuing year.

Adjourned to the last Thursday of July next.

J. H. W. Ferguson, Clerk.

Thursday, July 31st, 1879

Commissioners met pursuant to Agreement
Present the Hon. William H. & James S.
Fleming
To examine the duplicate of the county
Survey and after making same proper surveyed all town
Surveying at Rose O'Neal

Friday, August 1st, 1879

Commissioners met pursuant to Agreement
Present as yesterday, found the duplicate & agree
able to be revised.

Saturday, August 2nd, 1879, According
to Agreement Present as yesterday prepared for
ordering them. And to the next Court
ordered that
Schoolmaster have
a Notice placed in the Court House for a school at $50 a
Month, and to the 1st Monday in October, to the first Monday in

W. H. W. Ferguson, Clerk.
Land Tax Bond

Know all by these presents that the Wm. Craig

above bound has engaged to pay to the Commissioners of

the county of Michigan and State of this new and forever bound into friendship

as evidence of his good behavior in office into him of eight thousand three hundred and fifty four dollars eight cents

the sum of

the said Wm. Craig that in the payment and strictly

of this obligation is as follows!

The subscriber of the above Obligation is as follows!

Whereas the county of Michigan has been approved by the

Commissioners of said county to the office of the Collector of the

said tax for the county aforesaid, we the said William Craig that for

fully and faithfully perform all the duties of the office the said

Deputy to me before the fifteenth day of December and that

this Obligation is void otherwise to remain in full force.

the law

Witnesses

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A petition was presented by a number of the inhabitants of Madison Township, praying that the old road leading from near Nathan Hall to Bloomfield Creek near Sandusky Hill on the above Township may be repaired by the above-mentioned Township.

I send that day.

Wednesday, Sept. 3, 1817. Comm. in session.

A petition was presented to the Commissioners praying that alterations be made on the road leading from Zanesville to Columbus. Begginging at the corner west of Sandusky Hill, thence along the road leading from that point to the Old Road at or near the same.

The Commissioners appointed John Johnson, William Brown, and William Benjamin to visit the same.

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Same

Prisons the Annual Redict of the Revenue and Expenditures of the County of Washington in the 
Court of Common Pleas who after examining it approved 
of the same sent it to be printed in the Book of the 

September 20th 1878

William Nelson of the以上的 Commissioners by virtue of the [illegible] that they have 
been appointed by the General Assembly to carry out the plans of the Road 
and other improvements, the said Nelson, in accordance with the above 
resolution, has appointed him to the sum of five hundred dollars for the Road of faithfully 
executed plans.

Wm. Nelson, 1878

The Commissioners John S. Miller James Schliming William 
Hunter and I do hereby ratify the certificate issued by the [illegible] 
for the sum of five hundred dollars for the Road of faithfully 
executed plans.

October 19th 1878

Same

The Commissioners appoint Jacob Coats Road 
Commissioner, on the Road running from Florida to Florida.
Monday, December 14th, 1817

Correspondence from William H. Moore, the Collector of the Revenue, regarding the sale of land in order to settle with the Collector of the Revenue, and to prevent the necessity of the state becoming indebted to the state. Signed by John Clark.

Tuesday, January 14, 1818

The state was ordered to be paid out the sum of $100 for the support of the county.

January 19th, 1818

The commissioners William H. Moore, Lamon Liney, and James Clark were ordered to settle the boundary of the county.

January 24th, 1818

The commissioners William H. Moore, Lamon Liney, and James Clark were ordered to settle the boundary of the county.

Monday, February 23rd, 1818

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Tuesday February 24th 1818

Commissaries met pursuant to adjournment.

Robert N. Reeder, John C. Hensley & Thomas Dines

A Petition was presented to the Commissaries praying that whereas a Road was laid out by the Court of Common Pleas, be extended, vizt. Beginning at the South End of Lyndahl Mills, thence due South 1000 feet to Joseph Thomas' house. Then thence to Jacob Hauer's house, and by due course of Law to the County Line.

The Petitioner, etc.

The Commissaries, George Mathews, John Turner, & William Hildred, signed the Petition.

Jacob Hauer set the measurements for twenty dollars, vizt., the South End of a Road which was extended from the Road of Tom's Campbell's Mill to the South End of the John Freeman Road.

Wednesday, Feb. 25th 1818

Commissaries met pursuant to adjournment. Present

The Petitioner, etc.

A Petition was presented to the Commissaries, praying an alteration of a third segment, vizt., the South End of the County Road, etc., and proceeding an now called the South End, near the Eastern Point of Ridge of AD, being the Road near the County Line.

A Petition will be submitted tomorrow morning.
Tuesday, March 1st 1818
Commissioners met pursuant to Agreement present.
William Moore, Simon Moore and John Agnew, Esq. and proced to make
the Land Deplacate and making proofgs before the Commissioners
At Morlene morning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, March 2nd 1818
Commissioners met pursuant to Agreement present William
Kane, Simon Moore & John Agnew,
proceeding with the Deplacate and making Proofs according
til tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock

Wednesday, March 3rd 1818
Commissioners met pursuant to Agreement present
as yesterday adjourned till tomorrow

Thursday, March 4th 1818
The Commissioners met pursuant to Agreement present
as yesterday.

Friday, March 5th 1818
The Commissioners met pursuant to Agreement present

Applications were made by William Kane and William Brown,
for the refection of their lands and William Hunter,
Capt. John Chalmers and Robert Kelly were appointed to survey
lots and appear for their lands on 11th Tuesday 1st Section
The survey appointed on the head from the front
of the Road commencing at the haven 1st of Enhart Mill
and from thence thursday to the last above record
The alteration of said road

Monday, March 8th 1818
Commissioners met according to Agreement present William C
Moore & Simon Moore

Applications were made by George Baker
John Baker & William Duncan present & John and Geo
Thomas Wall & John Gibson were appointed to survey
the said Section No 21 on Township Second Range lowest
Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, 16th of March, 1818

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Thursday, March 19th

Friday, March 20th

Saturday, March 21st

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Monday, March 22nd

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, returned to the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Thursday, 17th of March, 1818

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, 18th of March, 1818

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Friday, 20th of March, 1818

Saturday, March 21st, 1818

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Thursday, March 28th, 1818

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Monday, March 31st, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, April 2nd, 1818

Wednesday, April 3rd, 1818

Thursday, April 4th, 1818

Friday, April 5th, 1818

Saturday, April 6th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Monday, April 8th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Thursday, April 11th, 1818

Friday, April 12th, 1818

Saturday, April 13th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Monday, April 14th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, April 15th, 1818

Wednesday, April 16th, 1818

Thursday, April 17th, 1818

Friday, April 18th, 1818

Saturday, April 19th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Monday, April 21st, 1818

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Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, April 22nd, 1818

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Friday, April 25th, 1818

Saturday, April 26th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Monday, April 28th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, April 29th, 1818

Wednesday, April 30th, 1818

Thursday, May 1st, 1818

Friday, May 2nd, 1818

Saturday, May 3rd, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Monday, May 5th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, May 6th, 1818

Wednesday, May 7th, 1818

Thursday, May 8th, 1818

Friday, May 9th, 1818

Saturday, May 10th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Monday, May 11th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, May 12th, 1818

Wednesday, May 13th, 1818

Thursday, May 14th, 1818

Friday, May 15th, 1818

Saturday, May 16th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Monday, May 18th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, May 19th, 1818

Wednesday, May 20th, 1818

Thursday, May 21st, 1818

Friday, May 22nd, 1818

Saturday, May 23rd, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Monday, May 25th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, May 26th, 1818

Wednesday, May 27th, 1818

Thursday, May 28th, 1818

Friday, May 29th, 1818

Saturday, May 30th, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Monday, May 31st, 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday, resorted with the land duplicate, and adjourned to 9 o'clock.

Provided to make out the land duplicate and adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.
Monday May 23rd 1818

The Commissioners met pursuant to last present. William Atkinson and Benjamin Full waiting. The commissioners on rising made report to the Board to their present adjournment.

A petition was presented by William Beith and Benjamin Full praying on behalf of Thomas Beith and Benjamin Full praying on behalf of Thomas Beith that they may be appointed 1 st. Thomas Beith and Benjamin Full praying on behalf of Thomas Beith that they may be appointed 2nd. Thomas Beith and Benjamin Full praying on behalf of Thomas Beith that they may be appointed 3rd. Thomas Beith and Benjamin Full praying on behalf of Thomas Beith that they may be appointed 4th. Thomas Beith and Benjamin Full praying on behalf of Thomas Beith that they may be appointed 5th. Thomas Beith and Benjamin Full praying on behalf of Thomas Beith that they may be appointed 6th. Thomas Beith and Benjamin Full praying on behalf of Thomas Beith that they may be appointed 7th. Thomas Beith and Benjamin Full praying on behalf of Thomas Beith that they may be appointed 8th. Thomas Beith and Benjamin Full praying on behalf of Thomas Beith that they may be appointed 9th. Thomas Beith and Benjamin Full praying on behalf of Thomas Beith that they may be appointed 10th.

The petition of the said petitioners was referred to the Board to be laid before the Board at their next meeting.

The commissioners on rising made report to the Board to their present adjournment.

Tuesday May 24th 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Wednesday May 25th 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Thursday May 26th 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Friday May 27th 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Saturday May 28th 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Sunday May 29th 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Monday May 30th 1818

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Tuesday May 31st 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Wednesday June 1st 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Thursday June 2nd 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Friday June 3rd 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Saturday June 4th 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Sunday June 5th 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Monday June 6th 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.

Tuesday June 7th 1818

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Thursday June 9th 1818

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Friday June 10th 1818

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Saturday June 11th 1818

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Sunday June 12th 1818

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Monday June 13th 1818

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Thursday June 30th 1818

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Friday July 1st 1818

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Saturday July 2nd 1818

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Sunday July 3rd 1818

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Monday July 4th 1818

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Tuesday July 5th 1818

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Wednesday July 6th 1818

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Saturday July 23rd 1818

The commissioners met pursuant to last present. There was none present who had any business to transact.
**Saturday 30th of May**

The Commissioners met pursuant to appointment. Present: William A. Moon & Simon Line. John Neat, who was appointed Collector of the County, gave his bond with W. Tomes, John G. E. & W. S. Neat, for the amount of his Depositis, viz. for three thousand dollars.

Dollars thirty-two cents & four mills,

Appointed until Monday 1st June,

James Perry, Clerk

Delivered the said Deposit to John John Neat, the appointed Collector.

**Monday June 1st 1818**


A Treasurer for the County, John Neat, was appointed Treasurer for the ensuing year. This day was chiefly spent attending on local business.

**Tuesday June 2nd 1818**


A rate of One Dollar per Bushel was fixed to establish the cost of flour at the price of Ten Dollars per barrel.

**Rules of Towns**

- For a Wagon with five Horses: $0.75
- For a Wagon with three of four Horses: $0.50
- For a Wagon with one Horse: $0.35
- For a Man, & a Yoke: $0.64
- For a Yoke & Yoke each: $0.33
- For a Landman: $0.33
- For a Stead: $0.35
Saturday 8th June 1818

Commissioners met pursuant to direction afforded to the appointment of a Collector for the county. When John Refect was appointed to that office.

Said with Christian Greggs, Treasurer of Washington County.

To each elected by the Treasurer, since last for $288.34.

By the amount of county fees returned to the County, $17.12.63.

Balance remaining in the County $273.90.

After this day and Christian Greggs, Treasurer of Washington County.

Adjourned until Monday the 12th, 1818.

Monday June 12th. The Commissioners, William H. Moore & William Jones met and agreeable to adjournment and proceeding to compare the county's accounts. -

Samuel Sullivan gave his Bond with other Samuel H. Anderson. Therear deputed for the office of County Treasurer for the present year, who allowed Samuel Sullivan $1800.00 for holding an assessment and the body of John Thomas & bringing up the body of T. T. Thomas for examination. -

Adjourned until nine o'clock tomorrow morning.

Fin. James H. Clark.

Wednesday June 13th, 1818

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present. Mr. H. Moore, William & James L. Thomas.

This day spent in making depositions for the county, and examining the books of the county and Treasurer, and adjourned until to tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Wednesday June 14th, 1818

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present. Mr. H. Moore, William & James L. Thomas.

This day spent in making depositions for the county, and examining the books of the county and Treasurer, and adjourned until to tomorrow morning.

Fin. James H. Clark.
The condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above bound John Pickall who was appointed by the Commissioners appointed Collector of the County of Rock, for the year 1817 shall fail to collect and pay into the County Treasury, the first amount of the taxes charged on his دقیحکه or before the first day of January next according to law that then the above Obligation shall be void and the said John Pickall declared to be a delinquent, remaining in jail at St. Helens where we have bound him. And the said John Pickall shall in the 20th Day of June 1818

Seth

James Pickall

Chairman

Adjourned this the 24th June 1818

The Commissioners appointed William Sadler & John Chapman in the room of Richard & Gabriel who fails to do as Commissioner also Levi Chapman in the room of Lewis Whipple who also again to do as Clerk and John Matthews in the room of George Wright & Robert Chapman. Adjourned to the last day of July next

James Pickall
Friday 30th July 1818

This being the Day to which the Commissioners repaired at the last sitting (without any adjournment) and prepared the yearly Bills for signing and to all other Commissioners appearing to their Station at the end of common Pleas.

Ford, Second Clerk.

August 11th 1818

William F. Home, Solicitor. First, by Summons having issued the Bills coming from William F. Home, have been satisfied that some opposite road Commissioners appointed by the General Assembly had put in their applications, the quarter dollars at each end, when the Legislature on the 28th January 1817, gave them a certificate for the same.

September 3rd 1818

The report of William Williams and Thomas Sims, the day after the sum being delivered, was filed with the William F. Home, Esquire, Clerk, Road Commissioners, on the Road leading from Lamphere to Wheelin and gave them a certificate stating that he has laid out the said Street, that he has faithfully performed the sums of one hundred and fifty dollars and by the Legislature at their session on the 28th day of January 1817.

Monday 28th September 1818

Commissioners were present to act. W. Home, Second Clerk, W. Home, Solicitor. First, by Summons having issued the Bills coming from W. Home, have been satisfied that some opposite road Commissioners appointed by the General Assembly had put in their applications, the quarter dollars at each end, when the Legislature on the 28th January 1817, gave them a certificate for the same.

Ford, Second Clerk.

A Petition was presented to the Commissioners for a Road, Beginning at a stone near the road, over the road, with the same being delivered, was filed with the William F. Home, Esquire, Clerk, Road Commissioners, on the 28th day of January 1817.
A Petition was presented to the Commissioners saying, that an alteration might be made on the State Road from Tampa to Tampa where it crosses the State Road between two Niles and Robert Wade's Road near the House of Ebenezer Brick's, by altering the line, viz. from the Road at the House of Ebenezer Brick's and extending the Road from thence to the Road at the House of Robert Wade, and making the alteration as to the State Road according to Law.

Tuesday 27th 1813
Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment Present Wm. Moore, President & Wm. R. Moore, Clerk
A Petition was presented by Samuel Crum for the alteration of the Road from Petway to New Oke where it crosses through the land beginning at the original Road at the East End of his Line, thence to terminate the original road at the West End of his present Road in the East End of his Line, thence to terminate the original Road at the West End of his present Road in the West End of his present Road. The Commissioners appointed John D. B. Smith, Robert White & Samuel Crum to meet at the House of Samuel Hovey on the 14th of October next and make Report of their Proceedings to this Board at their next Session according to Law.
Adjourned to meeting 18 Oct next.

Farnborough School

Return of William Blandin, John Redecard

Thursday, December 13, 1818

Commissioner James, following the report of Mr. Hogg, met in order to settle the location of the bridge, and to inspect the contract being fully prepared after the report of some accounts and direction to be given in meeting at 10 o'clock.

Some an June 8, Thomas Eldred spent one day in viewing the work on the road, done by William Blandin, towards the Aarographer, at this day giving orders on the 8th instant for £100 to the surveyor for the road.

Wednesday, December 13, 1818

Commissioner and Surveyor to appearance, arrived as yesterday, and settled with John Russell, solicitor of the Road Tax, for £100.5.6, according to report from a majority of the inhabitants of the original survey on the bridge. The surveyor's plan in the third and long survey, to prepare the instrument that each shall have the same. The commissioners obtained a permanent lease of the South East 1/4, West 1/4 of Section, Number six, as an appurtenance for the use of the School in said School Township, Number 6.

The commissioners agreed upon their own terms, to erect a School House and School lands to meet on the 1st, and mention School lands on the 1st, Monday in January next to divide and appraise the School lands according to their and those of the inhabitants of the schools in this Board according to law.

Wednesday, September 30, 1818

Commissioner and Surveyor to appearance, arrived as yesterday, and appeared to the commissioners, being asked by the Board, on the 15th, 30th, and 1st, Monday, to report on the survey of the road, and to make the report of the Board at their next meeting, according to law.

The commissioners appointed William Blandin, John Redecard, and the commissioners in the Room of Thomas Widdicombe, who was appointed by the Legislature at this session on January 18, 1818, on a road leading from Widdicombe to the Cape Fear County line. Widdicombe was appointed after the fall of 1818.
January 1st 1819.

The Commissioners met on the request of the Hon. John McKell, Esq., Solicitor, to settle the boundaries of the townships of Action, Action, and Thomas, and to make an application for a permanent loan on the south-west quarter of section ten of the township of Action, to pay the sheriff, the depository, and the disbursing officers of the township. The Commissioners made an application to the Hon. John McKell, Solicitor, for a permanent loan on the south-west quarter of section ten of the township of Action, to pay the sheriff, the depository, and the disbursing officers of the township.

The application was made by Peter Wolf, for a permanent loan on the south-west quarter of section ten of the township of Action, to pay the sheriff, the depository, and the disbursing officers of the township.

The commissioners appointed Benjamin Brooks, James McFadden, and John Hummel, Esq., to go to the house of Peter Wolf and make an application to the said officers to see the report of their proceedings to the town of Action.

Jas. McKell, Clerk.

Friday, January 22, 1819.

The Commissioners, James McKell, James Jones, and Thomas Wolf, were not present and are not appointed.

John McKell, Solicitor, was present and is ready to make an application for a permanent loan on the south-west quarter of section ten of the township of Action, to pay the sheriff, the depository, and the disbursing officers.

The commissioners appointed Benjamin Brooks, James McFadden, and John Hummel, Esq., to go to the house of Peter Wolf and make an application to the said officers to see the report of their proceedings to the town of Action.

Samuel Thompson, a citizen and town officer, appointed by the commissioners for the performance of the duties of coroners for the county of Washington, for a term of two years, which was approved by the commissioners as follows:

Thos. McKell, Clerk.

The subscription of the above Obligation is made by Samuel Thompson, who is duly elected and appointed coroner of the county of Washington, for the term of two years, which shall begin on the first Tuesday in October next, and shall continue until the first Tuesday in October next, during which time the said Samuel Thompson shall perform all the duties of the office.
Monday March 1st, 1819

Commissioners James L. Fleming, John W. Stillman, and William C. Allen met this day in order to lay the land tax after preparing complements of scales of pound until 9 o'clock morning.

Tuesday March 2nd, 1819

Commissioners met this day in order to settle with the collector for the county.

Wednesday March 3rd, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present as yesterday continued to make out the land duplicate & adjourned till tomorrow.

Thursday March 4th, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present as yesterday adjourned to tomorrow morning.

Friday March 5th, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present as yesterday adjourned till tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Saturday March 6th, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present as yesterday adjourned till tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.
Monday March 8th 1819
Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present as yesterday proceeded with the Land Duplicates and adjourned until tomorrow morning.

Tuesday 9th March 1819
Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present as yesterday proceeded with the Land Duplicates and adjourned until tomorrow morning.

Wednesday 10th March 1819
Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present as yesterday proceeded with the Land Duplicates and adjourned until tomorrow morning.

Thursday 11th March 1819
Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present as yesterday proceeded with the Land Duplicates and adjourned until tomorrow morning.

Friday 12th March 1819
Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present as yesterday proceeded with the Land Duplicates and adjourned until tomorrow morning.

Saturday 13th March 1819
Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present as yesterday proceeded with the Land Duplicates and adjourned until Tuesday morning.

Monday 15th March 1819
Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present as yesterday proceeded with the Land Duplicates and adjourned until Wednesday morning.

Wednesday 17th March 1819
Commissioners met and proceeded with the Land Duplicates and adjourned until tomorrow morning.

Thursday 18th March 1819
Commissioners met and proceeded with the Land Duplicates and adjourned to Tuesday.

Friday 19th March 1819
Commissioners met pursuant to agreement presented and finished the land duplicates and adjourned until Tuesday.
The Commissioners proceed to appoint a collector to
collect the charges of town of 1819, appurtenant to the laws for
last year of the grand assembly and John Atfield was chos
for that purpose. So John Atfield is also appointed to collect
the Land Tax for the present year 1819, provided he submit
agreement thereunto

Deputed to collect

James Perry Coxt

Monday, April 12th, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to Law present:

James L. Fleming, William Simons & Thomas Stockey

Hodgson was presented to the Commissioners
proposing a road to be laid out Beginning at David Simm's to
Joseph Taylor's home to John Jones' home to Thompson's
home thereon to one mile half mile on the Public Road thereto.

Hodgson's said to the Moore's Hill Road and thence to the county line near Moore's Hill. The Commissioners appointed Andrew R. Smith, Nathan Chamberlaine, Henry V. Moore, Commissioner on Survey thence on of west of the spring at the Morgan County Line and such
Respect to the Board at their next meeting according to Law

Ordered.

George Norman & Thomas Norman from
a Petition praying alteration on the Road leading fro
Sunnys, to Sewage first Beginning on the original and
George Norman's Improvement and thence thence South of
original Road until it intersects the same at the seven miles
East of the Improvement and Second, Beginning at the first
lot owned of William Jones field North South of the original
and thence on the original Road nearly South of Thomas Jones.

Ordered.

Henry the Commissioners appointed Thomas Jones township
and John Richard Day and Benjamin, Reventhow Surveyor
To meet at George Bontz's one Thursday next the 15th Inst and
make Report of their Proceedings to this Board at their next meeting

Ordered.

If any Petition is received a Petition to the Commissioners
laying the Alteration of the Road coming from the Morgan Hill Road to
Geoffray Mills, Beginning where said Road enters to the Groves Hill Road thence to enter the original Road south of John Hanley's
Stone.

The Commissioners appointed Andrew R. Smith, Nathan Chamberlaine, Henry V. Moore, Benjamin Richard
Surveyor to meet at the above on Tuesday the 20th Day
of this instant week at their next meeting to the Board
at their next meeting according to Law

Ordered.

A Petition was received to the Commissioners
laying a road to be laid out Beginning at the Road coming to
the road near John Simms Hill from there on the nearest
and last found to enter Walker Chamberlaine Road after Mone
of Salt Brook from there on the nearest and last found
to the stone at present enclosed by Andrew Jones' boundary
line on the nearest and last found to enter enclosed by John
A Forbes' from thence to the Morgan County line at nearest
or near the SW corner of the North East of the 16 quarter lots
at three Township's Square Ranges known in that district known
as the Commissioners appointed Cool Dennie, Peter Bridle &
Joseph Brooks & John Moore, Surveyor to meet Surveyors
Hill on the first Monday in May and make report of
their proceedings to this Board at their next meeting

Ordered.

The survey on the Road from the Road
from the Road to
Geoffray Mills to place at the South of the District to meet
and thence to the last week. Read & Confirmed

Ordered.
A Petition was presented to the Commissioners praying a Road to be laid out and beginning at the Head of a Road called the Winter Road, and running to the Southward, and along the line of a Road called the Road from the Town of Dedham to the Town of Tewksbury, Beginning at the saddle near the said Road, and running to the Southward of the old Road called the Winter Road, and ending at the said saddle near the said Road.

A Petition was presented by Robert Allen, praying an Alteration to be made on the Road from the Dedham Road to the Tewksbury Road, where the said Road crosses a small brook, to be altered to the line of the said Road from the same point to the said saddle near the said Road.

The Commissioners, after hearing the Petition, ordered that the said Alteration be made as prayed for.

A Petition was presented by Matthew Page, praying an Alteration to be made on the Road from the Tewksbury Road to the Winter Road, where the said Road crosses a small brook, to be altered to the line of the said Road from the same point to the said saddle near the said Road.

The Commissioners, after hearing the Petition, ordered that the said Alteration be made as prayed for.
Thursday April 13th 1819

Carrington, Deed, and Deed of Deed to Government lands.

John Reynolds, Collector of the County Tax, 
declared the said settlement was made while the said land was in

John Reynolds who was appointed the 1st District Clerk

of the Land Tax for 1819, and gave the following Bond

with the Secretary for the performance of which bond was

Bonds.

A true copy: made by these presents that Edward Reynolds, James Williams, John Giles, William Atkinson, all of the said

county of Washington, Ohio, are bound and firmly bound unto James

Carrington, Treasurer of Washington County, to pay him, or

in the Special Court of Clark, the following: within forty

Dollars, to be paid unto the said James Carrington, 

and Administration jointly hereunto by the presents.

The condition of the above Obligation is such that if the

above bound John Reynolds, Collector of the

Annual Land Tax for the present year 1819, shall faithfully collect and pay the full amount of the said tax for the said

year, charged on his Deed, and on or before the fifteenth day of

December next, according to law, then the above Obligation

shall be and remain void and null forever. In the presence of

James Williams, John Giles, and John Moore.

John Reynolds

Subscribed and sworn to the first Sunday in June next.

James Wachtel, Justice of the Peace.

Tested, Signed, Sealed, and Recorded.
June 7th, 1819 Monday

The Commissioners met pursuant to law

Present: Thomas Boyd, Conner Simms & James Fleming

They hereby appoint James Perry their clerk for the ensuing year.

The Commissioners appoint Samuel Sullivan their treasurer the ensuing year

And they here adjourn until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday June 8th, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday.

Robert Ritchie Esq. Deputy Judge presented an account certified by the Clerk of the Court of O.D. that had attended two days in his official capacity pertaining to the county of O.D. as Chief Justice and a special warrant in the suit of this same Isaac Freeman vs. Daniel Hurd and is entitled to the compensation allowed by law. The Commissioners are of opinion there is no law allowing any compensation in that case.

The Commissioners ordered that Isaac Seavers shall be come as last year.

The Commissioners ordered to give two hundred dollars of the money appropriated by the General Assembly of O.D. for county purposes to John Ewing Building a Bridge over West creek on the Licking Road and also to Jonathan Groff, Commissioner who is paying county money to law before he draw the money.

Wednesday June 9th, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present at yesterday.

Present as yesterday, made in settling several claims making out the county bills. (Adjourned until tomorrow morning)

Thursday June 10th, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday.

The Day settled with Samuel Sullivan, Esq. of Meadville County.

$808.30

By the amount of money returned to the commissioners $339.10

Ballance in the Treasury at Settlement $151.27

Adjourned till tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Friday 11th 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday.

Proceed to settle with John Repell, Collector of the county bills for 1818.

John Repell the Collector for the year 1818 was allowed twenty dollars for making enquiries who had paid the taxes of 1817 to William Long the former collector or to any other person in order. They might have a true idea of what was outstanding and what the add to future collection of it.

Adjourned till tomorrow morning.

Saturday June 12th, 1819

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday.
The commissioners appointed collector John Ragle, collector for the outstanding taxes of the county for the year, according to a law passed February 3, 1819, for which William King had been appointed and absented.

John Ragle was appointed collector for the county for the present year 1819.

Samuel Sullivan by Treasurer gave his bond with Samuel Hennick Urban Reiner, surety for the performance after duty as treasurer, agreed upon until tomorrow morning.

Monday, June 14th, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present Simon Toms & Thomas Field Esq. to make out the duplicate for the county assessors and adjourned to tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, June 15th, 1819

The commissioners met pursuant to agreement present Simon Toms & Thomas Field Esq. to make out the duplicate for the county assessors and adjourned to tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, June 16th, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present Simon Toms & Thomas Field Esq. to make out the duplicate of county assessors and adjourned until tomorrow morning.

Friday, June 18th, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present Simon Toms & Thomas Field Esq. to make out the duplicate for the county assessors and adjourned till tomorrow morning.

Saturday, June 19th, 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present Simon Toms & Thomas Field Esq. to make out the duplicate for the county assessors and adjourned to the signing of the duplicate for the county assessors and adjourned till tomorrow morning.

The condition of the above obligation is:

[Details of the condition of the obligation are not fully transcribed in the image.]
Such that if the above Bond John Russell & Co. is approved by the Commissioners of Hillsborough County Collector of Taxes for the year 1819 shall faithfully collect and pay over to the said Commissioners the full amount of the taxes due on the first day of January next according to law that there the above Bond shall be void and cease in full force & virtue in law.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our names to this 17th day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirteenth 1819.

John Russell Esquire
Sophia Russell

Bond for the collection of Taxes of 1819.

Know all Men by these Presents that John Russel, Benjamin Rusk, William Russell, all of Hillsborough County and State of New, are held and firmly bound unto James Vining, Collector, David & Thomas Blood Esq. Commissioners of Hillsborough County in the sum of three hundred dollars good and valuable money of the United States, for the faithful payment and accounting for the taxes due, we do bind ourselves and each of us, Richard Russell, William Russell, John Russell, by these presents.

The condition of the above bond is such that if the above bond shall be void and cease in full force & virtue in law.

Thos. Russell
Sophia Russell

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands to this 17th day of June, 1819.

Thos. Russell
Sophia Russell

According and until the first day of July.
Friday July 2, 1819

Monroe Township

Beginning at the North East corner of Marquette County, where the line dividing the sixth Range from the seventh Range runs West, thence North to the line dividing the seventh Range from the eighth Range, thence East to the county line, thence North to the county line, thence East to the place of beginning.

The second Township in the town of Highland.

The third Township in the North Range is called Dalem Township.

The fourth Township in the eighth Range is called Jackson Township.

The fifth Township in the eighth Range and south of the fourth Township is the second Township in the eighth Range; the aid of the Marquette River to be Talke Township.

Zanesville Township

Beginning on the Marquette River on the line dividing the sixth and seventh Range, thence to the line dividing the seventh Range from the eighth Range, thence North to the line dividing the eighth Range from the ninth Range, thence East to the line dividing the ninth Range from the tenth Range, thence North to the line dividing the tenth Range from the eleventh Range, thence East to the line dividing the eleventh Range from the twelfth Range, thence North to the line dividing the twelfth Range from the thirteenth Range, thence East to the line dividing the thirteenth Range from the fourteenth Range, thence North to the line dividing the fourteenth Range from the fifteenth Range, thence East to the place of beginning.

Adjourned until until the next court.
Monday July 12th 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to Law

Present James L. Fleming, Thomas Bond and

Simeon Ferris Jr.

John Chandler first presented a Petition signed by a Number of Petitioners praying an alteration of the State Road near his Land Beginning at the south end of the New Road where said Chandler has opened them on a South W. direction tell it intersects the State said above mentioned The Commissioners appoint Andrew R. Washington, R. James Bentley, James W. Johnson and to wait at John Chandler's House on the first Saturday in August next and make Report of their Proceeding to this Board at their next Session according to Law

A Petition was presented to the Commissioners praying a Road to be laid out Beginning at the County Line near Henry Clay's Farm house a Road that Licking County adjoins and Thence County Line about 3 miles East and Thence a road towards Newville to the Big Road from Newville to Newark east of Nathan Williams in Newville Township The Commissioners appoint John Reynolds, Thomas B. Reynolds & Joseph Beekman & John Roberts Surveyor to wait at the House of Henry Clay on the first Saturday in September next and make Report to this Board at their next Session according to Law

One hundred and fifty Dollars of the Fund so appropriated for Road was granted by the Commissioners to Jonathan Cary for the building a Bridge over the Morgan Run creek on the Lebanon Road

A Petition was presented to the Commissioners praying a Road to be laid out Beginning at the County Road at Adamson man and running Southwesterly along the Morgan Run to Mr. Black's Lane and to continue on the Road to the west Richard Strong and from thence a Southwesterly Course East of Springfield to the Road Leading to Lock Run and where the Road leading to Straubenthalers Road that Road Y

Commissioners appoint John Tomkiewicz, David P. Miller, Andrew Strong, William N. Joseph & John Timmerman and meet at the House of Adam Blackman on the second Saturday in August next and make Report to this Board at their next Session according to Law

On Monday

A Petition was presented to the Commissioners to create the Road laid out Beginning at the State Road near Jacob Bowes and Thence to Anderson's Mill & Thence to Interest the State Road near Lock Run making it five and one half miles parallel to the State Road and of consequence for 1 mile public utility Road this day for the first time Read a Second Time

The survey on the Road Begun and next Meeting

On the north side of the Morgan Run creek and thence to the Morgan County Line at 3 miles near the SW corner of the NE of Section

No in Township Black's Range twelve or

the first line made a favorable report to said Road Rode this day the first line

Tuesday First Rode a Second Time and Confirmed
The Viewers on the Road Beginning at David Stroud's Lot thence to the Mill Road to Millsborough at the Morgan County Line near Moore's Mill and on this Day the first Time Read a Second time & confirmed Tuesday July 13th 1819

Commissions not pursuant to Government

Present James Fleming, Benjamin Trigg, Thomas E. Clay, Esq.

Whereas Application was made to the Commissioners by James Wesley & William Parker to lay the Dimensions of a Lock or Stop on a Mill dam to be situated North West in the County of Morgan in Salem Township near where the road from Alexandria Passes to Bethlehem Church and thereof Land now the Property of James Wesley and Dam to be ten feet and one half high. Ordered by the Commissioners that a deep shall bottomed dam shall be erected to stop shall be built in such part thereof as shall accommodate the navigation of the stream twenty five feet in width and extending down the stream in proportion to the length of the dam so that the same shall be no more than one fifty feet in the height of said stop. The shores of which shall be level at least two feet below the average height of the dam and the said stop shall at all times be provided with feeling, notch, and other necessary apparatus for facilitating the passage of North and other Water Currents up & down the said dam and shall be in such & manner as in any way interfere with the Navigation of the same and that the said stop conduct the overflow and every thing therein belonging shall at all times be kept in good repair.

The Viewers on the Road Beginning at Petition by John Adams to extend the Cutting of Road East of Amboyden Store made a favourable Report on said Road which was objected to by Andrew Levermore on which the Commissioners appointed Benjamin Reasoner, John Johnson, Mathew Mitchell, Samuel Culpepper, Andrew Wells, Viewers to meet at Amboyden on the third Saturday of the month next at ten o'clock to examine the ground where the above Objected land and if a Majority of the Viewers shall object that said Road can be made that said objections and in any other part thereof than where said Road is now deemed as to satisfy the objections to the opening of said Road or to decrease the Damage which may necessarily result of the same without increasing the Distance to the injury of the Public or consent the樂ure of opening for use as a Road. Report on which case the Viewers are to have Leave to erect a suitable structure and make the Grade and form with other Rights as directed in the 7th Section of the Act for Laying out Public Roads.
A Petition was presented to the Commissioners praying a Division of New Egypt Township. The Commissioners thereupon erected the twelfth original Township in the Eleventh Range to be a separate Township and called New Egypt Township. The Petition was ordered to be read at the House of John Hammond on the last Saturday of this present Month, and thereon, the Township Officers ordered to send to the Township.

The Return made a favorable Report on the Road Beginning near David Codding's and thence to the eastern side of the said Road and thence to the several lands of various proprietor named and confirmed.

The Return made a favorable Report on the Road from the Hopatcong Bridge and thence to the three Mile Place, and the said Road confirmed.

The Commission prepared an advertisement and sent thence with square copy for the Organization of Waddingtown. William Heron, an applicant in behalf of the Heron's, praying an allocation in 40 acre lots to the Commissioners at the north west corner of John Heron's field and running a north east quarter to the north east corner of said field. The Commissioners appointed Abraham Heron, Andrew Heron, William Heron, Jr., Samuel M. Heron, to meet at the House of John Heron on the last day of August and make report of their proceedings to the Board at their next session according to law.

Adjourned till tomorrow morning.

Wednesday July 12th 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present as yesterday.

Ordered that the Treasurer pay Robert Faller $100.00

The Treasurer, having the name of John Vancammen with interest from the first of July 1819 in money that is not very current in the Township.

Mr. Vancammen was confided $25.00 for a fine due the Township, and was charged by Byington a certificate that he was in the habit of paying his fine of five dollars.

The Return made a favorable Report on the following:

The Petition made a favorable Report on the allocation of the public Road from the Hopatcong Bridge to the three mile Place. Said Road confirmed.

The Petition made a favorable Report on the allocation of the Hopatcong Bridge and the Land of John Heron on this Day the first Time.
Tuesday 24th July

Commissioners James Brown & Thomas Howard met to announce that the commissioners appointed one dollar of the $10,000 fund granted to the township for the year 1819 in order to plant the Oxford Academy.

The commissioners appointed one dollar of the $10,000 fund granted to the Oxford Academy.

(approved by) Second Tuesday, August, 1819.

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Tuesday 19th August 1819

Commissioners met pursuant to appointment under the direction of William Bird, commissioner of the land office, and desire the following report.

Appointed to the first Saturday in September next.

James Brown, Esq.

Charles Roberts, Sheriff for 1819

Know all men by these presents that the Charles Roberts, George Brown, Allen Rice, and Nathan Roberts, of the County of Hamilton, in the State of Ohio, are held; and that James Fleming, John Brown, and Thomas Howard, commissioners of Hamilton County, do hereby issue an order for the sum of ten thousand dollars being the sum due to the United States on account of taxes, to be paid at their discretion and according to their orders.

The condition of the above obligation is that whereas the above named Charles Roberts, in the capacity of Sheriff of Hamilton County, and the next General Election, on the 1st day of November next ensuing, and the same is to be paid in full. If the said Charles Roberts shall fail to pay the above sum, or if he shall not perform all the duties of Sheriff of Said County until the next General Election, and until his term, he shall be elected unqualified according to the law. Said of the State in which he now resides.
October 1st, 1819. Monday

Leroy L. L. and Thomas Temple commissioners
This day on account of the resignation of Samuel Sullivan, B. O., which was accepted by the commissioners and according to the terms of the act thereof, the commissioners

Ordered that the following persons be appointed as the commissioners

David Chamber and John B. Temple

This day in the town of New York

With the Commissioners and delivered over the books and papers and all and every other thing now or heretofore belonging to the town of New York.

The Commissioners agree that the sum of one hundred dollars be paid to the Town of New York.

By order of the Commissioners

Thomas Temple

By order of the Commissioners

James Temple
March 1

Amount for building court house as per contract,

Page 19

Am't $7,530

Court house given up 12th Dec 1820-

Public Officers, see Contract with Citizens of Jancees-

Page 25

Date of site Page 37 - Am't $920-

ies given up Page 46 - Dec 6th 1820-

Order, by Com' to build jail Page 80 - 29th Aug 1822-

Page 97 - 17th Aug 1822-

Jail built, jail dated for (Page 99) $589.00-

It lost against Thompson by lamplite. 18th Oct 1822

Site Compiled (Page 173) - 9th June 1824

Court house stock redeemed in 1822 as per county exhibit

$1,953.72-

Office stock in 1823 as per exhibit is $41.41-

Court house stock redeemed in 1823 as per exhibit

$3,328.05-

Total $9,757.37
COMMISSIONERS
JOURNAL
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October 11, 1819

Committee met agreeable to last present demand

Flaming Tancred and Thomas Flood

Ordered that Richard W. be in the seventh range and the twentieth Township be struck from Tancred and attached to Blue Rock Township.

The Receiver on the Road from Peter Road to meet the Schooling Road near John Highs; wrote the following Report:

The Receiver must according to the appointment of the committee on the 20th instant, be made every week, according to law prescribed to have add; and copy the survey written by said Loom, in case the Road granted by the Receiver be opened being of opinion that agreeable to our order we could not allow the Road, we had the Damage at sixty dollars your order on the 31st Day of August 1819.

Samuel Howard
Mr. Johnson with whom
Andrew Mills

The Receiver on the Road from Eden Road,

To the road leading to sect. 5 and sect. 4 of case's line where the Road leading from Tancred enters said Road and is a junction.

Report: Read this day first time. Oct. 13th Read a second time confirmed.

The Receiver on the Allocation of the Road that the land

of William Horrion was not of a favorable part and the offer of the Allocation. Read this day for the first time.

Read Oct. 13th a second time confirmed.

The Receiver on said Barrets Allocation to read the land made a favorable report on said allocation Return and a plat of the same. Read this day first time of the land is not to be conformed until said report is signed by the

D. W.
Waste Road.
A petition was presented to the Common Council praying a Road to be laid out, beginning at a designated point in the Granary County Line at the south end of the Granary, running east, thence to the point of intersection, thence running south, thence running west, thence running north, to the point of beginning.

The petition was referred to the Common Council, praying a Road to be laid out, beginning at a designated point in the Granary County Line at the south end of the Granary, running east, thence to the point of intersection, thence running south, thence running west, thence running north, to the point of beginning.

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November next and make Report of these proceedings to the Board at their next Regular meeting to land
Bond to be given by the petitioner for taxation.

A Petition was presented to the Commissioners
Demonstrating against the Road being at the Township
near Henry Nobogart in conjunction with a Road passing thru
Lebanon County, alleging that the Petitioners were agreed on
account of so many Road passing thru their Township (several)
at this time there are eight Roads & part of Roads passing thru
Hepwell Township, that we have to work which takes too
Infirmary and inconvenience there are but few roads to and
which cause our Roads to be poor Repair, there are three of
these Roads to Tamonville this said Township within ten
half miles distance of each other, therefore your Petitioners wish you
and the Commissioners agree that Henry Nobogart
Sargent & James Jeffers own land be sold to the County and
and make Report of these proceedings to the Board
at next Session according to Law.

October 25th 1819

Commissions, Thomas & John Robinson
sent to take Survey of the said Road as in Township
County for two years from the 1st of October 1819 and to give

Samuel Noyes & David Nash Trances for the 1st Division
in Township No. 6 Range 3 having finished a lot of land from Williams to
Rood 16 Elevation and Elevations of the item of
land. The Commissioners appointed James Jeffers, James Brown
Petition to the Board on behalf of said land in the above.

Stephen Aves, George Ashley, Solomon Bowerman &
Briggs, Robert Longworth & Samuel Davis have made application
for the land of the above Township (several)

Then the Trustees of said Section make sufficient
a legal basis to this end before the Commissioners
appointed Nicholas Bowerman, William Williams, John Bailey
appear to appear at said Section and when said certificate
is delivered unto this office the Trustees to sign orders to
the Officers The Trustees produce the certificates applicable
to the above order, and they to the Officers as found applicable
to the Trustees, a present or Real confiscation
affixed of last year to the County was discharged
by the Commissioners are unable to pay it

A Petition was presented to the Commissioners
praying that whereas a Petitioners was made
against a certain Road leading part Robert Henderson
Stewarts the Root Road at John & Jacob Londhass
Well which Road we conceive of great utility as it come
as an old lot to this Grant Well the Robert Henderson
Henry & I Daniel W. B. Woodhass and the above was
not to be much occupied at any County Road in Lebanon
County, we therefore pray that the same road be given
to come said Road to be continued for the public
Benefit.

The Commissioners appointed
John Blackman, John & David Brown
well at Londhass Well in the above Saturday
Treasurer Bond

Know all men by these presents that we, Thomas Abbead, Robert Fulton, Daniel Emmers & Mr. Newsham are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Sutler, Esquire, Treasurer of the County of Mecklenburg, and their sureties in the sum of two thousand dollars, united States currency and for the true payment of all such sums of money, with interest in case of non-payment of the same, according to their presents.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas Abbead is appointed Treasurer of the County of Mecklenburg in the Room of Samuel Sutler, Esquire, by the Commissioners of the said County, of the said Thomas Abbead shall perform faithfully and impartially all the Duties of Treasurer of said County and what else is appointed to him under and according to the laws of the State, and for the true payment of all such sums of money, with interest in case of non-payment of the same, according to their presents.

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 3rd day of October, 1819.

Thomas Abbead

Robert Fulton

Daniel Emmers

M. Newsham

Sheriff James Hampton Bond

Know all men by these presents that we, James Hampton, James Taylor, & William Blackmon, of Mecklenburg County, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Sutler, Esquire, Treasurer of the County of Mecklenburg, and their sureties in the sum of two thousand dollars, united States currency and for the true payment of all such sums of money, with interest in case of non-payment of the same, according to their presents, and as sureties for the said Treasurer.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Hampton, who is commissioned by the Governor of the State of this Sheriff for the County of Mecklenburg for two years from the 3rd day of October, 1819, is requested by the Commissioners of the said County to pay all debts due out of this Office of Sheriff, according to law, and to discharge all the Duties of said Office of Sheriff according to law, the above obligation shall with all other bonds in full, from the hands of the said Treasurer.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this 3rd day of October, 1819.

James Hampton

James Taylor

William Blackmon

Walter

James Perry
Certificates were issued agreeable to the order of the commissioners.

Wednesday, Dec. 15th 1819.

Commissioners: Thomas Flock, John Houck, and John H. Duse.

Meeting was held to settle the Land Tax dispute with John Reiple, Solicitor.

Jacob Hodge made it appear to the commissioners that there were more than twenty qualities in the District.

The commissioners agreed to fix the boundaries of the Township in the Seventh Range, to order and prepare for the Township to take on charge the execution of school lands and Township agreements. The first Quarter of 1810 was fixed by the Court to be held at the House of the Commissioner on the second Saturday in January next for the purpose of fixing the bounds for three Townships and one Township.

Ordered by the commissioners that one hundred dollars of the Land Tax of 1819 be applied to the relief of the Bridge on the State Road over the Juniata River and appointed Andrew Toole and Andrew Buehler commissioners to superintend the same.

The commissioners operated below bounds of 91 and the tax of none amount charged against the land to the Toole.

John Reiple, Solicitor, was to settle with the Collector of Land Tax.

Thursday, Dec. 15th, 1819.

Commissioners met present herein Thomas Flock, John Reiple, Solicitor, and John H. Duse.

The commissioners appointed one hundred dollars to be paid out to Richard Douse from the Month of July to the County Clerk of Morgan and appointed John Thompson as Collector.

Commissioners settled with John Reiple, Solicitor, of the Land Tax for the present year 1819 as follows:

The amount of the Land Tax $3533.00
Amount of the sale of livestock Collector for Collection Tax 4.00
To be paid over to the Deputy Collector 29.30.00.8
Total $3593.00

Adjourned until January 1st, 1820.

James P. Reed

December 21st, 1819. Commissioners, Thomas Flock, John Reiple, and Andrew Buehler.

John Robertson in order to examine an insane woman ordered her to be sent to Granville, the place of residence, agreed to give Nathan Robertson eight dollars to take her to Granville and pay him any expenses she might have on the road.

Saturday, January 1st, 1820. Present Commissioners, John Robertson, Andrew Buehler, and John Robertson.

The tax of one hundred and fifty dollars taken from Nathan Robertson and imposed in the township for which Nathan Robertson gave two dollars for incense during the 1819 one dollar assessment.

To be verified by the Clerk of the Court.
February 28th, 1820

Commissioners: Thomas Wood & John Thompson

Auction some County on provision of a government

Westmore Hickey certified a certificate from the

Trustees of Essex, N.F. Township 15 R. Range 14 School Lot

that he had made application for a permanent loan for the

south boundary to an old boundary of said section

also Samuel Rogers made application for a

permanent loan for the south east quarter of section 15 in Township 15 R. Range 14

also Samuel Rogers made application for a

permanent loan for the north west quarter of section 15 in Township 15 R. Range 14

The Commissioners appointed Samuel Thompson by

today's order to come to the Town of Westmore to

to appraise the School and according to law to sell on the

first day of March in the presence

The Commissioners order that the executor of John

McIntyre Estate receive a Treasury order for his

Taxes for the year 1827 and that it be entered on

the Permanent of said McIntyre County Court

John Reppell Collector of the County Revenue not

being fully prepared for Settlement ordered until

the first Monday in March next

James Reppell Cash
Monday March 20th 1820


A petition was presented to the Commissaries by the owner of the land, asking for a determination of boundaries. The petition was referred to the Commissaries for consideration.

The Commissaries appointed a meeting to be held on the 30th of March to discuss the petition.

The meeting was chaired by Mr. Price and attended by Mr. Wood.

The boundaries were confirmed and marked on the map.

The meeting adjourned at 2:00 PM.

Mr. Price

Mr. Wood
Resolved, that a report on the said road be made, beginning at the south line near the south line corner of Daniel McDonald's farm, thence north to the river, and from the river, along the river, to the west line, and thence along the west line to the south line.

The Commissioners appointed to report on the said road are

John Russell, the Treasurer, and

John Munro, the Surveyor.

It is resolved that the Commissioners report at a meeting to be held on Monday, March 20th, 1820.
The commissioners appointed, James Green, Henry B. Nisbet, John Roberts, to meet on the said 16th Section and appoint an agent according to law on the said 16th Section.

A Motion was made to the commissioners by the Justice of the Peace, in the 26th Ranger, showing that David Allen, the head of the family, had made application for a permanent lease for the South East quarter of said Section, No. 16 in the Township of W. Peter Allen, for the N.E. 1/4 of the same Section. Thomas Davis, Esquire, for the South East quarter of said quarter No. 5, James Hoppin, for the North West quarter of said Section, therefore, the commissioners appoint an agent, to appoint said Section according to law.

The commissioners appointed James Green, John Roberts, and John Hopper to meet on said Section on the first Monday in May and appoint the same according to law.

The commissioners appointed, James Green, John Roberts, and John Hopper to meet on said Section on the 1st Monday in May and appoint the same according to law.

No deed was registered in the 16th Section of the 26th Township of the 9th Ranger, so hereby certify that Hugh lee, the present lessee or holder of a lease on the North West quarter of said Section, which lease is fully complied with, given under our hands the 21st day of March, 1826.

The commissioners appointed George Hoppin, John Breadalbane, and James Hopper to appoint said Section according to law and met on said Section on the 8th day of March, 1826.
Monday May 24th 1820

Commissioners met and drafted two present plans. Present plan
First: Location line R. John Robinson. Present plan
Second: Location line R. John Robinson. Present plan

The matter was discussed by a joint meeting of the
Commissioners. Being in favor of the joint meeting
William Longman was discharged from jail by the
Commissioners.

A petition was presented to the Commissioners
Praying a road to be laid out beginning at a bridge
on the south west. Road between James, Nelson & Jacob
Nelson and from there the nearest west ground. Similarly
the west side barn on the north. Road between
When the two County Road ending with Richard Strong
entered the said Road at a boundary.

The Commissioners appointed Israel Danum, Andrew
Dann & Richard R. Ryan.1. Location line R. Joseph McAlpine
Commissioners to meet at Jacob Nelson on Thursday the 10th
of June next and make report to the Board at their
next session according to law.

A petition was presented to the Commissioners
Praying an all provision made from Dalton Iron
Works to Jonathan's creek bridge. Beginning at Bigget Gray
and thence north and near the North East corner of Henry Gray
North and thence to the West end of Solomon's Bay
Improvement and thence continue the former route.

The Commissioners appoint William Coleman, Isaac & John Acres Surveyors to
meet at Robert Gray's house on Tuesday the 20th
of June next. And make report of their proceedings to the
Board at their next session according to law.
A Petition was presented to the Commissioners praying a Road to be laid out, beginning at the West End of Sunday Inn. Improvements on the Wheeling Road, running thence along, near the present Mill Road, to the origin of the first hollow thence in the South side of the Hill on the said and said ground reserved the other County Road at the East End of the Wheeling Road, &c. as follows:

The Commissioners appointed John Bohler, John Miller, and Alexander Armstrong, &c., County Surveyors to meet at Wheeling Hill on the 8th day of June next and make Report of their proceedings to this Board at their next Session accordingly.

Whereas a Petition was presented to the Board at their September Session 1819 and no person giving bond whereby the said was not then laid out at this present Session, John Bohler having given the bond with security to prosecute the same the Commissioners agreed to be made as follows: Beginning at the County Road at or near the North-west corner of John Wynn's quarter running by Thomas Hale thence to intersect the County Road at Jacob's Leap Mill.

The Commissioners appointed Joseph Smith, John Wynn, and Robert Moore, &c., &c., County Surveyors to meet at Wheeling Hill on the 8th day of June next and make Report of their proceedings to this Board at their next Session accordingly.
The Commissioners appointed 2nd day Robert Robinson Esq. John Chandler
David Allen Esq. Wm. Gagget Secretary for an Indemnification
Acted upon the 3rd day of May 1820 near at South Hammond on the 3rd Saturday in June
will make Report to this Board at their next session according

Richard Gage made application for the Manor
of a Day on a Lot in the 17th district of the Town of Madison
amounting according to 1,000 dollars

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Tuesday June 6th 1820
Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment
appointed as yesterday
Davies Chamblee Esq. 6 60 0

Wednesday June 7th 1820
Commissioners met and proceeded to settle with
with Thomas Howard Esq. Treasurer as follows
To the amount of each received by the Treasurer $683.21
By the amount of county debts returned to the bank $543.80
Difference in hand in the Treasurer June 1820 $137.40

Commissioners this day appointed William
Chambers Collector of the County Land Tax

Thursday June 8th Commissioners met
pursuant to Adjournment pursuant as yesterday
Agreed to make the County District
Friday 9th of June
Commissioners met pursuant to appointment from
as yesterday.
The Reverend made a favorable Report
on the Alteration of the Road Beginning at Mormon
Run then running down to a small
Bridge on Mormon Run where there is a
large White Oak at the corner of those hills that turn
towards a small White Oak at the White Eyes Road
Read the Day the present and
adjourned
Saturday June 10th 1820
Commissioners met pursuant to appointment
Present as yesterday.

The Commissioners appointed fifty dollars of the
Bank of Mechanics Bank of Cincinnati
for the building of a bridge over the fallen timber near
the Road leading from Mormon to San Soucer's
and appointed J.H. Dobson, John folks. Commissioners
The Commissioners appointed five dollars of the above
money from the above named in the county
and John folks.

Wednesday June 21st 1820
The Commissioners met pursuant to appointment
and placed on the Board the County Duplicate
to be signed by the Commissioners that Samuel Wood
and Joseph Durbin each receive twenty-five dollars for
the formation of the Commissioners
and the County
and appointed David Goodspeed
and D. S. Spaulding Commissioners each to
receive twenty-five dollars.
Noted that Thomas Blood left shall have
on the又要 for the Ballard of the Commissioners
in the County and the County & Mechanics Bank of
Louisville who are to make the best exchange thereon the
and account for the same.

I. Adjourn
Not having finished the County Duplicate
Adjourned to next week

Monday June 19th 1820
Commissioners met according to appointment
Pursuant to Notice to Thomas Blood & John folks.
Commissioners, proved on the County Duplicate
Adjourned to tomorrow

Tuesday June 20th 1820
Commissioners met according to appointment
proved on the Duplicate not being finished
Adjourned until tomorrow morning.

Wednesday June 21st 1820
Commissioners met pursuant to appointment
and placed on the Board the County Duplicate
Ordered by the Commissioners that Samuel Wood
and Joseph Durbin each receive twenty-five dollars for
the formation of the Commissioners
and the County
and appointed David Goodspeed
and D. S. Spaulding Commissioners each to
receive twenty-five dollars.

Thursday June 22
The Commissioners met pursuant to appointment
Present as formerly. The day finished the County
Duplicate and took William Hunter Collection Books.
David Sunday John Reynolds & Ralph Radisty.
Samaty. I delivered the Duplicates to the Collector.
Adjourned to the last Friday in August.
Friday August 25th.

Commissioners but pursuant to agreement between
Present ancestors Thomas and John
Robertson, Thomas and John Hood and
John Robinson having examined the Road on
which John Wells was Road commissioner,
being satisfied with his performance gave him a
Certificate as the same directed
Also Thomas Hood and John Robinson having
Examined the Road on which Robert Chambers
was Road commissioner being satisfied
with his performance gave him a certificate
Also E Hood and John Robinson having Examined the Road
on which David Richardson was Road Commis-
sioner and being satisfied with his performance gave
him a certificate, the same being signed by
John Hudd.

Account rendered for the period beginning
the 1st day of September

Saturday September 9th 1820

Commissioners met pursuant to agreement
Present ancestors Thomas and John
Robertson having agreed.

The Commissioners having examined the
Road leading from Pittam to Athens on which
Thompson was appointed by the General Obrantry
Commission to repair forty dollars of the three feet
Road and are of opinion that the said forty dollars
Collectors Bond for County Tax

Know all Men by these Presents That the Honorable William Hunter Esq. David Todd Esq. John Alexander & Ralph Hodges are held firmly bound unto Thomas Hunt, Esq. and the摔 County of Harford County Clerk and Comptroller of the County of Harford according to the true and faithful performance of the obligations contained in and by virtue of this bond to be paid to the said Thomas Hunt, Esq. the sum of Six Thousand Four Hundred and Thirty Three Dollars Eighty Seven Cents lawful money of the United States and for the true performance and doing the said duty and so to be paid and accounted for the surety and sureties hereunto jointly and severally by their Agents

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the aforesaid William Hunter was appointed by the Commissioners of Harford County Collector of the County of Harford for the year eighteen hundred thirty four that the said William Hunter shall faithfully and truly collect and pay over into the County Treasury the full amount of the taxes or duties levied by law to be collected by him and shall faithfully discharge the duties of a collector of taxes in and for said County and shall keep an account of all moneys received or to be received and all expenses incurred in the discharge of said duties and shall keep, account of all moneys received or to be received and all expenses incurred in the discharge of said duties and shall keep an account of all moneys received or to be received and all expenses incurred in the discharge of said duties.

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our Hands the 22nd day of June, 1824

William Hunter

David Todd

John Boyden

Ralph E. Robb

July 13th 1820

This is to certify that I have been this day called upon by the Board of Commissioners to examine all bonds which have been committed to the care of Harford County as an insane person and am of opinion that said bonds is insane and properly comes under the Act for the keeping of the same

Robert Mitchell

August 12th 1820

Commissioners, Thomas, John & Robert Robertson Esq. having examined the work done on the Road from Taneytown to the King, by Mr. Hunter, gave him a certificate to receive $750.00 from the Treasury of the State.

August 15th 1820

The said J. Hunter examined the work on the Road from the Taneytown Road by the way of E. Bond, from the Bridge to the Road that leads from David Todd's to Park Singer by John Gooden and gave him a certificate to receive twenty five dollars from the Treasury of the State.

August 15th 1820

John Gooden filed a Writ on the affidavit and was granted a writ for the damages and damages sustained by a road beginning near Peter Bond and running down to the Hunting Road near John Reynolds & and Derry was found for the plaintiff.

The Commissioners of Harford County 1820

Commissioners in the Room of William Mitchell, Esq.+

Is given on the Road from Pelham to Carbon Hill.

[Handwritten signatures and dates]
September 11th 1820

The Commissioners submit the fact
that John Robinson paid in order to take the
Collector of the Land Tax William Kedon
and his performance which was agreed
with John Reynolds, Ralph Hadden (John
Hadden's son) which was approved of by the
Commissioners – the amount of the land
tax being $370 7/8 equal to the maximum
of $742.40. David Richardson was allowed five dollars
for his services as Land Commissioner.

Thursday September 14th 1820

Six Days viewing different Roads up to the time of
September 14th 1820

Friday October 6th 1820

The Commissioners met again
in the presence of John Robinson by Thomas
Flood Esq.

John Ruppell who was appointed by the Commis-
sioners to collect the outstanding Land and County
taxes of the year 1819, finally settled with the
Commissioners who deposited with the banks the
amount of $204.87 of Land Tax and $232.18 of
County Tax of which the account of the same was
in the hands of Mr. Kedon. In all the outstanding
tax of said year that he was able to collect
Land Tax $204.87 County Tax $232.18
and collected $23.21 of which
$197.54

There is now due from John Robinson for
Land Tax and $208.94. County Tax a statement for
the above said day

Monday October 9th 1820

The Commissioners met and make out the enclosed
statement of the same. John Robinson and Commissioners paid
the above said amount

William Hadden Collector of the Land Tax

From all persons that the above stated William Hadden,
John Hadden, Thomas Ruppell, Ralph Hadden and John Hadden
all of Michigan County and State of Ohio are held to and
firmly bound unto the state of Ohio in the sum of
seven thousand four hundred and one dollars and fifty
United States Currency and for the true performance
whereof we do bind ourselves and our heirs, Executors and Administrators
in good faith severally by these presents.

The condition of the above Obligation and
that whereas the above named William Hadden is appointed
by the Commissioners of Michigan County Collector of the
Land Tax for the said Michigan County for the current
year 1820 that if the said William Hadden shall faithfully
perform the duties of Collector and pay over all the sums
collected by him and which he is bound to pay over as required
by law. Then the above Obligation shall be void and the
Commissioners shall be indemnified

In Testimony whereof we have hereunto
set our hands and Seals this Eleventh Day of September 1820

Wm. Hadden

John Reynolds

Ralph Hadden

 Witnesses

Ira Simpson

John Hadden
Collector's Bond of the County Tax

Know all Men by these presents that we William H. Moore, John Melford, and William Hunter, are held and firmly bound unto the proper officers of Mecklenburg County in the sum of two thousand lawful money to the payment of which we bind ourselves and our Executors and Administrators jointly and severally to be faithfully paid and discharged at the time and manner above written.

The condition of the above obligation is, that whereas the aforesaid William Hunter, being appointed by the Commissioners of Mecklenburg County Collector of the County Tax for said County for the year eighteen hundred twenty, shall faithfully collect and pay over to the County Treasurers the full amount of the Taxes by him collected or any part thereof or any deficiency in the same, he or either person or persons to be paid or assessable on the same, the said obligation is to be void and of no effect. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands this eleventh Day of November 1820.

[Signatures]

In Testimony whereof, we have hereunto set our Hands & Seals this 29th Day of June 1820.

[Signatures]

And this 29th Day of June 1820, I have received of the said William Hunter, the sum of twenty dollars, being the whole amount due from the said Collector of the County Tax, and do hereby discharge and discharge the said William Hunter from all further liability.

[Signature]

M. H. Moore

[Signature]

J. W. Reynolds

[Signature]

R. H. Hardin

[Signature]

[Signature]
Tuesday November 21st 1820

Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment
Present Tuesday time, John Motterock and David Birdsall Esq.

This day was read the Report of a Road from Jacob Shinnell to Daniel Babcock without time
of foot from that point Conformed to be sundry
This day was read the Report of a Road from David Miller to the Wheeling Road at second time
Conformed to be sundry

This day was read for the first time
The Report of the Road Beginning at Jacob Babcock's
To intersect the Road Leading from the Buck Oak & Salt Works to the Morgan County Line

A Motion was presented to the Commissioners praying a Road to be laid out Beginning at Peter Living's Good Mill on Big Salt Creek and running thence southwardly along the nearest and shortest ground to intersect the County Road near H. Taylor's Knob gate which is about half a mile

The Commissioners appointed Isaac Whitcroft
Leonard Brown Lassettle Warren Lucas and
Joseph H. Holmes Surveyor to meet at Peter Living's Good Mill on Sunday 28th inst. and make Report of their Proceeding to this Board at their next meeting according to law

Wednesday November 21st 1820

Commissioners met pursuant to Adjournment
Present as yesterday

This day the Report of the Road from Jacob Babcock's to the County Line was read
A Second Time & confirmed

Commissioners allowed A. Johnson and James Nelson each $8.40 commissioners appointed by the said Adjournment to lay out a Stage Road from Newark to Cohocton, hardware payinged for 134 7/10 pence over the County
A Petition was presented to the Commissioners for a Road to be laid out. Beginning at the foot of the Hill now known as Drayton’s Hill, running in a straight direction on the nearest & best ground to Peter Bower’s house then from there the nearest & best ground to Caleb Hallowell’s House then on the nearest & best ground then to the County Line near the Center of the North & 33rd Lines of the above said Township.

The Commissioners appointed James Hackett, James Van Horne, Charles Darrow & Edward Hackett to meet at James Poyntz’s. The 1st day of December next at 10 o’clock, make report of the Proceedings according to Law to this Board at their next Session.

Rejoined until Tomorrow Morning

Thursday, November 23, 1820

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present at yesterday’s meeting.

Report of the road from Bowen’s Road now lead by said Robert Mils as therein directed.

The County Road at the mouth of the Bowers Land. Read this day the second time & confirmed.

The report of a road from Robert Oakes to Genway South Side on the Wheeling Road.

Read this day first time.
A Petition was presented to the commissioners praying a Road to be laid out and Beginning at the North of the Road near the Head of the Road running the New Lands of James Moore, Peter Bond & Robert Calrines near an East Course on the nearest and best Ground to intersect the Truth Road on Guernsey County at the County Line North of Alexander Gap.

The commissioners appointed South to Hiram

Northern Line & Samuel Tongley Reeves &

John Raymond Surveyor to meet at Petes Bonds

House on Saturday of December next and make

Report of their Proceeding to the Board at their

next Session according to Law.

John Hill Road Commissioners on the Road

A Petition was presented to the commissioners praying a Road to be laid out and beginning on the Road from Nathaniel Ogier Salt Works in Stafford intersecting the Black Brook Road & from thence to where the Black Mill Road crosses the line between North & South Township & from thence to the Black Mill & from thence to the State Road at or near Jacob Good's house.

The commissioners appointed William Self

James Utives & Johnson Trumpey Reeves & Benjamin

Barnes to survey. To meet on the third Monday in December to make Report to the Board of their proceedings at their next Session according to Law.

The Report of an Allocation of the road leading from Dimson Court house to Jonathan & Eliza by Judge Spagat was read this day first Time being promised. 24th this Report was read twice Time

FRIDAY November 24th 1823

Concurrent Petition pursuant to agreement present yesterday.

Delivered John Burling County Auditor

the Report Land Deeds taken for Eighteen

and Eighteen acres on without date duplicating of Eight

hundred and fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, seventeen

and Fourteen

The Report of the viewers on the Road from Ross

Dwells to Guernsey Smith, thence on on the Whaling Road

was read this day a second time.

A Petition was presented to the commissioners praying

and Allocation in the Boundaries of Black Brook Township

which was laid over until next meeting of the commissioners

Adjudged unto the first day of January next

Monday January 1st 1824

Commissioners met pursuant to agreement present

Commissioner, John Robinson, Esq.

George Black is granted an Order for 56 acres

from John Bond in the County Court.

William Kendal Collector of the County Tax

appended, and ordered the Treasurer to pay

$21.51 for the settlement due to

Next Court. Adjourned until tomorrow Morning.
Tuesday January 9th, 1821

Commissioners met pursuant to adjourned present John Robertson and Simon Lundy, in order to settle with the Executor of Allan Craig collector of Taxes for 1817 by their own appointment but they did not attend.

Ordered that Allan, Converse & Payle have an order for Eight Dollars on our charge in the pay of his Half House in the year 1819.

Adjourned until 12th January

Saturday January 20th, 1821

Commissioners met pursuant to adjourned present Simon Lang John Robertson and George Bouch & Co. Commission and proceeded to examine the judgment obtained against William collector of the County Tax for the 1817.

Ordered, that the judgment in favour of the treasurer of the County of Middlesex against William Craig Esqre of John Simons and Francis Hamilton Shaw for William Craig Collector of the Tax for 1817 have the following allowance to be made for the amount of duplicates for 1817 $3093.

Amount of Debts of 1815-16-17 $3093

Amount collected by John Reynolds 20th July 1818 $3018

Joseph Smith Oct 15th 1818 $778

Joseph Smith Dec 15th 1818 $1000

Joseph Smith at the Date of Judgment $3718
Saturday March the 10th, 1821

agreedable to notice from the Jailer
the Commissioners met to examine
the State of John B. Clark, an insane
person committed to Jail by Thomas H.
Def, Justice of the Peace in Danville
Township. - This met

John Robertson and J. commission
Jerrell Smith Exp. 5

The Commissioners on examination
called Doct, Robert Mitchell to attend
the said Clark.

Ordered by the Commissioners, that an
order be issued on the County Treasurer
for fifty-nine dollars, in favor of the Town
of the Courthouse yard. (W.B. issued No. 981)

J. J. Brox presented an account against the Com-
missions for printing Collectors notice amount
$11.50. The Commissioners allowed from
the first & Whole of the second Charge follow-
ing $50.50. The sum allowed to the account above
ordered that an order be issued to J. J. Brox for the
above said sum of five dollars & fifty cents. (W.B. issued No. 310)

John Babbott appeared to George Bond with
Abraham Mets duty to the satisfaction
of the Commissioners for the faithful dis-
charge of his duty as Road Commissioner to lay
fifty-five dollars of the three per cent taxs for this business being before the said
the Commissioners adjourned.

Monday the 23rd of April 1821

A commissioners met to settle with William
Battle County Collector James Perry former clerk of
the book of papers now in his hands for the
County Auditor. - Present

J. Robertson & J. commission
James Perry former Clerk of the Commissioners & Com-
missioners settlement

Ordered that an order be issued Abraham Brunsper for eighty
cents for an order change in the County Levy in 1820
(W.B. issued 920)

That an order be issued to the heirs of time on
lins, for $50.00 for fruit of his services as Commissioner.
(W.B. issued No. 381)

That an order be issued for 60 dollars in favor of
the Heirs of Time on Lins. The Balance due for his
services last as Commissioner.
(W.B. issued No. 381)

That an order be issued in favor of John Porter for
ten dollars a balance due time as Road Commiss-
ioner to lay out the three principal roads from the North Road from Allamakee to Linsley in 1820.
(W.B. issued No. 382)

That an order be issued in favor of Islington for
$50.00 for a rope & his services as Judge of Election &
opening Well Books in 1820 & 1821. (W.B. issued No. 382)

That an order be issued in favor of R. G. Price
for five dollars for a book of the front
door of the Court House. (W.B. issued No. 382)

The settlement not completed with James Perry. The Com-
missioners adjourned to tomorrow morning.
Tuesday 24 April 1821—

Commissioner met; present as yesterday.

James Perry, appeared, continued the settlement of his account with James Perry to the satisfaction of the commissioners.

Resolved

1st That an order be Issue in favor of James Perry for his services as Clerk of the commission from the 1st day of June 1820 to the 10 day of March 1821—Eighty dollars (M.B. issued No. 335)

2d That an order be issued in favor of David Chan for office rent 25 dollars (issued No. 343)

3d That an order be issued for County Seal an order for B. 10.00 (M.B. issued No. 344)

4th to J. W. Moore for $6.00 for surveying and plotting roads (M.B. issued No. 346)

5th That an order be issued for B. 17.50 for chain bearing a return list of purchasers for 1821.

(M.B. issued No. 348)

6th That an order be issued in favor of James Perry for three dollars for drawing of his making return of lands in Perry County, which sum was allowed out of their proportion money. (M.B. issued No. 346)

7th That an order be issued in favor of John Roots for the sum of $181.95 due him as Jailor

(M.B. issued No. 339, 340, 331)

8th That an order be issued for B. 115.00 for view of road from Brink's Mill to Reynolds Store (M.B. issued No. 347)

The foregoing minutes are Correct

24th April 1821—John Robertson (Commissioner) & James Jeffries

In the name of the Board of County Commissioners for the county of Perry, this 24th day of April 1821, that the following named persons, viz: John Robertson, Isaac Briscoe, James Jeffries and William Kinney, commissioners for the county of Perry, have presented

Several Petitions requesting a petition for a Road commencing at the east point of the township road near Martin Wheeling to the Landing on the Muskingum River near Young's Market, John Delamars, G. George E. Delamar gave Bond & the commissioners appointed William Kinney, George Coats, Caleb Jordan, Viewers and

[-]
Charles H. Cogswell Surveyor to meet at Martin Wheelers on Saturday the 16th inst. and make report of their proceedings to the next meeting of this Board.

(Alter issued & given to M. Adams)

A. John W. Jospeh presented a petition for an alteration in a county road. John Roberts also presented a petition for an alteration in the same road. John Roberts entered into bond with John Ralston, treasury, the commissioners appointed by the petitioners to meet at John Roberts on the last Saturday in June instant, & make report of their proceedings to the next meeting of this Board.

(B. Leewellen Pearse presented a petition for a county road leading from the Marietta road to the Eymonsey road, and entered into bond with John Roberts, treasurer, and David Summer, John Roberts, to meet at Leewellen Pearse on the last Saturday in June instant, and make report of their proceedings to the next meeting of this Board.

J. Jospeh Sheffers presented a petition for an alteration in a county road leading from the Eymonsey road to the Marietta road, and entered into bond with John Roberts, treasurer, and David Summer, John Roberts, to meet at Leewellen Pearse on the last Saturday in June instant, and make report of their proceedings to the next meeting of this Board.}

Reported by Israel Robinson, Samuel Chandler, and Daniel Monroe, viewers. J. H. Moore Surveyor to meet at Leewellen Pearse on the last Saturday in June instant, and make report of their proceedings to the next meeting of this Board.
John Roberts & John Robertson having entered the town the commissioners appointed Levi Whipple William H. Stone & Levi Chapman viewers to meet the first Monday in August next at Daniel Shew and make report of their proceedings to the next sitting of this board 

A petition was presented by Daniel Willis asking that a road be laid out commencing where the road leading from Andrews creek intersected the old Lancaster Road on the west of Moore's farm where Cornelius Daniel now resides from thence by a near the old Lancaster Road west to the County Line to meet the road to be opened by Samuel Smith at a near Joseph Roberts's farm from thence to commencing if the commissioners being satisfied that a legal notice had been given the commissioners appointed Robert Cowen William Bisante and Adam Francis viewers to hear their proceedings to the next meeting of this board (these names are crossed out) 

The petition was presented by John Mullens praying for a road commencing from land held by a direction of the old road from Josiah, a Daniel. The commissioners being satisfied a legal notice had been given a petition being presented against such location
Aet •

The Commissioners appointed Joseph Byer, William Howrey & William Spencer on the second Monday in November at the house of John Mullen Jr. were appointed to make a report on the building of this road. The report was made 18th August, 1823.

The following roads were made ready on the first time:

1st. Peter Bonde's Road beginning at the head of St. John's Creek.

2nd. Henry Wilson's alteration of the Road leading from Robinson's to Plainfield.

3rd. From Peter Leningrode's Mill to White Lyon Mill.

4th. From Gays to Proctor's to Morgan County Line.

5th. From Henry Claybaugh's to White Ridge Road.

6th. Peter Bonde's Road, favorable Report. The Commissioners believing the road to be necessary to the prosperity of public health. The report of the Road to be ordered to be removed and opened to the width of thirty feet to consist of a public highway.

7th. From Peter Leningrode's Mill to White Lyon Mill.

8th. Henry Wilson's alterations of the Road leading from Robinson's to Plainfield. The alteration is rejected.
Tuesday morning presented for repairing Stedt's Building which was allowed 1500 dollars. The commissioners returned to the office morning.

John Robertson
James Edwards
James Wright

Wednesday 6 June 1821

The commissioners met present as heretofore.

1st. Report of an agreement between Robert and Michael McLeod, that R. and M. are to build a road from their lands to Reynolds' store was read a first time.

4th. The commissioners appointed William Henderson, collector of the land and county tax for the year 1821, to take bonds to be taken in double the amount of each person, with solvent security, to make good for all or any part of the county tax for the year 1821 on county land.

5th. Thomas Northhead, was appointed county treasurer, and direct bond to be taken as the sufficient solvent security in the sum of five thousand dollars.

6th. Thomas Northhead presented his accounts and after examination of which, it was agreed that there appears a balance in the hands of the treasurer amounting to $4,192.87.
The Commissioners—And Taken up by twenty
five dollars counterfeit money which they con-
exted to burn together with the County now
remaining in the office delivered by Mr.
Treasurer is presented as hisuckers—

6th Singletor, Hordly Petition, being left the
said wherein a request is made to turn
the road leading from Peter Seeings golds
mill to Kingston Frederick Grove yard where
the same runs through petitioner's land
or allow him such damage as the law
directs—Whereas the commissioners appoin-
ted Robert McWrinle, John Sleuk, George
Eaward, George John Shehur, John
Amsheath Axewerers to meet at Kingston
Hardy on the first Saturday in November
next to report their proceedings to the
next meeting of this Board (October)
Commissioners return to tomorrow
morning nine o'clock—

John Robertson
James Brook
James Jeffrey

Thursday June 7th 1821

Commissioners—met present to adjourn
present all three—

1st The Report of Isaac Lemmon Road was read
a second time & the Commissioners being
of opinion the same will be of public
utility & the Report being found all they
order the same to be accorded, opened
at the width of thirty feet & thereafter considered a public road
Way—order issued to give to petitioner

County Levee

The Commissioners settle to determine the
rate of the County Levee at one half cent
on the valuation of property, or horse &
what the levee directs to cut from 60.90 per
head, Cattle Ten Cents per head and horses which
are twenty per cent—

ordered that the Treasurer
of this County present the paper of the
Green ville Canival & Manufacturing Company
Department, assignment which if refused
shall require them to endorse their name
may draw interest—

2d Ordered that Robert Ahearts have an
order on the Treasury for twenty-nine
1/2 dollars Light Cent for an order on Morgan
County Treasury by Mr. Stewart proposed.
Ordered by the Commissioners that the Treasurer present John Beville to draw on the Treasury for any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred dollars as parts of his service rendered since 15th of October last.

Ordered that the Collector procure a day book, &c ledger &c. &c. to hereafter keep the accounts in such way —

An Declaration from the auditor is hereby authorized and so far as the same depends on us, directed authorized and ordered to accept the same, and to have from time to time shall on due advice of council arising from the same to the credit of the same whenever may be due to the county —

To further business being before the board, the Commissioners adjourned to meet again in turn.

John Robertson
James Smith
James Jeffers
Commissioners

July 11th 1821. John Robertson & James Jeffers Capt. Commissioners. Varnell & Road from John Robertson to John Beville in which John Beville was thirty days and the Commissioners being well satisfied that the said Beville has been faithfully paid out whenever they order an order to be issued in favor of said Beville for three hundred dollars for his services in subjecting this order (L. B. ordered issued $30. $5.00)

James Jeffers two days & Robertson one day, running the road.

Saturday Sept 1st 1821

Commissioners. Met pursuant to notice from the class to examine Daniel Andrew — an insane person committed to the jail from Muskingum Township —

Present

John Robertson

and

Secretary Bush &c.
Monday November 5th 1821

Committee agreeable to a notice from the
provide for rendering the jail comfortable.

Present
John Robertson 3½
Served Brash (Commissioners)

ordered

That James Hampton sheriff procure a stone
for the use of the jail

That whereas, James Hampton is now imprisoned at
the jail of the State of Ohio for a fine, that
the Auditor defendants note with George G. Smith
security & that the prisoners be discharged.

Know all Men by these presents that we
William Hunter, Daniel Findley, Ralph
Handley and John Audetan, the first and
firmly bound unto the State of Ohio in
the sum and full sum of Six thousand
eight hundred and ten dollars lawful
money of the United States, to the payment
of which well and truly to be made.
We bind our selves our heirs Executors
and Administrators jointly severally,
and firmly by these presents sealed
with our hands and sealed this 11th day of
August 1821

The condition of the above obligation
is such, That whereas the above bound
William Hunter, was on the first day of
last apparatus Collector of the Land Tax in
the County of Mecklenburg for the year
1821, now bound and required to pay
the usual and due proportion of the Land
Tax for the year 1820, and remitted in full force and virtue in law,
and that this obligation to be void otherwise.

William Hunter
Daniel Findley
Ralph Handley
John Audetan

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set
our hands and sealed this day and year last above.

Wm. Hunter

Daniel Findley

Ralph Handley

John Audetan
Monday December 18th 1821

Commissioners Not Present
John Robertson
Isaac Bush 6
Commissioner

Proceeding:

The following reports of roads being
made were secondly read at first time:

1st Caleb Smiesz's Road from Hasle Road to
the Mains Road favorable report.
2d Singleton Hardy's Viewers Report for damage
applied at twenty dollars which Report is
ordered to be read tomorrow.
3d John Adams's Road favorable report.
4d John Miller's Road favorable report.
5d Blake Penson's Road favorable report.
6d John Robertson's alteration of Homestead a
favorable report.
7d Wilkins's Road from Sugden's to Coole
favorable report.
8d Viewers report of the Variation of Road part
of the old Road from West vat niwels to
Thistle which lies between Seth Counsell
and John Robertson Scamm.

Other:

1st That George Wheeler receive a bounty for four
dollars on the Treasury for laying out two
five dollars of the main present sensed from
Governor's Millville (Bond No. 229)
Mr. John Melling's Road, beginning on the road leading from Street's Mill between John Melling and Emanuel Mershes. Mr. Road leading from Barnsley to Plainfield, this being at a favorable report to the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility. Confirm this report and order the Road to the recorded V. Hereafter considered a public highway, to be opened to the width of thirty feet & worked accordingly.

4th January 1822

Mr. Repton's Road Commencing where the Road leading to Andrew Crook crosses into the old Lancaster Road, and from thence westwardsly near the old Lancaster Road up to the County line, this being a favorable report to the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility. Confirm this report and order the Road to the width of thirty feet & worked accordingly, hereafter considered a public highway. Worked accordingly — new survey. 22nd December 1822.

John Ozelot's Road commencing at the intersection of the old Lancaster Road near Martin Wheeland, then thence north, this being a favorable report to the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, confirm this report and order the Road to be opened & opened to the width of thirty feet. Hereafter considered a public highway & worked accordingly — new survey. 4th January 1822.

John Roberts' alteration of Corns Road, this being a favorable report and the Commissioners having satisfied minds open & worked fit for travelling Grant. Hereafter considered a public highway, open for traffic as usual.
Mackinaw Road, Commencing at the
short Roads near Daniel Long Island near
the south end of Lochrath, Cornwall
Germ. This being a former white report
To Commissioners believing the com-
mandary end of Fiddlers alley. Confirm
the report, because the Road to be opened
along width of thirty feet. Acquitted and
evoked accordingly. No. 3rd, 1809. 13th January.

The Viewers report: Seating to roadway
The road from South to west ad
be opened as lies between West across
and John Roberts, Sawyer, its report
being in favor of vacating, and the
Commissioners believe the same to
be useless and hinder three. Declare
the same vacated agreeable to my
recommendation of the Viewers.

Ordered.

1. That Nicholas Wm. Steele have an order on
the Treasurer for thirty dollars in blank
but for issuing prisoners to $5.25
order.

2. That Samuel Kerelle have an order on the
Treasurer for ten dollars as part of his fees as
attorney in Case against Craig & Durrie.

3. That William Austin have a county order
for fifty cents in case change in $5 county levy
against authority. Set No. 9. Refunded to R.

Calvin Conant and D.W. Rhodes appeared to
settle the account of the freemasons for
rent of the Court House up to this date.
Whereupon it is agreed by the Commissioners
that there is due the County fourteen
c设施建设 to be paid in the Treasury of this
County. $74.00. 111st day in to the Treasury
at per Treasurer receipt filed & the another
receipt given for the same.

John Houlé's account presented by St. George
for repairing a part in said 145. Therefore
it is ordered that an order be issued in favor
of said Houlé for $75.00, one hundred and
five dollars & sixty cents. Total $266.4. 14.

Resolved by the Commissioners
That they do approve of the proposed function
of the Commissioners office being moved
as the auditors office & that the same was
done with their advice.

Reports of Roads.
The following reports being this day
made are generally read a first

1. Lowell's Peoria Road. Beginning in
the Marietta Road when Levi Brady &
in there, then post Lowell's Peoria Road
John Darnes & John Darnes & intersecting
the Road from Fredrick Wight & Maine
Mill this is a favorable report.

Joseph Shidell's alteration of the County Road into
from the Greens Bay Road to the Marietta Road, it is a favorable
report.
Resolved to this Board, that John Burnell be allowed one hundred dollars as auditor from the 14th day of Oct. 1820 to the first of March 1821, the sum of two hundred dollars twenty five cents. $225.00

The Commissioners adjourned to tomorrow morning 9 o'clock

Wednesday 5th Dec. 1821

The Commissioners met according to adjournment. Present as yesterday, Robertson, Brush & Robinson.

When the following reports were read, generally a second time and disposed of as follows—

1. Llewellyn Wolters's Road. This being a public road, the Commissioners being of opinion the same is necessary to the public utility, confirmed the report and ordered the Road to be recorded and opened and widen at the width of thirty feet, and hereafter considered a public highway. (Ord. issued 15th February 1822. Village of Danville, County of Greene.)

2. Joseph Shields' Application of a Road leading from the Greenway Road to the Minette Road. When the same runs through Mrs. Shields land, the report being favorable to the application and the Commissioners being informed the same is made sufficiently good for traveling, grant it, and order it to be recorded as considered therefor a public highway, and that Mrs. Shields Road between the points of intersection be vacated.

Robert Monroe's Road, whereas a petition was this day presented before this board and praying to have a road laid out commencing at a small bridge on the road called Allan's Road, thence on the nearest and best ground to a brush tree, on the Greenway county line, to intersect a road leading to Allens and in Sandusky hills on the Buffalo Creek—Robert Monroe being one of the first ten taxpayers interested into a bond with Hugh Elton security. Thereupon the Commissioners appoint Adam Monroe, William Sims and William Cooper viewers and John Moore surveyor to meet at the House of Hugh Elton on Saturday the 15th Dec. and make report at the next meeting of this Board. (Ord. issued to Gurnett Monroe.)

Ordered:

1. That an order in the hands of the auditor on the Treasurer of Morgan county for one hundred ninety nine dollars and eight cents, filing of Robert Stewart at the time of obtaining the order he delivered to the Treasurer of this county $39.08, and the above mentioned order being No. 11 dated in January, 1822.

2. That the Treasurer permit John Burnell to draw on the treasurer for any sums not exceeding three hundred dollars for the current year.

3. Petition of Mrs. Sherrill, granting and delivering all 300 dollars that John Burnell be allowed for mowing the Care of the Court House for the past year, finding the first distant a cent, 185.60; Issued 1820.
Resolved
That John Hook take the care of the town house & Sheds &c. in the upper part of the same. That all the windows & shutters may be kept in proper condition & none shall be left open. That all the doors may be kept closed.

The meetings of the Board had been held in one of the upper rooms, all of which rooms is to be kept shut except for the use of the Court. The lower part of the house all religious societies are to have the privilege of holding their meeting in the same provided no harm shall not be injured thereby.

No further business being before the Board, the Commissioners adjourn.

John Robertson
Israel Robinson
Joseph Brown
Commissioners

Monday March 4th 1822

Commissioners meeting in Court

John Robertson
Joseph Brown
Israel Robertson

This Board being organized the following

Reports of Roads were received & read a 1st time & order

1st Caleb Lamoer Road. Petitioners request with an alteration of said road.

2d Robert Monard Road from a bridge to a peach tree.

3d Petitioners on a road from Peter Livingoods Mill to Kings Howes Grave & from the same passes through Singleton Howes Land.

A Petition was presented at this Board praying an alteration in the Blainfield Road from the beginning of the said Bridge to the entrance.

4th Andrew Borden Petition against Daniel Richardson &c. Smith House & Israel Sturges Line.

A meeting atessian Corns on Saturday the 18th instant and at the next sitting of this Board...
This day an agreement was entered into by the Commissioners with the late Samuel Pattison to keep Sarah White an insane woman for one year, while signed by the parties. Pattison gave bond with Benjamin Dunnley for his performance. Whereupon the Commissioners voted that the Sheriff or his deputy should forthwith see White to the said Pattison—

The commissioners adjourned until tomorrow morning six clock—

Thursday March the 5th 1822.

Commissioners all present as yesterday. When the following reports of Roads were generally read a second time & disposed of in the following manner.

Petition

Daniel Peck's Road—A petition was this day presented praying for a Road Beginning at a near a Small Bridge at a near Benjamin Gulliver's on the Mudstone Road Thence along or near the old Townsho Road to James Branders, thence by Daniel Peck's Joseph Preece's Thence to intersect the Road leading from Ipswich to Isaac Witherell's Mill Thence to Little Salix Creek on the East Side by now George Ganders, Whereupon the Commissioners appointed Caleb Dunn, Isaac Greene and John Mercer Davies, and John Moore Surveys.
To meet at Benjamin Buckens on the Monday, and make report of their proceedings at the next meeting of this Board, and also let forth their report whether said road will be of public utility. To the petition of Mr. Moses Hall, County at large, for a road from his house to the county line, which road has been laid out in said contract, with the consent of all parties interested, and that the said road be opened and the same surveyed and recorded according to law, the Commissioners, against the objections of Daniel Etheridge, Reuelin Shinn, John Sturton, and Andrew Cowley, surveyors, do meet at Mendenhall Mill on Monday the 16th day of March instant. The first act of the meeting of said Board will be of public utility to the citizens of the county at large.

A petition was presented from a number of the citizens of Blue Rock Township, praying:

Meet the Corporate Township, lines of said Blue Rock Township, as to settle the road from that part of the Township, lines of Township twelve in range thirteen, and that all other parts to before attached thereto be settled off of said Township. Whereupon the Commissioners grant Mr. Petition, and attach that part of the Township, lines of range thirteen, and that all other parts to before attached thereto leave for the Township. Whereupon the Commissioners grant Mr. Petition, and attach that part of the Township, lines of range thirteen, and that all other parts to before attached thereto leave for the Township.

The petition was presented praying a road May be laid out beginning at the county line, which road has been laid out in said contract, with the consent of all parties interested, and that the said road be opened and the same surveyed and recorded according to law.
Wednesday March 6th 1822

Commisioners met this morning welcoming for a road from Peter Livinggolds Mill the Ridge Road to Mary Wisner's, thence on the east side last ground to the School House near Isaac Witter, thence a line to the section line to the Big Road, thence on the present and last ground to intersect the Coffington Road near George Callius.

Whereupon the Commisioners appointed Wm. McConnel, James Cummins and Jacob Witters, Menes, Peter McNee, Surveyors, go to Mene Livinggolds Mill on the 30th day of March Instant to make report of their proceedings.

The next sitting of this Board of the 17th day of March Instant will be held in Public Assembly at the Creatures of the Stake in County at large.

John Bowers and

Or Tres.

1. That John Bower will be allowed for his work on railroad from 1st of March 1821 to 1st of March 1822 one hundred eighty dollars and twenty-five cants.

2. That John Bower be allowed for cutting pines on the road from 1st of December 1821 to the 1st of February 1822 (Sullison) and for other trouble of working for them.

3. That H. Walker be allowed twelve dollars to thirty-seven and a-half cents which after deducting twenty-five per cent. of difference between Canal Paper in Trade Price of 1799 amount of his account to be paid .

4. That William Stockton be allowed five dollars and fifty cants for stone for furnishing for the school.

5. That William Austin be allowed five dollars for printing a notice of the by-lin prize to be given to Barrett for printing the notice amount five dollars.

Robert officers alteration of the church, whereas a petition was made by having an alteration in the after said road where the same passes through said officers land beginning where the road forks some distance from his dwelling house, then running some distance on the South side of the road, thence running northward and ending on the North side of said road and to extend the said road east again at the east corner of his field. Whereupon the Commissioners appointed James Mount, David Olf and Lemuel Josiah Winters and Peter McNee survey to meet at Robert officers on the 1st day of March Instant and make report to the next sitting of the Board. Board given 1822 March.
Thomas Morehead, Treasurer, presented his accounts above upon the Committee, and they allow the said Morehead for his services as Treasurer from the 1st of June to this time, the sum of Seventy-five dollars $75.00. Which said sum is charged in his own and allowed in this present settlement, and order. Examination of said Treasurer, accounts there is remaining, in the list of the said Treasurer Seven hundred ninety-nine dollars, three cents, and three fourths, seventeen money — $797.03.

Ordered, that the auditor make out the receipt of the Treasurer of the last year ending the 31st day of March instant, and publish the same in the Muskogee Register.

To further business being before the Board, the Commissioners return without delay.

John Robertson
J. B. Smith
Jereal Robinson

Saturday, May the 25th 1822

Commissioners met, for the purpose of considering the best interest of the County, concerning the judgment against Mr. Craig. The Commissioners after as many hours deliberation to perform — the property of William Hedgeall one of the securities, whose property is advertised for sale at the Court House this day, whereupon it is agreed by the Commissioners that John Dear will bid off the said property. The said property being one hundred and twenty acres of land lying in來說, dozen, to the north two, which said land to two thirds of the offshootment must fall for fourteen hundred dollars, eighty-three dollars and forty cents, which said sum he is to bid and give his note for the amount as shall be hereafter agreed on to be paid when the disposal of said land is made, the sum out of the proceeds of said land.

Whereupon the Commissioners hearing me for this with plea

John Robertson
J. B. Smith
Jereal Robinson
Wednesday 23rd May 1822

The commissioners met agreeable to appointment to take into consideration the necessity of the propriety of building a mill.

Present
John Robertson
Israel Robinson

Resolved
1st. That the commissioners will proceed to build a mill for half county.

The contract for that purpose can be drawn in such terms as they may judge reasonable.

Mr. Amos
That the notice, adverted by public notice in the Morningpost, that the building of the said mill will be let up to build into the lowest bidder, at the Court House in Jamestown, on the day as may shall agree upon, at their regular time last met.

When the commissioners adjourned

John Robertson
Israel Robinson

Mondays 3d June 1822

The commissioners meeting & law present

John Robertson
Sarah Rouse
Israel Robinson

The Board being organized proceed to business

When the following reports of roads were generally read a first time.

1st. John Bowens Livers Road from Peter Livers goods mill to Mt. Cohocton Road was George Bellant's this report being in favor of establishing a road from Livers good's mill to the Plainfield.

2nd. Re-jec'ting the report referred to be read tomorrow.

Robert O'Brien, alteration of Johnson's road.

This being unfavorable report was ordered to be read tomorrow.

Daniel Pearse's Road from Lamport

The commissioners recorded buying a Smith, lastly alteration of Daniel Pearse's Road leading from Jamesville to Blackwells Mill this being an unfavorable report was ordered to be read tomorrow.

4th. Thomas G. Mendenhall's Road from the County line partly built, to David Thomas nearest to Mt. Cohocton, & each, & the road leading from Pratts to Smith's Mill on said.

When the committee referred to be read tomorrow.
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Tuesday June the 14th 1828

Commissioners met at present agayn, when the following reports of roads were severally read a second time respectively in the order following:

1st John Bowerson's Road, Beginning at Pet's Livergolds Mill, thence to M. Colston's Road at a man George Bollinday, the report being in favor of the road from the beginning up to Anthony M. Plainfield, Road, and rejected the part from Plainfield to the Colston Road, to Commissioners issuing no law authorizing such report, report to road altogether.

2nd Robert Officer's alteration of M. Johnson's Road where the same passes through land officers desire the report being in favor of the alteration and when the Commissioners believing the same of Public utility Conunence & being satisfied that the same is sufficiently opened where the same is sufficiently opened when the same is sufficiently opened when the said road to be the correct V. thereof. The commission concurred and part of the said Johnson's Road to work out and that M. old road between the points of intersection in the same is fully declared vacated.

3rd David Pray's Road from a small etch near Benjamin Shelborey's to Monika Road or south Eastern direction along one.

the old Southfield Road first Richard Brookhous, John Lewis, Jacob Mears, James Woodin, the Plains James Gurney & Joseph Changy's Men to the road leading from Swamp to South Wakes Mill. This being a favorable report to the Commissioners believing the same will be of Public utility & necessary order of road to be erected and might be considered a Public High way to be opened on the width of forty feet and worked annually order being to open to Joseph Evans.

4th Thomas P. Menaken's Road, beginning at the Colston's border line where a road in Said County ends about forty feet north of Daniel Wilt. Hence to Menaken's Hills Mill thence to that road leading from Swamp to Smitty's Mill, this being a favorable report to the Commissioners being of opinion that the same is necessary and will be of Public utility Conunence & report to other Men. Road to be recorded as opened to the width of one foot feet and thereafter considered a Public High way and worked accordingly.

5th Joseph Bone's Alteration of the Plainfield Road where the same passes through his land, the report being in favor of making the said road to be the correct V. thereof. The commission concurred and the said Johnson's Road to work out and that M. old road between the points of intersection in the same is fully declared vacated.
The old road between the points of interest is treated as the old route. So long as the said route shall produce satisfactory land, that the new route is made equally good, new farms gained to the same.

Petition

Daniel St. Beggins, a petition praying for a road beginning at the South East corner of Thomas Reymelds' field in Highland Township, being a road from James St. Reymond's barn corner in the County west from Potter Bonds at the Greenbay County line and running along the nearest and last line by Daniel St. Beggins, to the County line on the East side of Matthew Mitchell's Plantation in Union Township, near Daniel Reymond's meadow, being one of the first tobacco signers. The petition signed by James St. Reymond, John Mitchell, Ralph Mitchell, and John Mitchell, to meet at the house of Daniel Reymond on the second day of December next to be referred to the next meeting of this Board and whether the same will be made public notice to the citizens of the State and County at large.

Petition signed by Daniel St. Beggins to Matthew Mitchell.

Whereupon the Commissioners grant the petition and appoint William Thompson, Matthew Mitchell, and John Mitchell to examine the said petition and make report to the next meeting of this Board.

Samuel Whitaker, James Ross, and

order signed

Commissions and join the same meeting at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, Washington, D.C.

The Commissioners met agreeable to adjournment present all those in line to face.

A petition having been presented from a number of men in balance of Union Township North of the Military line, praying the township may be struck off from the said county into Union Township. V.P. Commissioners believing the same necessary, for the convenience of the inhabitants of the township, ordered as follows:

The Commissioners order a new township to be struck off according to the following boundaries, to wit: Beginning at the South east corner of Union Township, then in a straight line from the Military line through the said Military line at the South west corner of the first survey, then from the Wheeling Road, then north with the west boundary of the county, from the south boundary of the town of Wheeling, then east to the south west corner of the first survey, then north with the west boundary of the County, then east to the land belonging to John Schenck and Martin; thence west to the line in the line between Schenck's land and Wheeling Pike.
with said line northly to Mill Run, then easterly to a mill drum on the Michigan River, thence to the point where the said line intersects the east and west line through the center of Township two in Range Seven, thence west with said line between Jackson and Gale, thence south, and on with said line until it strikes the Orange line between Orange Hill and Seeing at the South-East corner of the second quarter of said Township in the Seventh Range, thence westerly with the Orange line between Orange Hill and Seeing to the place of beginning, which said


The Commissioners proceed to examine the old records of Deeds on file in this office. All the same have been remitted by the Deeds office to this office as his


Thurs. day Seced the 6th. 1822


1st. The said John Peters, Clerk of the Supreme Court, having a set of the law books found in the office of said Supreme Court, and an examination drawn up by the


The Commissioners present all as yesterday.


1st. The said John Peters, Clerk of the Supreme Court, having a set of the law books found in the office of said Supreme Court, and an examination drawn up by the


The Commissioners present all as yesterday.
The commissioners proceeded to examine
the following dairy orders presented by the treasurer as have
been deposited in the treasury by James Hampton on account of R. P., lined in
Eighteen hundred and seventeen

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Amounting total £57.25

which dairy orders are to be returned to the
the treasurer furnished for his inspection to the same
as his orders.

June 6th 1822

Received it above described on

J. H. Moon's & Son
Resolved  

That Daniel Brace be and he is hereby appointed Collector of the County for the County of Mecklenburg for the present year to collect the Land Tax for 1820 and the County Tax at 10 per cent collection fees and the auditor is hereby ordered to take Bond in double the amount charged on each duplicate payable as the true estate.

Resolved  

That the auditor call on William Bean, the Collector of the County for the year 1820 and 1821, and request a settlement as soon as possible.

Resolved  

That the auditor call on Charles Roberts and himself for all accounts which appear to be remaining in the hands of John Thompson his successor and subject to the same Bond for the with funds into the treasury to Comedy.
As further land improvements for the
score on which may hereafter proceed,
next at this time whereupon the same
agree to meet on business of building and
on the 18th day of June next—

Resolving examine the foregoing
repealing their Bond to Commissioners

John Robertson}  
Samuel Smith Commissioners  
Isaac Robinson

Thursday, June 14, 1822

The Commissioners met agreeable
to appointment concerning the
building for said—

Present
John Robertson
Israel Smith & } Commissioners  
Isaac Robertson

ordered

1st. That John McCleary have an order
on the Treasury for Requisitions made
for the said 1822, for one dollar $1.00

2d. That Samuel Patterson have an order
on the Treasury for twenty-five dollars
as part for keeping lately due for $25.00
and 1824.

3d. That the Commissioners have the
first day of December next to make

4th. That the said order be attended by publication
in the Muskingum Gazette that the
building of a Jail will be set up for sale
at the Court House in Zanesville on the
day of next nothing to commence precisely
at two o'clock P.M. of said day— & that
the price and plans of the building and
the payments which will be made will be
made known on the day of sale—

Be it remembered that James
Hampton the day produced a receipt for
the Commissioners of which the following
is a copy— to wit
Treasury Office Columbus

June 3, 1822

Received of James Hampton the sum of one thousand
dollars, on account of the land tax collected in
the county of Muskingum for the year 1822
agreed to an act of the General Assembly
filed 5th of February 1822 for the relief of
James Hampton and others

Duplicate Receipts given

For Samuel Sullivan
Treasurer of Albany
A. Vanhorn
Wednesday July 17th 1822

The Commissioners met to examine plans of a jail, with specifications drawn by James Hamilton, regarding the specifications of the jail as desired in the specifications to respect the size of the building and agree to build the jail house according and order that the said John P. also, the building of said jail in three months in the County of Muskingum, to be built on the court house lot in Zanesville, on the south east corner, to be commenced precisely at ten o'clock A.M. of said day.

Ordered that the above advertisement be also published in the Muskingum Register.

Deceased,

James Hamilton

For the said building of a jail for the said County, and for the said purpose, is to be built on the public square, back of the court house, on the said property. The following is a plan of the jail, and specifications for the same, as directed by the Commissioners. The said specifications is ordered to be recorded in this book.

The specifications of the present date for the building of a jail in said County, and for the said purpose, is to be built on the public square, back of the court house, on the said property. The specifications is ordered to be recorded in this book.

If the lowest bidder shall be the lower, he shall be required to give bond with sufficient securities, and in double the amount of what said jail may be used for.
The commissioners shall at all times have the right to examine the different kinds of work and materials composing the opera house, so that the same may be built, according to the plan and description, and if the undertaker, or undertakers, shall neglect to perform any part of their contract, he or they shall be accountable for such neglect.

James will August 17, 1822.

John Robinson

Iredell Brough (Commissioners)

Israel Robinson

John Haney was appointed to buy the same.

James Hampton by Simon, his agent, laid off the building on the above described lot at first.

Hour and one hundred and ninety dollars.

Ordered by the Commissioners:

1. That James Hampton, Henry, House, an order on the Treasurer for his fees on a list to S. C. Delgall and others.

2. That John Haney issue an order for harvesting the lot, 17th June, and July last for $49. 50.

3. That John Haney issue an order for

$50. 50

4. That Matthew Brough have one man on

80. 00

5. That thescroll record in this book all the descriptions of the building and all the work done in this building, the same in the office with the conditions of sale, recorded to be executed.

The whole money which may remain unspent, and in part, to be on interest from the time the said sale shall be finished and delivered to the commissioners.
and that James Hampton, to be copy of both at his request—

James Hampton appeared and gave bond with Jesse Thomas and Daniel Hanger in the sum of twenty dollars, signed, sealed, and delivered, to be recorded and sealed this day of August twenty-first day of the month of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine, as followeth:—

Know all men by these presents that we Jesse Thomas and Daniel Hanger, of the county and town of Mecklenburg, shall and will pay unto James Hampton the sum of twenty dollars, as a bond for the true and faithful performance of the within bond.

The condition of the above bond is, that if we, the above named Jesse Thomas and Daniel Hanger, shall fail to pay, during the term of time hereinbefore specified, the sum of twenty dollars, the within bond shall be null and void.

Given under our hand and seal at the town of Indian Head, this twentieth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine.

James Hampton, Jesse Thomas, Daniel Hanger

The Commissioners, in the presence of which the following is a copy—

Know all men by these presents that we John Robertson, Jesse Smith and Samuel Robinson, Commissioners of the county of Mecklenburg, shall and will pay unto James Hampton the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, as a bond for the true and faithful performance of the within bond.

The condition of the above bond is, that if we, the above named John Robertson, Jesse Smith and Samuel Robinson, shall fail to pay, during the term of time hereinbefore specified, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, the within bond shall be null and void.

Given under our hand and seal at the town of Indian Head, this twentieth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine.

John Robertson, Jesse Smith, Samuel Robinson
Condition of Sale—Three hundred dollars on the first day of January eight hundred and two, and five hundred dollars on or before the first day of May eight hundred and twenty-four, five hundred dollars on or before the first day of November eight hundred and twenty-six, and five hundred dollars on or before the first day of April eight hundred and twenty-eight, and the remaining two thousand five hundred and forty-nine dollars to be paid so soon after the return of the County with the above amount the same (Provided however that there shall first be twenty-five hundred dollars of said Court house. No title to be given until such sum is paid at the Treasury; for payment on or before the first day of June eight hundred and twenty-six, and, with interest due hereon from the time the said building was finished, due date at the conclusion of the sale, all of which after date on payment made, laying five hundred and forty-nine dollars, shall be from the interest due hereon from the time the sale was finished, paid date at the conclusion of the said building, all of which after date on payment made laying five hundred and ninety-nine dollars, all of which is to be delivered from said Court house, the same with all annexures and our successors in office. The said building to remain in full force until the above payments are made and no longer. The said Commissioners first complying with the said signed dated and John Robertson, Esq. Israel Robinson, Esq. in presence of these witnesses.
3. The lower story of the prison to be two and a half brick thick, the upper story of the same and the gable ends nine inches thick, projected chimney as marked in plan R, 8, 4, 55. The passage and cellar ends, the lower story to be two brick thick and the upper story one and a half brick thick. The gable ends one brick thick chimneys and fire places in the same as marked in plan R, 2, 3, 4, 55, with 1½ inch brick arches over each fire place, with a box of iron over each arched, also a 1½ inch brick arch over each door to windows so laid down in the above mentioned plans—All the outside of the wall and chimney tops to be covered with a brick cornice on each side of the house, with the roof may require, all it above to be laid in the best line and bond masonry, the wheels of the walls under the lower floor of the prisoners to be filled up with large Rough stones, partitions to be built 1½ brick through the whole house as represented in plan R, 2, 3, 455. laid in masonry as represented, door and window frames left in the respective cut side with wells as represented in plan R, 2, 3, 45

Floors

The floors in rooms No. 12, 14, and passage 134 to be laid with sound timber 10 inches square placed on the foundation, to be laid close together, and in plan R, 14 to extend in the door, face the passage at R, 11, 12 of which is to be covered with 1 inch seasoned oak placed to be laid across the timber and skilled to the timber with irises 5 inches long tied to the timber with irises 5 inches long tied to the wood in every 10 inches, and changed at that each timber

Shall be spiked alternately, floors of rooms No. 7, 54, in plan 12 to be laid in the same manner as before described except the thickness of the plaster to be 1½ inches, and its exposed in the door way to passage 12, the floors of rooms No. 7, 54, 18, passage 12, in plan 2, to be framed and as represented in guide sheet to be 1 by 10 inches, and floors of each room 11 to be laid with narrow 1½ inch oak boards tongued and grooved and well nailed, the floor of each room No. 11, 12, and passage 12 in plan 8 to be laid in the same manner, and the same materials as before mentioned. The doors and part of the floor to be framed and laid on the wall as represented in plan R, 2, the door to be 3 by 9 inches and the shutter 1 by 10 inches, and all that part over room No. 7, 12 to be laid with 1 inch seasoned oak placed, spiked with irises 5 inches long, and not less than two spikes through each board into each jamb

Roof

The roof to be framed from suitable timbers of sufficient size for a level roof, framed to suit a brick cornice and framed in the best manner, and the best kind of shingles, and bound with iron where necessary and不是, and covered with brick or red oak shingles in the best manner, a change in the house from 34 to forty will, with change the framing girders, and doors to do as to make a principal roof, fireplaces and brick ovens

Lining + construction walls in the house No. 14, 18, passage 17, 14, in plan 12, the yellow shade to be made of 4 inch green timber, painted close together and connected
by iron closed from 6 of an inch thick and 6 inches long, not more than 5 feet apart, and to be laid alternately in the respective floors, the last to rest on the timber of the floor of plan A. The door to extend 2 inches in to the floors laid in plan B, spaces to be left in said partitions for doors at 14 ft, and apertures sufficient to admit food and drink to the prisoners, as the said door 6, these doors represented in said plan A, and also for interiors of 14 ft, all the inside of the said rooms to be lined 2 inch oak plank running across the timbers, represented in said plan A by a white stripe, as marked in the same manner as the floors of the said rooms, and doors to communicate with said, represented in said plan A by a white stripe and well secured by iron. The partition of room A in plan A to be made of 2 tier of 1 inch oak 6 inch wall joined and totally connected with the inner and outer tiers of skirts, the said rooms in A to be lined with 2 inch oak 6 frame to be a line of 6 inch timber 3 by 9 inches built into the wall, same as the piece at equal space from the floor to the ceiling, the fingers to be of 2 inch oak and not more than 5 inches apart, installed 6 feet left for windows at 1 5 6 7 8, communications by a line, the built into the wall one to be made into the said rooms in A. 6, 4 ft as the said communications represented on the plan at 7 by figures 11, 19, and 21. Holes made at the top of said stripe, and the opening well secured with iron.

Windows in Prison

The windows of 15, 5 6 ft, in plan B to be made in representative windows of 5 lights of 2 by 8 ft glass in the outer side, 6 of 2 inch glass 8 feet 4 inches with stone sill frames. 6 inch wall made of oak timber 5 by 6 inches to extend through the wall and lining and extending 3 ft of said windows 6 6 ft to be made, connected with the wall and lining by iron straps and bolts, in each of which frames to be placed two gratings, one near the inside and one near the outer side of each, the upright bars of each of the gratings to be made of iron an inch square, the

space between the bars not to exceed 1 inch, and let through 6 bars 6 inches wide cut off an inch thick and placed at equal distances from each other, and the ends of all the bars to be let into a beam three inches wide and 6 inches thick as a frame, doors frame to be made into
into the window frames above mentioned, each with the same thickness and all deceased with the whole of windows, and the brick to be plastered in order of the frame, windows 6 ft. 6 in. in plan, with each with two inch plaster, by building the wall plaster to the inside of the frame, and adding a two inch frame to these in front, the frames to be well connected by iron bars to the wall or timber built into the house, and grouted to be put in each window of the following description, to unit to be made of iron. The iron shall be square, not more than 4 inches square, running through 4 iron bars 6 inches wide, and 6 inches thick, at equal distances from each end. The ends of these bars to be laid into a box of iron 6 inches wide, and 6 inches thick, as a frame, and frame to be built into the window frame even with face thereof and well secured thereto by iron bolts, and placed with glass to be put into the last mentioned four windows, the other windows to have large stone sills, the rest of the windows, to unit 10 as represented in plans 23, to have stone sills and frames made out of two inch plank, board and glass in each window, etcetera, prepared for plastering.

DOORS 40

Front and back doors to have stone sills of the width of the wall, frames made of brick plank plank with chamfered edges, front door to have three iron light 8 ft. panel doors to each, lined with half inch boards, hung with straps and hooks 6 inch knob lock on each door, doors 4 ft. 9 in. plan 8 ft. and doors 4 ft. 9 in. plan 8 ft. 3 all to be

used with plain lamb swing with single iron turn bolt panel door 8 ft. long with good hinges, with a 6 ft. knob lock placed on each, good lock mechanism, a round room 8 ft. 8 in. and parlor 8 in. in plans 1 and round 8 ft. and parlor 8 in. in plans 2, a good plain open screen, straight board wall, steel case, in plans 3 plan 8 ft. 3 we built down in plans, plan mantles to each of four fire places, built to the E side with all the doors, door frames, mantles, base and balance window frames and sash, to have one coat of paint laid thereon (except doors in the parlor and) all the halls and parlor to receive two coats of paint when necessary, and covered when necessary, as in plan of the house, all the materials for the above building to be found by the contractor, N. 40 to have one coat of Spanish brown, and in all articles that may be omitted, materials shall be furnished and work done according to the above specifications, materials for the whole building to be of the first quality, and the work performed in a workman like manner.

It is understood that the store under said mentioned the last store in this memorandum is to be made range 100 feet on the same as in public offices.

It is further understood that the foundations shall be within the standard depth, it is further said that the said mentioned in this specification is to be in a space 2 feet 4 by 6 feet and all the work of brick laid to conform to the above size. Any foundation and walls, floors, bases, roof and every other article to be as to cost to this size.
A Copy of Collector's Bond (County Tax 1822)

Know all men, by these presents that we Daniel Bush, Thomas Wickham, Jonathan Wood, Hugh Allson, Francis Gobedy, William Hamilton and Samuel Breyzel, the said and fully bound with the State of Ohio, in the sum of six hundred dollars and twenty-eight cents, lawful money of the United States, to the payment of which well and truly to be made; we bind our selves, heirs, executors and administrators, jointly severally and fully by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 27th day of July 1822.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Daniel Bush, was on the 8th day of June last, by the commissioners of Muskingum county appointed Collector of the land tax to be collected in said county for the year eighteen hundred and twenty-two, that if the said Daniel Bush shall faithfully perform, all and singular the conditions of his said office of collector appointed, collect and pay over all moneys charged on the land tax due in said county for the current year, according to law; this obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year above written.

Daniel Bush

[Other signatories]

A Copy of Collector's Bond (County Tax 1822)

Know all men, by these presents that we Daniel Bush, Thomas Wickham, Jonathan Wood, Hugh Allson, Francis Gobedy, William Hamilton and Samuel Breyzel, are held and fully bound with the commissioners of Muskingum county for the use of said county, in the sum of six hundred and thirty-five dollars, lawful money of the United States; to the payment of which, well and truly to be made. We bind our selves, heirs, executors and administrators jointly severally and fully by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 27th day of July 1822.

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Daniel Bush

[Other signatories]
Monday 4 December 1822

Commissiners met present

John Robertson 9
Saddler Burs 7 (Commissiners)

Israel Robertson

William Butler

Made application to this board for an appointment of an officer to operate the North West quarter of section 8, in township, s. 7, in Range 9, and whereas William Butler (spelled) hath this day produced a certificate from the Trustees of Hope well Township certifying that they grant to the said Butler the refusal of a governmental place for the North West quarter of School Land section 8, in township, s. 7, in Range 9.

Therefore the Commissiners appointed the applicant John Johnson and Robert Johnson, to meet at the house of William Butler on the 14th day of this instant, and proceed to appraise and valentine the said land, and make a map of said premises according to law.

When the following reports were read in full:

1. Daniel B. Bigger's road from Franklin's fall to the east side of Thomas Mitchell's plantation near Daniel France's mill.

2. Samuel Whitaker's plantation of Stevens and where the same passes through his land.

Ordered:

1. That John Stonick, sailor, change John Dunsley from Franklin.

2. That John Stonick receive a duplicate order for 66, 55.

John N. Hooper's Road Petition

A petition was presented this day from a number of inhabitants praying a road, beginning at a white oak tree last of Barclay and on the road leading from Ganvsville to Mount Vernon, from thence to run a North West course the nearest and least way to intersect Commiss. road at Gray House.

Whereupon the Commissiners appointed Levi Whipple, Increase Matthews, John Dillon, and Francis Byrnes, surveyor, to meet at the house of George Stone's on the 14th day of December, and make report of the most direct, the least and most in said report whether said proposed road will be of public utility to the petitioners of the said village at large, and return being made to said Commiss. tomorrow morning.

Tuesday 5 December 1822

Commissiners met present all as yesterday.

John Robertson's Road petition.

A petition was this day presented praying a road, to be laid out, beginning at a road that leads from the county line, near James Howard's old early gold Mill and running north west quarter of section 22 in township three of Range five from thence the most direct and least way until it intersects Mr. Denson Road.

Whereupon the Commissiners appointed Joseph Paris, William Swaner and James Denson, to meet at the house of John Johnson on the 14th day of December, instant, and make report of the same, and whatever orders of this Board shall be done in said report shall of public utility to the petitioners of the said road.
whereupon the commissioners ordered

Whereas Robert Fulton appeared and made his application for leave to build a public high way and asked accordingly for an alteration in the said route. It is ordered that the said route be described as herein set forth and made right to the south of where the road from James Square to Royse's State line comes into the County road from JustBowles to the County line, Minn. Part of Daniel J. Biggers' farm to the County line on the east side of the said County line. The following persons, viz: Daniel J. Biggers, Biggers Estate, and Daniel J. Biggers, are appointed to make these alterations.

When this order is executed the said Commissioners shall have power to make such alterations as may be necessary for the public good.
17th
That John Heme, failure, be allowed of his account presented, for raising horses in said
town, the sum of one hundred and ninety dollars and fifty cents ($190.50)

2. That blacktown minute for horse to be discharged.
To the public meeting, it was decided — $5.00

3. That Blacktown's hotchpich on Monday night be brought to the Clerk's office to be signed.
On Monday, A. 300 — $8.16. 15.5

4. That Ethel S. Day be allowed for
opening blacktown's books for the Clerk and for the Clerk
for our books. Account for one month book 80.00 to be paid on commission's behalf, making all
—— $37.10

5. That the following persons be allowed.

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Issued No. 241. $17.10. $17.75. $18.75.

6. That the following persons be allowed of their names for fees on behalf of:
Daniel E. Rogers Road

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Issued No. 299.

As further evidence being before the board,
the commissioners adopt their December session with out delay

John Robertson

Israel Robertson

Monday, 11th March, 1823

The
Commissioners met according to law

William John Robertson,

Israel Bric and Israel Robertson

The Board being organized proceeded to business where the following petitions for roads
were generally presented and acted upon:

Henry Hume's Road: a petition presented

by Henry Hume signed by himself and two of the first twelve signatories, praying a road may
be laid out, Beginning in the Wheeling Road ten miles East of Gainesville, opposite to the
Livingston Mill Road on the premises of Henry Hume, then from thence to John Hume's Mill on the
Ganges, thence along his lands to the creek of John Hume's ford, thence over the West bank of said creek to
}
WHEREAS the commissioners appoint William Gilbertson, Robert Gilbertson, and William McMichael, surveyors, to meet at Andrew Garrett's mill, the 1st day of April next, and make return to the next sitting of this Board, the said surveyors.

Andrew Garrett's mill, a petition was presented by Andrew Garrett, signed by himself and others, being one of the first twelve charter signers, praying for a road may be laid out beginning at Peter Livingswoode Mill, running southwesterly and on the nearest and best ground through Singleton's Alley, and to extend the boundary of said land, and more nearly a place of the first twelve charter signers, and the commissioners.

James Mills Road, a petition was presented by James Mills, signed by himself and others, being one of the first twelve charter signers, praying for a road may be laid out from Trumelle as straight a line as the ground will permit, to the Falls of the road at the corner of David Person's and William Mortley's fields, on the section line and from thence east on a line as near the section line on the ground as will admit of the inhabitant's shorter road from Queensville to Colbeckton and from Queensville to Colonel Jackson's salt works on the Muskingum River.—Whereas the commissioners, appointed, Thomas Wetherill, Charles King, Junior, and Col. Jonathan Vickers and John Roberts, surveyor, to meet at Hugh Allison's farm on the 14th day of April next, and make return to the next sitting of this Board—

Andrew McConnel's Road, a petition was presented by Andrew McConnel, signed by himself and others, being one of the first twelve charter signers, praying for a road to be laid out, beginning at the bury on the county road aross Rink Run near McConnel's mill.
Martin's Mill Thence to Intestate the County Road at the Corner of Life Manning's Farm. Whereupon the Commissioners appointed, Thomas James William Heustis and John Robertson, met at Life Manning's on the Thirty first day of March last and on the appointment to the next sitting of this Board.

Jonathan Spier's Road! A petition was presented by Jonathan Spier signed by him and other inhabitants living one of the first twiced signed praying also may be laid Beginning at the Buck Creek about two miles from Dresden and from thence first the farms of George Ogden, Jonathan Spier and Robert Selby's and to the Seat or road leading from Muskegnaus Mill to west calculating about one and a half miles from said mill. Whereupon the Commissioners appointed Samuel G. Bowden, Jeremiah and Jacob Hendrickson, Charles Roberts for same. As met at Johnson Freeman's on the 29th last of April next and make return to the next sitting of this Board.

Jonathan Spier and Aaron Wilson gave bond order issued

Ordered That

Jabez Brooks for one have an order for four dollars paid by him to James Colwell for a coffin for the body of Henry Hartman who was found lying in Saylers Hill House—

Giles John Issued R. 339.

When the Commissioners again to give oath—

Tuesday 4th March 1828

Commissioners met pursuant to appointment

Present all as yesterday—

When the following defects of Roads were made and generally need in orders—

John Abbe's Road! Beginning at a road that leads from County line near Sabine's Monroe to Peter Livingstone's Mill, and beginning near the center of Section Nineteen, Two, in Township Three of Range Five, from thence the north and east away until it intersects the Division Road. This defect is in favor of the establishment of said road.

William Laguna's Alteration! Of the last Wood Road! Beginning at the East end of William Shewey's land while the pigeons rest road begins from thence near a south course to the mouth of William Shewey's lane, thence a south east direction to James Ronaldson where a south course comes to a Bridge on the said road work road, this defect is in favor of establishing the alteration—

Orders Burnt 17/12/32.94—

As it is remembered that the Commissioners burnt two orders of E. L. Colwell褐色 a sealing issued 18th Nov. 1822 to John Heustis for $124 and 5/24th for $60.00 Issued to Robert Fulton 22nd Dec. 1822—With all said orders new issued through mistake and money went with Treasury.
Bridge over Smith's creek

Jacob Brooks appeared & proposed to build a bridge over Smith's creek where the road from Lexington to Georgetown shall cross, the same to be erected and finished in the best manner, at the cost of an appropriate portion of the price paid for the land. The price was $214, and it is hoped that the Legislature will appropriate the necessary funds for the construction of the bridge. The bridge is to be built of good materials and in a workmanlike manner, and it will be secured by the rock in the bottom of the creek by means of iron bolts through the hills, with good and sufficient brackets at intervals, and the whole to be good and substantial in between the spans, with the good and sufficient abutments and foundations, all of which will make the work as close as the satisfaction of the said commissioners. Whereupon the said commissioners of said county, as the first step towards the completion of the bridge, ordered the same to be carried out by the keepers of the bridge, and the said bridge to be built in such a manner as to be a suitable substitute for the bridge at the crossing of Smith's creek in the same manner as the other bridges in the county. The said bridge is to be paid for and finished within the term of six years from the date hereof, and the same shall be in compliance with the terms of this bond. The said commissioners, however, will have the right to demand any of the property used in the construction of the bridge, and the said bridge is to be completed within six months from the date of this bond.
The Court

1st. John Bache, for allowing an amount of one hundred and fifty dollars for assisting in keeping the records from the 1st day of December 1822 until the 21st day of February 1823 inclusive, $159.25.

2nd. Mr. and Mrs. George Swansbampton in account with all the old town lying within and about the court house and present in said town as attorney, as well as all the old town lying within and about the court house and former officers together with a list of books and maps in one room of the court house, which formerly belonged to the old town, all of which was this day sold to said Honesbampton for twenty-five dollars in addition to the above sum, when the docket book also that the said attorney deliver to and charge the said Honesbampton with a certain sum of money against James Barlow and George Girty, all of which is interest or fee deducted from the price of building the said building amounting, interest unpaid, $19.95 for all forty-five dollars. The interest on $44.50 for sixty-four dollars on loan.

3rd. The treasurer for the town of Swansbampton is about the treasury for one hundred dollars and forty dollars for balance due him on account of three miles of road for a year ending on the 24th day of December 1823, $170.75.

When Mr. Commissioners meet until tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.

Wednesday 5th March 1823

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present all as yesterday.

All $13, 5½ School Land

Whereas application was made by John Loomis and Lot Warren to have five hundred acres of land of the town of Yankee, being my in the town of Yankee, and of George H. Clinton, Mayor, for the purpose of making a map and survey of the town. Whereupon the Commissioners appoint Stephen G. Brown, Isaac Travis and Caleb Dunn to meet with John Loomis on the 21st day of March instant and take to their assistance a skilful surveyor and proceed to lay off and return a plat according to law.

The City of Swansbampton a petition was presented by John Loomes, signed by himself and others being one of the first twelve citizens, praying a road may be laid out beginning at the county line due south of John Loomes' mill and running westward an inch by inch leading from Griswold to Hinsdale and Rockton. Whereupon the Commissioners appoint David Ackerman, James Morris and John G. Thompson and John P. window to meet at John Loomes' on the 13th day of May next and make report to the next meeting of this Board.

June 12th 1823

The Town Board order given to Mr. Loomes.
John Achisons Road: the report for the day reads as follows:

The survey report being in 3 pages, the surveyors were unable to locate the exact position of the boundary as described in the deed. The above report is considered a Public Survey and is recorded accordingly.

William Meffred's alteration of the latter road. Begun at the point of William Meffred's stance, where the road is first approached from N. N.W. and the road is to be extended as shown in the survey. The alteration of William Meffred's stance, where the road is to be extended, is ordered accordingly.

Ordered that the following persons be allowed for services rendered in laying out roads:

John Achisons Road:

J. R. Brown for surveying the road from Feb. 1872 to June 1873 - $100.
Joseph Hines - $100.
James Moore for chaining - $100.
John Forrest - $100.
John Whinman - $100.

Samuel Patterson, having entered into agreement with the commissioners, with High Road, to keep, clear, and maintain the same at the expense of the commissioners. Signed by the said Patterson.

Monday 2 June 1823

The Commissioners met according to law and present:
John Robertson
Jared Bristow
Abel Robinson Esq.

When the following reports of roads were made and unanimously read a petition to go with:

1st. Andrew Garrett's Road, beginning at a road near William Cummins' house and continuing along the road near John Wakley, Michigamia is in favor of the said roads being established.

2nd. Andrew Wimbred's Road, beginning at the bridge on the heavy road and continuing along the heavy road at the corner of the heavy road at the corner of the heavy road. The report is in favor of establishing said road.

3rd. James Potter's Road, beginning at主力军 to Col. Jackson's salt works on the Muskingum River. The report is in favor of establishing said road.

4th. Peter Livergood's Road, beginning at the mill thence to Mastey's grove road. The report is in favor of establishing the road.

5th. John Broward's Road, beginning at Livergood's Mill to the Muskingum road. This is an unanswerable report. To No. ROAD.

6th. Andrew Walker's Road, leading from Livergood's Mill to the Muskingum road. This is an unanswerable report. To No. ROAD.

Ordered that Andrew Walker be allowed twenty dollars for answering the following item:

Road Commissioner Appointed

The Commissioners appoint William H. Moore Road Commissioner to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of John B. Knox to lay out a new road from Wolf creek to Pettinham.
The several Township lists were made this returns and were allowd generally as follows:--To wit!  

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The Commissioners meet to 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, June 8th 1823.

Commissioners met pursuant to notice.

Present:

Mr. Robertson, Brist & Robinson.

all present.

When the following Reports of roads were taken up and generally read a short time to wait.

Andrew Giovanni & Co. Beginning at a rock near William Baker's place to include the road to the east of the road to the east of John Abbot, this being a favorable report and the Commissioners calling.
Said road is necessary, and will be of public utility, according to the report and order of said Road to be recorded, and opened to the width of thirty feet, and hereafter considered a Public Highway and was accordingly — order issued and given to John Struthers —

Andrew McRiele & Co. Road, Beginning at the Bridge on the County Road and a Rising Hills near Jacob Martin's Mill, thence a line on the County Road to the corner of the Marsh's farm. This report being in favor of establishing said Road and whereas Samuel Wilson, landlord an objection praying damages among the Commissioners appointed, John Bolton, John Struthers, Robert Cawley, Robert Martin, Peter Mills, Remiellers to meet at Martin's Mill on the 21st day of June and make return of the matters setting of this bill. This 24th of March 18 scant.

The Commissioners hearing of opinion that the said Road is necessary and will be of public utility order the same to be recorded and opened to the width of thirty feet and hereafter considered a Public Highway and was accordingly — order issued and given to Samuel Wilson on the 21st day of June 1823.

James Smith's Road, Beginning at the Town of Brule, thence on a straight line as the ground will admit of to the North of the Road at the corner of William Whitfield and Daniel Persons fields on the section line thence East as near the section line as the ground will admit to intersect the State Highway from Sayville to Cattisboton and from thence to Col Jackson's old works on the Mudkingham River, this being a favorable report and the Commissioners hearing of opinion that the said Road is necessary and will be of public utility order the same to be recorded and opened to the width of thirty feet and hereafter considered a Public Highway and was accordingly — order issued and given to John Struthers —

Peter Livingood's Road, Beginning at Peter Livingood's mill, thence running a short west course on the nearest and best ground through Singleton Hardy's land to intersect the county road near Hardy's graveyard. This report being in favor of establishing said Road, and the Commissioners hearing of opinion said Road is necessary and will be of public utility order the same to be recorded and opened to the width of thirty feet and hereafter considered a Public Highway and was accordingly — order issued and given to John Struthers —
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Lyndwood Road

A petition was presented before this board praying that a road may be laid out beginning on the west bank of the Muskingum River, where the county road leading to the creek passes the same of Jonathan Beanbile.

Thence down the Muskingum River on the nearest and best road until it meets the road from Morgan County line recognized as Callowbourn Road at a point which the board thought best calculated to promote the public interest.

Whereupon the commissioners appointed James Jefferson, James Thropin, and Daniel Butt, surveyors, and John Matthews, surveyor, to meet at Jonathan Beanbile on the 21st day of June instant to make return to the next sitting of this board.

The commissioners return tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Wednesday, 19th June 1823.

Commissioners met present as yesterday. Mr. Robertson, Bush, Y. Robinson, Esq.

When the following accounts for surveying, buying, obtaining, and marking roads were generally taken up:

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John: Moore, Ralph Harding, and William Hunter, surveyors, met at said Henry Hancock's on 9 days' August, 1879, and after said objects damages by any lay said road on the ground, agreeable to the provisions of the act, regulating roads and highways, passed February 14, 1879, to report to the public at said and make return to the next sitting of this board.

Road from Paris Surveyor Lane Aubrey

John T. Hardin, este. al of the said road,

a petition was presented praying construction of a road from Paris Surveyor Lane to the Manistee road, to be run in the same line with James M. Guericke line, whereupon the Commissioners appointed Andrew McCorriston, Arthur Reed, and Samuel Thompson, receive, and John Roberts Surveyor, to meet at Andrew Mercers on the 28 day of September next and make report to the next sitting of this Board.

Treasurer!!

The Treasurer presented his accounts and finds for examination. Commissioners proceed to examine and find the said partly right, find not examined this day.

Commissioners present tomorrow morning 9 o'clock.
Thursday, June 3rd 1823.

Commissioners met Present
Miss Robertson, Brush and Robinson.

James Ashley Alteration of the Road leading from Putnam up the south side of Licking to West Atho Deyh - a petition was presented by James Ashley signed by himself and the praying an alteration in said road, when it passes through lands of said Ashley, beginning the mouth or East line of Hicks’s Lane, and running lastly on nearly a straight line until it again intersects said road at a new mile’s Calculum - whereupon the Commissioners appointed Levi Whipple, George Jackson and Levi Chapman Stevens, and John Roberson mayor, to meet at Miles Calculum on the 16th day of August next, and make return of the next sitting of this Board. - And join x

Ordered that

1. James Taylor have an order for Fifty four dollars for articles furnished Machinery for the Court and clothing 18-6 for the Jail from 10th May 1821 to this time $64.42

2. That Mr. Reade survey orders on Treasury for the amount of his account allowed for helping people in jail from 14th March last month to 1st May last on proper account County Rolles fifty five cents $37.00 55¢ - posted every year took page (4)

James Melville Road

Samuel Melville who objected to said road on account of damages sustained or likely by him to be sustained, in consequence of said road having been run through his land, that in his opinion in writing that he received from the monition - Whereupon the monition is ordered when an order for opening said road

To the order Issued by reason of Samuel Vanhorn -

Commissioners ordered to

Narrow morning of clock

Friday 6th June 1823

Commissioners met Present
Miss Robertson, Brush and Robinson.

Proceeded with examination of the accounts and vouchers of the County Auditor and find the same duly kept.

The Treasurer finally presented when compared with the accounts and settlement made this day the remainder in the hands of said Treasurer one thousand five hundred fifty five dollars $1550.55 -

Are favor of Mr. Howard (in notes subject to current Bank drafts) $1550.55
The Auditor presented his account for fifty one days service in the office of the Chief Auditor from the first day of March last until the thirty first day of May last, inclusive, at $7.50 per day. The total charge was $408.50. The Auditor's bill for Stationery, $100.00, has been paid. The Auditor is authorized to proceed in attending to the county business.

Treasurer appointed

The Commissioners appointed Thomas Moore, Treasurer of Muskingum County, for the ensuing year, and ordered the Auditor to deliver Bond in the sum of five thousand dollars with sufficient bonds, and the Auditor is authorized to collect the same money.

County Levy

The Commissioners order the county tax to be levied at six per cent.

Ordered

1st That the Auditor furnish abed stand and Indian corn, tobacco for his use, etc.

2nd That the Treasurer permit Mr. Burnet to draw on the Treasurer for one hundred forty dollars and seventy-five cents in payment of his current expenditures.

Jail

Ordered that the Auditor make an order to the Jailor to admit such persons to the Jail as is necessary not to exceed.
The Commissioners adjourned without day.

John Robertson
John Brutsh
Israel Hounum

Tuesday, August 26th, 1843
The Commissioners met.

Present:
John Robertson
Joseph Brutsh

Commissioners meeting for the consideration of the case of Sarah White, an Insane Woman, who was by an agreement entered into by the late William White, married to said Sarah White, and subsequent to said agreement said William White, Thomas Patterson, the Joseph Darnell,cloud for the safe keeping of said Sarah White, and also for the Insane Persons, and whereas the said Daniel Patterson has neglected to keep said Sarah White, and the said Inmates in confinement according to said agreement, and on the contrary hath suffered them to run at large, it is ordered the saidجمع

Whereupon the Commissioners adjourned without day.

John Robertson
Joseph Brutsh
The Commissioners met for the purpose of viewing building materials of the new Jail, and appointed a County Auditor to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of John Burrall as present auditor.

Present:

John Robertson
Israel Bush
John Burrall

John Burrall presented his account against the County from first of June last until this time amounting to $207.47. This account is allowed at $5.3 in the last column and is credited in the book page 15.

That John Burrall come on the 25th inst. at 10 o'clock and that the books and papers in the hands of John Burrall be delivered up to John W. May, the present auditor, in good order.

No further business on hand.

John Robertson
Israel Bush

By the resignation of said Burrall the former Auditor of this County is

The present John W. May having given bond to the satisfaction of the Commissioners on said May being sworn into office and the books and papers in the hands of John Burrall was former auditor having been delivered up to John W. May, the present auditor in good order to do further business on hand.

The Commissioners adjourn without delay.

John Robertson
Israel Bush

Commissioners
A Copy of Collector's Bond (County) 1823

Know all men by these presents that we

Daniel Brush, Thomas Witham, Jonathan Wood, Hugh Allowson, Francis Cadboro, William Hamilton & Joseph Brady, are held and jointly bound unto the Commissioners of the said

County for the sum of the sum of one thousand dollars lawful money of the United States, to the payment of which sum we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this day of July 1823


In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year above written

Monday, December 14, 1823.

The Commissioners and according to law present:

John Robertson
Simeon Doolittle
Commissioners
Isaac Robinson

The following report of a road was read the first time this day:

O'Mealian's Road: Beginning on the west bank of the Muskingum River at or near Jonathan Carrol's, three down the river until it meets the road from Morgan County line recognized as O'Mealian's road, the being a favorable report, ordered to be read tomorrow.

David Pearson's alteration of part of the Griffin road. A petition was presented by David Pearson praying for an alteration on so much of the said road as runs through the lands of David Pearson of Scioto County, and also the Common Commissioners appoint Samuel McLean, Joseph McDonald & Enoch Ewing to view, and John Roberts surveyer to meet at the house of David Pearson on the 25th day of December next.

Ordered that

1st. Treas. & Sheriff have an area on the Treasury

Order issued No. 204

3 x 50 x

Commissioners adjourn until tomorrow morning 10 o'clock.
Tuesday Dec 27 1823.
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

John Robertson
D. Sprague
A. H. Robinson

Ordered
1st. That John Kneale be allowed an account of one hundred and thirty-two dollars, for keeping prisoners 76 from 14th June 1823, until the 11th day of Nov next.

2nd. That James C. Harris and J. Allen be ordered to have due and present jury for the purpose of determining the course of the road, to be surveyed and conveyed to the town.

Ordered that the following persons be allowed the several sums to their names annexed for laying out the road.


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ORDERED That the Auditor record this, and the Commissioners adjourn until 10 o'clock.
The Commissioners met pursuant to a summons.

Present:
John Robertson
Said Brush
Commissaries
Israel Robinson

Ordered:
1st. That C.T. Cook have an order on the treasury for services rendered at the bill filed.
   + By 1 year's salary for recording State cases $50.00
   + Certifying elections, Justices of Peace $6.00
   + Office rent, one year to 30th Nov 1823 $30.00

                           (Boaz to page 19)

2nd. That Jno. Burwell have an order on the treasury for services for bail & keeping prisoners from Dec 1st, 1823,
   + 30 days rent, to the 3rd. Day instant, as in bill rendered filed

                           (Boaz to page 19)

3rd. That the Auditor settle with James Hampton for his $100, half year's salary as Auditor in State cases, which is $50.00.
   + Also that he have an order on the treasury for $50.00 for services in past of disbursement for building the Jail.

The following report of an alteration in a road was read a second time & confirmed.

James Hickey's alteration in the road from Pulman to Ashol Parish, where the same passes there, said Hickey said it was "Beginning at the East end of State's lane and running Eastwardly about said lane to intersect the old road again at or near to Miller's cabin." The viewers appointed having reported favorably and

The Commissioners believing said alteration necessary, as from the report of the said alteration to be recorded, and opened to the width of 30 feet, and thereafter considered a public highway, and ordered accordingly, and the former road that lies between the points of intersection to be vacated upon as said Hickey open to the same according to law.

Ordered, that the following persons be allowed the several sums to their names aforesaid for laying out a road:

James Hickey's alteration:
+ John Roberts for surveying and laying out $5.00
+ George Jackson, viewer
+ Levi Chapman
+ Levi Whitehead
+ Jacob Finley

Ordered that John Roberts have an order on the treasury for services in separate files for attending to survey in commissioner's alteration of a road and that he pay $25.00 a day.

Ordered that for the survey of a hundred dollars towards his current year's services as Auditor of said County:
+ $100.00
+ (Boaz to page 19)

Concluded on the next page.
Thomas McGee's Road

A petition was this day presented before this board praying that a road may be laid out, commencing at a white oak tree in the lands of Nathan Wilson, thence a North course through the lands of Andrew Miller, thence a South course to intersect the Wheeling road at the corner of David Sellers' field, nearly opposite Mr. Daniels' house, all on the premises that Francis Wilson, being the commissioners appointed Whitemen show, Andrew McGee, Barnet Bondwurst, Andrew McCord, John More, Turner, do meet at the house of Andrew McGee on the 25th day of Dec. 1823 and make return to the next sitting of this board.

Ordered 1st.
That Mr. Barnwell Shuff, be allowed an account of fifty-six dollars and fifty cents, as per bill rendered this day, for repairing fences from the 20th of Dec. last, to the 1st of March, exclusive.

Ordered 2nd.
That William Shuff, be allowed an account of $5.12 2/4, as per bill rendered for repairing suit, $1 building an over for the use of the same.

Ordered 3rd.
That John A. Shaff be allowed the following account, as per bill rendered this day:
+ 65 days services as auditor from the 1st day of Dec last, up to the 29th day of Dec. 1823. -- $7.50
+ Officer's from the 20th of Dec. last, up to the 29th day of Dec. last at $2.50 a month. -- $4.46
+ Public Letter postage, Stationery $6. -- $6.50
+ 100 bushels Coal -- $6.25
+ Postage to day 30th page 50c. -- $7.11.98

Whereupon the Commissioners adjourned until tomorrow morning 10 o'clock.
Tuesday, March 3rd 1824.

The Commissioners, and pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

John Robertson, Chairman
S. Brush, Jr. Commissioner
Israel Robinson

The following report of a road was taken up and read the second time:

Thomas Higbee's Road, commencing at a white oak tree on the lands of Thomas Wilson, thence a north course to the lands of Widow Higbee, thence bearing a north course to intersect the Wheeling road at the corner of David Sellers' fields, nearly opposite Eight Mile House, all on the prairie and east ground. The view appointed to view said road having reported favorably at this session, and the Commissioners believing said road will be of public utility, do hereby confirm the report, and order said road to be opened to the width of thirty feet, and thereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Order issued & given to the 11th June 1824.

Ordered that the following persons do examine the several sums to their names annexed for laying out Thomas Higbee's Road:

1. John Morey, for surveying, platting & returning $3.00
2. Phillip Johnson, surveyor
3. Enoch Money do
4. Denton Vandeventer do
5. Archibald Campbell, surveyor

John Cunningham, Chairman
John McGee, Marker

John Houch's road

A petition was this day presented by John Houch, one of the twelve first signers, praying that a road may be laid out as follows, "beginning about 3/4 mile east from Kanawha, on the Tomahawk road, at a road commonly called Boggs road, and running thence an eastwardly course with or near said road, on the prairie and best ground, as may conduct to the public benefit." The lands of George Huff, James Cunningham, Moses Boggs, Mr. Dewell, Mr. Houch's, Northpatrik's others, and so on until it strikes the County road (leading from Jacob Livingston's mills to John Robertson's) where said Boggs road intersects the same.

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed William Culbertson, Thomas Crockett and Jacob Crockett, surveyors, and John Roberts, surveyor, to meet at the house of George Huff on the 24th day of this inst., and to make report to the next sitting of this Board.

John Houch, good bond & security. Order for a view issued & given to said Houch same day.

Alexander Meloney's road

A petition was this day presented by Alexander Meloney, one of the twelve first signers, praying that a road may be laid out as follows: Beginning at the following county line near David Parnsworth's and running to the Sea Longstaff's, thence to Hugh Shear's.
Wednesday, 3rd March 1824,

Commissioners, pursuant to adjournment,

Present,

John Robertson
Jared Brooks & Commissioners
Israel Robinson Esquire

The following report of a road was taken up, and read a second time, viz:

David Pierson's alteration of the Giffen road, "as much of the same as runs through the lands of David Pierson and John Adams." The viewers appointed to view said alteration having reported, formally at this session, and the commissioners, believing said alteration necessary, do hereby confirm the same, and order the same to be recorded, and opened to the public highway and worked accordingly; and the former road that lies between the points of intersection to be vacated, as soon as the new road is opened according to law. This made by the petition (notified)

Ordered, That Wright & Smeltzer be allowed the first sum for material and materials for the same, for the use of the road, that is, 50 per cent.

Ordered, That 1000 for the land on and under the boundary line for eighty dollars, towards his present year's services as auditor of said county.

So further business being read, the commissioners adjourned.

Jared Brooks
Commissary
Israel Robinson
Monday, June 1st, 1824.
The Commissioners of Washington County, Ohio, met agreeably to law. Present:
John Robertson
Sarat Brush
Commissioner
Israel Robinson

The board being organized, proceeded to business:
1st. The several Township Listers made their report, and were allowed severally as follows:

Brush Creek

Samuel Adams Appraiser

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Blue Rock

John Pogin Appraiser

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Falls

David Sheppard Appraiser

10

Washington

James Walker Appraiser

10

Highland

Henry S. Hammond Appraiser

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Jackson

Samuel A. Gurny Appraiser

10

Pennfield

Rubin Braggard Appraiser

10

Jefferson

David Whyte Appraiser

10

Locking

Isaac Gurney Appraiser

10

Madison

Richard Osborne Appraiser

10

Monroe

Adam Hooper Appraiser

10

Mays

Henry P. Allen Appraiser

10

Newton

James M. Naughton Appraiser

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Pony

Solomon Thomas Appraiser

10

Rich Hill

George Dolman Appraiser

10

Sickles

John Jones Appraiser

10

Springfield

John Laflin Appraiser

10

Union

Henry Jones Appraiser

10

Washington

George Slack Appraiser

10

Janesville

John Ellisson Appraiser

10

The following reports of roads were made & seconded and read the first time - 6th.

John Wouck's road, beginning about 2 3/4 miles from Janesville, on the Tomoka road, at a road commonly called Dozzy's road, and running thence in a southeasterly direction, with a near said road, as
may conduct to the public benefit through the lands of George Huff, James Cummings, Moses Doggs, Mr. David Horns, Hugh Patrick & others, and so on until it strikes the county road leading from Livingstonville to John Robertson's, where said road intersects the

the viewers appointed made a report in favor of establishing said road.

Whereupon a remonstrance was had in by George Huff, signed by himself and a number of inhabituants praying that a reversion might be granted on the described route, thereupon ordered by the Commissioners that a reversion be granted and that Mr. Camp, Jacob Hoads, Mr. Hamilton, Henry Butler, & Robert Welsh, be viewers to view said route, to meet at the House of George Huff on Monday the 18th day of October next, and make report to this Board at next December Session according to law.

3. Alexander Melory's Road, beginning at the county line near Daniel Storrs house and running to Isaac Langstaff's, thence to Hugh Moore's, thence to intersect the New York road on the Boswell-Hill, this being a favorable report ordered to be read again the previous

Henry Butler's Road, beginning at the old New York road by John Hilles field, and running thence to the meeting point best ground to intersect the road leading

from a bridge between Blund & Foster's to the Falls of Fishkill at the fork of said road below John Halleck, this being a favorable report ordered to be laid over for a second reading.

A petition was had in by David Witt signed by himself & others praying for a vacation of that part of the road leading from Dresden to New York on so much of the same as runs through a number of their acres lots, commencing about one quarter of a mile from Dresden and so on unto a street that intersects the offoad road, which said petition was this day read the first time, it ordered to be read again tomorrow.

6. John C. Mathews' alteration on the road from Meckhala Mills

John Mathews presented a petition praying for an alteration on the road from Meckhala Mills to the state road leading from Gainesville to Lancaster as it was formerly ran, and also to continue the same to the state road as now opened, also praying for a vacation on so much of the old road as lies between the points of intersection — Whereupon the Commissioners appointed Mr. Moller, Phileas Monuch, & Levi Whipple Reeves & John Mathews Surveyor, to at the house of John Mathews on the 24th day of August next, & make report of their proceedings next Dec.
J ohn Robertson  
S red Bruck 
Israel Robinson Esq

Tuesday, 8th June 1824.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.  
Present, viz:  
John Robertson  
S red Bruck 
Israel Robinson Esq

Commissioners proceeded to business  
S James Ritchie's alteration of road.

A petition was presented by Alexander Cuthbertson signed by himself and others, praying that said alteration may be set aside on account of said new road not being opened as well as the old road and other inconveniences. Same day said Ritchie presented an instrument of writing signed by three persons stating the new road to be as good ground and made fit for travelling.  

Whereupon the Commissioners agreed to view said routes themselves, and after viewing the same, are unanimously of opinion that the new road is preferable to the old one, and therefore do hereby establish said alteration.

Henry Bland's alteration of Stiff's road.  
A petition was presented by Henry Bland of himself and others praying an alteration in said road commencing at Jonathan Wood's near Sporille, thence East on the nearest and best ground, South of the Cranberry swamp, through the lands of Mr. and Henry Bland, unto said and intersect the Griffin road, at what is called the bridge or lands of John Adams, thence along said county and near David Pierson barn, thence East to John Blans barn, thence along the county and James Seelos garden, thence East to the State or Cohocton road near what is called Halibys Cabin.  

Whereupon the commissioners appointed Nathan Fleming, Hugh Allison, & Norman Greash, viewers: Charles Roberts Sawyer to meet at Jonathan Wood's on the 1st Nov. next, and make report to the next sitting of this board.

The following report of route was read the second time, viz:  
Alexander Melony's road, beginning at the county line near Daniel Barnum's and running to Asa Longstaff's, thence to Hugh Mele's, thence to intersect the New Asko road on the former hill.
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andcarriedoutaccordingly.

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Henry Butler's road begins at the old New
Arkroad by John Willis's field, thence south on
thepeadedbestgroundtointersecttheroadleading
from a bridgelbetweenPlandis'sBates'sathetopofPicking
at the fork of said road below for Wansborough.

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thesaidpointreportedfavorablyandtheCommissiornbelievin
thesaidroutenecessaryofpublicutility,doherewithaccept
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highwayandcarriedoutaccordingly.

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Henry Wharton's road

A petition was this day presented by Henry
Wharton one of the twelve first signers, praying that a
road may be laid out and established as follows, to wit;
"Beginning at the county road at or near the Widow Standish's
and running along the same, until it intersects a certain
road known by the name of a Township road, thence along
said road to a certain point near Henry Wharton's
then in the bow of the Rhode river until it intersects said
road at Rhodert's bridge, if the said Wharton's line there
t along paved road till it intersects the Marietta road leading
from
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Alexander McIvy's road
+ John Roberts Surveyor 8  0-0  
+ John Anderfield Viewer 1-50  
+ John Green 1-50  
+ John Gadd 1-50  
+ Asa Langstaff Chain Carrier 1-50  
+ Alexander Meloney do 1-50  
HUGH MECH Marker 1-50  
  Total 14-50

Henry Bullock's road.
+ John Roberts Surveyor 83-0-5  
+ Ebenezer Ryan Viewer 1-50  
+ Isaac Holley 1-10  
+ Ebenezer Ryan do 7-10  
  Total 4-50

Whereas the commissioners agreed to meet at the house of the late collector at 9 o'clock

Wednesday 9th June 1826

Commissions met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,
+ John Roberts Surveyor
+ Fred. Russell Surveyor
+ Ebenezer Ryan
+ Asa Langstaff
+ Joseph W. McIvy

The board proceeded to business:

The Collector appointed.

Daniel P. Wise late Collector appeared and applied for a reappointment to the office of collector for the current year, having produced the necessary vouchers showing that he has settled up and paid over all
In the hands of former collectors, or which he was responsible as collector to pay over, and whereas the said Brush offers to collect the land tax for the current year at six per cent. collection fees, and the county tax at two and one-fourth per cent. collection fees for the current year — Whereupon the commissioners unanimously appoint the said Daniel Brush collector of the land and county tax in the county of Muskingum for the year 1824 — and order that the auditor take bonds with sufficient solvent security in the sum of six thousand dollars for each duplicate, and allow said Brush six per cent. collection fees on the land tax, and three and one-fourth per cent. collection fees on the county tax.

Ordered: That $2.00 be allowed an account of eight dollars for work and supplies paid to the same for clerk's office, as per bill presented.

Ordered: That $3.00 be allowed an account of four dollars, seventy-five cents for repairs to the jail, as per bill presented this day.

Ordered: That $3.00 be allowed an account of thirty dollars, forty-five cents for repairs to jail, as per bill presented this day.

Ordered: That $2.00 be allowed an account of thirty dollars, forty-five cents for repairs to jail, as per bill presented this day.

Ordered: That the county tax, the commissioners order the county tax to be levied as high as the law will allow.

Ordered: That Erastus Brush discharge the levy from jail.

As it is remembered that on this day James Thompson delivered up the East end of the new Jail, 1824, the two criminal rooms; the two rooms for debtors; to the acceptance of the commissioners which they deemed sufficient agreeably to contract; and the key of the same delivered to Thos. Barwell sheriff, and the said is to be hereafter considered the jail for Muskingum county, and the balance is due the 1st July.

Ordered: That Charles Roberts have indulgence until the sitting of the next court of common pleas for this county, to make payment of the debt due the county, and if payment is not made sometime during said session, the auditor is hereby authorized to order an execution against said Roberts immediately thereafter.

The commissioners adjourn until tomorrow morning, 8 o'clock.

Thursday, 18th June, 1824.

Commissioners present pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

John Robertson

James Brush

Israel Robinson

This day the treasurer presented his accounts of funds for examination. The commissioners proceeded to
to examine the same, and find the accounts satisfactory. Report - The funds were also examined and when compared with the accounts of settlement made this day then remains in the hands of Thomas Monhead Treasurer one thousand, seven hundred & seventy-three dollars, thirtyeight Cents, one dollar in favor of the County. (Making in notes, deposits & current bank paper)

2° Treasurers Appointed.
The Commissioners then proceeded to the appointment of Treasurer. When Thomas Monhead was originally appointed Treasurer of Middletown County for the ensuing year, and order the Auditor to take bond in the sum of five thousand dollars with sufficient solvent security.

3° Commissioners then proceeded in the examination of the accounts rendered by the County Auditor, and find the same satisfactory and correctly reported.

Orders burned. No. 202 & 231
Be it rememmbred that the Commissioners destroyed two orders No. 202 issued 29th Nov. 1833 to John Grant for $8.40 and No. 231 issued 6th April last to John Collins for fifty Cents, which said orders were issued the mistake & power went to the Treasurer.

4°
Ordered that for money to be held as security for 1834, the Auditor, by a note of hand amounting to $200, two hundred dollars, to the first of October next to make payment, if not paid against, that time suit to be commenced by the Auditor against the Treasurer immediately thereafter.

5°
Ordered, That for Lavender, who is held as security for 1834, the Auditor, by a note of hand amounting to $200, two hundred dollars, to the first of October next to make payment, if not paid against, that time suit to be commenced by the Auditor against the Treasurer immediately thereafter.

6° Ordered, That the Treasurer be permitted to draw on the Treasury for any sum not exceeding one hundred & fifty dollars, towards his current yearly services as Auditor.

No further business on hand. The Commissioners adjourned.

John Robertson
Joseph Farmer, Commissioner
Israel Robinson

Friday, 9th July 1834.
Commissioners met.
Present:
John Robertson
Joseph Farmer
Isaiah Wellington

The Commissioners met in open to distribute the Public Offices among the several County Officers, when the following distribution was made:

Ordered, That the Clerk of the Superior Court take the small room East of the Clerk's Office, that the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas take the West half of the Clerk's Office, and that the County Auditor take the East half of the Clerk's Office, and generally occupy the same as Public Offices.

Ordered, That the County Auditor call on John
Before the Supreme Clerk of said office, assigned him as soon as possible; and if he does not accept the same, said Clerk is hereby authorized to pay the same out, (in behalf of the county) to the best advantage.

Ordered, that the furniture in the Supreme Clerk’s office be distributed among the several offices as ordered.

Ordered, that Sir Thomas Giff be allowed an account of sixty eight dollars, ninety three cents, for work done in repairing public offices, and repairing public miscarry, as per bill rendered $68.93.

Ordered, that—Forty be allowed an account of five dollars eighty seven cents for moving from office as per bill rendered $5.87.

John Robertson
Jane extreme
Israel Robinson

Thursday, August 26th A.D. 1824.
The Commissioners met for the purpose of providing for the support, & safe keeping, of Sarah White an insane person, for the following year, commencing this day. Whereupon Archibald Galbraith appeared & offered to take the said Sarah White, & keep her in the custody of William White, of Morgan county, & her safely keep & provide, & furnish with all things necessary & convenient for said Sarah.

Thereupon the Commissioners entered into articles of agreement with the said Archibald Galbraith, & Sir Barnett his security, for the faithful performance of his duty towards said Sarah, & agree to pay him the said Archibald Galbraith seventy dollars a year, for keeping said Sarah, to be paid in County orders drawn on the treasurer, in equal quarterly payments.

No further business on said Commissioners adjourned.

John Robertson
Israel Robison
Commissioner
Tuesday, Sept 28th A.D. 1824.

Commissioners met agreeable to a notice from the Sheriff to examine into the case of Thomas More, an insane person committed to the jail of this county by Jacob Crooks, Justice of the Peace, for Newton Township.

Present:

John Robertson
Sara Brush
Israel Robertson

Whereupon, it was agreed that Dr. Miller, physician, be employed to administer medicinal aid to said insane person, in order to restore him to the sanity of his reason.

Commissioners adjourned.

John Robertson
Israel Robertson
Sara Brush

October 7th A.D. 1824.

Commissioners next to take into consideration the propriety of making an appropriation for the building of a bridge over Licking River.

Present,

Lt. Robertson &
Sara Brush

According to an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Ohio passed 20th February A.D. 1824, being "An Act authorizing the Commissioners of Muskingum county to contract for the erection of certain bridges over streams within said county," the commissioners by said act are authorized to appropriate fifty dollars for the building of a bridge over Licking River, on the road from Granville to Newark, on the north side of Licking Creek; and whereas Nathan Chambers has this day proposed to build said bridge, provided said Commissioners shall make the following appropriations — that is to say:—

1. That the Commissioners shall give said Chambers a subscription payable in materials at a grant of cash, to amount of fifty dollars, delivered at Dillon's mill, against the 1st February next, amounting to fifty dollars; and also in addition a subscription now in the hands of Mr. DeWitt, fifty dollars — and in addition thereto, on order on the Treasury of Muskingum County for twenty-three dollars and twenty-five cents, whenever said bridge is completed according to contract, which said bridge is to be completed on or before the 7th day of Dec next.— Whereupon the Commissioners agreed to the above proposal, entered into bond with said Chambers, and Roberts his security for the performance of building said bridge, according to the above stated conditions, which said
Saturday, 16th October, 1824.

Board of Commissioners assembled according to adjournment. Present as yesterday viz: John Robertson, David Brush & Israel Robinson Esqs.

This day proceeded to settle with James Thompson for building the jail & extra work done for public offices, as follows:

- The amount allowed for building the jail at per contract is $550.00
- Extra work done to jail & public offices done by sundry persons as per bill & invoice is $636.80

Total $1186.80

The above is correct on the books of $660.00

1st. Ordered by the Commissioners that the balance due said Thompson, the Auditor shall issue orders on the County Treasury for the same, as he may call therefor with interest from the time the said jail was finished, received, according to the minutes of the 9th June last, and that said Thompson receive said bond, which was accordingly given up.

2nd. It is further ordered by the Commissioners that any money that is in the State treasury in favor of the County of Washington, shall be subject to the order of said Thompson, and that the State treasury allow interest from the time said money was retained from said County, which said amount is to be charged to said Thompson.

John Robertson
David Brush & Commissioners

Land & plan of said bridge is filed in the Office.

No further business Commissioners adjourned.

John Robertson
Commissioner

Purchased by

Friday, October 13th, 1824.

Board of Commissioners assembled.

Present:

John Robertson, David Brush & Israel Robinson Esqs.

This Commissioners met agreeable to a notice given by James Thompson, contractor, for building the said jail, in order to view the same, & make settlement & see if the same is finished according to contract, and after a particular examination, comparing the same with the contract, and unanimously of opinion that the same is completed as required by said contract, have received the said jail from the hands of said Thompson, and on the same.

Not being able to close the settlement this evening, therefore adjourned, until to-morrow morning 8 o'clock.

John Robertson
Israel Robinson Commissioners

Purchased by
Monady, December 6th, 1824.

The Commissioners met according to Law.

Present:
John Robertson
Stephen Kibbin
John H. Eggleston

The above, being organized, proceeded to business.

A petition was presented by Abraham Violette, signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out beginning at a bridge on the Muskingum County Road, near the South East corner of James Hemmings's land, running thence as near the path now occupied as a road can be obtained till it intersects the gravel road at a near a white oak tree between Abraham Willey's land of Nicholas Gregory, thence.

The Commissioners appointed Abraham Hare, George Averay & Jn. Forshey to meet at the house of James Hemmings on the first Monday of February next, and make report to the next sitting of this board.

A petition was presented by James McGlashan, signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out beginning at Abram Roberts' bridge on the bank of the Muskingum river, thence the nearest part of the road to James Potamore, thence to Thomas Mitchell's in King Township, thence to McGlashan's grist mill, and thence to intersect the Harker road at Captainollenbach. Thereupon the Commissioners adjourned.

A petition was presented by Ltn. Dessureault, signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out beginning at the State road on the East side of South and Duck Creek opposite the former bridge on James Seffre's mill dam, and pass thence north to the County road at or near John Stevens' mill. Thereupon the Commissioners adjourned.

A petition was presented by Hugh Allison, signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out beginning at the State road on the East side of South and Duck Creek opposite the former bridge on James Seffre's mill dam, and pass thence north to the County road at or near John Stevens' mill. Thereupon the Commissioners adjourned.
by himself & others, praying that a road may be laid out & established, beginning at the Cape streets or in Salem, then a South & eastwardly directing trip Lechig Creek & Peter Rock's reef, in said land, thence the nearest & best ground to intersect a road at a new farm, Henley's, then being the County line.

Therefore, the Committee appointed, Nathan Flaxing, Esq., Governor of Jonathan Wood, Viewman, and Dr. P. E. to meet at the house of Hugh Allison, on Thursday the 16th Dec inst., and make report to the next sitting of this board according to law.

The following reports of roads were read the first time:

5th. Henry Wheaton's road, beginning at the County road at or near the Widow Gooden's house, running along her land until it intersects a road from the name of a township road, thence along said road to a road near Henry Wheaton's, thence on the brow of his flat hill it intersects said road at Ambrose Salsbery's & the said Wheaton's line, thence along the said hill it intersects the Marrietta road leading from Zanesville to Marrietta. This being a favorable report ordered to be read again to-morrow.

6th. In Smith's road; the viewers appointed by the Commissioners at last session to review said road as petitioned for being for, on which they were as such appointed, reported favorably; did also at this session report in favor of the same; therefore ordered to be read again to-morrow.

10th. Return of a state road from Cambridge to Mount Vernon was this day made by Joseph W. McFate, one of the road Commissioners, which was received, and ordered to be read & accepted according to law.

The Commissioners adjourned 10 O'Clock to-morrow A.D. 1824.


Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,

Wm. Robertson, Is. Allen & Robinson, Commrs.
Wm. Hand, Jr., Ex't.

This day a petition was presented by Thomas Gajewski, signed by himself & others, praying that a road may be laid out & established, as follows: "Beginning,
at a point not exceeding one half mile from the top of Stony Hill, east on the Cooper Mill road an Eastward direction to intersect the old Lancaster road at the Fords from on said road.

The petition was presented by Michael Bingham, signed by himself and others praying that an alteration may be made on a certain road as follows, viz: "beginning at the middle of Beers road immediately opposite the house of John Green in Lancaster town, and running thence to the South West corner of Michael Bingham's farm, on the nearest by said town and from there on the best ground to the bridge road at Mr. Parkinson's brick yards, opposite the house of David Hunter, is also to vacate all that part of Beers road that runs through the North East quarter of Section 11, Township No. 13, Range No. 13. Hereon the petitioners named.

A petition was presented by Andrew Fother, signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be established, beginning at the Methodist meeting house now past Mr. Jordan, at David's 4 Adam Stand, on the south side of the road close to the ridge, thence through the lands of James Howells, Andrew Howells, Sarah Robinson & the Widow Garden, thence to mile and a half from the fourth, thence through lands of Andrew & Aaron Wood & others, to the bridge, and at the bridge, tree with three matches in it south of the second town mile to be: Thence upon the commission appointed by William Jones, John Thomas, and Humphrey Wire, & Mr. McLellan, Surveyor, to meet at the Methodist meeting house on Saturday, 18th December, and make report to the next sitting of this board, according to law.

A petition was presented by James Melchotch, signed by himself & others, praying that an alteration may be made on the road leading from Samuel Howells farm to the gravel point on the Chaffin road, beginning on the old line in the West side of Section thirty six, thence, and running on or near the following courses, to wit: East sixty three rods, South thirty eight degrees East twenty six rods, South thirty six rods, South thirty six degrees East twenty six rods, South sixty three rods, South thirty three degrees North sixty three rods, South sixty three rods, South twenty six rods, South forty rods and from the old line: Thence upon the commission appointed by David Jones, John Buchan, Osborn, Humphrey Wire, and James Melchotch, Surveyor, to meet at Mr. Melchotch's on Tuesday the 21st day of December, and make report to the next sitting of this board, according to law.
6th In Houch's road, beginning about 2/4 mile East from Zanesville on the Tomah road, at a road commonly called Boggs road, running thence an Eastwardly direction with a new said road as may condues to the public benefit his the lands of Geo. Stidolph, James Carnan, Moses Bogg, W. McDowell, Houch's, H&P left of right of others, and so on until it intersects the County road leading from Liviensdorff's Mills to St. Roberts, where said Boggs road intersects the same, on the above said commissioners at last before appointed viewers to review said road, who at this session reported in favor of the establishment of said road and the commissioners believing said road necessary by order the same to be recorded, and opened the width of sixty feet, and hereof considered a public highway, and to be used accordingly.

19th Henry Bland's allocation of the Stilts road, beginning at Jonathan Wood's near Scio, thence East on the nearest 9 best ground South of the stream, thence South by West through the lands of Geo. Bogg, thence unites said road in to the the Coffin's road, thence North by East through the lands of of S. Adams, thence along said road near David Freeman's barn, thence East to S. Bland's barn, thence along the County road to James Taylor's garden, thence East to the Coshocton county line, and from what is called Holbaury's cabin.

The viewers appointed having at this session reported favorably, of the commissioners believing said allocation necessary hereby confirm the report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width of sixty feet, and hereafter considered as public highway, and used accordingly, and the former road that lies between the points of intersection to be vacated as soon as the new road is opened according to law in order to open said road to the said William F. B. Bowman for building, laid Copper for Newburgh township, 7th March 1825. The viewers appointed having at this session reported favorably, of the commissioners believing said
alteration necessary, hereby confirm the report, and
order the same to be recorded, and open the width
of sixty feet, and thereon consider a public
highway, and warrants accordingly: and the same
right lining, between the points of intersection is
hereby declared to be vacated, as soon as the new
road is opened according to law.

Made this 20th day of September, 1827.

Ordered by the Commissioners, that the Certificates
of deposit on the Greensville Canal & Manufactory
now in the County treasury, be disposed of by the
Treasurer, for the use of the County, at 25 per cent.
discount.

Ordered that C. T. Cow be allow the following
account, as per bill rendered, H. W.,
prepos. for Clerks Office, from Oct 30th, 1823.

Al, Aug. 8, 1824. Lem. 4 days
6.50.

Jesse on bonds & getting same.
37.50

65.00

Ordered, that H. Stillwell Esq. be allow easel
Ges on Manuals recognizance as per bill & rec!
received in Lunenburg County.

10.00

Order of Henry Whitley road, allow.

Jno. Nelson 2 days for survey
1.00

S. Pendleton Brewer
1.00

F. B. C. do
1.00

D. T. C. do
1.00

J. W. H. do
1.00

John Scotty, Chain Carrier
.75

David King do
.75

Henry Gatliff Marker
.75

15.00

18. John Hampton's road, allow.

Jno. Roberts Surveyor 1/2 day
2.25

Jno. Thomas, Surveyor
1.00

S. D. R. do
1.00

D. G. H. do
1.00

Anthony W. H. do
1.00

Benjamin Gardner do
.75

Thomas Cunningham do
.75

6.30

16. David Wells's Location of road not the first
Commissions adjourned until the morning
of October 2nd, 1827.
Wednesday, 8th Dec. (1824.)
Commissioners met according to adjournment.

Present

James Robertson, Sec.
Isaac Robinson, & John Handley.

1st Ordered. That Hugh Callahan Esq, be allowed his account as presented this day, for services as Attorney and Solicitor for the County, bill filed. $30.00

2nd Ordered. That Mr. Duly be allowed a bill of eight dollars, fifty cents, for making stone steps for said Duly. $8.50

3rd Ordered. That Mr. Boscawen & Mr. Allen be allowed a bill of seventeen dollars, twenty-five cents, for making articles for said Duly, as per bill. $17.25

4th Ordered. That Mr. Boscawen & Mr. Allen be allowed a bill of one hundred seventy-one dollars, twenty-five cents, for keeping piers in said stone steps. From July 17th to 30th, 1824, as per bill.

5th Ordered. That Mr. Wm. Boscawen & Mr. Allen be allowed to draw on the County Treasury, for the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars, towards his services as Auditor.

[Signature]

This petition of David Hill was committed to the second reading. David Hill handed in his petition at last session signed by himself & others, praying that

Vernon may be made on that part of the road leading from Dresden to New York, on 10 or more of the same as runs through a number of those one and twenty, commencing about one quarter of a mile from Dresden, & go on unto a street that intersects the above road; the said having been made in open season two days to this present, and no reason or cause being found in against said location, the Commissioners therefore declare the same to be vacated, agreeable to law.

The following report of a road was read this session:

James Hampson's road, beginning on the north side of Canajoharie, at the end of Seventh Street, there on Fifth Street to the line of the South side of the Grand Road made to Zanes, and near where W. Rhodes' house now stands, thence on the present of best ground to the South side of Miller's run, opposite James Hampson's Salt works, the view appointed, repeated in open of said road. At same time was presented a petition from Samuel Hammond setting forth that if the above report should be confirmed as therein stated, he should sustain heavy damages. Whereupon the Commissioners appointed Fred. Whipple,Increase Matthews & George Jackson, to view & report of determine how much of valuable the land or premises of said complainant will be assessed by the opening said road: to report the same in writing to the Commissioners, on or before the first Monday in March next, and therein to meet at Sam' Thompson's office, the first Monday in January next; and take to their & to their F. Roberts as Deputy.

M. B. Orman signed & gave to M. L. Lambe. 1st Jan. 1825.
8th Ordered, That Sam. Heming July have an order on the treasury for seven ten dollars, for part of his fees as Attorney for the County of Muskogee County.

9th Ordered, That the Auditor issue an order on the treasury for eleven dollars, fifty nine cents, four mills, being one of the duties due on the Dolgo farms, now belonging to the County, and pay said tax there with.

The Commissioners therefore adjourned their Dec session.

John Robertson
Israel Robinson Commissioner
John Anderson

Monday, March 5th 1825

The Commissioners of Muskogee County, in a
court of law, according to Law.

Present:

In the Name of the People

Israel Robinson
John Moore

The Board being organized proceeded to business.

1. Ordered, That the County pay a bond of seventy dollars to the acceptance of the Commissioners, for the faithful performance of his duties as county auditor for two years from the first instant; and moreover that he subscribe the necessary oath of office as required by law.

2. A petition was presented by William Hunter, signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be established, as follows: "Beginning in the county road North of Andrew Bell's at a large dead wood on the North side of the road from thence to Hunter's barn, from thence to John Watkins' mill." Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John Gilchrist, Evan Grant and Henry Harrington, and John Moore, Surveyor, to meet at the house of Andrew Bell, on Monday the 13th, and make report to the next session of this board, according to law.

3. A petition was presented by Henry Dickey, signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be established as follows: "Beginning at Jacob Hawky's mill, running thence between Jacob Hawky's improvement and the improvement belonging to Mr. Wynn deceased, thence near by Mr. Wynn's house, the best way to do him the least injury on the line or as near that line as the ground will admit of, to
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fellow as near the same line which runs East from
the said Dr. Wood's to the Hideo Caldwell's
the ground will suit, hence the nearest & best
way to David Findlay's mill." Thereupon
the commissioners appointed Mr. Coghey, In.
Anjuch & George Barter's viewers, Joseph W.
McManus surveyors, to meet at Jacob Delaume
on Monday the 21st instant, and to make reports
to the next sitting of this board according to
law.

A petition was presented by William Del.
signed by himself & others, praying that a road
be laid out as follows: commencing at S. Chandler's
Smith shop, thence on Southwardly direction to
Danie Reaves, thence to Frederick Belges, then
to Nathaniel McCloud, thence to intersect the
McConnellville road at Andrew Stilson's in
Blue-ock township? Thereupon the Commi-
ioners appointed Abraham movers, Enoch Shrop.
William Cooper's viewers, & Mr. Moore surveyors
To meet at Sam. Chandlers on Monday 21st
instant, & make report to this board on or before
the first day of next session, according to
law.

The following reports of roads were made &
seemingly read. The first session, viz.
8. Michael Stockman's road: beginning at
the middle of Rever's road immediately opposite
to the house of Mr. Quin in Janacville township,
running thence to the South West corner of
Michael Stockman's farm, on the nearest of
a ground, thence on the best ground to the
Marilla road, at Dr. Parkinson's, thence oppo
to the house of David Hunter.

The viewers appointed made a repor

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of making the alteration as petitioned
for. Thereupon a remonstrance was handed
in by Mr. Parkinson signed by himself & others,
praying that a revised might be agreed on
the opposite part; Therefore Ordered by the Com-
missioners that Mr. Del. Levi Stipple, Levi Chap-
man, Anthony Williams & Thomas Wickham be &
they are hereby appointed & necessary to view said
Mr. Roberts surveyor, to meet at Mr. Jones	on Saturday the 22nd day of April next, & make
report to the next session of this board according to
law.

Abraham Tollock's road, this being a
favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

James McClayson's road, this being a
favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

James Tompkins's road, this being a
favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Hugh Allison's road, this being a
favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Thomas Sam's road, this report being
in favor of establishing this road, ordered to be read tommorrow.

Andrew Foster's road, this being a
favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

James McClintock's alteration of road, this
being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Ordered, that the Auditor record, I shall send, at
return to this Office 6th Decemb 1824, laid out from
Cambridge in Genesey County, thence to Mr. Domen
Tuesday, March 8th, 1825.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment, present,

Jno. Robertson 3
Israel Robinson 3
Jno. Handle Cap.

The following reports on roads were generally in the second time, according to Law, viz: 1st. William Thompson's road, "beginning at the State road on the East side of Jonathan's Creek at or near the former bridge across James Jeffries' mill-dam, and from thence on the road and best ground by Edward Bells farm, and from thence South between Nathaniel Chalmers' & William Thompson's farms, from thence through E. J. Hardin & Nicholas Dickie to the Brack [Brock?] country road at or near the school house by Sanderson's mill to intersect said road as above described.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed a surveyor to view & survey the said road, and the surveyor having at this Session reported favorably, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary for public utility, do hereby confirm the report, and the same to be recorded, & opened the width of sixty feet, & hereafter considered as a public highway, & to be worked accordingly.

2d. Andrew Foster's road, "beginning at the Methodist meeting house in Mexico, thence to the said road, & from thence to the line close to the ridge, thence through lands of James McCauley, Andrew Howell, Isaac Robinson & the Widow Prince's, thence to Fredell's prairie, thence through lands of Andrew McCullough to others to the Marietta road, all a hickory lane, with three patches in it South of the Seventeen south tree."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed a surveyor to view & survey the said road, and the surveyor having at this Session reported favorably, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary for public utility, do hereby confirm the report, and the same to be recorded, & opened the width of sixty feet, & hereafter considered a public highway, & to be worked accordingly.

May 25th, 1825. order for 30 acres given to Sam'l Brown.
JAMES HAMPSON'S road, beginning on the South side of Gainesville at the end of a seventh street, thence South so as to continue with a near the South line of the grant made to Janes, and near where Dr. Schoeter's house now stands, thence on the nearest & best ground to the South side of the mill run of opposite Janes "Hampson's Salt Works."

Therefore the Commissioners appointed viewers of a surveyor to view, survey & lay out said road as pointed out in the petition, & at last December session the viewers reported in favor establishing said road; at same time Leonidas S. Hammur, presented a petition before the board representing that if said road should be opened & established through his premises as surveyed & laid out he should sustain heavy damages; Whereupon the Commissioners at said session appointed suitable persons to view & after said damages, who reported at this session in favor of said complainant the sum of forty dollars.

The Commissioners believing said road necessary and of public utility, do hereby confirm the above reports as entited to, and order the same to be recorded, & opened the width of sixty feet, & hereafter considered a public highway, and order the same to be worked accordingly.

GEORGE Bouff laid before the board a petition representing that on account of a road called Hounks road as laid out & established through his premises is a serious injury & damage to him, & praying that suitable persons may

The following bills of expenses of roads were allowed:

**Abraham Bolling's road.**
- In 1st Month 10 days surveying done $2.25
- Thos. Warner 1 day drawing 1.00
- Charles Warren 1 day surveying & laying out 1.00
- In 2nd Month 1 day chaining 0.75
- Caleb Sims 1 day marking 0.75
- (Abraham Bolling 1 day marking) Total $7.50

**James H Colson's road.**
- In 3rd Month 5 days surveying & platting $7.50
- Levi Greene 3 days surveying 3.00
- E. Hollenback 3 days & 1 day returning 4.00
- Mill Young 3 days surveying 3.00
- Levi Thomas 3 do. chaining 2.25
- Henry J. Thax 3 do. chaining 2.25
- Van. Bavenagh 3 do. marking 3.25
- Total $24.25
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| 13th | Hugh Allison's road | Roberts 4 days surveying and platting | £6.00 |
|      |      | Jonathan Reed 3 days viewing | £3.00 |
|      |      | John Knowles 3 do ao | £3.00 |
|      |      | Nathan Fleming 2 do ao | £2.00 |
|      |      | Hugh Allison 3 do chaining | £2.25 |
|      |      | Isaac Pole 3 do ao | £2.25 |
|      |      | Leonard Lamp 1 day marking | £7.50 |
|      |      | Total | £17.25 |

| 14th | Thomas James' road | Roberts 2 days surveying and platting | £3.00 |
|      |      | Springer 1 day surveying | £1.00 |
|      |      | Mathew Ellings 1 day ao | £1.00 |
|      |      | Nicholas Pierce 1 do ao | £1.00 |
|      |      | Robert Meade 1 do chaining | £7.75 |
|      |      | Edna Jordan 1 do ao | £7.75 |
|      |      | Cornelius Springer 1 do marking | £7.50 |
|      |      | Total | £8.25 |

15th Ordered, That Fortine W. have an order on the Treasurer for £13.50 work done in felling stumps, as per bill No. 4 file. 
16th Ordered, That In. McFee be permitted to draw an order on the Treasurer for sixty days any time between this and the first June next, towards his current year's salary as Auditor. 
17th Ordered, That the Treasurer of Washington county hereafter pay off the Officers stock out of any money in the treasurer.
18th Ordered, That J. L. Harbison have an order on the treasurer for $50, for damages sustained by him on account of J. Harbison's road running through his premises.
Ordered, That the said Saunders who is held as security for Sir H. Edwins in a note of hand in favor of the County, amounting to $2000 of the interest that has accrued on the same, be permitted to pay the same in full in stock of Cash or goods, and that the auditor dispose of the same to the best advantage on behalf of the County.

22d. Ordered, That the Auditor rent the house, garden and meadow of the Dobbs farm (so called) now belonging to said County, to John Caples for one year from 2d day of April, next, for the sum of one hundred dollars, and that said lands be permitted to cut timber enough to fence in as much pasture as he may think proper for his own use, at his own expense and said lands is prohibited from cutting or making use of any timber of any kind on said farm except for fencing, as above, and dry timber sufficient for fire wood; and said Auditor is hereby authorized to take said lands part of hand for the above payment, to be paid one half in the months, and balance in one year from first day of April next.

Thereupon Commissioners adjourn'd until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Wednesday, March 29th, 1835.

The board met pursuant to adjournment.

Phineas Robbins, Esq.

Israel Robinson, Esq.

J. Hands, Esq.

The Commissioners deemed it necessary to have order a public sale of the premises necessary to be made, upon the following conditions, the lowest bidder shall be the purchaser by the purchaser giving bond & approved security for the faithful performance of the contract; the work to be done on or before the 1st Monday of June next, all in a neat, durable, substantial & genteel manner, for which said repairs the Commissioners obligate themselves to pay the purchaser in county orders against the agrarian house.

The following are the repairs ordered to be made, viz: The windows, Shutters are to be taken off & carefully laid in the middle room of the Court house in 2'd story.

The windows of door frames to be painted two coats white.

The doors outside to be painted Spanish brown. (unison red.)

Wen Tins, sides of doors to be painted green.

All the path on out side, to be painted two coats white.

Cost, sills & fascias painted one coat of white (heavy.)

Brick wall painted (as said of Bostwick's house) & pencilled with white lead.

Borning to be painted 2 coats white.

The lattice- blinds, and all other parts thereof to be painted two coats; the same colour that it was formerly painted.

The Auditor is hereby authorized to have the notice of said sale advertised according to law in the Harrison and Allegheny. Sale to commence on Saturday the 9th day of April next, at 9 o'clock.

A petition was presented before this board.
The Commissioners met in order to set up at public sale, according to notice given in the 'Harper's' Union (by Democratic Republican) the repairs necessary to be made on the Court House in Jonesville, according to the minutes of the 9th of March last.

Present

In. Robertson
Israel Robinson
In. Candle Enos

When the following conditions of sale for the above purpose were unanimously adopted, and signed by said Commissioners, and set up at the Court House door during the time of sale as ordered to be recorded, to wit:

The conditions of this present sale for making Sunday repairs to the Court House in Jonesville, subject to a description of the same as recorded on the minutes of the Commissioners of the 9th March last, are as follows:

1. The lowest bidder shall be the buyer, the purchaser will be required to give bond with approved security to the Commissioners in double the amount of what said repairs may be bid off for.

2. The purchaser will be required to have said repairs completely made & finished, according to the specifications in every respect as above alluded to, on or before the first (Monday in June) next, all in a neat, durable, substantial & workmanlike manner.

3. The Commissioners agree to pay the purchaser in County orders on demand, the full amount of what said repairs may be bid off for, any time after the first Monday of June next; Provided, the repairs
are made agreeable to the above conditions of the
acceptance of the Commissioners.

April 7th, 1825.

(Signed) Jno. Robertson
Isaac Robinson
John Handle.

In o Harris 6 was appointed to try the case.

The sale was opened, when In. Flood bid off the mourners, 
and completing the repairs of said court house at $120.
was the sum of one hundred & nineteen dollars. $119.00.

The said In. Flood, appeared & gave bond with
Thomas Flood, in $30, conditioned for the faithful
appearance of the repair as advertised.

Ordered, that In. Harris 6 have an order for
fifty cents for trying the sale as advertised.

Commissioners adjourned.

Jno. Robertson
Isaac Robinson, Com.
John Handle.
Ordered, That Daniel Brush Collector for the year 1824, appear and produce the Treasurer's receipts, showing that he has settled up, and paid over all monies in his hands on Collections, in which he was liable as Collector to pay over, according to law.

Ordered, That Daniel Brush Collector for the year 1824, have an order on the Treasurer, for $125.00, for additional deficiences of said year, he having paid the same into the Treasury on the above settlement.

Ordered, That Daniel Brush (Jabez, Lewis Games, Deputy Assessor, each have an order on the Treasury, for fifty dollars, toward their present year's services as Assessor.)

Archer John Galbraith, appears this day & applies for the keeping of Sarah Woods an infant from now on the case of said Galbraith, as per agreement, for one year from the 20th day of August next.

Whereupon the Commissioners order the Sheriff to take bond from said Galbraith, as principal, to receive John Driscoll as security, for the faithful performance of said Galbraith, for the safe keeping of said infant, on friendly terms.
Petition was presented by Levi Starkey, signed by himself & others, praying that an alteration may be made on the Flint ridge road in Springfiel Township, beginning at the west end of Sargent Gray's lane, from thence South of the old road until it comes unto John Trangier's land & through said land, until it intersects the old road at the mouth of Joseph Brown's road in said Township.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John Young, John Johnson, Joseph Radmon, & Charles Roberts Surveyors, to meet at Levi Starkey's on Thursday the 13th instant, and make report to the next sitting of this Board, according to law. Mr. Levi Starkey & The Galson entered into bonds to say all costs & all damages which may be proved to any person that whose land it may pass.

The following report on roads was severally read the second time, according to law:

William Hunter's Road; "beginning in the county road North of Andrew Bell's at a large tree, and prolonging in a direct line on the West side of the road from thence to Mr. Hunter's Dr. from thence to John Warden's Dr."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed William Hunter's Surveyor, to view & survey the said route, and the Surveying at this session reported. Pramly, if the Commissioners believing said road necessary of of public utility, do hereby conform the report, & order the same to be recorded, if open of the width of sixty feet, & hereof considered a public roadway, & to be worked accordingly.

In order to open said given to Mr. Warden 20th. Oct. 1855.

Henry Beacom's road; "beginning at Sargent Baker's mill, running thence between
Jacob Donner's improvement of the improvements belonging to Mr. Wm. deacon, thence near by to Wm. Wright, the best way to do him, the least injury, on to the line as near therto as the ground will admit of, to follow as near the same line which runs east from near the said In. Wm. to the river Caldwells as the ground will suit, then the nearest and best way to David Sunday's mile. Therefore the Commissioners appointed William W. a surveyor, to view & survey the said road, and the viewer having at this session reported favorably of the Commissioners believing said road necessary for public utility, do hereby confirm the report, and order the same to be recorded, and open the width of sixty feet, thence considered a public highway, to be walked accordingly. 

This day the Commissioners purchased of Mr. Donner.

The stable by him built on the public square near the jail, for the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars, thence order the Auditor to pass an order on the County treasurer for the aforesaid sum.

$120.00

Agness Adams' petition for damages.

The viewers appointed at last session to view & determine the damage by her sustained on account of the state road leading from Cambridge to Mount Vernon, passing thru the premises, made report at this session, and do offer said damage at twenty seven dollars, & the Commissioners believing the same to be just & reasonable hereby confirm the report, and order the Auditor on demand to pass an order on the County for that sum.

$37.00

George Huff's petition for damages.

The viewers appointed at last session to view & determine the damage by him sustained on account of In. Church's road passing through his land, made report at this session, and offered damages in favor of said Complainant the sum of $33.60.

Two of the Commissioners having viewed said road, and as it appears this said Huff's land, were of opinion that said damages was laid too high; therefore it was unanimously agreed by the Commissioners, that the Auditor pass an order on the treasury in favor of said Complainant for the sum of seventeen dollars, in full for said damages.

Mr. Geo. Huff owes the county $5.00 on account of a survey done on Wm. at $5.00, therefore found an order to said Huff for $3.50 to be held in favor of a as a new $15.00
9th. The following bills on roads were allowed. viz.  
  William Hunter's road  
  # to M. M. Surveying, platting  
  # to M. McCombs  
  # Evan Crane  
  # Henry Karns  
  # Samuel McCombs  
  # Joseph Mauthe  
  # Daniel Comstock marking  
  total $7.50

10th. Henry Reasoner's road  
  # Joseph McCombs surveying and platting  
  # John Annis 2 days viewing  
  # George Bowers  
  # Geo. Eldberry  
  # James Galagher 2 days chaining  
  # James McCombs  
  # Peter Reasoner 2 days marking  
  total $13.50

11th. William Bets's road  
  # Jno. Moore 3 days surveying and platting  
  # Geo. McCombs 2 days viewing  
  # Adam Warne  
  # lite making, return  
  # Josh. Cooper 2 days viewing  
  # Jno. Bets 2 days chaining  
  # Daniel Reed  
  # Nath. McLeod 2 days marking  
  total $17.75

Agnes Adams was allowed for damages.  
Robert Briggs viewer  
M. McCombs  
Joseph Bowers  
total $1

George Coffin was allowed for damages.  
James Thompson viewer  
Hudson Denison  
total $1

Commissioners adjourned until tomorrow morning  
8 O'clock.

Wednesday, June 8th, 1835.  
Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. 
Present.
John Robertson  
Israel Robinson, conv.  
John Blankenship

Ordered that Geo. Peters be allowed an account  
of twenty dollars for furnishing the Missouri with  
21 lots of the civil township of Missouri 
County, of the lots of the town of Ganseville, Ganseville, Dresden, New Milford, Union town, & West Ganseville, as per bill rendered 7th.  

A petition was presented before this board by Robert Fulton & Dan. Converse praying that  
suitable persons may be appointed to assist in  
determining the damages they may sustain in a  
certain road known by the name of Henry Blodges.
alteration of road, established at last December, the club should be opened as laid out through their premises. Thereupon the Commissioners appoint

Mr. Mathews, Thomas, Wickham, and Samuel Jones, witnesses, to appraise and determine said damages according to law, to meet at the 1st day of December next, to make a report thereof in writing and return the same, or on before the first Monday in December next.

Collector appointed.

This day, agreeable to a former arrangement, the Commissioners proceeded to appoint a collector for the current year, among a number of applicants, Mr. HEOCK, ap adverse of Morses, to collect the State tax at six percent. Collector fees and the county tax for nothing, whereupon the Commissioners, desiring Mr. HEOCK a suitable person to act as Collector, unanimously appointed the said Mr. HEOCK collector of the land and county tax, in Y for the county of Muskingum for the year 1825, and order the Auditor to take bonds with good and sufficient surety, or double amount of each duplicate, according to law.

4th (County Levy)
The Commissioners order the county tax to be levied as high as the law will allow for the current year.

5th. This day the Commissioners proceeded to examine the accounts of the county auditor, to find the same satisfactory and correctly kept.

6th. Commissioners adjourned until 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Thursday June 9th, 1825.

Commissioners met according to adjournment.

Present

Mr. Robertson
Israel Robinson
Mr. Hartshorne

Settlement with Treasurer.

This day the Treasurer presented his accounts for funds to the Commissioners to examine the same, and find the accounts correctly kept. There remains on settlement with said Treasurer Thomas E. Moorehead the sum of one thousand six hundred eighty-two dollars, seventy-four cents, four mills, county's money, consisting in notes, deposits of uncurrenent bank paper.

Treasurer appointed.

The Commissioners then proceeded to the appointment of Treasurer. Thomas E. Moorehead was unanimously appointed Treasurer of Muskingum County for the year 1825, and order the Auditor to take bond in the sum of five thousand dollars, with sufficient surety.

On the aforesaid settlement with the Treasurer, all the orders that was redeemed up to this date the Commissioners burned.

Michael Dickman's alteration of the Posey road, beginning at the middle of
Ordered, that John H. Gray be allowed as follows for his services as Auditor from 1st June last up to the 1st June 1825, viz: 

For making out the duplicates of State returns for the year 1824, making out copies of the same as required by law, 3-

Proceeding proceedings of the Commissioners and other necessary records, drawing orders on the County treasury, if all other services required of said Gray as auditor agrees to law up to the first day of June 1825 amounting to the sum of—


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Ordered, that the Treasurer of Muskingum County is hereby authorized to draw on the treasury for any sum not exceeding two hundred dollars towards his current year's services as auditor.

Ordered, that the Auditor advertise an exhibit of the receipts of expenses of this County for the year 1824 in the Ohio Republican.

This day the Commissioners examined the repairs made to the Court house by Mr. Woods, as per agreement made 14th April 1825. And, after a particular examination of the same with the contract, and unanimously of opinion that the same is completed as required by said contract, and receive the same from the hands of said Woods, and are therefore satisfied.
Ordered, that the Auditor issue county NEW to John Flood for the balance that may be due him for making the extract agreed at the contract.

Also, ordered, that John Flood be allowed twenty dollars for extra work done to said Court house.

No further business on hand, the Commissioners adjourned.

John Robertson
Isaiah Robinson
John Handle

Whereupon, it was agreed that Doctor B. Mitchell be employed to administer medicines to said insane person, in order to restore her to the exercise of her reason, if possible.

Ordered, that the Auditor draw an order on the County treasury in favor of Mathew Chambers, for the sum of twenty-three, twenty-five cents, being the balance in full for building a bridge over limestone run.

Commissioners adjourned.

John Robertson
Isaiah Robinson
John Handle
Saturday. September 17th. B1825.

The commissioners met to examine into the case of Catharine Deitenheiffer, a lunatic, now in the jail of Mifflin County.

Present,

John Robertson 3
Isaac Robinson 3 Commit
John Händle 3

Whereupon, Dr. Robt. Mitchell, the physician employed to administer medical aid, in order to restore her to her reason, made the following report,

Whereas on the 27th of August 1825, I was applied to by the commissioners of Mifflin County, to attend to Catharine Deitenheiffer, a lunatic, that now is in the jail of said County, am of opinion that from her age, to use the means generally more useful to restore persons in her situation, would be improper, or account of her age & delicacy, therefore am of opinion she would be better if she was sent into the county under the care of some careful person.

Ordered, That doctors Mitchell & Spangler be allowed three dollars & fifty cents for medical attendance on Catharine Deitenheiffer, a lunatic, as per bill presented - $3.50

Also two dollars & fifty cents for medical attendance on Thomas Morehouse, an insane person, as per bill - $2.50

Ordered, That H. Stillwell Esq. be allowed ten dollars, Collection fees on $200, Case of the State vs. T. Kaufel, at 5 per cent, as per bill rec'd. - $10.00

No other business on hand, the commissioners adjourned.

John Robertson
Israel Robt., 3rd
John Händle

Whereupon the Commissioners deemed it most advisable, & they do hereby authorize the auditor to employ some suitable person to take said lunatic & feed her in clothing, meat, drink, lodging & washing it, upon the most reasonable terms not exceeding one dollar per week, to be paid in county orders, & to take bond & security of said person that may agree to take her.
Saturday, Oct 15th 1825.
The commissioners met. Present.

Mr. Robertson
Aspel Robinson
Mr. Handle Ewing

The commissioners, county auditor and the Aspel, met according to law, in order to constitute a board of equalization for Muskingum County, & after examining the abated list as returned by the Aspel & making some alterations, proceeded to examine the deputy Aspel's account, when the following order was made.

Ordered, That Lewis James, Deputy Aspel, be allowed for 101 days' services as stated, the sum of two hundred & forty-eight dollars, to be paid in county orders on demand.

The sum of two hundred & forty-eight dollars, to be paid in county orders on demand.

$248.00

This day some further alterations were made in the abstract returned by the Aspel, whereupon the Board adjourned.

John Robertson
Aspel Robinson, Commrs.
Mr. Handle Ewing

Whereupon the Commissioners adjourned until Monday morning at 10 O'Clock.

Monday, Oct 17th 1825.
The board met pursuant to adjournment. Present as on Saturday last.

The following bill was presented, wherein it was Ordered by the Commissioners, that Doctor Mitchell & Drangar be allowed a bill of $12.00 for medical attendance on public a Criminal, confined in the jail of Muskingum County.

Ordered, That Daniel Brazil, Aspel, be allowed for 121 days services as aforesaid.

$12.00
Monday, December 5th, D. 1835.

The commissioners met, according to law.

Present:

Israel Robinson

John Henderson

Joseph Springer

The board being organized proceeded to business.

1st. A petition was presented by Henry Spencer, signed by himself & others, praying that a road may be laid out & established as follows: viz: "Beginning at said Baker's mile in Berry township, from thence on the nearest & best ground to intersect the Plainfield road, near the corner of Mr. Stankey's field in Salem township, from thence on the nearest & best ground to the Coshocton county line near Charles Marquardt's mill in Howard township." Thereupon the commissioners appointed John Robertson, John Eckelbong & John Kenner, viewers, and Joseph M. McClure, surveyor, to meet at Baker's mile, on Tuesday the 20th instant, to make report to the next sitting of this board, according to law.

Mr. order for a view was given to Mr. Spencer, above date.

2nd. A petition was presented by Henry Handschy, praying that an alteration may be made in Martindale's otherwise McManus's road, "beginning on said Handschy's line, so as to bring said road more central at its junction with the Wheeling road, on said Handschy's land." Thereupon the commissioners appointed George Day, Charles Henderson,
The following report on roads were made and severally read the first time, viz.

Mr. Scott's road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Archibald Campbell's road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Levi Starkey's alteration of the Blood ridge road in Springfield township, beginning at the west end of Legit Gray's lane, thence south of the old road until it comes into John Tanant's land, then through said land until it intersects the old road at the mouth of Joseph Brown's road in said township.

The viewers appointed to make said alteration having at this session reported unfavorably, the alteration was accordingly set aside.

Ordered, that the county auditor issue a county order in favor of Samuel Troyet, for the sum of $6.00, being surplus of money by him paid into the county treasury.

on a State license, which the treasurer accounted for in last June settlement.

The following reports on roads were severally committed to the second reading, viz.

Mr. Scott's road, beginning at a white oak on Speakes & Reynolds road at the north east quarter of section number eight in the township of Highland, thence to follow the line of blazed at the salt works road, at or near a bridge between Jacob Connelie & James Henderson.

Thereupon the commissioners appointed viewer & a surveyor to view & survey the said road, and the viewers having at this session reported favorably, the commissioners believing said road necessary & of public utility, do hereby confirm the report, & order the same to be readed, & the width of sixty feet, & hereafter considered a public highway & to be worked accordingly.

Given under the hand & seal of the said Scott, 7th Dec 1825.

Hereupon the Commissioners adjourned until 9 O'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, 6th December, D 1825.

Commissioners present pursuant to adjournment.

Present,

Israel Robinson
John Hannef & Commr.
Joseph Springer

The following reports on roads were severally committed to the second reading, viz.

1st. Mr. Scott's road, beginning at a white oak on Speakes & Reynolds road at the north east quarter of section number eight in the township of Highland, thence to follow the line of blazed at the salt works road, at or near a bridge between Jacob Connelie & James Henderson.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed viewer & a surveyor to view & survey the said road, and the viewers having at this session reported favorably, the Commissioners believing said road necessary & of public utility, do hereby confirm the report, & order the same to be readed, & the width of sixty feet, & hereafter considered a public highway & to be worked accordingly.

Given under the hand & seal of the said Scott, 7th Dec 1825.
D. Archibald Campbell's Road, beginning at Richard Cabeen's barn on White Geo Creek, from thence to Archibald Campbell's barn, from thence to the Wheeling road, at or near the house of Mr. F. Raines.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed a surveyor to view & survey the said road, and the surveyor having at this session reported favorably, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary & of public utility, do hereby confirm the report, & order the same to be recorded, & opened the width of sixty feet, & hereafter considered a public highway, & to be worked accordingly. Mr. Raines to survey & give to Arch. Campbell.

S. John Parkinson, came before the Board a petition representing that on account of an alteration of the Reedy's road as granted on petition to Michael Lockman, as laid out & established this his land, is a great injury to him, & praying that suitable persons may be appointed to view, & assess according to what damage said Complainant has or will sustain by the opening said road.

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed Francis Silver, Robert Duggs & Joseph Smith, viewers to view, assess & determine how much loss or value the land or premises of said Complainant has or will be rendered by opening said alteration of road, & report the same in writing to this Board, on or before the first Monday in March next, to meet at the house of Mr. Parkinson on Saturday the 17th instant, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day.

Mr. order to view given to Mr. Parkinson, this day.

James Campbell applied to rent for another year, the said Office, East of the auditor's Office, which application was granted, by his paying to the County Treasurer for the use of the County, three dollars per month, for same, to commence the 1st Decr. 1825.

The following bills on roads were severally allowed.

Mr. Scott's Road:
* Joseph W. McComas one day surveying & platting — $1.00
* Daniel Hammond ten days viewing — $1.00
* Joseph Williamson one day viewing — $1.00
* Jacob Linder, do making return of plat report — $1.00
* Elijah Heggins one day chaining — $1.00
* James W. Cabeen one day chaining — $1.00
* Samuel Hammond one day marking — $1.00

$18.12

Archibald Campbell's Road.
* John Moore Surveying & platting — $2.25
* John Officer one day viewing — $1.00
* Barnet Standish — $1.00
* Enoch Merri — $1.00
* Thomas Cabeen one day chaining — $1.00
* Joseph Moore — $1.00
* Thomas Campbell one day marking — $1.00

$7.50
Ordered, That the following persons be allowed the several sums herein after enumerated, being fees in Field for services rendered in the case of Catharine Deutenhofer a lunatic.

- Peter Green, Constable — $3.00
- Samuel Leman, Swor — $50
- John Zepf, Swor — $50
- Beverly Leman, Swor — $50
- Jacob Tangi, Swor — $50
- Danz Colon, Swor — $50
- Mrs. Blunt, Swor — $50
- Nathan Webb, Swor — $50
- David Wett, Esq., fees on said case 1st Nov. 1825 — $219.93
- David Wett, Esq., fees on said case 1st Dec. 1825 — $7-5½

Commissioners adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, Dec 7th, 1825.
The Commissioners sent pursuant to adjournment
Present,
Israel Robinson
John Handel
Joseph Springer Capt.

1st Ordered, That J. H. Sty be permitted, if he is hereby authorized to draw county orders in his favor, for any sum not exceeding two hundred dollars, towards his current year's services as auditor.

Ordered, That J. H. Burwell, Sheriff, be allowed a bill of two hundred nineteen dollars, ninety three cents, for board and services in said case, summoning two grand juries, August 1st November, Terms 1825, auditing general collection, putting partition in prison, half year's allowance in State cases, feed for prisoners, including expenses for keeping Catharine Deutenhofer a lunatic, up to the 30th Nov. 1825, inclusive, as to bill rendered & filed. $219.93

Ordered, That James Farnes be allowed the sum of three dollars, for cleaning the public well, provided the same is done immediately, to the satisfaction of Jno. Burwell & Robert Fulford. $3.00

The county auditor is hereby authorized to contract with some person or persons to put graters in the floors of the lower prions, & to erect chimney from the garret floor through the roof.

No other business on hand, the commission was adjourned.

Israel Robinson
John Handel
Joseph Springer
Monday, March 6th, 1826.

The Commissioners met according to law.

Present:

James Robinson

W. H. Hanks

Joseph Springer Esq.

The following reports were made & severally read:

1st. Spence's road; this being a favourable report ordered to be read again tomorrow.

2nd. Henry Handschey's alteration of Stanton's, (alias) 13 Lane's road; a favourable report ordered to be read again tomorrow.

3rd. A petition was presented by James Berry, signed by himself & others, praying that a road may be laid out & established as follows, viz:

Beginning at Robert Henderson's on the Muskingum river, from thence to James Berry's on the federal road, from thence to James Stover's mill.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed James Thompson, David Hutt, & Nicholas Deitwick viewers, and the Commissioners' surveyor, to meet at Robert Henderson's, on Friday the 5th instant, & make report to the next sitting of this board according to law.

4th. Ordered, that Francis Silver, deputy collector, under Daniel Brush, in 1824, be allowed a county order for the sum of two dollars & fifty cents, additional defalcations in the county for said year, which he accounted for, but has been unable to collect.

5th. Ordered, that Doctor Mitchell & Spinler be allowed a title of sixteen dollars & fifty cents for attention & medicine on Catherine Dunton's lunatic, confined in the jail of Muskingum county.

The Commissioners adjourned until 9 o'clock, to-morrow.
Tuesday, March 7th, 1826.

The Commissioners, in pursuance to adjournment,
Present.

Isaac Robinson 
John Hantley, Commrs.
Joseph Springer, Exgs.

A petition was presented by William Buck, signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows, viz: "Beginning at the North East corner of Mr. Buck's land in the Cooper mile road on the line between Sections Number 11 and 12, thence "North with said line to a black oak tree, thence "a North eastward course on the nearest v best "ground to the line between Mathews and land, thence with said line North to the old Plac "road by the widow Van houn's, thence with said "road to the upper bridge."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed James Jeffries, James Thompson and Lewis Gray, view and Mr. Anderson, surveyor, to meet at Mr. Buck's on Friday the 17 instant, and make report to the next sitting of this board according to Law.

No Order for a view is this date given to Geo. Adams.

3. The following reports on roads were severally committed to the second reading, and confirmed by William Spencer's road, "Beginning at Jacob Baker's mile in Perry township, from thence on the nearest and best ground to intersect the Plainfield road near the corner of Mr. Stanley's field in Salem township, from thence on the nearest v best ground to the Cohocton county line near Charles Marquand's mile in chlorine township."

On the above route the Commissioners at their last December session appointed view and a surveyor, to view and survey the above route and the viewers having at this session reported favorably, the Commissioners believing said road necessary and of public utility, do hereby confirm the report, and establish said road, to order the same to be recorded & opened the width required by law, & thereafter to be considered a public highway & to be worked accordingly.

Be it enacted that this Act be and is hereby passed into law.

William Adams, printed & given to Charles Marquand, 3d day of April, 1826.
Henry Handschy's alteration of the town lot.

"Beginning on said Handschy's land so as to being said road, more central at its junction with the wheel road, on said Handschy's land."

On the above road viewer & a survey was appointed by the commissioners at their last December session, to view survey and said alteration; and the viewers appointed, having at this session reported favorably, to the commissioners believing said alteration necessary, do hereby confirm the report, to establish said alteration, and the same to be recorded, and open the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, provided accordingly, and the former route (bearing from a certain stump in the wheeling road) South 26 degrees West 24 chains 16 links that lies between the point of intersection to be vacated, as soon as the new route is opened by said Handschy, as is required by law in such cases.

John Parkinson's Petition for damages.

The viewers appointed at last December session to view and determine the damage by him sustained, on account of Michael Lockman alteration of the Reeder's road running through his land, made report at this session, and have assessed said damage at sixty dollars.

The commissioners believing said amount assessed to be just and reasonable, hereby confirm the report. To order the auditor to issue said bonds on demand, a county order for said sum.

E. New township!!

A petition was presented, signed by a number of the citizens of Janesville & Salt Creek townships, setting forth that they labor under many difficulties & disadvantages in consequence of the distance they have to go to elections, & praying that a township may be struck off from said township, & the commissioners believing the same necessary for the convenience of the inhabitants of said township, to hereby order a new township to be struck off according to the following boundaries: viz.

"Beginning at the North East corner of Section six, in township twelve, in Range thirteen, thence South to the North East corner of Section six, thence North to the northwest corner of Section six, in township thirteen, in Range twelve, thence North to the northwest corner of Section six, in township thirteen, in Range twelve; thence North to the place of beginning, which shall constitute a new township, to be called Wayne township."

Also ordered that an election be held at the house of Joseph Dixon on Monday the 3 day of April next, to elect a sufficient number of township officers in and for said township, according to law.

Agreeable to notice from the sheriff of Muskingum county, the commissioners met at the jail of said county, to examine into the case of Abraham Robinson, committed to the jail of said county by Judge Brush, a Justice of the peace in said county.
Township, in the cause of insanity, whereupon it was deemed requisite to call in a Physician to examine said insane person; when Doctor Robt. Mitchell the physician employed made the following report, viz:

(Signed) Robert Mitchell, Physician.

Upon receiving the above certificate, the Commissioners ordered the Sheriff to discharge from imprisonment the said Absalom Roberson.

The following accounts were presented:

Ordered, That the following persons be allowed:

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Ordered, That one hundred dollars be allowed to the following persons for damages:

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<td>Joseph Smith, 1 do.</td>
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Commissioners adjourned until to-morrow 9 o'clock A.M.
Wednesday, 3d March, 1826.
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:
Isaac Robinson
John Handley
Joseph Springer, Esq.

1st Ordered,
That J. W. Spey, is permitted to hold and authorize to draw county orders in his favor for any sum not exceeding sixty dollars, toward his services as county auditor.

No other business before the Board, according to adjourned.

Israel Robinson, 3rd Commiss
John Handley
Joseph Springer

Monday, 5th June, 1826.
The commissioners met according to law.

Present:
Isaac Robinson
John Handley
Joseph Springer, Esq.

The following reports were made & severally read, in the first instance, viz: George Adams' Road; a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

James Berry's Road; a favorable report, ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

Jno. Parkinson's Road; this being an unfavorable report, the prayer of the petitioner was not granted.

William Buck's Road; beginning at the North east corner of Hon. Buck's land in the Cooper Mill Road, on the line between Sections Number 8 & 9, thence North with said line to a black oak tree, thence a North easterly course on the present 4 best ground to the line between Mathews & Hanchine, thence with said line North to the old Lancaster Road by the road, Hanchine's, thence with said road to the "upper bridge." The viewers appointed made a report in favor of the establishment of said road as above petitioned for; Whereupon a Petition was laid in by Docto Increase Mathews praying that suitable persons may be appointed to review the aforesaid route; therefore ordered by the Commissioners that John Parkinson,
John Robertson, Robert Begg, Robert Wallace, and they are hereby appointed assessors to view said route, to meet at the house of Increase Mathews, on Saturday the 3rd day of August next, and make report to the next sitting of this board, according to law. No additional time given to Increase this day.

A petition was presented before the board by John Aube, signed by himself & others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows, viz: "Beginning in the county road running from Chandler's up Salt Creek to S. Tobias Mill, at the corner post between Mr. Harris, Thos. Nutt, Ann. Mims & Son, Aube's Landy, then North on said line (as near it as a road can be had at a reasonable price) as it intersects a county road, that leads to the Wheeling road, at a white oak tree near Thomas Cabeen's fence." Thereupon, the commissioners appointed Enos Hovey, J. J. Robinson & Amos Cooper, viewers, and said Aube surveyed, to meet at the house of Ira Aube, on Saturday, 7th inst, and make report to this board, on or before the first Monday of December next, according to law. Order for a new bond to be given to Ira Aube, this date.

Arch: Galbraith appeared this day, and applies for the keeping of Sarah White, an inmate, now in the care of said Galbraith, as guardian, made 28th August last, for one year from 28th August next. Thereupon, the commissioners order the Auditor to take bond from said Arch.

Galbraith, as principal, to receive security for the faithful performance of said Galbraith, for the safe keeping, providing and furnishing the said White with all things necessary and convenient to such inmate person for the term aforesaid, and the commissioners agree to pay said Galbraith seventy five dollars for said term, in county orders, in equal quarterly payments.

Provided, said Sarah shall be at that time a county charge, but if said Sarah shall be at any time thereafter cease to be a county charge by death or otherwise, then said Galbraith shall be paid as aforesaid, in proportion to the time he may have kept her.

Henry S. Hammond presents his account as Deputy Sheriff in 1826, amounting to fourteen days at $2 per day, which bill was audited by Commissioners $28.00.

Lewis James presents his account as deputy sheriff in 1826, amounting to forty five days at $2 per day, which said bill was allowed $90.00.

State Road.

This day a return of the report, plat and field notes of a State road was made, said road being laid out from Old Comfortable Union county to Senecaville in Guernsey county. Ordered by the Commissioners that the same be recorded, according to law.

The board adjourned to 8 o'clock to morrow morning.
The following reports of roads were especially near the second time & confirmed, viz.

George Adams' Road: "Beginning at a white oak tree on the Plainfield road near the Dutch meeting house, and from thence to Caleb Booker's, from thence till it crosses the road that is laid out from Jacob Bakers mill to Maryland 4 miles near the choosen mile tree." On the above route viewers & a Surveyor were appointed last Session, who have at this Session reported in favor of the establishment of said road, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary & of public utility, do hereby confirm the report & order the same to be recorded & opened the width required by law & hereafter considered a public highway to be worked accordingly.

James Berry's Road: "Beginning at Robert Henderson's on the Muskingum river, from hence to James Berry's on the Federal road, from hence to Samuel Stone's Mill." On the above route viewers & a Surveyor were appointed last Session, who have at this Session reported in favor of the establishment of said road, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary & of public utility, do hereby confirm the report & order the same to be recorded, opened the width required by law, & hereafter considered a public highway to be worked accordingly.

Mr. Order to open Road given to George Adams for Droom & Islam.

James Berry's road.

James Berry's road: "Beginning at Robert Henderson's on the Muskingum river, from hence to James Berry's on the Federal road, from hence to Samuel Stone's Mill." On the above route viewers & a Surveyor were appointed last Session, who have at this Session reported in favor of the establishment of said road, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary & of public utility, do hereby confirm the report & order the same to be recorded, opened the width required by law, & hereafter considered a public highway to be worked accordingly.

Mr. Order to open Road given to George Adams for Droom & Islam.
The following accounts were presented and audited, viz:

Ordered, that Sam. Brown, Sr., be allowed a bill of $100, one hundred dollars, for three cents, for laying, for getting prisoners, fuel for sale, survey fees in State cases, half year's salary, $6.76, out of the state in June 1826.

Ordered, that Mr. Smith be allowed a bill of $3.12½ for work done to clerk's office.

A. Luck, road expenses.
- Mrs. Anderson, surveying and laying $1.50
- Lewis Perry, surveying, platting $1.00
- James Thompson, surveying $1.00
- James Jeffers, 1 day's work $0.75
- Edw. New, chaining 1 day $0.75
- Mrs. Luck, marking $0.75

James Berry, road expenses.
- Mrs. Anderson, surveying and laying $1.50
- James Thompson, surveying and laying $1.50
- David Peto, 2 days $2.00
- Nicholas Deaver, 2 days $2.00
- Sam. Weikin, chaining 2 days $1.50
- Griffen Burnette, 2 days $1.50
- Mrs. Simms, marking 2 days $1.50

John Parkinson, road expenses.
- Charles Roberts, surveying and platting $1.50
- Isaac Story, chaining 1 day $0.75
- Wm. Giffen, 1 day $0.75
- Michael Peters, surveying 1 day $0.75
- Wm. Taff, 1 day $0.75

Sold to
- Sam. Weikin, 60 acres $16.00

State road expenses. Highland county's proportion of expenses of a state road leading from W. Plummersville in Logan county, to Senecaville in Muskingum county, viz:
- Isaac Baker, surveying $1.50
- John White, surveying $1.50
- Charles Martin, chaining $2.00
- Seth Baker, chaining $1.25
- John Murray, marking $1.25
- Nicholas Weikin, Baker, chaining $1.25
- James Day, marking $1.25

Ordered, that John W. Shaw, be allowed, as follows, for services as county auditor, from July 1st, 1826, to the first June, 1826, viz:
- For making out the duplicates of the land and county taxes for 1825, drawing off two copies of the same, as directed by law, recoding the proceedings of the commissioners, surveying road lands, issuing orders to viewers, & to trustees of townships to open roads, & recording road plats, drawing orders on the county treasurer, drawing off list of lands & preparing books for Ashford, copying Ashford's abstract, & footing the same & sending to Columbus; adding the first centax on the Ashford's valuation of lands and town property as levied by the board at Columbus, & other necessary services required, by law, amounting in all to the sum of $410.85.
- Stationery & public letter postage $1.75

Note: $812.00

The board adjourned to 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.
June 7th. 1826.


1st. A petition was presented before the board by Mr. Blockson one of the assessors thereof, praying that a road may be laid out & established as follows: "Commencing at the south side of Main Street in Massillon where it is intersected by Fifth Street, thence South with said Fifth street to the terminus thereof; thence South to the Muskingum River; thence with the fair bank said river to the South East bank thereof, between the warehouse of S. Buchanan, 1764 and River Ave. N.W. thence Southwardly to intersect Main Street in Putnam at a view to its northern terminus."

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed George Huff, Joseph Smith & Michael Peters to be present, and Charles Roberts Swainsey, to meet at the house of Mr. Blockson on Saturday the 17th inst, and make report to the next sitting of this board, according to law.

No order for a view survey made to the Blockson land.

2d. Vouchers & Accounts of County audit examined. This day the Commissioners proceeded to examine the Accounts & Vouchers of the County and find the same satisfactory. Thereupon, the Account of the Auditor for the county was examined and found correct.

5th. The County Auditor's own account was this day examined & compared with the checks found therein.

6th. Settlement in part with Mr. Couch collector of county levy for the year 1825. This day Mr. Couch collector appeared before the Commissioners & produced the treasurer's receipt for $90.00 in part of county levy of 1825, which added to his former receipts of $401.70, makes the aggregate amount of $331.70, county levy paid into the treasury for the year 1825.

7th. County levy for 1826.

c. The Commissioners proceeded to lay the said levies necessary for the purpose of asphyxiating the corporation of Muskingum county for the year 1826, according to an act of the Legislature of the State of Ohio passed 3rd February 1825, and do hereby levy two & one half mills on each dollar of the valuation of the property in said county as per apportionment made by the Treasurer & for said county for current year.

8th. School Tax.

It was further ordered & determined by said Commissioners that one half of a mill upon the dollar be levied upon the general list, or grand levy of Muskingum county to be appropriated for the use of common schools in said county & that this shall be done in conformity to an act of the Legislature of Ohio passed Dec 12th 1825.

9th. Road Tax.

Upon consideration it was deemed by the Commissioners unnecessary to levy any per centum on road purposes for the current year.

10th. Ordered, that Daniel Brash Aspyn, be allow the sum of $100.00 for services as Aspyn in the year 1825, having been employed fifty days at $2.00 per day, or a total of $100.00. One hundred dollars.

Commit adjourned to 0'Clock to morrow morning.
Thursday, June 8th, 1826.

The board met pursuant to a Government:
Present
Israel Robinson
Johnandle
Joseph Springer, sign.

1st. Settlement with the Treasurer.
This day the Treasurer presented his account of funds for examination; the Commissioners proceeded to examine the same, and find the accounts correctly kept. There remains on settlement with said Treasurer the sum of One thousand nine hundred and fifteen dollars, twenty-nine cents; one and one hundred and sixty-eight dollars, eighty-eight cents, one and one hundred and sixty-eight dollars, eighty-eight cents, one and one hundred and sixty-eight dollars, eighty-eight cents, of good times, the balance consists of notes of hand, deposits of uncurrenent bank paper.

2d. Orders burned.
On the above settlement, with the Treasurer, all the orders that were redeemed on settlement up to this date the Commissioners burned.

3d. Treasurer Appointed.
The Commissioners then proceeded to the appointment of Treasurer, when Thomas Shonehead was unanimously appointed Treasurer of Muskingum County, for one year commencing this date, and hereby order the Auditor, take bonds with two good & sufficient security to the penal sum of seven thousand dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties as treasurer according to law.

Ordered by the Commissioners that all the certificates & uncurrenent bank paper in the treasury, be disposed of by the treasurer to the best advantage in behalf of the use of the county, and report his proceedings shown to the next sitting of this board.

Ordered that the auditor advertise an exhibit of the receipts & expenditures of this county for the year 1825, in the Muskingum Register.

Collector appointed.
This day the Commissioners proceeded to appoint a Collector of the taxes of Muskingum County for the current year, the same being taken, it appeared that Silas Robinson of Buck Hill Township had a majority in his behalf; he was therefore appointed to the said office of Collector of the taxes as foreseen for the year 1826, and hereby order the Auditor to take bonds with good & sufficient security in double the amount of the duplicate, as required by law.

It is hereby ordered that S. M. Groy, is hereby fully authorized to draw orders on the County treasurer in his name for any sum not exceeding one hundred dollars, at any period between this date & the first Monday in December next, as the same may from time to time become due.

Israel Robinson
John Handel
Joseph Springer.
Mon, Oct 7, 1826

Commissioners met.

Present,

John Hanke &
Joseph Boring, Com's.

(Signed by the commissioners)

Gnnsville, Muskingum County, Ohio:

Mon, Dec 4, 1826.

The commissioners of said county met according to law. Present:

John Hanke
Joseph Boring
Abelom Roberts

The board, being organized, proceeded to business. When the following road petitions were presented:

1st. A petition was presented before the board by Isaac Whitecraft one of the signers of the same, praying that a road may be laid out & established, agreeable to the following boundaries, to wit: beginning at Peter Livengood's mill, thence running a N. West course to intersect the county road at or near Mary Hatcher's, thence a S. West course, to a near a school house, thence a due West course on or near the section line to intersect the Plainsfield road at the corner of John Thompson's field.

Whereupon the commissioners appointed

John Robertson, Abel Boring & Gabriel Jones, Repr's, & Sherald Roberts Surveyor, to meet at Peter Livengood's mill, on Monday the 18th instant, and to make report to the next sitting of this board according to law.

Mr. Hanke for a view signed this day and given to Isaac Whitecraft.

(Handwritten note: A petition was presented before the board by Joseph Reasoner one of the signers praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows, beginning at Logan's...
The following reports on roads were severally committed to the first reading 1832:
Said Francis Silver's road, a favorable report ordered to be read again to-morrow.

Said Blackcom's road, a favorable report to a second reading to-morrow.

John Moore's road, an unfavorable report, therefore the prayer of the petitioners not granted.

Said Lock's road, "beginning at the South East Corner of Mr. Lock's land, in the Cooper Mill road, on the line between Sections No. 18, 19, thence North with said line to a black oak tree, thence a Northeastwardly course on the nearest best ground to the line between Mathew & Van Hare, thence with said line South to the old Lancaster road by the inn near Van Hare's, thence with said road to the upper bridge."

The reviewers appointed (at the instance of) Dr. Increase Matthews, by the Commissioners last June Session, made report this day in favor of establishing the above route a public highway, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary and of public utility, do hereby confirm the report, know the same to be expedient, and ordered the width required by law, and hereafter considere said a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

After the decision of the Commissioners as aforesaid, Dr. Increase Matthews, save
notice of an Appeal, to the next Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County of Muskingum, whereupon it was ordered by the Commissioners that the order to open said road be with held until after the decision of the Court. Provided said Mathews perfects his appeal according to law.

On the 16th day of Dec, as above, Mathews enters into bond, with John Hall, his surety, for the payment of all costs and expenses arising from the Appeal.

The Commissioners adjourned until tomorrow morning 9 o’clock.

| Tuesday, 5th December 1820 | Bird, Burch, presented a petition signed by himself & others, praying that a road may be laid out & established, as follows, viz:

| Commissioner & present | The following petitions for roads were severally presented, viz:

1. Sam’ Ravenaugh, presented a petition praying that a road may be laid out & established, according to the following boundaries viz: “Beginning at the mouth of Samuel Ravenaugh’s run, and running through land of Sam’ Ravenaugh, John Ravenaugh, John Butler, & Jacob Balderston, intersecting the Janesville road at Daniel Warren’s.”

The Commissioners appointed Sam’ Roberts, Jacob Ondotoky & Matthew

Bird, Burch, presented a petition signed by himself & others, praying that a road may be laid out & established, as follows, viz:

“Beginning in the Logan county line near John Gedman’s at the termination of a road lately laid out in the county of Logan, called Schaw’s road, and running through the lands of Thomas Gibbons, John Gibbons, Mr. Gibbons, until it intersects a public road commonly called Moore’s Mill road or the Federal road.”

On the route aforesaid the Commissioners appointed Joel Proctor, Uruch Harlin, & John
Travenough survey, of John, John, Lovewy, tenant at the house of John Bird, on Saturday the 13th, and to make report to the next sitting of this board, according to law.

Mr. Orde, in view of such a given to John Bird, as above.

17 The following report were severally committed to the second reading of the conference on the following report.

Francis Silver's road. "Beginning at the north east corner of Jacob Bower's land in Perry township, thence south along or near said line to George Brand's line; thence along his line built on or near the line between Markpatrick & Hurley, thence south along or near the line between Jn. Lovewy's & Henry Percy's, thence South along or near the line between Francis Bower's & Sam. Baldwin to Baldwin's South West corner, thence east along Silver's, Baldwin's line to Peter Lovewy's South West corner, thence South along or near Lovewy's Silvers North & South line to intersect the Wheeling road at or near Silvers.

On the above said route the commissioners at their last session appointed a surveyor, to survey said route, if the surveyors having at this session reported in favor of said road, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary for the public utility, do hereby confirm the report of the same to be recorded, & opened the works required by law, if hereafter considered a public highway. & hereafter to be worked accordingly.

Mr. Orde to open said road given to J. Silvers, Feb. 24, 1827.

Upon Bloomsom's road. "Commencing at the South side of Main Street in Jonesville, where it is intersected by Fifth Street, thence South with said Fifth Street to the termination thereof, thence South to the Muskingum river, thence with the face a所述 said river to the South West bank thereof between the Walk house of E. Buckingham & Co. and Horace Joy, thence Southwardly to intersect Main Street in Putnam at a near its northern termination.

On the above said route the commissioners at their last session appointed a surveyor, to view the survey said route, if the surveyors having at this session reported in favor of the establishment of said road, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary for the public utility, do hereby confirm the report of the same to be recorded and opened the works required by law, if hereafter considered a public highway. & hereafter to be worked accordingly.

Mr. Orde to open said road given to J. Silvers, Feb. 24, 1827.

Petition for a road. Martin Chandler presented a petition praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows viz. "Commencing at Martin Chandler near the mouth of Salt Creek, from thence on the nearest and best ground on an easterly direction until it intersects the Vialetta road near where John Crawford's road intersects the same."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed the following persons to be viewers of the same.
John Moore's road expenses.

Mr. Cooper reviewing — $1.00

Eng. Merway — do — 1.00

H. Robinson — do — 1.00

Mr. C. Moore, Chain Carrier — 75.

Joseph Wane — do — 75.

John Hissen, Marker — 75.

$6.25

Ordered: That Mr. Mathews be allowed $5.00 for repairing new gate in Oct. 1820 for the reception of stone pipe by cutting logs, etc., for that purpose, as per bill, $6.25.

Increase Mathews produced the county treasurer's receipt for $5.00 being the amount of expenses by him incurred for a review on Mr. Luck's road, according to his bond, was given up.

New Township!!!

A petition was presented by Caleb Indian, signed by a number of the Citizens of Madison, Monroe townships, setting forth that they labor under many difficulties and disadvantages in consequence of the distance they have to go to elections, and praying that a township may be set off of part of Monroe or Madison townships and the commissioners be made the petitioner necessary for the convenience of the inhabitants of Township Officers, do hereby order a new township to be set off according to the following boundaries: to wit,
Beginning at the North East corner of
Salem township line; running thence east
along said line to the North West corner of
said township; thence north to Collection
county line; thence East to the North West
corner of the original survey of township No. 3
in the 6th Range; thence south to the place
of beginning, comprising the original survey
township No. 3, in the 6th Range, "military
lands" which shall constitute a new township
to be called "Adams township".

Also ordered by the commissioners that
an election be held at the house of gold
Jordan, esq., on the 1st day of January next,
to elect sufficient number of
township Officers, in & for said township,
according to law. Mr. Bird advertisements for
election of township Officers, June 1 given to John Hall (copy).

The commissioners adjourned
until 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Wednesday, 6th December, 1826.
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present,
John Hanks,
Joseph Springer,
Abelom Roberts, Esq.

1st. This day Jonathan Brauner presented to
the Commissioners the charge hereunto annexed
against the county for the keeping and main-

ence of Peter Brauner, who was found by a
jury, under the statute entitled "An act for
the safety keeping of idiots, lunatics, and insane
persons, the protection of their property & other
purposes" to be an insane person.

But the jury did not certify as their
opinion, that there is danger of said insane
person destroying his own life or property, or
the life or property of others — which accords
a any part thereof, the Commissioners refuse
to allow to the said Jonathan Brauner.

Whereupon the said Jonathan Brauner
gives notice of an appeal to the next circuit
of Common Pleas of said county, and the
parties consent I agree that the decision
of said cause shall be submitted to the said
court of Common Pleas on Monday next,
or any other subsequent day of the present
term, and that they will waive all formalities of error in pleading. Account filed 17th Jan.}

2d. Mr. Houch, collector of the county, lay in
1825. Appeared before the Commissioners, & stated
that on account of extreme affliction, he has
not been able to complete his Collections for
due year, so as to make out a proper return of
deposals &c. And praying the Commis-
sioners to instruct the county auditor in final
settlement to allow said Houch all sums of
deposals as they think proper reasonable.
Therefore the Commissioners agree that
said County auditor in final settlement, allow
said Houch Collect as aforesaid, the sum of
sixty dollars, as deposits of errors in lists
in full for said year.
3d. It is hereby Ordered, and R.H. Guy is hereby fully authorized to draw orders on the County treasury, in his favor, for services as County Auditor for current year, for any sum not exceeding one hundred of twenty dollars, at any period between the date of the first Moor in March next, as the same may from time to time become due.

4th. John Burwell Sheriff, presented his account with the County for detaining prisoners in jail for amounts in all to the sum of $174.44.

It was ordered by the Commissioners that the account be allowed, excepting the two following items "viz" (for the cause of bastardy)

For Keeping Jesse Cox in jail from the 17th day of June to the 17th day of July 1826 inclusive, 49 days at 25 cents per day $12.25

For Keeping Robert Handbook in jail from the 30th day of Oct. to 30th of Nov. 1826, 31 days at 25 cents per day $7.75

Am't in both cases to $20.00

Therefore Ordered that the Auditor issue orders to said Burwell for the sum of $157.44.

On the 8th day of Dec. 1826, Mr. Burwell gave notice of an Appeal to the Court of Common Pleas, from the above decision.

Mr. The Court allowed the above item.

Agreedly to an Act of the Legislature of Ohio, passed 4th February 1826, entitled, "An Act to lay out and establish a road from the Mouth of Sunfish in Monroe County to Ycanville in Muskingum County".

According to the provisions of said
Monday, January 8th, 1827.
The Commissioners met.

John Handle
Absalom Roberts

Agreed to notice from the Sheriff of Muskingum County, the Commissioners met at the jail of said County, to examine into the case of Peter Bruner, committed to the jail of said County by Joseph Stiers, a Justice of the Peace in Salem Township, for the cause of insanity, said commitment stating that he is maliciously inclined of body to be confined.

Whereupon the Commissioners deemed it advisable to employ a Physician to attend Medical aid, in order to restore said insane person to her reason, when it was agreed that Doctor Robert Mitchells attends said insane person for the space of one month, Commissioners adjourned until 8th day Feb. next.

Absalom Roberts

Wednesday, February 8th, 1827.

Commissioners met, 8th.

John Handle
Absalom Roberts

Pursuant to adjournment the Commissioners of said prize met, in order to examine further into the case of Peter Bruner, insane person, whom Doctor Robert Mitchells, the Physician employed, has made the following report:

"State of Ohio, Muskingum County.

I do hereby certify that I was this day called upon by John Handle and Absalom Roberts, by the Commissioners of said County, to see the said Bruner an insane person, who now is confined in the jail of said County, and of my opinion that it would not be safe to discharge the said Bruner at this time, although at this time he is evidently better, if restored in some degree to his right mind."

(Laid) Robert Mitchells, Physician.

After the report was offered, it was deemed most advisable that said Physician attend said insane person until the 1st March session of the Commissioners.

Whereupon the Commissioners adjourned.

John Handle
Absalom Roberts
Monday, March 8th, A.D. 1837.

The Commissioners met according to Law, Present:

John Hanks
Joseph Humes & Comr.
Abelam. Roberts

The board being organized proceeded to business:

1st. Mr. Burch gave bond, with Saml. Negley, 1st. Park, securities, to the acceptance of the Commissioners, for the faithful performance of his duties as County Auditor for two years commencing the first instant, and moreover took & subscribed the necessary oath of office as required by law.

The following reports on roads were made yesterday, viz:

1st. Isaac Whitcraft's road. This being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

2nd. Joseph Reasoner's road. Also a favorable report, to be read again tomorrow.

3rd. Sam. Ravenaugh's road, a favorable report, also committed, to a second reading tomorrow.

4th. Mr. Burch's road, a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

5th. John Bird's road, a favorable report, also ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

6th. Martin Chandler's road, a favorable report, ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

7th. State road.

The Commissioners order, that the return of a State road, laid out by the Commissioners, oppined for that purpose, from opposite the flats of Snow creek in Belmont County, to genevieve in Muskingum County, be readed according to Law.

8th. The following road petitions were presented yesterday acted upon:

A petition was presented before the board by Adam Shoemaker, one of the signers thereof, praying, that a road may be laid out and established, as follows viz:

"Beginning at or near Silver's tavern stand, in Perry township, on the Wheeling road, and running south, or nearly south on the nearest of best ground, so as to do the least injury to the inhabitants whose said road passes, so as to strike the Muskingum river, to or near Duncan's falls on said river:"

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed John Robertson, John Ansplash, John Gallistim, Wii, Charles Roberts Surveyor, to meet at Silver's tavern stand, on Monday the 19th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, according to Law.

13th. Order for a new survey given to said Shoemaker this day.

14th. A petition was presented before the board by Joseph Blain, one of the signers thereof, praying, that an alteration may be made on Adrian Melony's road, as follows:

"Beginning at Hugh Weeks's, thence on the nearest of best ground to David Fairbank's, thence to Joseph Blain's, thence to Edward
January, thence to Grigsby's, thence down to his run, thence on the best ground to the forks of the County road (Thatcher's road), the said County road leading from Dillon's Furnace to Newark.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Joseph Sharp, Mr. Hamilton & Elias Green, viewers, & John Roberts, Surveyor, to meet at Hugh Mock's, on Saturday the 24th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as the law directs.

Nth, one copy, to revise, & given to Joseph Phipps, this day.

A petition was presented before this board by Anthony Barrett, one of the signers thereof, praying that a road may be laid out & established as follows viz: Beginning at the County line near Hull's Farmhouse to run East three hundred poles to the summit of a small hill, thence South East about two hundred poles, thence to intersect the State road near a tree marked No. 8.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John Seale, John Tamplin & Jared Bush, viewers, & John Roberts, Surveyor, to meet at Mr. Tamplin's, on 23rd instant, at nine o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board as the law directs.

Nth, order for a view issued & given to said Barrett, this day.

A petition was presented before this board by Thomas Parce, one of the signers, praying that a road might be laid out & established as follows: "Commencing where the County road leading from T. Jeffries to S. Peavey's lines Farm Road, by a right line running thence that on the nearest & best grade to the East end of Thomas Parce's lane, thence to intersect the new State road at a near the 30 mile line on lanes formerly belonging to Jacob R. Smith deceased, etc."

Thereupon David Butler, Samuel White, & H. Wright were appointed viewers, & Mr. Anderson, Surveyor, to meet at Hot Spring, on Saturday the 27th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and report their proceedings to the next sitting of this board.

Nth, order for a view issued & given to said Parce, this day.
13th. The case of Peter Brunner's lunatic, was further investigated, whereupon Doctor Rob. Mitchell made the following report in writing, viz.:

(Copy) March 5th, 1827.

I do certify that I have been employed by the Commissioners of Luzerne county, on the 8th January 1827, to attend Peter Brunner, who was committed to jail under the act entitled, an act for the safe keeping of lunatics &c. And, after attending him for the above time, am of opinion that it would not be safe to discharge a said lunatic at liberty, given under my hand,


After the report as above Mr. Elizabeth Brunner, mother of the said Peter Brunner, appeared and applied for the keeping of said Peter. It was thereupon agreed by the Commissioners, that Mr. Elizabeth Brunner, as aforesaid, take the said Peter into her custody, & him safely keep until the Supt of said Commissioners in June next, & furnish the said Peter with meat, drink, lodging, washing &c. and agree to pay her therefor 75 Cents per week in County orders, payable monthly, if called for. And at said Supt, she the said, Mr. Elizabeth Brunner, is to deliver up the said Peter to said Commissioners if thereunto required.

14th. The following bills were presented for audit, viz.:

Ordered by the Commissioners, that the Auditor issue a County order in favor of Jacob Dancy, for the amount of $13.15, for labor furnished for stone in Court House &c., as per bill heretofore filed.

15th. Ordered, that Doctor Rob. Mitchell be given an order on County treasury for $100 for Medical Attendance on Peter Brunner, lunatic.

(The board adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.)

Tuesday, March 6th, 1827:

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:
John Candless
Joseph Springer
Ephriam Roberts

The following reports on roads were this day committed to the second reading & confirmed, viz:

1. Naace Whitcraft's road, "Beginning at Peter Givens's mill, thence running a west course to intersect the county road at or near Mary Sivercove's, from thence a south west course to or near a school house, from thence a north west course on or near the section line to intersect the Plainfield road, at the corner of John Thompson's field.

On the above route the
Commissioners, at their last session, appointed a surveyor, and a survey, to view & survey said route, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of said road, and the commissioners believing said road necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm their report & order the same to be recorded & opened the width required by law, & hereafter consider a public highway, & to be worked accordingly.

S.M. Lewis, in open court given to John Whittier.
14th March 1827.

3rd: Joseph Reasoner's road.

Beginning at Mason County line at the County road in said county that comes by John Hickey's, thence to Samuel Paxton's old house, thence to Mrs. Hales house, thence the nearest good ground to intersect the Marietta road at or near Henry Shows.

On the above route the Commissioners appointed viewed a surveyor, to view & survey said route, & to make report according to law, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said road, and the commissioners believing said road necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm their report & order the same to be recorded & opened the width required by law, & hereafter consider a public highway, & to be worked accordingly.

S. M. Lewis, in open court given to James Paxton.
1st March 1827.

4th: Samuel & John Ravenaugh's road.

On the above route the Commissioners appointed viewed a surveyor, to view & survey said route, & to make report according to law, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said road, & the commissioners believing said road necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm their report & order the same to be recorded & opened the width required by law, & hereafter consider a public highway, & to be worked accordingly.

S. M. Lewis, in open court given to James Warman.
14th March 1827.

5th: William Burch's road.

Beginning at Mason's terminus, at or near Poole's bridge, where the present road crosses the East line of Jackson township.

On the above route, the Commissioners appointed viewed a surveyor, to view & survey said route, & to make report according to law. Whereupon the viewers reported in favor of said road at this session & the commissioners believing said road necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm their report & order the same to be recorded & opened the width required by law, & hereafter consider a public highway, & to be worked accordingly.

S. M. Lewis, in open court given to James Warman.
14th March 1827.

6th: John Birt's road.

Beginning in the Mason County line, near John Bledman's at the termination of
a road lately laid out in the County of Mason, called Schew's road, running through lands of Thomas Gibson, Jesse John and Geo. Gibson, until it intersected a public road commonly called Moore's Mile road, or the Federal road."

On the above route the Commissioners appointed a viewer of a survey, to examine said route, and to make report according to law. And the viewer having at this General Court in favor of establishing said road, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm their report of the same to be recorded of open. Now. The width required by law is hereafter to be considered a public highway of to be worked accordingly.

6th. Martin Chandler's road: "Commencing at Martin Chandler's near the mouth of Salt Creek from thence on the nearest best ground on an Easterly direction until it intersects the Wadlers road near where John Smoak's road intersects the same."

On the above route the Commissioners appointed a viewer of a survey, to view & survey said route, and to report according to law. And the viewer having at this General Court in favor of establishing said road, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm their report of the same to be recorded of open. The width required by law is hereafter to be considered a public highway of to be worked accordingly.

7th. Joseph Reasoner's road: "Commencing at Joseph Reasoner's near the mouth of Salt Creek from thence on the nearest best ground on an Easterly direction until it intersects the Wadlers road near where John Smoak's road intersects the same."

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8th. Sam. Ravenaugh's road: "Commencing at Samuel Ravenaugh's near the mouth of Salt Creek from thence on the nearest best ground on an Easterly direction until it intersects the Wadlers road near where John Smoak's road intersects the same."

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Commissioners adjourned to 8 o'clock, tomorrow morning.
Wednesday, March 7th, 1827.

The Commissioners met, according to adjournment.

Present:
John Handle, 3rd
Joseph Spargo, 4th
Abraham Roberts, 5th

This day Mr. Beach presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that so much of the old county road, generally known by the name of Douthitt's road, as lies between Dresden and a point where said road intersects the east line of Jackson township, near the north end of Douthitt's bridge, may be adopted; any further proceedings thereon was accordingly laid over until next session.

Ordered, that E. I. Bowd, have an order on the treasurer of said county for $2.13, cent of these being paid into the treasury by John Jacobson, & refunded to said Jacobson by said Bowd.

Assessor appointed.

According to the provisions of an act of the legislature of the state of Ohio, entitled "An act providing for the election of County Assessors," passed the 1st January 1827, it is made the duty of the Commissioners of each organized county in this state, at their meeting in March 1827, to appoint a County Assessor for each such county, who is to hold his office until the next October election, if until his successor is elected & qualifies. Now be it known that in accordance to the provisions of said act, and

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Commissioners adjourned.

[Signatures]
Wednesday, May 27th, D 1837.

The commissioners were called together to attend to the following case. PRESENT

John Handley & Joseph Springers, Esqrs.

Whereas Mrs. Elizabeth Brune at the last March Session of the Commissioners Appeared & Applied for the keeping of Peter Brune a lunatic until the next June Session of said Commissioners and it being thought most advisable to send said Peter into the country to try the effect heretofore produced, on his mind; it was accordingly agreed to by the Commissioners; but instead of its having any beneficial tendency, it appeared he grew worse, inasmuch that it was not considered safe for her to keep him any longer, the same was considered dangerous. Said Elizabeth therefore appeared before the Commissioner to be dealt with as they may deem most advisable. Whereupon Doctor said Springler made the following proposition in writing, viz:

I agree to attend Peter Brune for the County of Muskingum on the following condition. viz: I will claim no compensation over the fair cost of the medicines he may take which shall not exceed, say one dollar, unless the said Brune should recover the proper exercise of his mind and become a safe member of society. In that case he is to be released and I will claim three dollars, and if he should
Monday, June 11th, 1807.

The commissioners met according to law.

Present:

John Hender.

Joseph Springer.

Abiel Holbrook.

The following report on roads were made & seconded, the first time viz: 1st. Sand Hender's Alteration of the Clinton ridge road, so far as the same obstructs his lands, this being a favorable report ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Joseph Blairs Alteration of Alexander Meloney's road, a favorable report ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Adam Shoemaker's road, this being a favorable report ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

Anthony Carhill's road, an unfavorable report. Thrice the prayers of the petitioners not granted.

The following was a petition presented & acted upon viz: Michael H. Morgan's Alteration of Henry Reasner's road. A petition was presented by R.H. Morgan praying that an Alteration may be made on said road as follows viz: beginning on said road at the mouth of Peter Galichers lane in Maysontownship thence running North of Met on the nearest point of best ground to the creek, from thence on the blazes to the mouth of Isaiah Carnes Mill Colk's Lane, and to continue West on the line to

the corner, and thence to continue West on the line as near as convenient between the Lace & Richs, H.C. Morcan of James M. Bride & Jacob Darno, until it intersects the Bowman county road at a white oak tree.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed William Shewly, Joseph Green & Christopher Shuckey, viewes, and Joseph H. Morcan surveyee, to meet at Peter Galichers on Saturday the 16th day of June next at 9 O'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as the law directs.

His order to view issued given by R.H. Morgan this day.

John Jordan, presented a petition praying that a road may be laid out & established, agreeing to the following boundaries, viz: "commencing on the road from Danville to Brockton in the towniship of Adams at or near the South east corner of the plantation of Isaiah Kainen, thence the nearest best route to the county line at a point on the west side of Wells Creek, nearly opposite the farm of John Kershman.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed William Shewly, Joseph Shers & Stephen Stansley, viewes, and Joseph H. Morcan surveyee, to meet at Caleb Jordans on Friday the 2nd August next at 9 O'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as the law directs.

His order to view issued given to John Jordan, this day.
James Hunt presented a petition for a road signed by himself and others, praying that said road may be laid out as follows:

"Commencing at a near the center of the 14th section, 2nd township, 6th Range, and from thence the nearest and best ground to the county line, on the course to Barbee's mill on Wills Creek." 

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Jonathan Stanley, Enoch Botts, James Denison viewers, and Joseph Rule mason, surveyor, to meet at James Hunt's on Friday, August 17th, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and make report to the next sitting of the board, as the law directs.

MR. Order to view petition given to James Hunt this day.

The following accounts were presented and allowed, viz:

Ordered, that Matthew Welkins have an order on the treasury for 23½ days service as Deputy Sheriff, at $1.50 per day, year 1827. $35.25

Ordered, that John Burkley have an order on the treasury for 19 days service as Deputy Sheriff, at $1.50 per day, year 1827. $28.50

Ordered, that John Roberts have an order on the treasury for 30 days service as Deputy Sheriff, at $1.50 per day, year 1827. $45.75

Also 9 days for making books to take school rolls, $1.50 each day for paper for same. $5.70

The following alteration was made by the Court of Common Pleas, at their April term, 1827, on William Luck's road, on an appeal to said court by Doctor Increase Mathews.

The State of Ohio,
Muskingum County.

Court of Common Pleas, April 1827

Upon the petition of Increase Mathews, praying for an alteration in the survey of a county road, laid out and surveyed from the N.E. corner of Mr. Luck's land, on the Cooper's mill road, to the south-west corner of the Upper bridge, which said road was surveyed and laid out by order of the Commissioners of Muskingum County, and from whose decision the said Increase Mathews appealed to this Court, which said alteration prayed for by the said Mathews, is as follows:

"Beginning at a stake in the second course of the survey of said road, 8 chains and 4 links, from the third station of said survey toward Mr. Luck's, thence run north, sixty three degrees east 19 chains, thence north 13 chains and 35 links to the road laid out by the viewers and the line between Mathews and Mr. Luck, being the course of the road as now opened by the petition of said Mathews," agreeably to a plat of survey of said road, and the proposed alteration thereof, on file in the Clerk's Office —

And the Court having examined the said petition and the proofs, do allow the same, and order that the said road be laid out agreeably to the alteration prayed for by the said Increase Mathews.

I hereby certify the above to be true copy from the minutes, at the above term of said court. 

[Signature]

(Clerk)
Treasurer appointed.

Agreeable to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of Ohio, entitled "An Act to establish the Office of County Collector, and defining the duties of County Treasurer," passed January 28th, 1827, it is made the duty of the Commissioners of each County in this State, on the first Monday of June 1827, to appoint a County Treasurer, in and for each County, who is to hold his office, until the first Monday of June 1828.

Now be it known, that in accordance to the provisions of said Act, and the authority vested in us, we do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint John Roberts of Falls township, Treasurer, in and for the County of Mecklenburg, to hold said office until the first Monday of June 1828, as aforesaid; and under the seal of said County to take bond of security in the sum of twenty-four thousand dollars.

The Commissioners adjourn to 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday June 5th D1827
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment:
Present:
John Horse.
Joseph Spring and
Abraham Roberts.

Abbeagle Galbraith appeared this day and applied for the keeping of Sarah White, an insane person (now in his custody) for one year.

from the 20th day of August next. Thereupon the Commissioners order the auditor to take bond, security of said Galbraith, for the faithful performance of said Galbraith, in keeping, providing of furnishing said Sarah with all things necessary & convenient for such insane person (to the term of aforesaid); and the Commissioners agree to pay said Galbraith seventy-five dollars for said term, in County orders, in equal quarterly payments.

Provided said Sarah should at that time (20th August) be a County charge; but if said Sarah shall at any time thereafter cease to be a County charge by death or otherwise, then said Galbraith shall be paid as aforesaid in proportion to the time he may have kept her.

Petitions for damages on roads.
In the name of Mathews Schobart Jr. by his Agent Honon Jigg, said in their complaints in writing, representing that on account of Mr. Doke's road and alteration of said road established through their premises is an injury to said premises, stating that suitable person may be appointed to stop said damages as the law directs.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Peter Cadwell, John W. Hunt & Ephraim Young to view, inspect & determine how much damage has been or will be rendered by opening said road, and make report thereof in writing to this board, on or before the first Monday of December next, to meet at Increase Mathews on Saturday the 4th of August next, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day. The said to apply damages found given to Increase Mathews 17th June 1827.
Ordered, That Robt Mitchell, esq, be allowed the following sums for issuing special warrants on the following cases,

State of Ohio vs. Stephen White — $10.50
vs. Allen Hall — $50
vs. Jacob Matthews — $50
vs. John West — $50

Ordered, That Simon Wright have an order on the treasury, for the sum of $16.00 for making a large case, for the Clerk's Office of Muskingum County.

Ordered, that Geo H. Gilmore have an order on the treasury, for the sum of $35.00 for 34 trees taken by the Collection Dept. of Wayne township, for the use of the public roads.

Ordered, that Wm. Brant, esq, be allowed a bill of $133.54 for keeping prisoners in jail, fees in jail, & years allowance in State Cases, 1826.

Debt collected of Geo. Haver — $10.00
ditto Mr. Bowlen — $5.00

It was ordered by the Commissioners that the bond of David Dutro be given up, he having made it appear to the satisfaction of the Commissioners that he had worked out $60 of the 3 per cent fund on the roads.
It is hereby ordered by said Commissioners that one half of a mile upon the road be levied upon the general list for the year 1827, to be applied for the purposes of the school and for other purposes, and the Commissioners hereby adopt the report of the surveyors, and direct the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law to be made, and the former route that lies between the points of intersection to be vacated.

On the aforesaid route the Commissioners at their last Session Appointed a surveyor, and a survey was made of the said road leading from Dillon's furnace to Newark.

14th. (Adam Shoemaker's road.)

"Beginning at a near the bank of the Wheeling road of George South or nearly South on the nearest and best ground to Farnsworth's road; the said County road leading from Dillon's furnace to Newark."
grounds, so as to do the least injury to the inhabitants where said roads pass, so as to strike the Muskingum river at or near Duncan's falls on said river.

On the aforesaid route, the commissioners at their last session appointed viewers, to view the route, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of said roads, the commissioners believing said roads will be of public utility, do hereby confirm the report, order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereby to be considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly. Ours to open, give to the subscribers for Wayne & Perry, 1st. 1829.

The following bills of expenses for altering and laying out roads were presented and allowed, viz:

14th

1. Joseph Blain's alteration of A. Melby's road. 4.50
2. Mr. Roberts surveying & platting 2 days 3.00
3. Mr. Green doing 2 2.00
4. Mr. Hamilton doing 2.00
5. John Pidde marking return 1.00
6. Cromwell Barbank's chaining 2 days 1.50
7. Cornelius Kant doing 1.50
8. John Biddle marking one day 15.00
16th

1. Charles Roberts surveying & platting 1.50
2. Mr. Robertson viewing 2 days 2.00
3. Mr.amp her doing 3.00
4. Francis Silvers chaining 2 days 1.50
5. John Chiche doing 1.50
6. Adam Shoemaker marking 2 days 1.50

$13.00

Samuel Kentslee jr. Alteration of road, Receipts produced that all expenses were paid by said Kentslee.

Commissions adjourned to 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Wednesday, June 6th 1829.

Commissions met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

John Kentslee,
Joseph Springer &
Abelam. Roberts esq.

1st.

Frederick Landers presented a petition for a road signed by himself and others, praying that said road may be laid out, as follows, viz: "Beginning at the county line of Perry to intersect the road from Martin's Mills at the late residence of Adam Smith do."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed Peter Wolf, John E. Dest & Moses German, viewers, and William Anderson, Surveyor, to meet at Adam Smith's, on the 1st. day of November next, at 9 o'clock A. M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as the law directs.

2nd.

Ordered to viewof survey given to Frederick Landers this date.
David Patterson presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows, viz:

"Beginning at or within ten rods of a bridge, or other side of said bridge, which is on the road leading from the lots of Great School to Danville, and west of Edward Helsey's improvements on said Helsey's land, running from thence on the east side of Salt Creek on the nearest straight line to intersect the road leading from Danville to the north at Big Salt Creek."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Mr. Hunter, Ralph Harding, and Mr. D. D. Moore, assessors, to meet at Edward Helsey's on the 1st day of August, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and make report to the next meeting of this board, as the law directs.

1st. Order for a view to be laid out and given to D. Patterson.

The following bill for services rendered by Lewis James Open for a year 1827, was presented and audited by the Commissioners.

For 53 days of service in the Corps in the District for & against the sale of schools 1827, in all 577 votes 10-34

Total 189,181

2d. Vouchers of County Auditor compared with the book. This day the Commissioners examined the vouchers of compared the same with the books of the Auditor's own private account, and found the same satisfied of correctness kept.

The County Auditor's own private account with the County was examined and compared with the Checks, found to be correct.

Ordered that the Auditor deliver an exhibit of the receipts of expenditures of this County for the year 1826.

Commissioners adjourned to 8 o'clock to morrow morning.

Thursday, June 7th, 1827

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,

John Hunter
Joseph Springer
Abraham Robers, Jr.

1st. Whereas Mr. Burch handed in his petition at last session signed by himself and others praying that so much of the road now in use (generally known by the name of Lovett's road) as lies between Dresden and a point, where said road intersects the East Line of Jackson township near the north end of Lovett's Bridge, might be vacated; and whereas the same has been this day read in open session, no remonstrance being handed in against said vacating: The Commissioners do therefore hereby declare the same to be vacated agreeable to law.
2d Settled with the Treasury.

This day Thomas Monroe, treasurer of Muskingum County, presented his Accounts and Funds for examination and settlement, and find the Account correct. And there remains on settlement with said treasurer in favor of said County, the sum of two thousand five hundred and nineteen dollars, twenty-one Cents, three mills, as follows: viz.

1st. 3d Bussell's note of hand for $147.00
2nd. Depreciated Bank paper — + 146.00
3rd. Order on Musco County Treas. 39.08
4th. Certificate of Deposit of Farmer's 3 Mechanical Bank of Cincinnati 100
5th. Good fancy — — — 776.73.3

Total $2319.21.3

All of which said sums, or balance as above remaining in his hands, are said Monroe is hereby ordered by authority to pay over to his successor in Office, (so soon as he is duly invested to receive the same according to law) upon demand. Not Military School Quotas not deducted.

3d. Orders burned.

On the above settlement, with said treasurer, all the orders that was redeemed or settlement up to this date the Commissioners burned.

4th. It is hereby ordered to J.M. Gray, is hereby fully authorized to draw a deed on the treasurer of Muskingum, on his favor for any sum a do not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars, as the same may from time to time become due, at any period between the 1st June 1827, and 1st Monday Dec. 1827.

Orderd, That Mathew Welshing, have an adie on the county treasury for balance due him for taking votes for or against the sale of the School lands in the Congregational District. Out 17.57.

The Commissioners adjourned.

[Signatures]

John Haddlest
Joseph Thompson
Friday, July 3d, 1837

Commissioners met,

Present,

John Handle,
Joseph Princey, 
Absalom Roberts.

The Commissioners met for the purpose of providing for the support of Peter Brunor a lunatic, now confined in the jail of said County.

Whereupon Joseph Bird appeared and offered to take the said Peter, and to keep and provide for him, all things necessary for and convenient for such insane person.

Whereupon the Commissioners order the Auditor to take bond of said Joseph Bird and agree to receive David Fructor as his security, for the faithful performance of his duty towards said Peter until the first Monday of December next. And the Commissioners agree to pay said Joseph Bird at the rate of seventy-five dollars per year, in County orders, from the time he shall receive said lunatic and until the first Monday in December next as aforesaid; Provided said Peter shall continue to be a County Charge, but in case said Peter shall die, or in any manner cease to be a County Charge, due to receive pay in proportion to the time he may have been kept as aforesaid.

Commissioners adjourned.

John Handle
Joseph Princey
Absalom Roberts.
Dariesville, Monday December 3rd, 1827.

Commissioners met, according to Law.

Present:

John Handley 2
Abel Williams 2
John Hamilton 3

The following reports on roads were made generally committed to the first reading, viz: 1st. On Mr. Patterson's road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

James Hunter's road, a favourable report, ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

Frederick Sanders, a favourable report, ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

John Jordan's road, favourable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Rich. H. Rogan's alteration of Henry Boswell road, committed to a second reading tomorrow.

State road from Geo. Hollenbach's to Owl Creek. A return of the plat of survey of said road having been made to this Office by H. A. Stafford one of the Commissioners of said road, it was therefore ordered to be read.

The following road petitions were severally presented and acted upon, viz:

Mr. B. Rankin's, presented a petition signed by himself of others, praying that an alteration may be made on said road, leading from the Athens road to the Cooper Mill road, as follows viz. "Beginning at the corner of the Davis and Jenkins' field, running by the side of said side where a road has formerly been to Jonathan's Creek, near Ben Hart's mill."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John Thompson, Matthew Cline, Henry Sprague, and Mr. Anderson surveyors, to meet at Mr. B. Rankin's on Thursday the 13th inst. at 10 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as the law directs.

An order for a view survey this day given to said Rankin.

8th. Leonard Stump presented a petition signed by himself of others, praying that an alteration may be made on Island's road, as follows viz. "Beginning at a near Joseph Roberts' fence near the Methodist Meeting House in Dariesville, and running in an easterly direction through the lands of Joseph Roberts, John Sibley, Leonard Stump, Joshua Cox, George Rees, Samuel Bailey, Joseph Sibley, to as to intersect the road that leads from Stout's bridge to Lane's view, at David Pearson's bridge."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John C. Dent, Mr. Coffman, Samuel Fairbanks, Mr. Terwilliger and Charles Roberts surveyors, to meet at Jabez Rees in Dariesville on Friday the 14th instant, at 10 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as the law directs.

Mr. Rankin for your favor this day given to David Stump.

9th. David Pierce presented a petition signed by himself of others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows viz: "Beginning at the North side of both some
Petitions for damages on roads.

10th. Harry Buxford, guardian to the heirs of William Seaman deceased, laid in a Complaint in writing representing, that on account of Mr. Buck's road and alteration of said road, as established through said heirs land, is an injury to the same; praying that suitable persons may be appointed to appraise the damage.

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed, Levi Cooper, John Mattingly of Greene County, and Charles Roberts Surveyer, to meet at James Taggart's living on James Taylor's farm, on wearing the 12th instant, at 10 o'clock, A.M., preceding day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as the law directs.

Mr. Order for a view hereby given to Dr. Price this day.

Mr. Michael Kuchman Geo. A. Gibbons laid in a Complaint in writing representing, that in consequence of a State road being laid out through their lands, leading from Sanpke Creek to Lanesville, they feel themselves aggrieved, on account of the said road running through their premises at it now does to their great injury.

Therefore, accordingly to the Statute in such cases, the Commissioners of said County do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint you John Fitch of John Logan, to be viewer, to view said road the whole distance the same may have been established through the premises of the complainant, and also to determine how much if any valuable the lands or premises of said complainant has been, or will be rendered by opening said road, and make report, certify, sign & deliver a report of damages, to the Commissioners of said County, on or before the first Monday of March next.

It is further to be observed, that if a majority of you, shall be of opinion that the lands or premises of the complainant, has been or will be rendered less valuable by opening said road, you will at the same time frame and ascertain whether such road can be so changed or altered, as to prevent or lessen such damages, without increasing the distance in the front of the road so charged, more than one sixteenth, or placing it on some ground for a road or otherwise injuring the public, and in the last case also make due report (with your report of damages) and state your opinion in writing as to a change or alteration in said road.

You will meet at Geo. Buxford's, on Friday the 16th instant, at 10 o'clock, A.M., of said day.

Mr. Order for a view hereby given to Geo. A. Gibbons, 11th by his order.

Dec. 7th, 1847.
Ordered, that Dr. Peter Mitchell have an aide on the county treasury, for $10.75 for medical services rendered 9 prisoners on Humbert, Bailey & Jones, as per bill rendered & filed.

Ordered, that the following bills presented and allowed, viz:

1. John Wall, one of the commissioners on the Grave Creek state road, have an order on the county treasury for $10.50 for services rendered on said road as commissioner, since the survey $10.50

2. Damages to Mr. Buck's road.

Ordered, that Increase Mathews have an order on the county treasury, for the sum of Eighty dollars being the amount approved by Mr. Kemore, Rees Sardovolizer of Ephraim Young, viewers appointed to appraise said damages, as per their report.

Ordered, that Schabod Hyde have an order on the county treasury for the sum of $15.00 being the amount approved by Mr. Kemore, Rees Sardovolizer of Ephraim Young, viewers appointed to appraise said damages, as per their report at this session.

Ordered, that Matthew Chambers' bonds for building a bridge over Limestone run be delivered up, which was accordingly done.

Benjamin P. Wamsley, presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows, viz:

"Beginning at the county line between Muskingum, Looking at a point where it meets with a county road leading from said county line, to the state road at Benjamin Thompson's, in Licking county, to run from said point the nearest way to Thomas P. Ruckles lane, from thence to R. P. Wamsley's, from thence to Reuben Olive's, from thence to the line between Thomas Wodenhale's and Henry Shaffers, from thence to Mansfield, and from thence the nearest of best route to Lovett's bridge, to intersect the county road to Dresden?"

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Elijah Lee, Leonard Stump & Nathan Fleming viewers, and that Robert Sawyer, to meet at Nathan Fleming's, on Monday 10th instant, at 10 o'clock A.M., of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, according to law, with order to view if said road may be given to R. P. Wamsley.
8th. The following roads were severally committed to the second reading of confirmed: way.

James Hunter's road.

Commencing at or near the Centre of the W. sect. 2d. township, 3d. Range, and from thence the nearest and best grounds to the County line on the course to Parker's Mill on Mills Creek.

On the above route the Commissioners at their last section appointed viewers to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this section reported in favour of establishing said road, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm the report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

9th. Frederick Sander's road.

Commencing at the County line of Perry, thence to intersect the road from Martin's Mill, at the late residence of Abraham Smith etc. On the above route the Commissioners at their last section appointed viewers to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this section reported in favour of establishing said road, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm the report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

4th. John Jordan's road.

Commencing on the road from Greenside to Lochoton, in the township of Adams, at or near the north east corner of the plantation of Joseph Warren, thence the nearest and best route to the County line at a point on the West side of Mills Creek, nearly opposite the farm of Dr. Heathman.

On the above route the Commissioners at their last section appointed viewers to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this section reported in favour of establishing said road, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm the report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Richard H. Hoggan's addition of R. Bond's road.

Beginning on the said road at the mouth of Peter Baker's lane, in Union township, thence running north of west on the nearest and best ground to Mr. W. Cloud's, and from thence on the blazes to the mouth of Joseph Barr's and Thomas Welf's lane, and to continue west on the line to the corner, and thence to continue west on the line as near as convenient between Thomas Pacey's, R. H. Hoggan's, James W. Bridie's, and Jacob Barnes', until it intersects the Bowman County road at a white oak tree.

On the above route the Commissioners at their last section appointed viewers to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this section reported in favour of establishing said road, and the Commissioners believing the same
necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm the
report, and order the same to be recorded, and open
the width required by law; and hereafter consider
said road as a public highway, and to be worked according
the provisions in the charter of the town; and that the
same road is opened as required by law.

We Ordered to give Notice of this, and the same to be
given to D. D. Taylor, 12th Davo Patterson's road.

"Beginning at or within ten rods of a bridge
on either side of said bridge which is on the
road leading from the state of grave creek to
Bennettsville, west of Edward Hall's improvements
on said Hall's land, running from thence on the east side of Salt Creek on the nearest
ground to intersect the road leading from
the Chandler's to Bennettsville at big Salt Creek."

On the above route the Commissioners at the
last session appointed viewers of a survey, to view
and survey said route, and the viewers having
this report, and the Commissioners believing the same
necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm the
report, and order the same to be recorded, and open
the width required by law; and hereafter consider
said road as a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

We Ordered to give Notice of this, given to D. Shilling, 12th April 1838.

13th: Petition for damages on account of D. Patterson's
stock. Galbaith, in a complaint in writing,
Stating that David Patterson's road as laid out
through his premises is a great injury to him
and praying that suitable persons may be appointed
to appraise the damage.

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed
Stephen Reece, David Beart, John Moore, viewers, to view, appraise, and determine how
much this valuable land or premises of said
complainant has been or will be rendered by opening
said road, and make report thereof in writing to
this board, on or before the last Monday of
March next, to meet at said Galbaith's, on
Saturday the 7th March next, at 9 o'clock in the morning,
then to appraise damages of a given to D. Galbaith.

We Ordered, that Dardo Taylor have an order on
the county treasury for the sum of eighty one
dollars, towards a bridge built by said Taylor in
the fall of 1835, over Kent's run, as $75.00.

18th: Ordered, that the following persons be allowed
the several sums to their names annexed, for services rendered in case of Peter Bruner, tried for insanity
before Justice Flies, viz:

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18th: Road Bills allowed.

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The following bills on roads were allowed:

19th. State road from Hollenbeck to Owl Creek.
   1. O'Neil surveyor ........................ $3.25
   2. Geo. Darling Cont. ...................... 2.75
   3. George Sauermann Cont. ................ 2.75
   4. A. Smith Cont. .......................... 2.75
   5. Joseph Ackerman Chaine _________ 1.25
   6. David Maple .............................. 1.25
   7. Caleb Cockran marker .................. 1.25
   $14.77.6

18th. James Hunter's road.
   1. Joseph W. Moore surveying platting $3.75
   2. Dr. Seetings viewer ...................... 2.00
   3. Mr. DePoe viewer ......................... 2.00
   4. Jonathan Harey viewer .................. 2.00
   5. Anthony Hater Chaine ................... 1.50
   6. Andrew Bainton Chaine .................. 1.50
   7. James Hunter marker .................... 1.50
   $14.25

19th. Frederick Landes road.
   1. Mr. Anderson surveying platting $2.00
   2. Mr. Holmes viewer ........................ 1.00
   3. Moses German viewer ..................... 1.00
   4. Mr. Dent, viewing, making return .... 2.00
   5. H. Haynebohm Sen. Chaine .............. 1.75
   6. H. Haynebohm Jun. ........................ 1.75
   7. Fred. J. Landes marker .................. 1.75
   $8.25

20th. John Jordan's road.
   1. Jos. H. Moore, surveying platting $1.62
   2. Mr. G. Shers viewer .................... 1.00
   3. Joseph Siers viewer ..................... 1.00
   4. Stephen Strong viewer .................. 1.00
   5. Caleb Jordan Chaine ..................... 1.00
   6. John Jordan Chaine ..................... 1.00
   7. Henry Whittley marker .................. 0.87
   $10.37.4

21st. David Patterson's road.
   1. John Moore surveying platting $2.00
   2. Mr. Hunter viewing making return .... 2.00
   3. Ralph Hardesty viewer .................. 1.00
   4. Mr. Dent viewer ......................... 1.00
   5. Mr. Wrenacker Chaine ................... 1.00
   6. Mr. Hunter Sr. Chaine ................... 1.00
   7. Land. Wrenacker marker .................. 1.00
   $6.87.4

Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, December 5th, 1827.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment,
Present,
John Hands
Abelam Roberts
Mr. Hamilton

Mr. Isaac Helmick presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows, viz,
"Commencing at the South end of Capt. James Taylor's lane to the cabin of Charles Read, then the nearest of best way to the South end of Samuel
Sullivan's Lane.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Mr. Camp, Matthew Chambers, David Pince and John Roberts Swain, to meet at Ephraim Young's in West Branch, on the first Monday in February next, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as the law directs.

Mr. order to view said the day given to said West Branch.

William Delgey's case.

Now, whereas the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, in 1826, passed an Act, entitled an Act for the relief of Mr. Delgey, wherein the Commissioners of Muskingum County are authorized and empowered to let all lands, if deemed it expedient, to Delgey on said Delgey in Corporate Capacity, all right, title, interest, or claim, of the said County, in and on that tract of land containing 220 acres, in Range 7, Township 1, Sec. 2, situated in said County, namely the property of the said Mr. Delgey, and the said land to be recorded on said Delgey's Certificate of Purchase. The said Delgey shall at that time pay into the treasury of said County, for the use of said County, or give bond in good and sufficient security, to the acceptance of the said Commissioners for the payment of the sum of $1457.40. If said Delgey does not comply with said conditions as above specified, then the said agreement shall be null and void, as though no such agreement had been entered into.

Whereas on the 26th day of November 1822, John Burwell purchased at Sheriff's sale 220 acres of land in Range 7, Township 1, Section 2, from the estate of Mr. Delgey, for the sum of fourteen hundred sixty seven dollars and forty cents; and whereas the said Burwell offers to execute a quit claim deed to the Commissioners of Muskingum County, for the use of said County, of his right, title, and interest, in and to said land, on the payment of said purchase money:

Now, therefore be it resolved, that if the said John Burwell shall on or before the first Monday in March next, execute a quit claim deed as aforesaid, then the treasurer of said County is hereby ordered and required to deliver up to said Burwell his note of hand as aforesaid, now remaining in the treasury of said County, for the sum of $1457.40. If said Burwell does not comply with said conditions as above specified, against the time as above stipulated, then the aforesaid agreement shall be null and void, as though no such agreement had been entered into.

It is hereby ordered and it is hereby fully authorized to draw orders on the treasury of said County, for any sum or sums in his favor not exceeding seventy five dollars, in addition to what he may have authorized to draw last session, or the same may from time to time become due.
3d Ordinance, that William Wright be allowed $13.27 for laying a stone in the Clerk's Office, including plaster, etc. $13.27

6th Ordinance, that Elijah Hines be allowed a bill of $1.12 for cutting gables by health in Clerk's Office $1.12

Commissioners adjourned this Session.

[Signatures]

William Hamilton

Tuesday January 7th 1828.

Commissioners met.

Present:

John Handley 3
Mrs. Hamilton 3

The Commissioners met for the purpose of providing for the support of John Brown, the lunatic, now confined in the jail of said County.

Wherefore John Baintor appeared and offered to take the said Peter Baintor, a lunatic, and keep and furnish him with all things necessary, fit and convenient for such insane person, for and during the term of one year, for the sum of Seventy-five dollars, to be paid quarterly in County orders, drawn on the Treasury of said County, and offered Jacob Baintor to be his security, all of which was agreed to by the Commissioners. It is to be understood that if said Peter shall die, or be restored to his reason at any time within one year as of our said payment shall cease, and said Baintor be paid only in proportion to the time he may have kept him during his lunacy, as per article of agreement made this day. 

I, John Handley, Clerk, do hereby certify the above.

William Hamilton, Clerk.
Bennetville, Monday, March 3d, 1828.

Commissioners of Muskingum County met, pursuant to Law.

Present,
Abielom Roberts, John Henderly Com.
William Hamilton.

The following reports were made, & severally committed to the First reading, viz: Leonard Stack's alteration of David Prince's road, this being a favorable report ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

David Prince's road, a favorable report to be read again tomorrow.

Wm. B. Wamsley's road, to be committed to a second reading tomorrow.

Mr. B. Ream's alteration of road, on a certain county road leading from the Athens road to the Cooper Mill road, as follows viz:

"Beginning at the corner of Mr. B. Ream's field, and running by the side of said field where a road had formerly been to Jonathan Creek near Leonard's Mill."

The views appointed at the last session made a report in favor of making said alteration as above specified (viz.), whereupon a petition was handed in by Christopher Leonard, praying that suitable persons might be appointed to review said alteration. Whereas, ordered by the Commissioners that John Parker, John Mower, Isaac James, Matthew Welchin, David Olive, be, and they are hereby appointed, to review said alteration, to meet at Mr. D. Taylor's, on Monday the 31st instant, at 10 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, according to Law. Mr. Orin, for a review, present of join to Lenhart this day.

Damages caused by David Patterson's road. Ordered that Abraham Galbraith have an order on the county treasury for the sum of five dollars, being the amount of damages as assessed by Stephen Bore, David Tread & J. Everse (views appointed to assess damages), as per their report of this session.

The following petition for a road was presented.

Beverly Domblys, presents a petition signed by himself & others, praying that a road may be laid out established as follows viz:

"Beginning at the county line in the North West corner of Muskingum County, thence to one mile of Adam's Mill, thence by a new roadway to "Mr. T. Clinton's mill"; thence to Bennetville, on the Ohio Canal." Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Samuel D. St. John Dorsey & Samuel McAnn, viewers, of John Robert's surveyors, to meet at Thompson, Adam's Mill, on Monday, the 21st instant, at 10 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as the law directs.

Mr. Orin, for a review of said views to said Mr. D. Taylor, this day.
Pursuant to an agreement with the Commissioners of Muskingum County, made on the 7th day of December last, (as per reference to the minutes of said Commission will more fully appear) John Burwell made and executed to the Commissioners of said County, in the use of said County, a quitclaims deed of his right and title, in and to 225 acres of land, in Range 7, Township 1, Section 2, (formerly the property of John Delgatt) therefore in the further pursuance of said order, the treasurer of said County deliver up to said Burwell his note of hand for the sum of $1487.00, which to remain in the treasurer of said County.

The Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock, this morning.

Tuesday, March 4th, 1833
Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,
Abelom Roberts,
John Rodger,
William Hamilton,

1st Report of damages done to Michael Lockman by Geo. W. Gibbons, on account of damages done to said Complainants by Sunfish Creek State road passing through their land; also report of alteration of said road, so as to prevent said damages, viz:

To the Honorable Commissioners of Muskingum County. Pursuant to an add from your

honor, being date the 5th day of December 1833, the undersigned viewed said at the time and place appointed by said order, and after being duly examined according to law, proceeded to view the state road leading from Sunfish Creek to Vancouer's, the whole length, it has been established through the lands of George W. Gibbons and Michael Lockman, and are of opinion that the premises of Geo. W. Gibbons are rendered less valuable by said road to the amount of 500 dollars, and the premises of Michael Lockman are rendered less valuable by said road to the amount of one hundred dollars. We therefore offer the damages done to Geo. W. Gibbons at the sum of 500 dollars, and the damages done to Michael Lockman at the sum of 100 dollars.

We have therefore proceed to view three different routes laid down by said Complainants, either of said routes will have the effect to entirely do away all damages done to either of them.

1st Route. Beginning at an elm tree in the state road on Mr. Lockman's East line, and running thence to the N.E. Corner of John Green's land, thence West along the line and Lockman's lane between said Lockman's land and the Green's to George W. Gibbons's farm, thence a little North of West through said Gibbons farm to Thaddeus Reeves old County road on Gibbons's farm, thence along said road and Same Reeves lane to said Reeves gate, a new therto, thence to State road at Gilbert Bleak's black yard. The above route we consider on better ground than where the State road is now established, and is our opinion cannot
be to the second damage of any person.

2d Route.

Begins at the same place where the last was
and follows the same to Reede's gate, or near
there to, thence to the State road at Whine's
brick yard. This route we consider to be on
better ground and a shorter distance than that
the State road is now established, and no damage
done in our opinion.

3d Route.

Begins at the same place the first and
second does, and follows the same to Reede's
alteration of Reede's road thence along said road
until it strikes the State road where it is now
established. This route will not do any damage
to any person, but is a query whether it will
quite come within the distance allowed by law.
We therefore particularly recommend
the first or second route.

Given under our hands this 28th
day of Feb., 1828.

(Signed) John Trinmble
John Logan

Therefore the Commissioners upon receiving the
aforesaid report, and specially to the provisions of
the statute in such case, do hereby nominate, con-
stitute and appoint Jonathan Bird, Ephraim Barlow
and John Ravenaugh, pursuant, and Charles
Roberts, surveyor, to survey and appraise the road as
part of a road, referred to in the report of the
first mentioned trustees, and forthwith
after making such survey or examination to report
their proceeding in writing to the Commissioners of
said county, in form of the route they may

from most likely to prevent or lessen the damages
so hereunto offered. Said viewers are to observe
that the angle of ascents or descents must not
be greater in the part so changed, than that is
by law allowed on the rest of the road. Viewers
are to meet at the house of Geo. F. Gibson, on
Monday the 17th instant, at 10 o'clock. Ad
If said day,

Mr. Order for viewers to make alterations, signed
of said day.

Alexander Shuttlesworth, road bond with Joseph Brown
Sun, as security, was given up to John Shuttlesworth
on the evidence of Christopher White, testifying
on oath, that said conditions had been complied
with.

3d Ordered, that Grando Taylor have an aid
on the county treasury for the sum of 75 dollars
balance for building a bridge over Kent's run, in
the fall of 1828.

Also that said Taylor have one other order
on the treasury of said county, for fourteen dollars
for certain repairs lately done to the same.

4th Samuel Stover presents a petition, and
by himself or others praying that an alteration
may be made on the certain county road leading
from John Calehew's Mill, thence down the
river to S. Carlisle's orchard, thence south in
branch Creek intersecting the Athens road at
or near Deavestown, as follows, viz:

"Sale alteration to begin on the banks
of the Muskingum river near Jonathan Carlisle's
thence south to the county line."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed


Commissary, John Wilson of Bradford, Duval, surveyor, and William Anderson, surveyor, to meet at South Carolina on Thursday the 20th of March instant at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as the law directs, Mr. Osten for a view issued, given to Sommerton this day.

The following road report was read the first time.

Isaac Wilcox's road.

"Commencing at the South end of Capt. James Taylor's Lane to the Cabin of Charles Coakle, thence the nearest and best way to the South end of Samuel Scullinan's lane."

The viewers that were appointed last section made a report at this session in favor of establishing said route a public highway.

Whereupon a petition was laid in by David Chambon praying that suitable persons may be appointed to revise the foregoing route.

Therefore, ordered by the Commissioners that John Adams, Meal Currie, David Robinson, Levi Cooper of Robert Welsh be, and they are hereby appointed viewers, to review said route to meet Ephraim Young's, on Monday the 13th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, according to law. Mr. Osten for a review of this day.

William Delligs's case.

This day William Delligs, as per agreement made with the Commissioners last December, paid three hundred dollars in cash into the county treasurer, for the use of said county. Wherefore the Commissioners, executed a quit claim deed unto said Mr. Delligs in their corporate capacity, of all right, title, interest of claim of said county, in and to 250 acres of land, in Range 7, Township 1, Section 4, situated in said county, and formerly the property of the said Wm. Delligs.

The following road reports were severally committed to the second reading and confirmed.


"Beginning at a near Joseph Roberts' house, near the Methodist Meeting house in St. Luke, and running in an easterly direction through the lands of Joseph Roberts, John Hyde, Leonard Plump, Joshua Ely, George Prior, Samuel Bailey and Joseph Prior, so as to intersect the road that leads from Lovett's bridge to Damesville, at David Pearson's bridge."

On the above route the Commissioners, at their last session appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said alteration of said road, continuing the old road as a public highway from William Blank's house to the point of intersection at a bridge which is about three quarters of a mile on the east end of said road, the Commissioners believing that said alteration is necessary for public utility, also that it is proper to continue that part of the old route as reported by the viewers, as above referred to, to confirm their reports, and have the same to be read and signed the warrants required by law, and hereby consider the said public road, if to be worked according to the balance of the old route to be vacated, upon as the new-
route is opened, according to Law.

March 18, 1828.

8th. David Pierce's road.

"Beginning at the South side of Capt. James Taylor's farm in Muskingum township, on the County road at said Taylor's garden, thence running north on a line dividing lots No. 21 of 80 one mile, thence running East 100 rods, thence on the nearest to best ground till it intersects what is generally known by the name of Field's road, in the old town of lots below Dresden.

On the above route the Commissioners at the last session appointed viewers to view and survey said road, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said road and the Commissioners believing the same necessary, of public utility, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Mr. Davis taken at Muskingum, A. H. Jones, Jr.,

2nd. B. E. uneven's road.

"Beginning at the County line between Muskingum of Dicking at a point where it intersects with a County road leading from said County line to the State road at Benjamin Thompson's in Licking County, to run from said point the nearest and best way to Thomas J. Becket's Lane, from there to B. W. Wainer's, from there to Reuben Brown's, thence to the line between Dr. Mendel and Henry Shephard, from there to O'Keeffe's, and from thence the nearest and best route to Built bridge, to intersect the County road to Dresden.

On the aforesaid route, the Commissioners after their last session appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said road, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary, of public utility, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

The following bills on roads were allowed.

Leonard Thompson's situation of Allen's road.

1. Chas. Roberts, surveying of lots, $3.75
2. Jno. E. Dent, viewing -- 2.00
3. William Hoffman, do -- 2.00
4. Samuel Fairbanks, do -- 2.00
5. James Walker, chaining -- 1.50
6. John Henderson, do -- 1.50
7. William Irvine, marking -- 1.50/12.00

David Pierce's road.

1. Chas. Roberts, surveying of lots, $3.75
2. Jno. E. Dent, viewing -- 2.00
3. William Hoffman, do -- 2.00
4. Samuel Fairbanks, do -- 2.00
5. James Walker, chaining -- 1.50
6. John Henderson, do -- 1.50
7. William Irvine, marking -- 1.50/14.25

12th. Damages done to A. Gallant.

1. Stephen Reeve viewing -- 1.00
2. ditto - making return -- 1.00
3. David Fear, viewing -- 1.00
4. John Mercer, do -- 1.00/1.00
Wednesday, March 5th, 1828.
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present.

Abraham Roberts
John Hamilton

Amos Hamilton

1st. It is hereby ordered by A. W. Gary in behalf of the members of the commissioners, to draw out the order on the treasury of Muskingum county, for any sum or sums, in his favor, not exceeding one hundred dollars, in addition to what he has heretofore been by us authorized to draw, as the same may from time to time become due.

2nd. Ordered that James Caldwell be allowed an order on the treasury of said county for $13.00 for making a desk of book case, for the use of the Treasurer's Office.

3rd. Ordered that damages caused by Samuel Eakins.

John Remley, J. P. and
John Hamilton, Com'

[Signatures]

The commissioners adjourned this session.

Abraham Roberts
John Hamilton
Amos Hamilton

13th. B. R. Hunsley's road.
- Charles Roberts, surveying platting $3.75
- Elijah Cox, viewing $1.50
- Leonard Stump, viewing $1.50
- John Fleming, viewing $1.50
- John Carnagey, Chainman $1.12
- Robert Carnagey, do $1.12
- B. R. Hunsley, marking $1.12  12.62

Hon. B. Rankin's alteration of road.
- William Anderson, surveying platting $3.00
- Matthew Gellerup, viewing $2.00
- Johnson Thompson, do $2.00
- John Danner, do $2.00
- Horatio Gates, Chainman $1.50
- George Rankin, do $1.50
- Wm. B. Rankin, marking $1.75  12.75

Isaac Helmbig's road.
- John Roberts, surveying platting $2.50
- Mathew Chamber, viewing $1.00
- William Camp, do $1.00
- David Sherrard, do $1.00
- Jeremiah Beach, Chainman $1.75
- Oliver Dowell, do $1.75
- Saml. Bellisley, marking $1.75  7.75

Ordered, That Richard Stillwell Esq. have an order on the treasury of said county for two dollars, for sundry writings done by commissioners, March 30th, 1828. $2.00

Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.
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George Johnson, presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning at a popular tree near the boundary on the land of Abraham Miller, and running a South course, as near as may be, on the best and most suitable ground to a school house formerly occupied by James Elliott as teacher, thence to Robert Almon's and thence in a South direction by William Almon to the North end of George Johnson's lane, thence the nearest and best route to the Marietta Road, to meet a road already laid out from the mouth of Big Salt Creek to said Marietta road."

The Commissioners being satisfied that notice had been given by advertisement in the two townships through which said road is designed to pass as the law directs, proceed to appoint viewers, whereupon Aaron Robinson, Joseph Harriet, and Ebenezer E. Pierce, were appointed viewers, and William Sinclair surveyor...to meet at Abraham Miller's, on the 17th instant, at 9 o'clock, a.m. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board at the Law courts.

The following reports on roads were received and read:

1. Ralph Hardisty's report on the road leading from the Athens road to the Coopermill road, the Reporters appointed last meeting having this day reported against the alteration as prayed for by said Ralph Hardisty, of course their petition was not granted.

2. Beverly Smart's report, this report being in favor of establishing the prayer of the petitioners, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

3. Mr. B. W. Harwell's alteration of a certain county road leading from the Athens road to the Cooper mill road, the Reporters appointed last meeting having this day reported against the alteration as prayed for by said W. B. Harwell, of course their petition was not granted.

Issac Helman's road.

"Commencing at the South end of Captain James Taylor's lane to the cabin of Charles Beach, thence the nearest and best route to the South end of Samuel Sullivan's lane."

The Reporters appointed last meeting, made a report this day in favor of establishing the above route a public highway. And the Commissioners, believing said road necessary and of public utility hereby confirm their report, and for the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereinafter considered a public highway, and to be walked accordingly.

Draw to open June 15, 1828.
Whereas Jacob Brouck, as principal, and John Brouck,.name, entered into bond with the Commissioners of said County, bearing date 25th April 1823, containing for the building and upholding a bridge over Jonathan’s Creek, at or near Andrew’s Creek, for and during the term of five years, from and after the same shall be finished and accepted by the Commissioners, which term shall not expire until the 6th day of June instant, if the first reach of the bridge having fallen some time in January last. Whereupon by agreement made with the Commissioners this day, said Brouck paid the sum of fifty dollars into the County Treasury, as for the treasurer’s receipt, for to be appropriated to the repairing of said bridge: And the Commissioners do hereby upon the consideration aforesaid, forever exonerate of forever discharge said Brouck from all liability on account of said bond.

The following accounts were presented and allowed, viz.
Ordered, that Mathew Melhing have an order on the treasury, for 11 days service at Depot on the Township of Brush Creek, year 1823, amounting to £16. 50.
Ordered, that Joseph Springer have an order on the treasury of said County, for 36 days service as Depot on the year 1823, amounting to £16. 50 bloody

Commissioners adjourned to 9 o’clock to morrow morning.

Tuesday, June 8th. D. 1823.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:
Abelom Roberts, John Hamailton, J. Smith
(Thos. Hamilton, Esq.)

Archibald Ballaugh appeared and applied for the keeping of Sarah White, an insane person (now in the custody) for the term of one year, from and after the 26th day of August
Provided that said Sarah shall be at that time in the County House; Therefore the Commissioners order the Assessor to take bond and security of said Ballaugh for the faithful performance of said Ballaugh, in keeping, providing and furnishing said Sarah with all things necessary of convenient for such insane person for the term of one year, and the Commissioners agree to pay said Ballaugh seventy-five dollars for said term, in order drawn upon the treasury of said County, in equal quarterly payments.

Provided further, that if said Sarah should at any time thereafter cease to be a county charge, by death or otherwise, then said Ballaugh shall be paid in proportion to the time he may have kept her.

2nd. Thomas Rambo, presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the road that leads from David Findley’s mill to the school house near the mouth of Mills Creek, as follows:―Beginning at the line between Highland and Union townships on said road, running thence through lands of James Willet, Alexander Clay, the Rambo, Edward and Peter Bond, to intersect the road that leads from Cambridge to Danville, at the west corner of Alexander White’s fields.

Therefore the Commissioners appointed John Jamison, Daniel Hamilton and John Henry, Thoma
Ordered, That Lewis James, Sheriff of said County, have an order on the treasury, for 75 days services as Sheriff, year 1828, amounting to the sum of $114.00.

Ordered, That David Shepherd, have an order on the treasury of said County, for 93 days services as Deputy Sheriff in the Township of Falls of Jefferson. Amounting to the sum of $14.55.

The following report on roads, were severally committed to the second reading of Commissioners, viz: Samuel Stover's alteration of road.

"Beginning on the South Bank of the Muskingum river near Jonathan Deardorfs, thence South up Brush Creek to the County line."

On the aforesaid route the Commissioners at their last March session appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this session reported, in favour of establishing a making the alteration as petitioned for, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded and open the same, as required by law, and hereafter consider a public highway and to be worked accordingly; and the former route that lies between the points of intersection, to be vacated, upon as the new route is opened as required by law. Mr. Dunn to give a proper join to Sr. Swingle, &c. 1828.
5th. The following road bills were severably allowed, viz:-

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Road Tax

It was further ordered and determined by said Commissioners that one mill upon the dollar be levied upon the Aggregate Amount of the value of all property entered upon the general list for taxation for road purposes for the year 1828, agreeably to "An Act supplementary to "An Act establishing an equitable mode of laying the taxes of this state, and for other purposes," passed January 31, 1827:

County Levy for 1828:
The Commissioners proceeded to levy the per Centum necessary for the purpose of defraying the expenditures of Washington County for the year 1828, agreeably to an Act of the Legislature of the State of Ohio, passed February 1825, and the Amendment thereto passed January 31, 1826, and do hereby levy two mills on each dollar of the aggregate Amount of the value of all property in said County, entered upon the general list for taxation in the current year.

Treasurer's Bond:
Ordered by the Commissioners that the Auditors take bond of security of John Roberts, Treasurer, for the faithful performance of his duties as treasurer for the term of two years from the first day of June, 1828, in the sum of twenty five thousand dollars.

The following petition for an alteration of the road along the bank of the river, between the Northern terminus of Seventh Street, or now, at or near the East boundary line of Van's Grant, and up the river to the elbow or short turn, some rods East of the brick yard of James Hampson, Esq. by Isaac Van Horne, was presented, signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on said road, as follows, viz, "Beginning at, or near, the South East Corner of Colburn's addition to Danville, thence a North Eastwardly course through lands of P. D. Hamline along the foot of the hill until it intersects the old road at the short turn aforesaid."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Abbot, Brown, John Roberts, George Hewitt, and Charles Roberts, surveyors, to meet at the Office of Isaac Van Horne, on Saturday, the 30th August next, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, to view, survey & make the alteration as petitioned for if they deem it expedient, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as the law directs.

Ordered by the Commissioners that John H. Gray, be allowed to follow, for services as County Auditor, from the first day of June, 1827, to the first day of June, 1828, viz:

In making out the Duplicates of 1827, drawing of two copies of the same as required by law, and attending the proceedings of the Commissioners, drawing road bonds, giving orders to viewers to view roads, also to superintend the construction of open roads, drawing orders on the County Treasury, preparing books &c. for the Auditor of 1828, and all other necessary services required by law.

Amount allowed: $436.00
Public letter postage of Stationery $3.21
Total $439.21

Paid to Daniel Anderson for making out Duplicates of personal property of 1827 $25.00

Total $464.21
Nathan Oaf presents a petition signed by himself and others praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows, viz:

"Beginning at the new state road leading from Nancollet to same corner near where the Scarlot School House formerly stood, thence the nearest and best route to the south west corner of William Carter's land, thence the nearest and best way to the corner of William Hamilton's fields, thence the nearest and best way to Samuel Beater's, observing all the lanes and points through which the old roads pass as it is now travelled."

Thereupon the commissioners (being satisfied that notice had been given as required by law) appointed Reuben T. P. Brown of Ashley, Thomas Young and John Lowe surveyors, to meet at Aaron Robinson, on Saturday the 23rd day of August next, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

Writs to view and give said land to said Johnson.

9th

Philomena Johnston presents a petition signed by herself and others praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows, viz:

"Beginning at a white oak tree marked E on the journey road nearly opposite the North East corner of Aaron Robinson's North West fields, thence along a Northwardly course to Enock McVay's South boundary line, thence North to John Jeffery's South East corner, thence the nearest and best ground to the South West corner of William Brown's Meadow; thence a South West direction to a white oak tree on the Johnson road, thence down said Johnson's road to a run West of Philomena Johnston's, thence up said run past the house of Thomas Sharp, thence the nearest and best ground to the corner of Ralph Hardesty's field where his tobacco house stands, thence down the East side of said field and to intersect the clay turnpike as called on the lines of the said Hardesty."

Thereupon the commissioners (being satisfied that notice had been given as required by law) appointed Samuel Habber, Mr. T. J. Brown of Ashley, Thomas Young and John Lowe surveyors, to meet at Aaron Robinson, on Thursday the 23rd day of August next, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

Writs to view and give said land to said Johnson.

10th

The County Auditor's own private account with the district, was by the Commissioners examined, compared with the Checks, and found the same satisfactory and correctly kept.

The County Auditor's own private account with the district, was by the Commissioners examined, compared with the Checks, and found the same satisfactory and correctly kept.

It is hereby ordered that all sums of money due to the County Auditor, for any sum or sums not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars, as the same may from time to time become due, at any period between this day of the first Monday in December next, and the first Monday in the next October, shall be paid to the said Auditor.

Ordained that the County Auditor advertise an
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The Commissioners adjourned at 8 o'clock to resume

Thursday, June 8, 1828.

The Commissioners convened punctually at adjournment.

Present:
Abraham Roberts
John Handle
Wm. Hamilton, Esq.

Settlement with the Treasurer.

This day John Roberts Esq., treasurer of Washington County, presented his accounts for examination and settlement, and the Commissioners found the accounts correctly kept; and they remain on settlement with said treasurer in favour of said county, the sum of three thousand ninety-six dollars, twelve cents, nine mills; as follows, viz:

1st. Good Funds - - - - - $2,821.04 9
2nd. Depreciation Bank paper - $146.00
3rd. Order on Morgan County - - - - - - - 
4th. Certificate of Deposit of Union Bank of Cincinnati - $100.00
Total $3,067.12.9

Orders burned.

On the above settlement with said treasurer, all the orders that were redeemed on said settlement up to this date, the Commissioners burned.

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John Mathews, presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows, viz:

"Beginning on the East side of Jonathan's Creek, to the road leading down the Muskingum and running with or near the Neshahala, by road over the hills to a new place, it intersects the County road from James Jeffries' Mills to Bruich Creek. The Commissioners being satisfied that notice has been given in both townships as required by law, appointed Cyrus Mersiam, Thomas Mee and Thomas Neo, surveyors, and John Mathews, to meet at John Mathews' on Monday the 9th August next, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

Wrote for a view fraction and given to John Mathews this day.

The Commissioners adjourned this session.

Abraham Roberts
John Handle
Wm. Hamilton.
December 1st, 1828.

The Commissioners met according to law.

Present:

Abel Lamont, Chairman.

Henry Hamilton.

The following road petitions were presented and acted upon:

George Blaup presents a petition praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning at the southerly corner of the township, running southeasterly by way of George Blaup's thence to Joseph Fullerson's to intersect the Clay turnpike in Wayne township."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Stephen Reece, Solomon Grove and Nathan Gross, viewers, and Charles Roberts, surveyor, to meet at George Blaup's on the second Saturday in January next, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and make report of their proceedings according to law. Order for view issued this day.

John Crawford presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on Henry Wharton's road, as follows:

"Beginning at the west end of Jacob Wharton's lane, thence by John Crawford's to intersect the road leading from Samuel Hulbert's to the Marengo road."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed George Johnson, Stephen Wollaston and John Hammond, viewers, and William Sinclair, surveyor, to meet at Jacob Wharton's, on Saturday the 25th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and make report.

James Cumming presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out as follows:

"Beginning at the county road at or near the south corner of Thomas Wharton's land, thence south, to the corner of James Cumming's. From said land, thence in the nearest and best ground to intersect the national road or near Joseph Falterson's improvements."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Christopher Hack, John Ferren, George Border, viewers, and Samuel Haley, surveyor, to meet at John Brown's in the same township, on Saturday the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and make report at the next March session, as required by law.

James McCune presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out as follows:

"Beginning at the eastwardly end of William Mapes' lane, on the east end of James Howard's lane, and on the state road leading from Cambridge to Mount Vernon, running thence eastwardly byDott Whitman's, and by or near Daniel Hammonds, thence to Moses Whiter to intersect the national road at the northeastly or east end of the bridge over the creek, or near thereto."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Ralph Condry, H. Hunter, John Andrews, viewers, and Joseph Wells, surveyor, to meet at William Mapes on Friday the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and to make report at the next March session, as required by law.

Order for view issued this day.

James Cumming.
3d. Charles Roberts presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows viz:

"Beginning a little south of William Durrell's brick yard in Galena township at the north end of a road lately laid out through James's Meadow and from thence up the river on and as near as the present travelled route as the ground will admit, by Thomas Carnes and William Lack's late works of Samuel Beavers to the North boundary line of Washington township at a point on said line where a new cut road intersects the same."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Spencer Decker, John Stack and Michael Peters, and Charles Roberts surveyer, to meet at Charles Roberts on Thursday next instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, to make report at the next March Session, as required by law.

2d. Order in a view place this day and given to said Roberts.

The following reports on roads were made and seconded and read the first time viz:

John Roberts alteration of the Athens road, the being a favorable report, further proceeding was left over until next March Session, on account that said Roberts had not opened the new route according to law.

Jacob Baker's road, a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

George Johnson's road, a favorable report, ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

Ralph Cardiety's road, a favorable report, ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

Thomas Wembo's alteration of road, a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Joseph Williamson's road, a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Nathan Cole's road, a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Philemon Johnson's road, a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

James Van Horne's alteration of road, a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Ordered that Gresham Taylor have an order on the county treasury for five dollars for repairing the bridge over Want's run, by one of the Commissioners.

Peter Bruner.

John S. Bainter appeared and applied for the copy of Peter Bruner, an insane person (now in his custody) for the term of one year, from and after the first day of January next, for the sum of fifty dollars per annum, to be paid in equal quarterly payments.

Whereupon the Commissioners took bond from said Bainter for the due keeping of said Peter, as the reference being that there will more fully appear a said bond is filed in this office.

The Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock A.M. of tomorrow.
Tuesday, December 23, 1829.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, present.

Alphonso Roberts
John W. Wadley Con.
Mr. Hamilton

Mr. B. Rankin presented receipts showing that he had paid all costs incurred by a petition for an alteration of a road, petitioned for at the Dec. session 1828; his bond was therefore ordered to be given up.

The following road petition was presented: To the said Joseph B. Bliss, presented a petition signed by himself and others praying that an alteration may be made on Martin Chandler's road as follows, viz.:

"Commencing at the North West side of Isaac Shaffer's land, then South East through said Shaffer's, John Grandaft's, Joseph Wells, Frederick Page, and Daniel Smiley's land.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Mr. Peterman, Joseph Page & John Page, viewers, and John Morris, surveyor, to meet at Daniel Smiley's on Thursday the 1st instant, at 9 o'clock, a.m., of said day, and to make report to the next sitting of this Board, as required by law.

Mr. order the view of such & such.

The following roads on roads were severally committed to the second reading and confirmed, viz:

Jacob Baker's road.

Beginning at Jacob Baker's mile and thence running Northwardly till it strikes the line between David Peachy, and from there, on the nearest of best ground to intersect the turnpike, at or near Andrew Hugh's.

On the route of said road the Commissioners at their last June session appointed the surveyors to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said road, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

George Johnson's road.

Beginning at a popular tree near the junction of said road and the land of Shubam Miller, running a straight course as near as may be on the best of most suitable ground to a school house, formerly occupied by James Elliott, thence to Robert Honors, and so on in a south direction by William Johnson's to the point of George Johnson's lane, thence the nearest and most direct to the Marietta road, to meet a road already laid out from the mouth of Big Salt Creek, said Marietta road.

On the route of said road the Commissioners at their last June session appointed the surveyors to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said route as a public highway, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Ms. order to open for the whole of the said 600 yards at $1.50 per yard. — J. B.
Ralph Henderson's road.

"Beginning a few rods from the West end of Ralph Henderson's dwelling house, thence on the best of nearest ground to intersect the national road at the North end of Benjamin Hightman's lane at the town of Norwich;"

On the above route the commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers of a survey, to view and survey said route; and the viewers having at this session reported favorably, and the commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded of open the width required by law, and hereafter considered as a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Thomas Rambo's alteration of lane.

"Beginning at the line between Highland and Union townships on said road, running thence through lands of James Wilson, Alexander Hag, and Rambo, Edward Hunter & Peter Bond, to intersect the road that leads from Cambria to Gnenville, at the West Corner of Alexander White's fields;"

On the above said route the commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers of a survey, to view and survey said route; and the viewers having at this session reported favorably, and the commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded of open the width required by law, and hereafter considered as a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Joseph Williamson's road.

"Beginning at the new state road at the West end of Jacob Connel's lane, running through past Bethel Meeting House in Highland Township, thence through the lands of Ot. Hightman, Jr., Gees and Henry S. Hammond's, and on the nearest and best ground to intersect the national road at the town of Norwich at a thirty-three foot street between Mr. Plant's and John McCardy's in Union township;"

On this route the commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers of a survey, to view and survey said route; and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of said route becoming a public highway, and the commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded of open the width required by law, and hereafter considered as a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Nathan Cole's road.

"Beginning at the new state road leading from Gilead to Ganeville, near where the Stover school house formerly stood, thence the nearest and best route to the North west corner of Mr. Cooper's land, thence the nearest and best way to the Corner of Mr. Hamilton's field, thence the nearest and best way to Samuel Baxter's, observing all the lanes as points through any road the old road passes as it is now travelled;"

On this route the commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers of a survey, to view and survey said route; and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of said route becoming a public highway, and the commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded of open the width required by law, and hereafter considered as a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Or, if any persons, inhabitants, or surveyors, do use any way or highway, which now is not so used, and is not now public, or are not public, within the said jurisdiction, the same shall be deemed and considered as a public way or highway, and to be worked accordingly.
Philemon Johnson's road.

Beginning at a white oak tree marked HI, on the Guernsey road near opposite the North East Corner of Aaron Robinson's West field, thence taking a North West course to Enoch McCoy's South boundary line, thence to John Lafferty's South West corner, thence the nearest and best ground to the South West Corner of William Brown's Meadow, thence a North West direction to a white oak tree on the Johnson road marked I, thence same, said Johnson road to a run West of Philemon Johnson, thence up said run past the house of Kirby, thence the nearest and best ground to strike the Corner of Ralph Hardisty's field where his Tobacco house stands, thence down the East side of said field to intersect the Clay turnpike, so called on the lines of the said Hardy.

On the aforesaid route the Commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this session of the Commissioners reported in favor of said route becoming a public highway, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and that the said route is hereby considered a Public highway and to be worked accordingly.

Signed for the Commissioners of the County of Calhoun.

Phileon Johnson, sheriff. 6th day of June, 1829.

Samuel Kin, Commissioner. 6th day of June, 1829.

Jesse Van Horn, Deputy Sheriff.

Beginning at a near the North East corner of Colleton's addition to Guernsey, thence a North Eastward direction through lanes of D.D. Hamline along the foot of the hill until it intersects the old road at the North turn some rods east of the brick yard of James Hamline.

On the aforesaid route the Commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers and

Survey, to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of said alteration as prayed for in the petition being made, to establish a public highway, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and the said route by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked according and that the said road by be vacated from a point about seven perchs above the East boundary of Gems grant, to the bridge or short turn some perchs West of James Hamline's brick yard, measuring about 16 0 perchs.

14. On the aforesaid route to be given to B. Fords, April 6th, 1829.

The following bills on roads were severally allowed by

Jacob Baker's road. 0.00
+ Charles Roberts surveying and platting 3.00
+ John Robinson 1 day viewing 1.00
+ Joseph Bowers do 1.00
+ Albert Bell do 1.00
+ Jacob Stiles 1 day chaining 75
+ Ben Jamison do 75
+ David Spier 1 day marking 75
+ 2475

Aaron Johnson's road. 0.95
+ William Sinclair surveying and platting 4.50
+ Aaron Robinson viewing 2 days 2.00
+ Joseph Hart do 2.00
+ Lewellen Pierce do 3.00
+ Abram Grandstaff chaining 2 days 1.50
+ Ben Jamison do 1 day 75
+ Mrs. Humphry marking 1 day 75
+ Thos. Cogans do 1 day 75
+ 16.00
Petition for damages on account of state road.

J. & Bruce & Sho. Beach by their attorney

Said Petitioners being, by the above-named attorneys, and by the defendant, the State, on the 1st Monday of March next, and made out, executed, and delivered a report of damages to the Commissioners of said County, on or before the first Monday of March next.

It is further to be observed, that if a...
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Majority of you, shall be of opinion that the lands or premises of the complainants, has been or will be rendered life valuable by opening said road; you will, at the same time, examine, and ascertain whether such road can be so changed or altered, so as to prevent or lessen such damages, without increasing the distance. In the past, the road so changed, more than one sixteenth, a placing it on worse ground for a base, or otherwise injuring the public. One in the last case also made a written report (with your report of damages) and will report in writing as to a change or alteration in said road.

You will meet at Michael Peter’s on Saturday the 13th instant, at 9 o’clock and hold a day, and to make report to the next sitting of this Board, as required by law.

Mr. Order for a view, journey given to Robert Monroe, this day.

James Monroe presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an allotment may be made on Wilson’s road, as follows, viz;

"Beginning at a Maple tree on said road, and running thence to the South West corner of John Wilson’s north, thence to intersect the Guernsey road at the North West end of Joseph Jones’s land, and that so much of the road as lies between the points of intersection, be vacated."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed William Cooper, George Dickie & John Moore to be viewers, and John Moore surveyor, to meet at Robert Monroe’s on Saturday the 13th instant, at 9 o’clock, and to make report to the next sitting of this Board, as required by law.

Mr. Order for a view, journey given to James Monroe, this day.

Wednesday, December 5, 1823.

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present

Astonham Roberts
John Hamilton
John Little

The following road petition was presented.

Robert Monroe presents a petition praying that an allotment may be made on George Johnson’s road as follows, viz;

"Beginning at the South West corner of Robert Monroe’s meadows to a dog wood, toppling on the point of a ridge according to Mr. Monroe."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed William Cooper, George Dickie & John Moore to be viewers, and John Moore surveyor, to meet at Robert Monroe on Saturday the 13th instant, at 9 o’clock, and hold a day, and to make report to the next sitting of this Board, as required by law. The plat and survey of a state road leading fromDickiesville to Waterford landing is lately located, the following bill being submitted.

- Charles Roberts Cont. Surveyor $18.66
- Joseph Edwards Cont. 16.85
- Jacob Monroe Mark. 4.52
- Addison Patterson, Chain. 3.92
- Mathias Scott, do 3.12

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6th. Ordered that John Roberts have an order on the treasury for eight dollars of fifty cents, for a Noble and poler for the Treasurer's Office — $8.50.

6th. Ordered that Richmond D. Pitts have an order on the treasury for thirteen dollars and twenty cents, for repairing stores in jail and tools — $13.20.

6th. Ordered that John Hall commissioners on the creek and State road have an order on the treasury of this County for four dollars and fifty cents, for services rendered up to the 3rd inst. — $4.50.

8th. Ordered that Benjamin Moore have an order on the County treasury for one hundred dollars, towards repairs done to the bridge, over Jonathan's Creek, at Andrews Brook — $100.00.

No further business on hand, the Commissioners adjourned this day.

Absalom Roberts

John Hamblett

Commissioners

John Hamblett

Commissioner

William Hamblett

Commissioner
Monday, March 2nd, 1829

The Commissioners met pursuant to Law.

Present,

Abelam Roberts
John Haskell 2nd
Mrs. Hamilton

The board being organized, proceeded to business.

John Haskell gave bonds, with Samuel Parker, Thomas Moorehead, securities, to the acceptance of the Commissioners, in the faithful performance of his duties as County Auditor for two years, commencing the first instant, and make oath subscribed, the necessary oath of Office as required by law.

John Pichay presented a petition signed by himself & others, praying that a road may be laid out & established as follows viz:

"Beginning at the north end of Daniel Bliss and John Chandler's lane at a white oak tree near the section line between sections No. 13 & 14, thence North along said line as near as the ground will admit, and to intersect the clay turnpike at or near the house where James Shilley now lives on the lane of John Pichay."

Thereupon, the Commissioners appointed John Pierce, Jacob Crumbaugh & Nathan Smedey, surveyors, and William Sinclair surveyor, to meet at Henry Bliss' store, on Monday the 13th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M., of said day, and make report to the meeting of this board, as the law directs.

No order to issue from the day given to John Pichay.

John Miller presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on Jacob Baker's road as follows viz:

"Commencing on the line between Richard Long & Christian Upham, thence to intersect the national road near Andrew Hughes' Tavern."
James, W'lane's road. The viewers appointed, made report in favor of the establishment of said road as petitioned for at last sitting. Whereupon a petition was laid in by William Sproul, praying that suitable persons may be appointed to receive the said route surveyee. It was agreed by the Commissioners, that John Craig, Robert Craig, Jedediah Robinson, Robert Sproul & Stephen Sproul be the viewers and they are hereby appointed viewers, to receive said route, to meet at William Sproul's, on Tuesday the 17th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board as required by law.

Mr. Craig to review survey, the day prior to Mr. Sproul.

George Deloman presents a petition signed by family and friends, praying that a road may be laid out established as follows: viz.

"Beginning at the County line at the South East corner of the North East quarter of Section 25, in Richville township, thence North West by the most practicable route so as to intersect the creek near the North East corner of Section 25."

Therefore, the Commissioners appoint to Allan Moore, Israel Robinson, George Johnson, viewers, and John Moore, surveyor, to meet at George Deloman's, on Friday, the 16th day of June next, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

Mr. Deloman to review survey, the day prior to Mr. Sproul.

Ordered, That Benjamin Allen have an order on the treasurer of said county for the sum of one hundred and forty-seven dollars, balance in full for repairing the bridge over Southards Creek. This order was ordered to be given up the bridge being repaired to the satisfaction of the Commissioners.

$107. 00
Ordered that James O. Hillton have a county order to the amount of one dollar, for cleaning the Court house at Fife Court, Oct Term 1828, & putting tanbark on the floor of same.

+ $1.00+

The report on John Roberts aluation of the Altam road as laid over from last session was taken up and read the first time, & ordered to be read again tomorrow, the viewers not being favorable thereto.

Commissioners adjourned at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

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Sunday, March 5th. B.1829.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

Abelam Roberts
John Hamilton
William Hamilton

The following report on roads were severally committed to the second reading and confirmed, viz:

George Clapper’s road

“Beginning in the Sunfish Creek road on the land of George Cooper in Belle Creek Township, running in a straight line by way of George Clapper’s the road to Sarah Fullintson’s to intersect the Clay turnpike in Waye Township.”

On the above route the Commissioners at their last Decmeber session appointed viewers to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said route, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary and of public utility, do hereby confirm their report and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway.

Mr. Oden to give survey to James Cummings, Pr. 14-1829.

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John Crawford’s aluation of Mr. Watson’s road.

“Commencing at the north end of South Watson’s lane thence by John Crawford’s to intersect the road leading from Samuel’s Pollack’s to the Cahoon’s road.”

On the above route the Commissioners at their last December session appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said road, and the Commissioners believing the aluation necessary and of public utility, do hereby confirm their report and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway.

Mr. Oden to give survey to James Cummings, Pr. 14-1829.

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James Cummings road.

“Beginning at the county road at or near the north corner of Thomas McQuar’s land, thence south to the corner of Cummings & Brown’s land, thence on the nearest and best ground to intersect the national road at or near Mr. Patterson’s improvement.”

On the above route the Commissioners at their last December session appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view and survey said route, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said route, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary and of public utility, do hereby confirm their report and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway.

Mr. Oden to give survey to James Cummings, Pr. 14-1829.
Charles Roberts' road.

"Beginning a little south of William Bray's lode
part in Somerside township at the North end of a road
lately laid out through Hamline's meadow, and from
thence up the river on and as near the present travelled
route as the ground will admit, by Thomas Bernard &
Ronald Seton's salt works, and back Reeves to the North
boundary line of Washington township, at a point on
said line where a new cut road intersects the same.”

On the above route the Commissioners at their
last December session appointed viewers & a surveyor
and survey said route; and the viewers having at
this session reported in favor of establishing said road,
and the Commissioners believing the same necessary and
of public utility, do hereby confirm their report, and
order the same to be recorded, and open the width
required by law, and hereafter consider said public
highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Joseph Wuell's allocation on Martin Chandlers road.

"Beginning at the North West side of Jones
Henderson's land, thence South East through the said Shafter's
John Brandt's, Joseph Wuells, Frederick Ayers, and
Daniel Simley's land.

On the above route, the Commissioners at their
last December session appointed viewers & a surveyor,
to view and survey said route; and the viewers having at
this session reported in favor of establishing said road,
and the Commissioners believing the same necessary and
of public utility, do hereby confirm their report, and
order the same to be recorded, and open the width
required by law, and hereafter consider a public
highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Robt. Mclvor's allocation of George Johnson's road.

"Beginning at the South West Corner of Robert Mclvor's
meadow, to a dog wood sapling on the point of a ridge
according to William McLvor’s.

On the route according the Commissioners at their last
December session appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view
and survey said route; and the viewers having at this session
reported in favor of establishing said alteration, and the
Commissioners believing the same necessary of public
utility, do hereby confirm their report, and order the
same to be recorded, and open the width required
by law, and hereafter consider a public highway, and
to be worked accordingly by the same route that lies between
the points of intersection to be vacated.

James Murray's allocation of the Sinclair road.

"Beginning at a maple tree on side road, thence to
the South West corner of John Randall's on hands,
thence to intersect the grueenway road at the North west
corner of Joseph Abbe's lane, and that so much of the
road as lies between the points of intersection to be vacated

On the route according the Commissioners at their last
December session appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view
and survey said route; and the viewers having at this session
reported in favor of establishing said alteration, and the
Commissioners believing the same necessary of public utility
thereby confirm their report, and order the same to
be recorded, and open the width required by law,
and hereafter consider a public highway, and to be
worked accordingly by the same route.

John Roberts' allocation of the Athens road.

"Beginning at the spring run near Samuel Roberts
and running thence North Ward near to the South west
corner of Isaac James' fence on the Athens road."
Ordered, That John Stanton's estate be allowed a bill of $70.65 for digesting prisoners in jail July, as per bill rendered & filed.

Ordered, That Susan Stanton have a county order for ten dollars & twenty-five Cents, for boarding prisoners in jail after the decease of her husband, as per bill rendered & filed.

Ordered, That James Evans, Justice of the Peace in Highland Township, be allowed a bill of $7.42 for costs that accrued before his death of Thomas Moorehead tried before a jury for cause of insanity.

Ordered, The following bills on roads were severally allowed:

George Macpeer's road:
+ Chad Roberts, surveying & plotting $3.00
+ Stephen Rock, viewing & marking returns 2.00
+ Solomon Groves, viewing 1.00
+ Walter Harvey, chaining 75
+ John Hunter, do 75 $7.75

John Crawford's allotment of Milton's road:
+ William Sinclair, surveying & plotting 1.50
+ Hiram Johnson, viewing & marking returns 2.00
+ Jasper Notenback, viewing 1.00
+ Adam Handloff, chaining 75
+ Johnson Crawford, do 75 $5.75

James Cummins' road:
+ Samuel Ballant, surveying & plotting 2.00
+ John Touson, viewing 1.00
+ John Rosier, viewing 1.00
+ England Mack, viewing 1.00
+ Philip Ackerman, chaining 75
+ John Brown, do 75 $7.75

On the route aforesaid the Commissioners appointed the following viewers & surveyors to view and survey said alteration, and the viewers having reported in favor of making said alteration, and the Commissioners believing the alteration necessary, do hereby confirm their report and order the same to be recorded & hereof be considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly, and the former route that lies between the points of intersection to be vacated.

Ordered, the above is given to John Roberts.

The viewers report in the case of J. J. Bruce y L. H. Hamline, on account of the State road leading from Eau Claire to Waterford landing, was laid over until next June session.

Ordered, James Berry's petition laid in the day for damages caused by said road, was also laid over until next June session.

L. H. Hamline is petition for damages.

L. H. Hamline by his Agent Abijah Parks, laid in a complaint in writing stating that J. J. Bruce's alteration of road leading up the east side of the river, as lately laid out through his premises, is a great injury thereunto, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to stop the damage. Whereon the Commissioners appointed Joseph Smith, Robert Pegg, Joseph Chace, Viewers to view, stop and determine how much is valuable the land in premises of said complainant has been or will be rendered by opening said road, and make report thereof in writing to this board on a before the first Monday of June next, to meet at Abijah Parks, on Monday, the 19th day of June next, at 9 o'clock a.m. of said day.

Ordered to assess damages lying & given to Abijah Parks.

April 18th, 1850.
Bridge over Sale creek where the State road leading from Greenville to Waterford branch meets the same, as follows: He is to build the bridge of good materials, and finish the same in a good, substantial and workmanlike manner, to the satisfaction of the commissioners, according to a near a plan exhibited on the day of sale made February 12, 1829, by Clerk of Greenville County, as follows:

To be built with good and sufficient stone abutments on each side of the Creek, to be 16 feet square, 6 feet thick, and 16 feet wide at the bottom with facing piers, or wing walls, with a truss on the top of the abutments so as to raise the bridge 25 feet high on the best abutment to be settled down on the rock, and the second abutment if there is no rock to settle it on, then in that case to be put on a good and sufficient foundation of heavy timber, and to be settled as low as the bottom of the Creek.

The bridge to be fastened down so as to prevent the same from being carried away by the back water. To be built with a good and sufficient arch over the Creek from the 16 to 20 feet in length, to be made of good sound square hewed timber, to be planked with good sound two inch plank, the bridge to be twelve feet wide in the clear where the plank is laid on.
to make the bridge on each side so as waggons and other travel can pass off or on to the bridge in case.
All to be completed on or before the 1st day of October next; and is to be paid for building said bridge the sum of three hundred dollars out of the road tax of 1828, now in the hands of the Treasurer of Said County, in addition to other subscriptions that have been or may be signed as donations to build said bridge, so that to exceed three hundred dollars more. Which said subscriptions said Sprunger is to take at his own risk for collection, without any recourse on the Commissioners or County.

said Sprunger gave bond with Robert James, Richard Calhoun (Mr. Magistrate) & Dashiell Hall securities, all to the acceptance of the Commissioners, for the faithful performance of the Contract as signed.

28°. Ordered that said Sprunger have an order on the treasurer of said county for the sum of one hundred dollars, towards building the above-mentioned bridge to be paid out of the road tax of 1828. $100.00

Commissioners adjourn until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, March 4th 1829.
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.
Present,
Abraham Roberts
John Hamblett
Mrs. Hamilton

It is hereby ordered, that Mr. Sprague is hereby fully authorized to draw orders on the Treasury of Muskingum County, for any sum or sums, in his name, not exceeding one hundred and twenty-five dollars, in addition to what he has heretofore been by us authorized to draw for services rendered as County Auditor, as the same may from time to time become due.

Ordered that Samuel Perry, esquire, acting as sheriff, be allowed a bill of $26.87 for acting prisoners in jail up to the 23d March next. And that the County Auditor draw an order on the treasurer for that amount: $26.87

Ordered, that the road tax of 1828 now remaining in the hands of the Treasurer of Muskingum County, be detained until after the June session 1829.

No other business on hand, the Commissioners adjourned the session.

Abraham Roberts
John Hamblett
Mrs. Hamilton
Wednesday, April 29th, 1829.
The Commissioners met to:

Abelom Roberts
John Kendall & Com.

It Agreeably to notice from the Sheriff, of Muskingum County, the Commissioners met at the jail of said County, to examine into the case of Thomas Sullivan, committed to the jail of said County by Samuel Thompson, Esq., Justice of the Peace in Granville township, upon the verdict of a jury of seven men, in the cause of insanity, said commitment stating that there is danger that he will destroy his life and property, and that he ought to be put in close confinement.

Whereupon the Commissioners deemed it advisable to employ a Physician to render medical aid, in order to protect said insane person to his reason, when it was agreed that Doctor Isaac Granger attends said insane person, upon the following conditions, viz:

1. Said Granger agrees to attend him until the first of June, if found necessary, and will claim no compensation over the prime cost of the medicine, provided he does not cure him, and if he does cure him, so that he becomes a safe member of society, if to be released, he is to be paid: twenty five dollars, including medicine and attendence.

For, my part.

Abelom Roberts
John Kendall & Com.

Ordered, that Sam. Thompson have an order on the Common of the county treasury for $50.00, amount of costs incurred before him as Justice of the Peace, in the case of Thomas Sullivan, insane person, as aforesaid.

Abelom Roberts
John Kendall & Com.

William Hamilton

Letter to the Editor:

Noticed, that the act of the Legislature of the State of Ohio, passed January 13th, 1829, entitled "An act to improve the breed of sheep", be adopted and in force in this County, according to the provisions of said act, and that notice thereof be given by advertisement in the Muskingum Newspaper.
Monday June 1st 1828

Commissions Office, Washington County, Ohio.
The Commissioners of said county met pursuant to Law.

Abraham Roberts
John Morgan Commissioner.

Mr. Hamilton

The following paper petitions were presented and read as follows:

Anthony H. Wardell presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning at Wardell's landing on the East side of the Muskingum river from thence on an easterly direction as near as the ground will admit to the intersection of lines between said Wardell and Edmund Darrows, thence East with their line to the intersection of a line, between John and Samuel Totten, thence on the same course nearly to Jacob Walter's, and from said Walter's to the Homer route, thence nearly the same course on the best grade where it will do the least damage to intersect the Runsville road at a point West of the Winter Heart."

"Therupon, the Commissioners appointed William Kochery, George Boggs, and James Sableaud viewers, and Charles Roberts surveyor, to meet at J. H. Wardell's on Tuesday the 1st day of September next, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the wet delin of this board, as required by Law.

John Smart presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning at a bridge built at Kenny Crawford's and on a County road leading from Levy RUeyer to Chandler's Line, and thence nearly a South course on the last grounds to a bridge white oak tree on Conger's land and thence to Frederick Hendrickson's house, near it, and from thence a South West course as near as may be to cut it off from the road leading from Abraham Roberts to Hollandsdale town."

"Therupon, the Commissioners appointed William Sibley, James Darrell and John Logan viewers, and John H. Turner, to meet at Henry Crawford's on Monday the 8th day of December next, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings at December session, as required by Law.

John Sibley presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning at Benjamin Pleasance's house, thence past his house, to intersect the left west road on the west of Pleasant hill, making house, thence North nearly the Wheeling road to Hollandsdale school house, thence past John Eck's house to the South one of said Eck's lane, thence along the present cut at road to where the county road makes back road, from there along or near the line between Mr. Sorens and David Finley's to intersect the National road."

"Therupon, the Commissioners appointed William Sibley, John Wysong and Richard W. Logan viewers, and Joseph M. Walsen surveyor, to meet at Benjamin Pleasance's on Saturday the 18th day of December next, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings at December session, as required by Law.

David Smart presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an allowance may be made on a part of a county road leading from Porter's Hill to Muskingum township to the Sale site, 11 miles, in

Mr. Sibley in a few words the date given to him. 18
Jachensile township, known as the name of David Wilson's
road, alteration to be made as follows,

Beginning at the west corner of Daniel G.
Wilson's field, thereon running on the township and
Morton's to intersect the road leading to Nesho
down from the Elton township road, and that the said
may be vacated as follows: Commencing at the west
same as David Wilson's field in Elton township and
Thence N.E. to the point of Zachary Penman's

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Samuel
B. Osborne, Wilson & Edward Moore, to meet at Edward Moore's
on Friday, the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. and
day to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of December next, as required by law
(signed) for a view thereof and to join this vol.

Deaven Cowdell presents a petition signed by
himself & others praying that a road may be laid out by
established as follows,

Beginning at the east end of counsel street in
Nesho from the land of Thomas McS & running
North East 40 yards through the lane of Edward Stump,
Thos. B. Benven to the fence boards on the state
road leading to Elton township.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed
John St. Coll. John Doe & Andrew Fleming to meet at Thomas McS
on Friday, the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or
before the first Monday of December next.

To view the same, join this vol.

Peter Holmes presents a petition signed by
himself & others praying that an alteration may be made
on so much of the Nesho ridge road as runs through

The land of the said Holmes, as follows:

Commencing at a point where the road crosses
the line between Lot No. 9 and Lot No. 19, and then running
west on said line until it intersects the road, as far
as said line, as a good road can be made, from
Thence to intersect the old road at the west end
of the field belonging to said Holmes.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John
& Dart, George Nims & Louis Sharp, viewers, and
John Roberts to meet at Peter Holmes on Tuesday
the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and
make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of December next, as required by law
(signed) for a view thereof and to join this vol.

Mathias Gaiton presents a petition signed by
himself & others praying that an alteration may be made on
a certain county road leading from the Nesho road to
the Epaphil road, as follows:

Beginning at the corner of the W. P. Rankins' field,
from there to a cabin on said Rankins' lane, from
there the nearest post and ground to the house of the Wm.
Rankins, from there the nearest post and ground to the house
of Andrew Cunningham from there the nearest post and
ground to the state road near the bridge over Burnt
creek.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John S. Dart,
William Cowdell & Louis Sharp, viewers, and William Anderson
to meet at Newmarts Mill, on Tuesday the 15th day
of September next, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and
to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday
of December next, as required by law
(signed) for a view thereof and to join this vol.

Samuel Brown presents a petition signed by
himself & others praying that an alteration may be made on the same
road (to cart) at follows

Beginning at a point on the old road at a

...
June of Samuel Brown's land near the line, between Ruben and Samuel Lee's land, and from thence a chart west course on the best ground through the lands of Ruben Brown and James Handson, to intersect the present old road at a point a small house of said Handson on the line, then to make the old road from the point of beginning as far as Benjamin Jones's, which is near the point of termination.

Thereon the Commissioners appointed John Robertson, John Benning, John Black, and Robert Duvall, Surveyor, to meet at Albright Cole's, on Saturday the 13th day of September next, at 8 o'clock A.M. of that day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of December next, as required by law.

D. Hammond & Peter Calhoun's petition for damages on account of Joseph Williams's road running through their lands,

D. Hammond & Peter Calhoun's land is a common in writing, stating that Joseph Williams's road ascends the last Branch, passing through their lands in a great distance to them, and pray that suitable persons may be procured to adjust the damages that each will sustain by the passing of said roads.

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed Robert Hager, Samuel Ecce, and Joseph Handson, to view, survey, and determine how much of said lands a premises of said complaints, has been or will be suited by passing said roads, and to make report of their proceedings in writing to the Board, on or before the first Monday of December next, to meet at Peter Calhoun's on Saturday the 13th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of that day. They desire to see a return from the 21st of June, to this day.

The following reports on roads were made, and severally committed to the first reading, viz: George Delman's road, the making a favorable report, ordered to be committed to the second reading towards.

11th

John Wallace alteration of Jacob Baker's road, the making a favorable report, ordered to be reseated.

12th

Dan Hill, review of.

John Dickey's road

"Beginning at the north end of Daniel Dickey & John Chandler's lane at a white oak tree near the portion line, between sections No. 13 & 14, thence North along said line as near as the ground will admit, and to intersect the broad turnpike at a near the house where Lucius Philips now lives on the land of John Dickey.

The view of points at the last Mark tipple made a report this depot to turn of said roads, whereupon a petition was handed in by Daniel Dickey & others, praying that suitable persons may be appointed to receive said report. Therefore ordered by the Commissioners that Daniel Dickey, George Opper, Joseph Tract, Robert Duvall, John Martin be, and they are hereby appointed reviewers, to review said report, to meet at Dan. Dickey's on Saturday the 13th day of September, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report on or before the first Monday of December next, as required by law.

In the order of a review, the county gives D. Dickey's thirty.

13th

Ordered that the

Henry Sherrard to have an order on the county treasury, for the sum of $8. 25 for opening Falls township road.

1882.
Ordered by the Commissioners that Joseph Sproule, Esq., have an order on the County treasury for the sum of $10.00 for service rendered as Deputy Sheriff, year 1829, having been employed 15 days.

Ordered that David Chambers have an order on the County treasury for the sum of $11.12 for fees as Clerk of Court in Case of Abraham Sangster, against the Way, William Delgaty, D. Hamilton, & C. Robey, in which the County purchased Delgaty's farm.

Writ receivers report on James Williams road.

The receivers appointed last March inform the commissioners that said road was reported unfavorably to said road, therefore no further proceedings were had thereon.

Dr. Isaac Sproule made report this day to the commissioners in writing, stating, as his opinion, that Mr. Fothergill, insane person now confined by the jail of said County, may be set at liberty with safety to himself, his friends, & to society generally.

Thereupon the commissioners ordered him to be released from jail & set at liberty, which was accordingly done.

The Commissioners adjourned till 8 o'clock tomorrow.

Tuesday, June 2 to 1829.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present.

Hogaden, Roberts, 3
John Haddle 4 Commissioners
Mr. Hamilton.

Henry Handochy presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on Michael Beene's or the Livingston Mill road in Perry township, as follows:

Beginning at the house of Henry Handochy, thence running North West by said Handochy's Mill and distillery, thence to intersect the Miller road in the gap, thence along the Miller road to the most suitable place to Livingston's new Mill, thence across Bald Creek to intersect the National road, and so to vacate all the road that is not occupied by the above alteration.

Thereupon the commissioners appointed Lewisterritor, Alexander Armstrong, Christopher Shuck, and Samuel Dalman surveyors, to meet at Henry Handochy's, on Thursday, the 1st day of September next, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of December next, as required by Law.

The following roads were severally committed to the several surveyors and confirmed, viz:

George Dalman's road:

Beginning at the County line, at the South East corner of the North East quarter of Section 25, in Rich-hill township, thence North West by the most practicable road, so as to intersect the St. Clair road near the North East corner of Section 25.

On the above route the Commissioners at their last March adjourn ordered a visit by a Surveyor...
John Miller's alteration of Jacob Baker's road.

Commencing on the line between Richard Strong and Christopher Stick, thence to intersect the national road near Andrew Hughes' tavern.

Order to open, widen, and to be worked accordingly.

John Richey's road.

+ Mr. Lincoln, surveying & plowing  $2.00
+ Nathan Frazier, viewing  $1.00
+ Robert Barnabe, viewing  $1.00
+ Robert Danson, Chaining  $1.00
+ Samuel Joseph, Chaining  $1.00
+ Isaac Joseph, marking  $1.00

George Dolman's road.

+ John Moore, surveying & plowing  $2.00
+ Adam White, viewing  $1.00
+ George Johnson, viewing  $1.00
+ Isaac Robinson, viewing & marking  $1.00
+ Charles Dolman, Chaining  $1.00
+ [Blank]  $1.00
+ Joseph Davis, marking  $1.00

S. W. Miller's alteration of road.

+ Samuel Ballantyne, surveying & plowing  $2.00
+ Francis Skene, viewing  $1.00
+ David Digger  $1.00
+ Joseph W. McCallum  $1.00
+ John Porter, Chaining  $1.00
+ Jonathan Porter  $1.00
+ James Porter, marking  $1.00

Peter McCallum's road.

+ Stephen Black, surveying  $2.00
+ Joseph Skene  $2.00
+ Robert McBeathen  $2.00
+ John Richey  $2.00
+ [Blank]  $2.00

S. W. Miller's alteration of road.

+ Jacob Baker, viewing & plowing  $2.00
+ Joseph Shier  $2.00
+ [Blank]  $2.00
+ [Blank]  $2.00
+ [Blank]  $2.00

D. S. Hamblin's damages for road.

Joseph Church & Robert Blythe, two of the viewers appointed by the Commissioners to view the damage that D. S. Hamblin will sustain by the opening of the alteration of said road leading up the back side of the Machighan river, running through said Hamblin's land, reported that said Hamblin would sustain damages to the amount of one hundred and twenty dollars; therefore, Ordered by the Commissioners that D. S. Hamblin or his agent or deputy have an order on the County treasurers for the said sum of one hundred and twenty dollars, for damages as aforesaid.
Ordered by the commissioners that J. M. Bagby be allowed as follows, for services as County Auditor from the 1st of June 1829, to and for $20.00.

For making out the Duplicate of 1828, drawing off two copies of the same as required by law, recording the proceedings of the commissioners, drawing road bonds, giving orders to surveyors and surveyors of townships to open and open roads, drawing orders on the County Treasury, preparing books No. 2 for the year 1829, after all other necessary services required by law, amounting in all to $20.00.

Public Letter postage & Stationary
Paid Daniel Anderson for making out the
Duplicate of personal property of 1828
3. 13

Ordered that J. B. Coxe Esq., be allowed a bill of $15.75, for a sign, table & chair, for the Recorders Office. + $15.75

Ordered that Davis Sprouse Esq., be allowed his bill of $43.00, for services as Surveyor of Muskingum County for year 1829, amounting to 88 days. + $43.00

Sarah White, insane person.

Sarah Ballott, appeared and applied for the keeping of Sarah White, an insane person (now in his custody) for one year, from the 26th day of August last. — Thereupon the Commissioners order that said Ballott have the keeping of said Sarah for said term, and is to provide and furnish all things necessary for such insane person, for the term of said Sarah, and the Commissioners agree to pay said Ballott seventy-five dollars for said term in County orders, in equal quarterly payments.

Provided that Sarah shall at the time aforesaid (30th August) be a County charge, but if said Sarah shall at any time thereafter cease to be a County charge, by death or otherwise, then said Ballott shall be paid so aforesaid in proportion to the time he may have kept her.

The Commissioners adjourned until 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, June 3d 1829.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,
Abraham Roberts
John Hamilton
Mr. Hamilton

William Shaw presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows, to wit,

"Commencing at the place where leading from McConnellville to Senecaville, at the crossing of the Creek North of Shannon to Delany's two yards in Meigs town ship, and to run on the nearest and best ground to Hugh Brantoff's, and from thence to Jacob Brantoff's to intersect a County road a little West of said Brantoff's in Rich Xite township."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Henry Wharton, Charles Holschuh & John Rummel, viewers, and William Lincoln surveyor, to meet at Joseph Taylor's on Saturday the 3rd day of September next, at 8 o'clock in M. of said day, and to make report to the next sitting of the board.

1st Order for a view & survey of the aforesaid road.
School Tax
It is hereby ordered and determined by the Commissioners of Washington County, that three fourths of a mile upon the dollar be levied upon the general list, or grand levy, of said County of 1829, to be appropriated for the use of Common schools in said county, as required by Law.

Road Tax
It is hereby further ordered and determined by said Commissioners that one half of the dollar be levied upon the aggregate amount of the value of all property entered upon the general list for taxation, for road purposes for the year 1829, agreeably to the act supplementary to the act establishing an equitable mode of levying the taxes of this State, & for other purposes, passed January 31st 1829.

County Levy for 1829
The Commissioners of said County proceeded to lay the per centum properly for the purpose of defraying the expenses of Washington County for the year 1829, agreeably to an act of the Legislature of the State of Ohio passed 3rd February 1825, and the Amendments thereto passed January 31st, 1829; and do hereby levy two mills on each dollar of the aggregate amount of the value of all property in said County, entered upon the general list for taxation, year 1829.

Vouchers of the County Auditor compared with the Checks.
This day the Commissioners examined the vouchers of the County Auditor compared with the same, and found the same satisfactory and correctly kept.

The County Auditor's own private account with the County, where he has kept orders on the treasury by order of the Commissioners, was this day examined by the Commissioners & compared with the Orders, and found to be correct.

At the settlement with said county auditor, up to 1st June 1829, we find the sum of thirty four dollars and thirty three cents, of a balance of accounts due said auditor; for which balance, we hereby authorize to draw an order on the Treasurer of said County in his favour.

Ordered that Thomas Anderson have an order on the Treasurer of said County for the sum of $50.00, for work done for the Treasurer, as per bill rendered.

Ordered that John Roberts have an order on the Treasurer of said County for the sum of $7.00, for public printing & Stationary, as per bill rendered.

Ordered that the Messrs. report in the case of R. B. Brice and C. D. Lamb, on account of the State road leading from Bakersville to Waterford Landing, was laid over until next December session. Also James Curry's petition for damages caused by said road, was also laid over until next December session.

Commissioners adjourned until 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.
Thursday, June 4th, A.D. 1828.
Commissioners met pursuant to appointment.
Present,
Abijah Roberts
John Hendershott
William Hamilton

Settlement with the Treasurer.
This day John Roberts Esq., Treasurer of Muskingum county, presented his accounts for examination and settlement, and the Commissioners find the accounts satisfactory and correctly kept; and there remains on settlement with said Treasurer in favour of said county, the sum of four thousand three hundred fifty two dollars, ninety cents and seven mills; consisting of County, Township, road and school funds, as follows to wit:

1st. Good funds of County, Township, road and school money $407.82
2nd. Depreciation Bank paper
3rd. Order on Meigs County Treasurer
4th. Certificates of Deposit of Farmers and Mechanic's Bank of Cincinnati
5th. Total

Orders Burned.
On the above settlement with John Roberts Esq., Treasurer of Muskingum County as aforesaid, all the orders that were received on said settlement up to this date, the Commissioners burned.

3rd. It is hereby ordered and John H. Soy, is hereby fully authorized by us to draw orders on the Treasurer of said County of Muskingum, in his favor for services rendered as County Auditor, for any sum or sums, not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars, or the same may from time to time become due, at any periods between this day and the first Monday of December next.

4th. Ordered, that Isaac Spencer, physician, be allowed a bill of $23.62 for medical attendance & services rendered the Fitch family person, by one of the Commissioners at their special meeting at April last, or the common of said.

5th. Ordered that John Peterson, the Supreme Court, be allowed a bill of $23.62 for one years office rent & stationery for his office, bill filed.

6th. Ordered by the Commissioners that the road tax of 1828, belonging to the different townships in this County, now in the treasury of said county, that a dividend be struck among said townships, so that each township shall pay in proportion to the amount due said township, so as to raise from all the townships the sum of $300. to be appropriated to the building of the new salt creek, where the State road leading from Zanesville to New Philadelphia crosses this same; and the balance that may be due each township after making said dividend, the Treasurer of said County is hereby ordered to pay to the Treasurer of the different townships, on demand, upon the order of the County Auditor.

7th. In order that the Commissioners of Muskingum County may be enabled to contract for the building of a bridge over Great Salt Creek if they shall think it expedient, agreeably to the provisions of an act of the General Assembly of Ohio, intitled, "An Act to authorize the Commissioners of Muskingum County to erect a bridge across Great Salt Creek," passed Feb. 9th 1809,

It is hereby ordered that the police tax for the current year that may come into the hands of the
September 16th 1829.
The Commissioners convened.
Present,
Salmon Roberts
John Sample & Coon
Mr. Hamilton Esq.

Ordered, that Isaac Springer contract for building a bridge over Salt Creek, as agreed upon by the Commissioners 3rd March last, for the sum of three hundred dollars, being balance in full for building said bridge.

Ordered, that Mr. Camp have an order on the County Treasury for the sum of two hundred dollars, amount due for repairing the bridge over Salt Creek.

Abraham Roberts
John Sample
Mr. Hamilton
Saturday, October 10th, 1829.

Commissioners Convened.

Present:

Abraham Roberts
John Handle.

Bridge over Salt Creek.

This day Isaac Sprunger appeared and entered into an agreement with the Commissioners to build a bridge over Great Salt Creek, at a place where the three great State roads intersect each other, and where the post roads from Danvers to Wilmington, Sunfish, and Marietta, cross said creek; said Sprunger to build the bridge of good materials, and finish the same in a good, substantial and workmanlike manner to the acceptance of the Commissioners of said county, agreeably to the plans filed with the bond in this office. To be built with good and sufficient stone buttments on each side of the Creek, to be raised fifteen feet high from low water mark, to be ten feet wide, five feet thick at bottom, and three feet thick at top; with a good and sufficient reach across the Creek forty five feet in length, to be made of sound square hewed timber, and finished with good sound two inch planks, the bridge to be fourteen feet wide in the clear where the plank is laid on, and to be made on each of the bridge so as that wagons and other tractors can pass on and off at ease; to be weather boarded within three feet of the top, and to be covered with good slate shingles, and the gable ends closed.

All to be completed on or before the first day of September next, and to be paid in three payments of five hundred dollars each. The first to be paid on the 30th day of January next, and the balance upon the said bridge is completed as aforesaid.

Said Sprunger gave bond with Jacob P. Gayler, of Padock Hall, securities, all to the acceptance of the Commissioners, for the faithful performance of the contract as aforesaid.

Abraham Roberts
John Handle.
Monday, December 7th, 1839
Commissioners' Office, Muskingum County, Ohio

Presented,

John Daniel
Mr. Hamilton
Joseph Heidbrink

The following road petitions were presented and severally acted upon, viz:

1st. Nicholas Owings presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows, viz:

"Beginning on the old Grinfield road at the end of Abielom Fisher's lane, thence on the nearest and best ground to Andrew D. Fair's blacksmith shop, thence on the nearest and best ground to Dresden. Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Samuel Alzane, Thomas Spencer & John Dancy surveyors, and Laban C. Smith surveyor, to meet at Frederick Spring's in Dresden, on Friday the 17th instant, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

Mr. Owings to have this day and given to said Owings.

2nd. Edward Smith presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on Smith Shoemaker's road, as follows, viz:

"Beginning on the east line of Jacob Mercer's farm at Pears' road, thence on the old original township line, South of Edward Smith's, thence as near said line as is convenient to Peru's road (so called) near Charles L. Bridge, thence to the line between Smith and Dick, thence South to the river road between Moses Ayres and James Taylor."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Caleb Dunn, Gran Daniel & John Mercer surveyors, and Samuel Polly, surveyor, to meet at Jacob Mercer's on Friday the 18th instant, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

Mr. Dunn for a view given this day and given to said Dunn.
Courts,OVell presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration of a certain part of the Coffin road, as follows:

"So as to run around the eastern boundary of a field belonging to the heirs of Daniel Bovet. Decedent, in Jefferson township."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed. Henry Butler, Elias Ellis son, William Cooper, and William Beavers, surveyors, to meet at Beal Camps on Friday the 18th instant, at 8 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

Mr. Bovet for a view issued this day and given to Beal Bovet.

John Wimmer presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that so much of the county road from Dresden past Holtenbach's mill to the county line near James Tapp's "as lies between the intersection of said road with Beverly Connett's road" near said Holtenbach's mill, and the county line might be vacated.

And also, that so much of the road from Inglewood to the county line near Smith's mill" as lies between the intersection of said road with Connett's road, southward to its intersection with Wamsly's road, might be vacated; any further proceedings thereof, after being vacated, was laid over until next March session, as required by law. Said Wimmer entered into bond with security.

Beal Camps presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows, to wit:

"Beginning at the finger boards at the corner of John Scott's field, on the nearest and best ground to the south that corner of Moses Wilks's field, whence on the nearest and best ground to intersect the Coffin road near the South East corner of Cape Bovet Home."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed, Henry Butler, Elias Ellis son, and William Cooper, and William Beavers, surveyors, to meet at Beal Camps on Friday the 18th instant, at 8 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

Mr. Bovet for a view issued this day and given to Beal Bovet.

Peter Brunier.

John S. Bainton this day appeared and applied for the keeping of Peter Brunier, an insane person, now in his custody, for the term of one year, from and after the first day of January next, for the sum of seventy-five dollars, to be paid in equal quarterly payments, in county orders.

Thereupon the Commissioners agreed thereto, and order the County Auditor to take bond of said Bainton, with such security as the County Auditor may deem sufficient, for the safe keeping and order of the things necessary for such insane person.

The following reports on roads were severally taken up, and read the first time, to wit:

Anthony F. Woodruff's road.

This being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.
John Shick's road.
This also being a favorable report, ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

David Jones's alteration of David J. Mills's road.
A favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Leaven Crownedale's road.
A favorable report, ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

Peter Holmes' alteration of part of the Huntington road.
This also being a favorable report, ordered to a second reading tomorrow.

Matthew Gates' alteration of road.
This report being favorable, to be read again tomorrow.

Samuel Brown's alteration of road.
This also being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Reviewers report on John Shick's road.
The reviewers appointed at the last June session, at the instance of Daniel Allen, to review the route for a road petition for by John Shick at last March session, made report this day against the establish- ing of said route a public highway; the Commissioners therefore confirm their report.

Henry Hanksheen's alteration of Mr. Heath's on the Longford road.
This being a favorable report, ordered to be read again to morrow.

William Shaw's road.
This report being favorable, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, December 8th, 1839.
Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.
Present:
John Hamblet
Mrs. Hamilton Commissaries.
Sara Holmick

The following reports on roads were severally read the second time, and confirmed, etc.

Anthony H. Woodruff's road.
"Beginning at S. H. Woodruff's landing on the East side of the Huntingdon river, and from the same on an Eastward or S. side as near as the grounds will admit of the intersection of a line between said Woodruff's and Samuel Barrow's thence East with the same line to the intersection of a line between John & Samuel Walker, thence on the same course nearly by Jacob Walker's and the Widow Walker's to the Benner road.

On the foregoing route, the Commissioners at their June session 1839, appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view and survey said route; and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing the above route a public highway, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary and of public utility, so hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and open the width required by law; and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Mr. Dixon to open joints from to S. H. Woodruff, Oct. 24, 1839.

John Shick's road.
"Beginning at Benjamin Reaves's hose mile, thence past his house to intersect the salt work road on the West of Pleasant Hill, meeting house, thence North and the
Wheeling road to McClelland's school house, thence far.
John Sibert house to the North end of said Sibert's lane,
Hence along the present cut off road to where the County
road crosses back run, from thence along or near the line
between Mr. Rife's and David Pendley's to intersect the
national road.

On the aforesaid route, the Commissioners at their
last June session 1839 appointed viewers and a surveyor to
view and survey said route; and the viewers having at said
session reported in favor of establishing said route a public
highway, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary
and of public utility, do hereby confirm their report; and
over the same to be recorded, and open the width required
by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and
be vacated accordingly.

David Jones's alteration of David C. Wilkins's road.
"Beginning at the first corner of Daniel C. Wilkins's
field, and running thence directly on the township road
to intersect the road leading to Northport from the
Mount Vernon road."

On the aforesaid route, the Commissioners at their
June session 1839 appointed viewers and a surveyor to view
and survey said route; and the viewers having at said
session reported in favor of making the alteration as above
proposed, the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and
over the same to be recorded, and open the width required
by law, and hereafter considered a public highway
and to be vacated accordingly, and the old route is hereby declared
to be vacated, open as the new route is now, as required by law.

Laverne Overdale's road.
"Beginning at the end of Canal street in Northport,
on the land of Thomas Park and running South East
through the lands of Bernard Stagner, Shaw and German.

Peter Holcomb's alteration of part of the Flint ridge road.
"Commencing on the land of Peter Holmes, at a near
where the road crosses the line between lot No. 8 and lot No.
and running West on said line, till it intersects the road,
or so far on said line as a good road can be had, from
thence to intersect the old road at the West end of said
Holcomb's fields."

On the aforesaid route, the Commissioners at their
June session 1839 appointed viewers and a surveyor to view
and survey said route; and the viewers having at said
session reported in favor of making the alteration as above
proposed, the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and
over the same to be recorded, and hereafter considered a
public highway; and to be vacated accordingly, and the
same route that lies between the points of intersection
to be vacated, open as said Holmes open the new route
as required by law.

Matthew Gates' alteration of road leading from the cabin
Is the Cooper-Miller road.
"Beginning at the corner of Mr. B. Rankin's field
from thence to a cabin on said Rankin's land, from
thence the nearest and best ground to the house of the
"Flower Gates", from thence the nearest and best ground the house of Andrew Cunningham, from thence, the nearest and best ground to the about road, as shown on the map."

On the above route the Commissioners at their June session 1859 appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey the alterations as above prayed for, and the view and survey having at this session reported in favour of making said alterations, the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be read and spent the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly, and the former route that lies between the points of intersection to be vacated, as soon as the new route is opened as required by law.

7th. Samuel Brown's alteration of the Decks road.

"Beginning at a point on the old road at a corner of Samuel Brown's land near the line between said Brown and Samuel's land, and from thence a South West course on the best ground, and from thence to Samuel Brown and James Hamson, to intersect the former road at a near a small house of said Hamson's on Mill run."

On the above route the Commissioners at their June session 1859, appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey the alterations as above prayed for, and the view and survey having at this session reported in favour of making said alterations, the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be read and spent the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly, and that so much of the old route as is not occupied by the new to be vacated, as soon as the new route is opened as required by law.

Mrs. Ann 10th June 1859 to B. Cunningham, 28th June 1859.

8th. William Shaw's road.

"Commencing at the State road leading from Snowville to Senecaville at the corner of the creek North of Shaw's Delong's land yard in Under Township, and running on the nearest and best ground to Hugh Gifford's, and from thence to Jacob Grandstaff's to intersect a county road a little West of said Grandstaff's born in Rock Hill Township."

On the aforesaid route the Commissioners at their June session 1859, appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey said aforesaid route for a road, and the view and survey having at this session reported in favour of establishing said route a public highway, and the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be read and spent the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.
Ordered that John Hall have an order on the County Treasury for the sum of $14.25 for services rendered by him as Commissioner on Grae Creek Slate road, up to the date of his bill, rendered & filed.  14.25

Ordered that George Frank Ell, have an order on the County Treasury for the sum of $75 for costs that accrued before him as a Justice of the Peace, case of Montgomery tried by a jury for cause of insanity, committed to prison.  75

Ordered that George Johnson Ell, have an order on the County Treasury for the sum of $75 for costs that accrued before him as a Justice of the Peace, case of the Surveyor tried by a jury for cause of insanity, committed to prison.  75

The viewers appointed by the Commissioners at their June session 1829, to appraise the damages that Daniel Hammond & Peter Calhoun were sustained by the opening of a road lately laid out, their lands; peace report of this dispute.  Any further proceeding on the same is laid over until 1st March Session.

The viewers report: in the case of E. L. Hambley & J. D. Brown, on account of the slate road leading from Santee to Waterford landing, was opened last year until 1st March Session.

Also James Curry's petition for damages caused by said road, was also laid over until next March Session.

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Samuel Brown's alteration of road.
+ Charles Roberts surveying & platting $2.00
+ John Robertson viewing 1.00
+ John Bowess viewing 1.00
+ John Black viewing 1.00
+ Samuel Brown chaining $.75
+ Samuel Orr chaining $.75

Total $7.00

Henry Handschy's alteration of road.
+ Samuel Gillant surveying & platting $2.00
+ Alexander Armstrong viewing 1.00
+ Christopher Mack viewing 1.00
+ Philip Birkheimer chaining $.75
+ William Hollen chaining $.75
+ Alexander Clewin marking $.75

Total $6.25

William Shaw's road.
+ William Sinclair surveying & platting $2.25
+ Henry Hartley viewing 1.00
+ Henry Holback viewing 1.00
+ John Hammond viewing 1.00
+ John Griststaff chaining $.75
+ Adam Griststaff chaining $.75
+ Thomas Sinclair marking $.75

Total $7.00

It is hereby ordered that the Treasurer of Mahoning County, Ohio, in his name for services rendered as County Auditor, for any sum or sums not exceeding one thousand dollars at the same rate, from time to time become due, at any period between this date and the first Monday of March next, in addition to what he was authorized to draw last June, upon the Commissioner's order until 9 o'clock in the morning.

Wednesday Dec 9th. 1839.
The Commissioners pursuant to a resolution of the present, present:
John Handke
Mr. Hamilton 3rd Conc.
Isaac Hobson 3rd

Jacob F. Springer presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows, to wit:

"Beginning on the north side of Thompson's run, at the junction of a county road leading from Dillon's furnace to the Lancaster road near Hayes Abbott's with the line between James Richville and John Springer's in Springfield township, thence Eastwardly passing near the house of John Williams, and opening the Lancaster road near P. Springer's stable, until it intersects the East boundary line of the farm known by the name of the Addison farm, thence along said line to the south east corner of said farm, thence on the direction of James Jeffries's line, thence the North line of the road leading from Maysville to Barlowville. Therefore the commissioners appointed William George, Joseph Rodman and John Johnson viewers, and William Anderson surveyor, to meet at James Richville on Friday, the 18 instant, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

The petition of David Pearson, Isaiah Bauwens, Lemuel Collum and Samuel Cole, praying for damages on account of the State road as lately located from Freyburg to Barlowville, running through their lands, was laid over until next March session."
The petition of William and Joseph Addicott praying for damages on account of the State road lately located from Parsons to Roseville, was laid on until not March 15th.

1st. Ordered, that Daniel Bruch, Sheriff, have an order on the Treasurer of Muskingum County, for the sum of $84.27, for burying prisoners in jail and sundry articles furnished by court house and jail, as per bill now filed, + $84.27.

Ordered, that the Auditor of the county, let a coal house built on the public square for the use of the court house, Jail and Public Offices, not exceeding the price twenty dollars.

To other business on hand, the Commissioners adjourn this day.

John Haskell
William Hamilton
S. K. Kluesner

Saturday, January 15th 1832.

Commissioners met this day.

Present:
John Haskell
Mr. Hamilton
S. Kluesner

Agreed to previous notice given in the Muskingum Messenger, a newspaper printed at Athens, that the Commissioners must go to the lowest bidder; the repair of the lower room of the Court House, to seat, attic in the bays, paving the floor with brick, painting, whitewashing, construction of doors to agree to a plan and specifications of the work as prepared by Mr. A. Adams & Charles B. Goodell, Esqrs, which plan and specifications are filed in this Office, accordingly the work is done, was let up at public auction, when John Mcclay appeared and bid to do the work for the sum of two hundred and seventy three dollars, and be the lowest bidder; the same was struck off to him, and the Commissioners being of opinion that said Mcclay is a proper person to undertake such work, they agreed there to, and entered into articles of agreement with said Mcclay to that effect, referred being said thereof will more fully appear.

Ordered, that J. C. Hutton, have an order on the county treasurer for the sum of one dollar for copying the above acts.
+ $1.00.

3d. Ordered, that Joseph Skipper has an order on the county treasurer for the sum of $6.82, billed received for repairing Court House Stairs.
+ $6.82.

4th. Ordered, that Ephriam R. B. Brehm, be allowed a bill of thirty dollars, for office rent, year ending 6th December 1832.
+ $30.00.
Monday, March 7th, 1830.
The Commissioners met this day, as required by law.

Present,
John Handke
William Hamilton
Irae Kolmick

The following petitions on roads were presented, and

John Bowers, Sen., presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be
laid out and established, as follows:
"Beginning at the Plainsfield road at or near the
south corner of Andrew Carter's field, thence south
or near the line between John Robertson and said
Carter, thence on the same course between John
Robertson and Joseph Bowers, Benjamin Walters &
John Bowers, Sen., from thence through the lands of
Lawrence Sheehy and Moses Bogg's to Bogg's road,
at or near a bridge on said road, thence a southerly
course on the west side of a ravine, running
from said bridge to the end of a lane East of said
Bogg's house, thence near to the East end of Bogg's
fence to the plain, thence to the National turnpike."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John
Anspach, Robert Dickinson & Bogg Cullins viewers,
and Charles Roberts surveyor, to meet at Andrew
Carter's, on Saturday the 13th instant, at 9 o'clock,
A.M. of said day, and make report to the next
sitting of this board, as required by law.

Absalom Fisher, presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be
laid out and established, as follows:
"Commencing at Absalom Fisher's lane on the
Griffin road, thence to intersect the state road lately

Saturday, February 6th, 1830.
The Commissioners met,
Present,
John Handke
William Hamilton
Commissioners met for the purpose of executing a lease to
the "Banister Athonesian" on the East side of the
Court House as in said lease described, and after
executing the same as adjourned. Petition filed in the
office.

William Hamilton
Located from Frazierburgh to Danville at a near the one mile trees on said State road.

Therupon the Commissioners appointed John Dorsey, John Williams, and John Dorsey, the 20th instant, at Sun, M. of the day, and make report to the next meeting of said Board, as required by law.

The following petitions to alter or change certain State roads therein named, was presented and acted on:

James Jeffries presents a petition signed by himself and others, residents of Muskingum County, praying that an alteration may be made on a State road lately located from Frazierburgh to Danville, to

Cornman within at the large bridge across the big

run on John Adams' land, then to a north eastwardly course to the bridge in West Danville.

Therupon the Commissioners appointed to meet on the 17th day of April next, at their office in Danville, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances, and if granting in order for a review. Said Jeffries gave bond and security as required by law, to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Joshua Gourley presents a petition signed by himself and others, residents of Muskingum County, praying that an alteration may be made on the State road lately located from Frazierburgh to Danville, and follows.

Commencing at the large bridge across the big

run on John Adams' land, then to a north eastwardly course to the bridge in West Danville.

Therupon the Commissioners appointed to meet on the 17th day of April next, at their office in Danville, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances, and if granting in order for a review. Said Gourley gave bond and security as required by law, to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Samuel flowers presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that as much of a certain county road as runs through his farm, may be vacated. Said flowers entered into bond, in the same being placed upon the road running from Frazierburgh to Danville, not to be vacated.

Damages caused by Joseph William's road. The viewers appointed by the Commissioners at their June Section 1853, to expe the damages that Daniel Hammond and Peter Galbraith will sustain by the opening of said road, made report, that Daniel Hammond will sustain damages to the amount of
8th.

The following reports on roads were severally taken up, and read the first time, viz;

Nicholas Owings road, the viewers appointed on this road made report in favor of said road, ordered to be read again tomorrow;

9th.

Samuel Porter's alteration of the Brown road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow;

10th.

Evan A. Lovett's alteration of part of the Bishop road, this being also a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow;

11th.

Real Owing's road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

12th.

Edw. Smith's alteration of the Shawneehow road, this being an unfavorable report, no other proceedings were had therein. Said Smith is bound for the costs.

13th.

Robert McBride's road, this report should have been made last December session, but was forgotten by the viewer Mr. Eldridge (who was to have made the report) until after the session, the report was made this session, and the report being favorable, it was received, and ordered to be read again tomorrow.

14th.

John Womlers petition to erect part of the certain roads therein named (and which was presented and read last session) was taken up, and again read, and laid over until Wednesday next.

15th.

William Hills road, the viewers having made a favorable report, therefore, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

16th.

Jacob J. Springen's report, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

17th.

Treasurer's bond.

Ordered by the Commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, that the Auditor of said County, take bond and security of John Bearwell, Treasurer Elect, for the faithful performance of his duties as Treasurer of said County, for the term of two years from the first day of June 1830, in the sum of twenty five thousand dollars. $25,000.

Commissioners adjourned until 9 o'clock, to morrow morning.

Tuesday, March 2d. 1830.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Respectfully,

John Handale
Jno. Hamilton &
Isaak Holsick

Ordered, That John Wempley have an order on the Treasurer of Muskingum County, for the sum of $4,90, to pay for repairs done to the Court House, as per contract made with the Commissioners January 16th 1830. $4,90.
John Elsca presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on Fredrerick's road (so called) as follows:

"Beginning near a Cabin on Thomas Self's farm, and running Southwardly until it intersects the National Road near the bridge on William Self's farm."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed James W. Brides, Jacob Baker, and Christopher Luck surveyors and Samuel Galland surveyor, to meet at John Elsc's on the 15th instant, at 8 O'clock, A.M., of said day, and make report to the next meeting of this board, as required by Law.

William Garner presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning at the extremity road, between the Widow Deems' and Benjamin Beach's house near the South end of Centre Street in the Town of Newburgh, to continue through said street, thence a due North course till it intersects the Bluff ridge road."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed William Coffman, John E. Dent, and Samuel Drum surveyors, and William Anderson surveyor, to meet at Widow Deems' on the 20th instant, at 8 O'clock, A.M., of said day, and make report to the next meeting of this board, as required by Law.

Mr. Garner to view place this day and give to said Garner.

Petition to change a State road.

Jacob Mercer presented a petition signed by himself and others, residents of Washington County, praying that an alteration may be made on the Sunfish Creek and Waterworks State road, as follows:

"Beginning on the east side of George H. Wilson's farm, thence to Collett Blau's old homestead, on the route recommended by John Rumble, Esq., John Bogea, Ezekiel Hartlove, Jonathan Vogel & John Deenbaugh, and surveyed by Charles Peterson."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed to meet on the 15th instant, at their office in Goshen, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances and of granting an order for a survey. Said Mercer gave bond and security, as required by Law, to the adoption of the Commissioners.

The following report on roads were severally read the second time, and confirmed, to wit;

Nicholas Coone's road.

"Beginning on the old Giffen road at the end of Abrahan Tucker's lane, thence on the nearest and best ground, to Andrew H. Berry's blacksmith shop, thence on the nearest and best ground to Drenchen." On the aforesaid route, the Commissioners at their last December session, appointed surveyors and a surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road; and the surveyor having at this session reported in favor of said road and the Commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and open the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

In witness whereof I set my hand at M. O. W. on 1st April 1830.

James Potter's alteration of the Roman road.

"Beginning at the line between Peter Bowers and James Potter's land, running thence East 50 degrees South to intersect the Baker road, thence with said road to opposite Long's lane, thence on the direction..."
On the aforesaid route, the Commissioners at their last December session, appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey said county road in said Township, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of making the alterations as prayed for, as above, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly; And the old route that lies between the points of intersection to be vacated, as soon as the new route is opened as required by Law.

16. Evan B. Lovett's alteration of part of Coffin road.

"Beginning so as to run around the Eastern boundary of a field, belonging to the heirs of Daniel Lovett deceased, in Jefferson Township."

On the aforesaid route, the Commissioners at their last December session, appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey said county road in said Township, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of making the alterations as prayed for, as above, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly; And the old route that lies between the points of intersection to be vacated, as soon as the new route is opened as required by Law.

17. Deal Graves' road.

"Beginning at the corner boards at the corner of John Scott's field, thence on the nearest and best ground to intersect the Coffin road near the South East corner of Jesse Conn's land."

On the aforesaid route, the Commissioners at their last December session, appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey said route for a road, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of said road, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.


"Beginning at a sugar tree at Henry Crawford's barn on a county road leading from Deer Creek to Chandler's silver mine, and thence nearly a South course to a larger white oak tree on Conrad's land, thence to Frederick Henderson's house, or near it, and from thence a South East course, as may be, until it will strike the road leading from Nelson's grist mill to Horstman's Tavern."

On the aforesaid route, the Commissioners at their last December session appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey said route for a road, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of said road, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.


"Beginning at or near the old school house on the land of Samuel Dean, thence a South East course..."
The following bills on survey, plowing, & marking were entered by Nicholas Cowings, surveyor, & after audit allowed by the Committee:

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It is hereby ordered, and John Trayer, is hereby fully empowered and authorized by us, to draw orders on the Treasurer of Washington County, Ohio, in his name for services rendered as County Auditor, for any sum not exceeding Seventy dollars, as the same may from time to time become due, at any period between this date and the first Monday of June next, which is to be in addition to what he was authorized to draw last December last.

The Commissioners then adjourned until 9 o'clock, to-morrow morning.
John Wimmer's petition.

Whereas John Wimmer presented a petition at the last December Session of the Commissioners, (which was then publicly read) praying that parts of two certain roads, as herein specified, might be vacated, which petition was laid over as required by law until the present Session, and again publicly read, and whereas no objections have been made against the prayer of the petitioners, the Commissioners hereby declare the following parts of roads to be vacated, apprisingly to the prayer of the petitioners, as follows:

What is now the part of the county road, from Dresden past Woolenback 1/2 mile, to the County line near James Chappas or less between the intersection of said road with Beverly Domestit's road, near Woolenback 1/2 mile and the County line, is hereby declared to be vacated.

Also, what is now the road from bride to the County line near Smith's mile, as lies between the intersection of said road with Domestit's road southwest to the intersection with Vandyke's road, is hereby declared to be vacated.

Petition to change part of a State road.

John Royalle presents a petition signed by himself and others, residents of Windsor County, praying that an alteration may be made on part of the State road leading from Danville to Dresden, in said county, to wit:

"Commencing at Charles Beach's Cabin and ending at Gulf James chapel line, near the school house." Which alteration will make a straight line about 130 1/2-140 rods.

Therefore the Commissioners appointed to meet on the 10th day of April met, at their office in Danville, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances, and of granting an order for a review. Said Royalle gave bond and security, as required by law, to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Ordered, That Doctor Robert Mitchell have an order on the Treasurer of said County, for the sum of $100 for medical and attendance on Harry Haldridge, confined in the jail of said County.

Ordered, That I. W. Dully have an order on the Treasurer of said County, for the sum of $18.80, for sundry repairs done above 60c. in jail of County.

Ordered, That the returns of the State road laid out from Braggburgh to Danville, from Danville to Newall, and from Newall to Danville, be recorded, and placed on file in this Office.

Ordered, That Thomas Anderson, have an order on the Treasurer of said County, for the sum of $5.50, for public printing, as per bill rendered and filed.

Ordered, That Robert Kelham, have an order on the Treasurer of said County, for the sum of $5.50, for public printing, as per bill rendered and filed.

Ordered, That Daniel Brack, Sheriff of said County, have an order on the Treasurer of said County, for the sum of $134.35, for boarding prisoners 16c. in the jail of said County, as per bill rendered and filed.

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The Petition to erect a certain road.

William Ellis presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that so much of the county road generally called the Ogle road, from where it intersects the little road near the Widow Stradley's, to where it intersects the Cocke's road near Appleyard's Cabin, might be vacated;
The same being publicly read, any further proceedings thereon was laid over until next June session. Said Ellis entered into bond & security.

Caleb James presented a petition signed by himself and others, residents of Muskingum County, praying that an alteration may be made on part the State road leading from Voltage in Muskingum County, to the town of Lancaster in Fairfield County, Commencing at the stone of Cyrus Morris, thence passing near the house of Messrs James, in Newtown, thence to intersect the Lancaster road again, at or near the line between Gants, Ahtab and Matthew Collespser.
Thereupon the Commissioners appointed to meet on the 10th day of April next, at their office in Lancaster, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances and of granting an order for a view.
Said James gave bond & security as required by law to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Petition for damages on account of State road.

Samuel Cole laid in a petition praying that viewers may be appointed to assess the damages done to his land on account of the State road leading from Dragon forge to Lancaster, running through the same, to his great damage.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John Still, John Vanorns & Leonard Slump viewers to assess the damages, to meet at Samuel Albans's

on Saturday, the 20th instant, at 8 O'Clock, A.M.

Commissioners adjourned.

John Handle
William Hamilton, Commissioner
James Helmick

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Saturday, March 20th, 1830.

Commissioners met at the request of John McLear.
Present,
John Handle
James Helmick

Ordered, That John McLear, contractor for repairing the lower room of the Court house, have an order on the Treasurer of Muskingum County, for the sum of two hundred twenty eight dollars & ten cents, balance remaining for making said repairs. $28.10

John Handle
James Helmick
Friday, April 18th, 1832.

The Commissioners of Washington County met. Present,
John Handale, Chairman;
Jacob Henderson, Capt. Hamilton of Scio, Vermont, Capt.

The Commissioners met this day for the purpose of hearing remonstrances, and of granting or refusing a
review of the following State roads, to wit:

1st. Caleb James' alteration of part of the
State road leading from Gladesville, Washington County, to the town of
Rancho, Pleasfield County.

The petition of said James, relative to the above
alteration, was taken up, and after hearing certain objections from the inhabitants, and others against making any alteration herein, as in their remonstrance set
forth, the Commissioners thought proper to grant an order for a review, the alteration to be so
follows, agreeably to the prayer of the petitioner:

Commencing at the first of adjacent streams, then passing near the house of Caleb James, in the town of
Rancho, thence to intersect the Danville road again at a near the line between Nos. 7 and 8

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John
Handale, John Petition, and Albert Call, receivers,
to meet at Cypress in the town of

and survey the alteration as prayed for, and to make a report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of June next, as required by law.

John Hoyt's petition for an alteration of part of the State road, leading from Danville to
Morton, was taken up, and after hearing the
petition, and no remonstrances presented, the
Commissioners thought proper to grant an order for a
review, the alteration to be made as follows:

Commencing at Charle Beach's cabin
and ending at Capt. James Taylor's line, near
the school house, which alteration will make a
direct line, say the distance of about 130 or 140 yards.

Therefore the Commissioners appointed John
Henderson, John Petition, and Albert Call, receivers,
to meet at Cypress in the town of

and survey the alteration as prayed for, and to make a report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of June next, as required by law.

Mr. Order for a voir-savoir the day and given to

Orders that Robert Mitchell, Physician, be allowed a bill of $10. 13 ², for attendance and medicine on
Murray, Lynch, and Baldridge, prisoners in jail for $10. 13 ².

Orders that John Acker be allowed a bill of $22. 00 for 30 chairs, furnished the Court house.

Orders that Mr. Hoyt, 15%, receive an order on
the County Treasurer, for the sum of forty dollars, ½ eighty-one cents, for hire of carpenter for
the Court house.
Ordered that George Taylor receive, an order on the County Treasury for the sum of thirty-five dollars, for repairing the bridge over Bent's run. 1830.

The Commissioners adjourn to morrow morning 9 o'clock.

Saturday, April 17th 1830.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,
John Hando
Rev. Hamilton
James Helmick Esqr.

James Safford petitioned to change part of the State road leading from Postville to Danesville.
The Commissioners after examining the petition, and hearing the objections and testimony relative thereto, were of opinion that it would not conduce to the public good to make any alterations therein; therefore they refused to grant an order for a review.

Joshua Gonsuch's alteration of the State road leading from Chagtsburgh to Danesville, was taken up and read, the alteration proved for reading as follows:

"Commencing at the large bridge built across the large run on John Adams land, thence a South East course to the bridge on West Danesville."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed

John Twentych, Bernard Stump & John Polk, receivers, to meet at David Person's, on Monday the 20th instant, at 9 o'clock. All of said day, to view and survey the alteration as prayed for, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of June next, as required by Law.

The Commissioners adjourned.

John Hando
Rev. Hamilton
William Hamilton

Monday, April 20th 1830.
The Commissioners convened.

Present
John Hando
Rev. Hamilton
James Helmick Esqr.

Ordered that Sread Spring have an order on the Treasury of this County for the sum of one hundred and ninety-five dollars, in part for building the bridge over Great Salt Creek near Johnson's Breeder's, as per contract entered into with the Commissioners 10th October last, to be paid out of the road tax of 1830.

The Commissioners adjourned.

John Hando
William Hamilton
James Helmick
Monday June 7th 1830

No formal text is present on this page.
Stephen Redman presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the county road leading from Jonathan's Creek bridge to the falls of Bickley, as follows:

"Beginning at a white oak tree on the section line between sections 23 & 24, at the North end of a field at the property of J. J. B. Chandler, in Salt Creek Township. Thence North along said line as near as the ground will admit and intersect the county road leading from the old Wheeling road to Robt. Steacy's near the South side of the road from Madison, thence along said road to intersect the old Wheeling road between H. S. Brown's and Doctor Hammond's, thence East along said Wheeling road to a black tree East of Samuel Caben's stable, thence the nearest and best ground to Swain's, in Swain's Township."

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed John Clay, H. J. Hartron & Joseph Wetman, viewers, and William Anderson, surveyor, to meet at Fred Shollfield, on the 1st day of August next, at 8 O'clock A. M., and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

Robt. Bolin presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning in the county road between David Allen & Peter W. Barron, thence southwardly to William Gray's, thence to the Baptist Meeting house, thence to intersect the national road between John Redman & Spencer Brown's."

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed John E. Baer, Samuel Redman & William Porter, viewers, and John Roberts, surveyor, to meet at Mr. Gray's, on the 2nd day of August next, at 8 O'clock A.M., and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

John Bickley presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning at a white oak tree on the section line between sections 13 & 14, at the North end of a field at the property of J. J. B. Chandler, in Salt Creek Township. Thence North along said line as near as the ground will admit and intersect the county road leading from the old Wheeling road to Robt. Steacy's near the South side of the road from Madison, thence along said road to intersect the old Wheeling road between H. S. Brown's and Doctor Hammond's, thence East along said Wheeling road to a black tree East of Samuel Caben's stable, thence the nearest and best ground to Swain's, in Swain's Township."

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed John Clay, Isaac Fry & Francis Little, viewers, and Samuel Wilkinson, surveyor, to meet at John Stevens' store in Salt Creek Township, on the 3rd day of August next, at 8 O'clock A. M., and make report to the next sitting of this board, as required by law.

James Hubley presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning at the county road on the 4th side of the Muskingum River in Brush Creek Township, at or near an old made house on the premises of Dept. Jones & Pantley, from thence in a Southwesterly direction of the said house, thence to the school house on the Salt Creek road, from thence to the old Federal road at Mr. Swain's in said Township."

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed Salmon Bishop, H. J. Thompson & Nicholas Petriick, viewers, and John Roberts, surveyor, to meet at Jonathan's Carthage.
Monday the 10th day of Septem. a.m. of said day, and make report to the next session of this board, as required by law.

9th.
Jonathan Carlyle presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration be made on said Wye's road (so called) through said Carlyle's land, as follow:

"The alteration to be made so as to lay it on the road as now travelled through the premises of said Carlyle by the Muskegon river, beginning at the river, thence up the lane to the South West end thence the shortest and best route to intersect said road before it crosses the section line."

Whereupon, the Commissioners of printed Salmon Blake, Mr. Thompson & Nicholas Verlie, surveyors, and John Roberts surveyor, to meet at Jonathan Carlyle's, on Monday the 13th day of September next, at 9 o'clock a.m., of said day, and make report to the next session of this board, as required by law.

10th. Petition to vacate part of a road.

Joseph Prior presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying so much of a certain County road may be vacated, as follow:

"Beginning near the large bridge on the old coffee road, running thence near the house where William Bland now resides, where the foot to be vacated ends"

Any further proceedings thereon, after being read, was laid over until next December session, as required by law. Said Prior entered into bond, with security.

11th.
Daniel Smith presented the county Treasurer's receipt for $6.90 out of costs incurred by reason of a new survey on his roads in December last.

12th. The following reports on roads were taken up and read the first time, to wit:

John Doward's road; this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Abalum Fisher's road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

William Evans' road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

John Elsca's alteration of the Grand River road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

William Cameron's road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Caleb James' alteration of the Danville road; this being a report in favor of making the alteration as petitioned for, ordered to be read a second time on tomorrow.

John Hypert's alteration of Lake road; this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Joshua Lomatch's alteration of Lake road, leading from Danville to Brazosbridge, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Samuel Cole's petition for damages of State road. Said Cole having laid in a petition for damages on account of State road leading from Brazosbridge to Danville running through his land, at the last March session, and the Commissioners having at said session appointed said viewers to appraise said damages, said viewers
made report this day, that said road will not sustain any damage on account of said road, wherefore the Commissioners confirmed their report, and said road is bound to pay the costs of said view into the County treasury.

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Settlement with the Treasurer.

This day, John Roberts, late Treasurer of this county, presented his accounts for examination and settlement, and the Commissioners find the accounts satisfactory and correctly kept, and there is found to be on settlement the hands of said treasurer in favor of this county, the sum of two thousand five hundred ninety-two dollars, twenty-eight cents and four mills, consisting of county, township, road and school funds, as follows:

1st. Good funds
2nd. Depreciated Bank paper
3rd. Order on Morgan County
4th. Certificate of Deposit on Bank
5th. Bank Cincinnati
6th. Bills on Bank of St. Louis

Total £2892.78.11

After settlement as above, said Roberts produced John Bruneau, county treasurer's receipt for the amount of the above funds, by said Roberts paid into the Treasury of said county, which receipt is placed on file in this Office.

Ordered that John Roberts, late Treasurer, have an order on the Treasurer of said county, for the sum of eight dollars and eighty-seven cents, five mills for drawing plates of stone for the bridge 1830, Stilson for his (office) No. up to 8 June 1830. £8.8/2
Orders burned.

After settlement with John Roberts, Esq., late deceased of said County, all the orders that was redeemed on said settlement up to this date, the Commissioners burned.

Archibald Galbraith this day appeared and applied for the keeping of Sarah White, an insane person, (now in his custody) for one year from the 26th day of August last, said Galbraith agrees to take said Sarah, and to keep, provide and furnish said Sarah with all things necessary and convenient for such insane person for the term of years, and the Commissioners agree to pay said Galbraith, seventy five dollars for said term, in county orders, in equal quarterly payments.

Provided said Sarah shall be at that time (25th August next) be a county charge; but if said Sarah shall at any time thereafter cease to be a county charge by death or otherwise, then said Galbraith shall be paid as aforesaid, in proportion to the time he may have kept her.

The following reports on roads were severally taken up and read the second time and confirmed and ratified:

William Gerner's road.

"Beginning at Mealom Fisher's lane on the Ottawa road, thence to intersect the Slate road, lately located from Marysburgh to Belleville, at or near the one mile tree, on the above Slate road."

On the above route the Commissioners at their last session appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view and survey said route; and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said road, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

William Evans' road.

"Beginning at John Webster's mill, and after crossing Salt Creek, to run a North West course on the land of Mr. Evans, thence to the best side of Daniel Brown's ten acre field that bounds on his west line, thence to the old Wheatley road, thence John W. Day's lately erected, thence a North course to the National turnpike, so as to do the least injury to the landholders."

On the above route the Commissioners at their last session appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view and survey said route; and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said road, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary of public utility, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.
10th


called James' alteration of part of the State road
leading from Putnam, Newburgum County, to the Town of Lancaster, Fairfield County.

"Commencing at the store of Joseph Libberson and
going near the house of Caleb James in Newton township,
Thence to intersect the Lancaster road at or near the
town between Dags Abbott and Matthew Collinge."

On the above route the Commissioners on the 16th
day of April last, appointed viewers and a surveyor,
and survey said alteration as above, and the
viewers having at this session repeated in form of
establishing the alteration as above, and the Commissioners
believing the same necessary and of public utility, do
hereby confirm their report, and order the same
to be recorded, and hereafter considered a public
highway.

11th

John Hoyatt's alteration of the State road,
leading from Annoothe to Dresden.

"Commencing at Charles Edson's cabin and
ending at Capt. James Taylor's line, near the school
house."

On the above route the Commissioners on the 16th
day of April last, appointed viewers and a surveyor; to
view and survey said alteration as above, and the
viewers having at this session repeated in form of
establishing the alteration as above, and the Commissioners
believing the same necessary and of public utility, do
hereby confirm their report, and order the same
to be recorded, and hereafter considered a public
highway.
William C. Garnett alteration of the State road leading from Pigeon Forge to Dandridge.

Commencing at the Pigeon Bridge built across the large run on John Adams' land, thence a South East course to the bridge in that Dandridge.

On the above route the Commissioners on the 17th day of April last appointed viewers and a surveyor, and survey said alteration as above; and the viewers hearing at this session reported in favor of establishing said alteration as above, and the Commissioners believing that said alteration may be advantageously made, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and hereafter considered a public highway.

The following road rates were confirmed.

13th. Ashland Fisher's road.
- Samuel McFarland surveying & plating $1.50.
- John Darby viewing $1.00.
- William Blank 1.00.
- Mosewell McQueen chaining $1.00.
- William Johnson marking $0.73.

14th. William Garner's road.
- Mr. Anderson surveying & plating $3.00.
- John Nave viewing $1.00.
- John B. Dett viewing $1.00.
- Samuel Drum 1.00.
- Joseph Fisker chaining 75.
- Mr. Garner 75.
- Francis Frayo's marking $1.00.

15th. William Evan's road.
- Samuel Malland surveying & plating $3.00.
- John Angpack viewing 1.00.
- John Magahan $2.00.
- Joseph Hordtace chaining 75.
- Daniel Hartsel 75.
- Mr. Evans marking $0.75.

16th. John Bowers' road.
- Charles Roberts surveying & plating $3.50.
- John Angpack viewing 2.00.
- George Callin 2.00.
- Robert Dickson 2.00.
- J. Roberts Jun chaining 75.
- Joseph J. Reed 1.00.
- David Bowers marking 1.50.

17th. John Elwood's alteration of road.
- Samuel Malland surveying & plating $3.00.
- James McBrice viewing 1.00.
- Jacob Baker 1.00.
- Christopher Shuck 1.00.
- Mr. Self chaining 75.
- Charles White 75.

18th. Sam's Cole's petition for damage.
- John Cole viewer 3.00.
- John Knott 3.00.
- Leonard Stumph 3.00.

19th. Caleb Sams' alteration of State road.
- Mr. Anderson surveying & plating $3.00.
- John Heart viewing 1 day 1.00.
- John Hotton 2.00.
- Albert Cole 2.00.
- Oliver Seiblum chaining 1.00.
- William Wiley 1.00.
- John Stone marking 0.75.

20th.
Road Tax for 1830.

It is hereby ordered and determined by the Commissioners of Muskingum County, that one mill upon the dollar be levied upon the aggregate amount of the value of all property entered upon the general list for taxation for road purposes for the year 1830, according to the statutes in such cases made and provided, and order the same to be sent out for collection.

School Tax 1830.

It is hereby ordered and determined by the Commissioners of Muskingum County of 1830 to be appropriated for the use of Common Schools in said County for said year; according to the statute, and order the same to be sent out for collection.

County levy for 1830.

The Commissioners proceeded to levy the per centum necessary for the purpose of defraying the expenses of Muskingum County for the year 1830, according to the statutes in such cases; and so hereby levy two mills on each dollar of the aggregate amount of the value of all property in said County, entered upon the general list for taxation, current year, and order the same to be sent out for collection.

Bridged.

In view that the Commissioners of Muskingum County may be enabled to contract for the building of a bridge across the Muskingum River, on the road leading from Zanesville to New Concord, the Commissioners of Muskingum County, by common consent, do hereby order that the Commissioners of Muskingum County, to build a bridge.
Road Tax for 1830.

It is hereby ordered and determined by the Commissioners of Muskingum County, that one mill upon the dollar be levied upon the aggregate amount of the value of all property enrolled upon the general list for taxation, for road purposes for the year 1830, agreeably to the statute in such cases made and provided, and order the same to be collected.

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Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'Clock tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, June 9th, 1830.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,

John Canale
John Hamilton
J. Stand Holmick

Vouchers of county auditors compared with the checks.

This day the Commissioners examined the vouchers of the county auditors, and compared the same with the checks, and find the same satisfactory and correct.

In order that the Commissioners of Muskingum County may be enabled to contract for the building of a bridge across the Wkahakam Creek, on the road leading from Zanesville in Jackson Township, Muskingum County, to Lanesville, if they shall have the power to expend, agreeably to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of Ohio, passed Dec. 31st, 1839, entitled "An act to authorize and empower the Commissioners of Muskingum County, to build a bridge..."
Ordered that John William, Jr., Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Lake, have an order on the Treasurer of said county for one dollar and forty-five cents, his costs, case of the "Renfield vs. Brown," April Term 1830, No. 139.

Ordered that Fortune & Preddy have an order on the County Treasurer for the sum of thirty-two dollars and eighty-five cents, for iron window shutters for back windows of said building, prisoners, as per bills remain'd filed.

The Commissioners, met 9 o'clock this morning.

Thursday, June 10th, 1830.

Commissions met pursuant to appointment.

Present:
John Kendall
William Hamilton
J. Cont. P.
James Holbrook.

Said W. W. A. is for the vacation of said road.

Whereas Samuel W. A. was a has presented a petition before this board at the last March Session of the Commissioners, which was then publicly read, praying that so much of the County road as runs through his farm may be vacated, which petition was laid over (as required by law) until this present session, and which was again publicly read on the first day of the present session, the same was again publicly read this day, and there being no objections laid in against the proper of said petition. The Commissioners do hereby declare and evacuate so much of said County road as runs through said W. A.'s farm.
Petition for damages on account of the alteration of the
4th road leading from Dunker to Loomis Bar.

Michael Wiltiemore, Johnson Thompson,
Mary Smith, James David Smith, second, and others in
this complaint in writing, stating that the alteration
of the road as lately laid out and established, through
their premises is a great injury to them, and praying
that suitable persons may be appointed to view said
 damages.

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed John E.
Dean, William Hoffman and Peter Wolf, to view said
roads and determine how much harm will be
resultant from the alteration said, and make
report thereof in writing to this board, on or before
the first Monday of December next, to meet at the house
of Thomas Self, on Saturday the 26th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M.

Petition for damages on account of the alteration of the
5th road leading from Dunker to Dunker Bar.

Michael Wiltiemore, Johnson Thompson,
Mary Smith, James David Smith, second, and others in
this complaint in writing, stating that the alteration
of the road as lately laid out and established, through
their premises is a great injury to them, and praying
that suitable persons may be appointed to view said
 damages.

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed John E.
Dean, William Hoffman and Peter Wolf, to view said
roads and determine how much harm will be
resultant from the alteration said, and make
report thereof in writing to this board, on or before
the first Monday of December next, to meet at the house
of Thomas Self, on Saturday the 26th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M.

LAWYERS & PHYSICIANS.

Pursuant to an act of the Legislature of Ohio, passed
February 22, 1830, entitled "An Act to lay a tax on
the income of practicing Lawyers and Physicians; it was
this day ordered that they be each charged with a tax
of five dollars, to be put upon the duplicate of the
income for the year ending December 31, 1830, and collected
as other taxes, for the purpose of the following:

1st. To be fully and fairly authorized and empowered to draw an order on the Treasury
of Muskingum County, in said self's favor, for any sum
not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars
in the same, or from time to time, become due, at any
time during the year 1830.

2d. The County Auditor, or his private agent, with the
county, where he has power under the Treasury
of said county, by order of the Commissioners, to draw
an order for the balance of said auditor; and such auditor is
fully authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer of
said county in his favor.

3d. An order of settlement, as aforesaid, with said county
auditor is due to the 1st June, 1830, and the sum of
eighteen dollars forty cents of a balance of account
said auditor, for which balance, said auditor is
fully authorized to draw an order on the Treasurer of
said county in his favor.

4th. Ordered by the Commissioners that J. M. Spur, be allowed
as follows, for services as County Auditor: from the first
day of June, 1829, up to the first June, 1830, viz:.

For making out the duplicate of the books of 1829, and
other matters of the same as required by law, reading the
books of the Commissioners, drawing said bonds, and
other services of the officers aforesaid, to receive and
June 18th 1830
Commissioners met. Present.
John Hardie
Wm. Hamilton
Isaac Helmick

The Commissioners having on the 11th instant viewed
the bridge at the mouth of Salt Creek, built by Isaac
Sprunger, as per agreement made with said Sprunger,
on the 22d day of March, 1829, are of opinion that
said bridge is finished and completed as required
by said contract, and do hereby receive the same
and are therewith content and satisfied, and now
his bond to be given up, which was accordingly
said.

Ordered that said Isaac Sprunger have an adze on the
Treasure of said county for the sum of one hundred dollars
out of the road law of 1829, for extra work done to the above
bridge.

Commissions adjourned

John Hardie
Wm. Hamilton
Isaac Helmick
July 25th, $1830.

The Commissioners met this day.

Present:

John Nance,

Wm. Hamilton,

Watahomika

Agreed to notice given in both of the public newspapers printed in the town of Danielsville (commencing the 14th June last) the Commissioners met on Tuesday, the 20th July instant, at Watahomika creek, near AAtlanta, where the State road leading from AAtlanta to Danielsville crosses said creek, and offered for sale at the lowest & best bidder the building of a bridge over said creek. Whereupon, the building thereof was struck off to William Logan, being the lowest bidder, at the sum of four hundred dollars.

To be paid out of the road tax of 1830, provided that the sum of seven hundred and fifty two dollars, shall be paid into the hands of the County Treasurer. And if that sum last mentioned shall not be paid into the hands of the County Treasurer, he is to receive one half of whatever sum may come into the hands of the County Treasurer of the road tax of the current year, and the balance the same year following out of the road tax of the year 1831, so soon as the same can be collected; the first payment is to be made on the first day of February next, with the ago-rate provision, said bridge is to be completed on or before the first day of January next, and to be built agreeably to, or near the plan filed in this office, reference being had thereto, and the bond will more fully appear.

This day the covering of the Court house, was set up at public sale, and sold to John Williams, at the sum of one hundred and eighty dollars and fifty cents, to be covered with good pine shingles, all to be done in a good and substantial manner, to the satisfaction and acceptance of the Commissioners.
Complained on or before the first Monday of November next, reference being had to the bond on file in this office, will more fully appear.

Bond and security given to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Commissioners appointed.

John Hamilton
Isaac Heilman

August 24th 1836.
The Commissioners convened this day:

Present:
John Handley
Mr. Hamilton
Isaac Heilman

Bridge over Flat run.

Agreed to notice given in the Newspaper, \textit{Harrison's Republican} (commencing July 31, 1835) the Commissioners met at that run about two miles below Canedale, on the State road leading to Marietta, near the bank of the river, and offered for sale to the lowest bidder, the building of a bridge over said run, at the place appearing when the building thereof was struck off to James Longenecker, he being the lowest bidder, at the sum of sixty-four dollars and twenty-five cents, \$64.25, which is to be paid out of the three per cent fund, due this county, from State Treasury, to the use of said bridge is completed agreeably to contract, and the acceptance of the Commissioners - said bridge is to be completed on or before the first day of November next, and

This day the Commissioners appointed by an act of the last Legislature of Ohio to confer the sum of fifty dollars on the State road, lying out from Canedale to Canedale, commencing at the mouth of Big Lake creek, and extending to the line of Morgan County, and paid the work done on said road to our satisfaction.

Therefore ordered, that the said county auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of Robert Slaby, for the sum of fifty dollars, to be paid out of the 3 per cent fund.

Also an order on the County Treasurer, in the sum of four dollars, for superintending said work, to be paid out of county funds.

Commissioners:

John Handley
Mr. Hamilton
Isaac Heilman

August 25th 1836.
The Commissioners convened this day:

Present:
John Handley
Mr. Hamilton
Isaac Heilman

+ $64.25
September 18th 1830.
The commissioners met this day.

Preseant,
John Handley
Wm. Hamilton.

Agreed to, to place notice given in both of the newspapers printed in the town of Warrenville, the affair on Commissioners met at their office in

This day since the building of a brick house, or necessary, upon the public square by lease today, when the

The building there, was struck off to John Wilson, he being the lowest bidder, at the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars, to be paid in a county court, so soon as the building is completed according to contract, and the acceptance of the

The building is to be built as follows: the walls to be ten feet deep, and walled up with 14 inch wall of stone. So as to receive a brick building 18 by 12 foot, with a nine inch brick wall to be covered with good clay plaster, the roof to be finished the narrow way, to be glazed with good oak boarding, painted and laid off into four rooms, with benches of two inch planks, to have two bays down North, or and two South, with two windows East and West. All windows to be placed with Venetian blinds. A set in in each room, with two holes in each - a floor to be put up at each end - and one course of

Wednesday, September 19th 1830.
The Commissioners met.

Present:
John Handley
Wm. Hamilton [Commissioners]
S. W. Holmlok.

What sun bridge received.

This day the Commissioners met at the request of Amos Longshore, who contracted on the 22nd day of August last, to build a bridge over Flat run, about two miles below Warrenville: And after receiving the same, one of opinion that such bridge is completed as required by said contract, and therefore receive the same from said Longshore, and order the

Ordered, That the Auditor sign an order on the treasurer of said county, in favor of John Wilson, for the sum of one hundred eighty two dollars, fifty four and six cents, for covering the Court house.

The affair on the work the Commissioners seem finished, according to contract, and order, said Wilson's bid to be given up, which was accordingly done.

Adjourned.

Appended.

John Handley
Wm. Hamilton.
Ordered that John Willmon have an order on the county treasury, for the sum of thirty-two dollars, for setting a grade, in the Clerk's Office.

$32.00

Ordered that A. C. Johnson have an order on the Treasurer, for $20.75, for repairs done to court house of jaf, as per bill of H. S. Stone.

$20.75

Ordered that A. C. Johnson be allowed for extra work done to the bridge over Salt Creek, near the mouth of said Creek, the sum of two hundred dollars in addition to what has been already allowed, for extra work done to said bridge.

The Auditor of said County is hereby authorized to take bond of said Springer, as aforesaid, and also to receive as security for the same, the sum of five hundred dollars, or the security of one hundred dollars, as aforesaid; and to give said bond or security as aforesaid.

William Hamilton

N. H. Shelton
Monday, December 6th, 1830

The commissioners met as required by Law.

Present:

William Hamilton
Seabolt Helmick & Commissioners.
Israel Robinson

The following said petitions were presented and
severely acted upon, to wit:

Christopher Shuck presented a petition signed by
himself and others, praying that a road may be laid
out of established, as follows:

"Beginning at or near the school house on the
land of Jacob Ramey's heirs, adjoining Richard Shuck
and others, running thence South on or near the line
between Richard Shuck and William Wiens, thence
the same course, to cross Salt Creek a few rods
below, thence Shuck's prairie, thence on or near
the same line, South to a lane between Charles Henderson
and William Wiens, thense to the national turnpike.

Whereupon the commissioners appointed
Philip Richerock, John Edens, Gage Say viewers,
and Samuel Gallant surveyors, to meet at Richerock's
school house, on Tuesday the 14th instant, at 10 o'clock.
A.M., of said day, and make report to the next
session of this board, as required by Law.

Whereupon the commissioners appointed
Shuck.

William Reynolds presented a petition signed by
himself and others, praying that an alteration may be
made on the Guernsey road, as follows:

"Beginning at a stone bridge at the West
end of Aaron Robinson's meadow, thence a West-
wardly course on the North side of the old road to a
lump in the old road, opposite the house of John
Baffry."

Whereupon the commissioners appointed

Caleb James presented a petition signed by himself
and others, residents of Marcy County, praying
that an alteration may be made on part of the state
road leading from Rossville to Danville, as follows:

"Beginning at the South end of the lane
between Isaac James and Jacob Cherry, thence running
on the now traveled old road to the new bridge lately
erected over Jonathan's Creek, thence on the near
and best ground to a point at the west end of the
road at the South west corner of Michael Waltermire's
farm."

Whereupon the commissioners appointed
to meet on the 25th day of January next, at their
office in Danville, for the purpose of hearing
remonstrances, and of granting an order for a
review. Said James gave bond of security
to the acceptance of the commissioners.

Petition for damages on account of Bowers' road.

John Shuck laid in a complaint in writing, stating
that John Bowers' road as lately located through his
premises is a great injury to him, and praying that
suitable persons may be appointed to appraise and deter-
mine said damages accordingly to Law.

Whereupon the commissioners appointed
Caleb Deim, Richard Brotton and Evan Grane to
be viewers, to view, appraise and determine how much
loss of value said land or premises of said complainant
has been, or will be rendered by opening said road.
Jonathan Carlile's alteration of land, to be read again tomorrow.

John Dickey's road, a favorable report, to be read again tomorrow.

James Heise's road, a favorable report, to be read again tomorrow.

John Bolin's road, a favorable report, to be read again tomorrow.

Stephen Bedman's alteration of road, this being a favorable report, to be read again tomorrow.

William Ellis' petition to vacate part of the Ogle road, to be read.

The views of the members of the Board of Viewers at the last view, showing the views of the members of the Board of Viewers, stating that said road might not be vacated, made report the day, stating at their own opinion that said road as petitioned to be vacated by William Ellis, and others, ought not to be vacated, and that the Commissioners confirmed their opinion. Said William Ellis is to pay all costs incurred by said view.

Thomas Self's petition for damages caused by John Ellis's alteration of road, to be read. The views of the Board of Viewers, after the last view, showing the views of the Board of Viewers, stating that the damages said self sustained if said alteration of said road should be granted, made report the date stated. Said Thomas Self will not sustain any damage, and the report was confirmed by the Commissioners. Said Self is to pay the costs of said view.
Joseph Prior's petition to vacate a part of a certain county road, laid in at the last June session, was taken up and publicly read this day. Ordered to be laid over until Wednesday next.

The commission met at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, December 7th, 1830.
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment:

Present,
William Hamilton
Isaac Helmickey
Israel Robinson

The following road petition was presented to me:

David Fullerton presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on Adam Shoemaker's road, so called, as follows:

"Beginning at a small bridge on John Mercer's land, from thence a southerly course along the new road to the clay turnpike, thence easterly on said clay turnpike to the seventy one mile tree, thence along the late new road on the line between Joseph Black and Caleb Dunn, thence to the line between Peter Livermore and Abraham J. Fisher, thence on said line to the old Wheeling road, thence westerly on said road to intersect Francis Silvers' road."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed George Clapper, Stephen Beene of David Police surveyor, and John McCreary surveyor to meet at John Fullerton's on Saturday, 15th inst., at 10 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to the next sitting of this board, according to law.

Order for a new road this day given to David Fullerton.

Petition to change state road.
Daniel Converse presents a petition signed by himself and others, residents of Washington County, praying that an alteration may be made on part of the State road lately located from West Vanceville to Mount Vernon as follows:

"Beginning at the corner of Simon Diller's lot in West Vanceville, and run where the present travels and new runs, to a point where the new route intersects the old road again. Reference being had to the petition filed in this office, it will more fully appear. Thereupon the commissioners appointed to meet on the 28th day of January next, at their office in Vanceville, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances, and of granting an order for a survey.

Said Converse gave bond of security to the satisfaction of the commissioners.

J. W. Calberton presents a petition signed by himself and others, residents of Washington County, praying that an alteration may be made on part of the State road so located from Vanceville to Watersford landing, as follows:

"Beginning at the farm of Isaac Van Horn on the bank of the river three miles below Vanceville, and running thence down on the bank of the river, as near the same as practicable, so as to run past the steam mill of J. W. Calberton in Ashokan township, thence to the Morgan County line, where the same crosses the Washington River."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed to meet on the 28th day of January next, at their office in Vanceville, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances, and of granting an order for a survey.

Said Calberton gave bond of security to the satisfaction of the commissioners.
Ordered, that the returns of the State road lately located from West Goshen in Mifflin County to Mount Vernon in Perry County, be recorded, and placed on file in this Office.

The following report on roads was severally taken up, and read the second time, and their being no objections laid in, they were severally confirmed.

Phot Bieche's road.

"Beginning on a white oak tree on the section line between sections 34, 35, and 36 at the north end of a field late the property of John Chandler deceased, in Salt Creek township; thence south along said line as near as the ground will admit, and to intersect the county road leading from the old Whewing road to Robert O'f. near the south line of Wm. Hadden, thence along said roads and intersect the old Whewing road two Ch. I. B. Brown's and Doctor Hammond's, thence east along said Whewing road to a black oak tree east of Samuel Saben's house, thence the nearest and best grade to the village of Norwich in Harford township."

On the above route the Commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view said route for a road; and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said route a public highway, and the Commissioners believing said route necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and open the width required by law; and hereby consider said route a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

0th. Callow Smith's alteration of S. Snowman's road.

"Beginning near Jacob Mercer's and running a westwardly course to strike the range line between the 13th and 14th ranges near to Edward Smith's house along said range line, or as near thereto as practicable to the river."

On the above route the Commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view the viewer's proposed alteration of road, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of making said alteration, the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and open the width required by law, and thereafter consider said route a public highway, and to be worked accordingly; and the former route to be vacated forever as the new route is opened as required by law.

12th. Smith B. Whallon's road.

"Commencing at Harman's mills on Wells creek; thence to William Elwell's sawmill; thence to John Reynolds' mile, thence to intersect the State.

"Phot Bieche's road."

"Beginning in the county road between Daniel Allen's; Peter Elburn's, thence southwardly to
road leading from Cambridge to Mount Vernon at the end of Peter Bond's lane in Highland township.

On the aforesaid route the Commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey said proposed route for a road; and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said route a public highway, the commissioners thereon confirmed their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened as a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

James House's road.

Comming at the county road on the west side of the Macungie river in Brack Creek township, at a near an old waste house on the land of Jonas Stanberry, thence a southwardly direction on the road above from thence to the school house on the Salt Creek road, thence to the old Federal road at Mountville in said township.

On the aforesaid route the Commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey said proposed route for a road; and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said route a public highway, the commissioners thereon confirmed their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened as a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Jonathan Carlisle's alteration of road.

"Beginning at a near the north end of City Hatchet's lane, thence East of the present route to afford over Bent & run below a new saw-mill on the premises of Wm. Schleifeldt &c., thence up past the saw mill to the north east corner of George Ell's, farm or field, to intersect the old or present route."

On the aforesaid route the Commissioners at their session in June last, appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey said proposed alteration in said road; and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of making the alteration as above, the Commissioners hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened as a public highway, and to be worked accordingly; and the former route that lies between the points of intersection to be vacated at once as the new route is opened as required by law.

Stephen Reedman's alteration of road.

"Beginning at a near the north end of City Hatchet's lane, thence East of the present route to afford over Bent & run below a new saw-mill on
**Thomas Williams' road.**

"Beginning on the South side of the township near the tavern now occupied by Bradbury, thence a North west course to intersect the county road leading by Mark B. Darrah's on the South side of Licking."

On the aforesaid route the commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers of a survey to view and survey said proposed route for a road, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said route a public highway, the commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

**Philip Placheck's road.**

"Beginning in the county road between John Martin's place and the old whaling road at a place known by the name of the cemetery, thence a North east course to the North west corner of Philip Placheck's quarter section of land, thence North with said line forty rods, thence North with said Haines' line to the old Whaling road, thence East on said road thirty rods, thence North on the main road and best ground by the way of George Hoy's to intersect the national road."

On the aforesaid route the commissioners at their last June session appointed viewers of a survey to view and survey said proposed route for a road, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said route a public highway, the commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

**highway, and to be worked accordingly.**

Mr. Jones to open June session to day, Oct. 25th 1831.

The commissioners this day examined the survey built in the public square by John Wilson, and are of opinion that the same is completed according to contrast on file into the 18th day of September last, and therefore receive the same from his hands, from his hand to be given up. Also order the auditor to give an order on the Treasurer of this County in favor of said Wilson for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for building said necessary or private, and hereby foreclose said same, finding materials to as far below required of same.

For building public necessary — $125.00

**For fence around same $6** — $20.00

**Ordered that the auditor give an order on the county Treasurer in favor of John W. Cooper to settle the claim of John Cooper in relation to a controversy in Court with Daniel Breck, Sheriff, about repairs done to said fence according to order.**

**$20.00**

**Ordered that the auditor give an order on the county Treasurer in favor of John W. Cooper for the sum of thirty dollars, for office rent for one year ending the 1st instant.**

**$30.00**

It is hereby ordered, and John W. Cooper is hereby fully authorized and empowered to draw orders on the Treasurer of Missouri for the sum of thirty dollars, for any sum or sums not exceeding one hundred dollars (in addition to what he was by us authorized to draw last June session) as the same may from time to time become due, at any period between this and the first Monday in March next.
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+ Joseph Mo. timber surveying platting | 5 50
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Damages to said Self.
+ Re. Hagen viewing & making return | 2 00
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+ Klowers Antonio w/ $.75 by paid costs in court | 1 00/1 00

Costs incurred in court caused by Mr. Ellis petition to vacate the Oak road &
+ Samuel McCarren viewing & making return | 2 00
+ Foreman Spencer viewing | 1 00/1 00
+ Wm. Bland do | 1 00/1 00

Arising damages to Mary Smith others.
+ William Coatesman viewing & making return | 3 00
+ Peter Holle viewing | 2 00/6 00

Ordered that John Clark have an order on the Treasurer of this County, for the sum of $5 4 9 for glazing window in the Court House, as per bill rendered & filed.

31st

Ordered that John Halls have an order on the County Treasurer, for the sum of $12 00, for expenses rendered as Commissioners on the Great Creek Plantation at & Sistersville State roads in examining contracts, applying donations 
+ $12 00

The Commissioners adjourn till 9 o'clock to renew meeting.

Wednesday, December 3rd, 1830.
Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:
Hon. Hamilton
Israel Holmich
Isaac Robinson

Joseph Todd's addition of a certain county road.
"Beginning on the bridge on the old Giffen road, thence near the house where William Bland now resides, on the west; a petition was presented before this Board at the last June session of the Commissioners (which was the public road) praying that the above road may be vacated, which was laid over (as required by law) until the present session, and which was again publicly read on the first day of the present session, the same was again publicly read this day, and that being no objections laid in against the prayer of said petition, the Commissioners do hereby declare and vacate so much of said County road as above mentioned.

Adam Bishop presents a petition signed by himself & others, residents of Muskingum County, praying that an alteration may be made on part of the State road leading from Rooseveille to Nelsonville, as follows:
"Beginning at the South end of the street of Rooseveille, running due west with the section line to the County line.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed to meet on the 28th day of January next, at their office in Banoona, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances and of granting an age for a review.

Said Bishop gave bond of Security to the satisfaction of the Commissioners.
Mary Smith & others.

The viewers appointed at the last June session to
appraise the damages that Mary Smith, Michael
Whenham, & John Thompson, will sustain, in
consequence of the alteration of the Lancaster
State road, made a report of their proceedings at
this session; any further proceedings therefore was
laid over until the first Monday of March next, as
the commissioners are unable at this time to determine
whether the amount appraised is just and equitable
or not.

The Commissioners adjourned this session,

William Hamilton
 Isaac Kelmicke
Israel Robinson.

December 18th 1830.

Ordered by us, that the Auditor give an order on
the County Treasurer, in favor of Williams Jackson,
for the sum of one hundred dollars, to be paid out
of the 3 per cent fund due this County, from State
Treasury; in part for building bridge over Benton’s
run, near Grants Valley, as per agreement entered
into with the Commissioners the 28th day of October
last.

William Hamilton
 Isaac Kelmicke
Israel Robinson.

Tuesday, January 26th 1831.

The Commissioners of Warren County, Ohio, met
Present:

[Names of commissioners present]

The commissioners met this day for the purpose of
hearing remembrances, and, of granting or refusing a review
on the following State roads, to wit:

1st. Caleb James’ alteration of part of the State road
leading from Putnam, Warren County, to the town of
Lancaster, Fairfield County, was taken up, and after
hearing the petition read, and no remembrances presented,
the Commissioners thought proper to grant an order for a
review, the alteration to be made as follows,

"Beginning at the north end of the lane between
Isaac James & Jedidah Cherry, thence running on the new
benefit old road to the new-bridge lately erected over
Jonathan’s Creek, thence on the nearest and best path
to as to intersect the Lancaster State road at the south
west corner of Michael Whenham’s farm."

Thence on the commissioners appointed Thomas
Smith, John B Dant & John Colvin, reviewers, to meet
at James Mill, on Tuesday the 16th day of February next,
at 9 o’clock, A.M. of said day, to review and survey
the alterations as prayed for, and to make report of their
proceedings on or before the first Monday of March next,
as required by law.

In Order for a new grant, the same is given to Caleb James.

Sam'l H. Colebrooke’s petition for an alteration of the State
road leading from Lancaster to Waterford Landing, was taken
up, and after hearing the petition read, and no remembrances
presented, the Commissioners thought proper to grant an
order for a review, the alteration to be made as follows,
58. Beginning at the farm of Isaac Van Horn, on the bank of the river, three miles below Danville, and running thence down on the bank of the river, or as near the same as practicable, so as to run past the steam mill of I. W. Calderon, in Blue rock township, thence to the Morgan county line, where said line crosses the Winningham river.

Therefore the Commissioners appointed Albert Cole, Joseph Smith, and Robert Boyes, reviewers, to meet at I. W. Calderon's office in Danville, on Tuesday the 8th of February next, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, to review and survey the alteration as prayed for, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of March next, as required by law.

59. Walter B. Rider's petition for an alteration of the road, leading from Rossville to Nelsonville, was withdrawn by the petitioner, and his bond given up.

60. Converse' petition for an alteration of the Ohio road leading from West Danville to Mount Vernon, was taken up, and after hearing the petition read, and no remonstrance presented, the Commissioners thought proper to grant an order for a review of the alteration to be made as follows:

The new road leaves the present travelled road 19 poles from the corner of rifleman Dillon's lot in West Danville, and goes at right angles with the present old road 49 poles in a westerly course, then turning again at right angles prefixed northerly and parallel with the old travelled road until it strikes the old road after the same has left the river banks.

The petitioners therefore pray that the said road be so altered between the first and last named point as to run where the present travelled road now runs.

Therefore the Commissioners appointed Elmer Days, Milton B. Burke, and James Edwards reviewed at Ephraim Young's, in West Danville, on Tuesday the 23rd of February next, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, to review and survey the alteration as prayed for, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of March next, as required by law.

61. Orders the auditor of Winningham county, upon an order of the Treasurer of said county, in favor of John Wilson, for the sum of ten dollars, for stretching the front line for the Court house.

62. Watahomica bridge.

The Commissioners having on the 11th January last, viewed the bridge built by Mr. W. M. Clinton over Watahomica creek near Springville, as per agreement made with said Clinton on the 35th of July last, are of opinion that said bridge is finished and completed as required by said contract, and is hereby received the same, and are thereupon certificated.

Therefore ordered that the auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of said W. M. Clinton, or his order, for the amount due said W. M. Clinton out of the road tax of 1830, on demand, as per agreement and contract entered into on the 35th of July last, as a compensation for building said bridge, or for any part due said W. M. Clinton as aforesaid.

63. Bridge at Secona run.

The Commissioners this day viewed the bridge built by Mr. E. Johnson over Seona run near Grover Taylor's, as per agreement made with said Johnson on the 25th day of October last, and are of opinion that said bridge is finished and completed as required by said contract, and is hereby received the same, and are thereupon certificated. Therefore ordered that the auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of said E. Johnson, or his order, for the balance due him, on demand for building said bridge.
Ordered, That the Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of Jacob Misconover, for the sum of fifteen dollars, in full for filling up the embankment of the bridge at Rock Run, near Grand's Valley's, built by William Johnson at the cost of...

9th January A.D. 1831.

Whereas by an act of the Legislature of Ohio, passed January 26th, 1830, it is provided among other things, that the Commissioners of Muskingum County, if they shall deem it expedient, may appropriate out of the county funds of said county, or out of any other money in the treasury of said county, or otherwise of proprietors, any sum not exceeding two hundred dollars, for the purpose of compensating said Springer, the contractor, for all work done in erecting a bridge at the mouth of Big Salt Creek, in Muskingum County. And whereas by pursuance of said act, said Commissioners have already paid said Springer, one hundred dollars; therefore in further pursuance of said act, the Commissioners of said county have this day agreed with said Springer, as follows:

As it appears that said bridge is in danger of falling down on account of the stone work giving way, the Commissioners agree to pay said Springer five hundred dollars out of the county treasury in the following manner — two hundred and fifty dollars in hand — the one hundred dollars against the first of May next, provided said Springer has the work in a state of prosecution at that time to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, which he is to perform as hereafter stated — and the balance one hundred and fifty dollars to be paid whenever the work is completed to be performed as hereafter stated.

Said Isaac Springer on his part is to alter, repair and fix said stone work of said bridge in a permanent and workmanlike manner with stone and shall fill up the embankment on the west side of said bridge as high as it was on the 13th day of June last, all to be completed before the first day of August next, so that passers by other travel can pass over on said bridge with safety and convenience, and is to keep it, maintain and keep the said bridge in the term of five years from the first day of August next, or for which said Springer has given bond — which obligation extends only as it respects any defects in the work done and materials furnished to make said repairs.

The Auditor is hereby ordered to issue an order on the treasurer of this county, in favor of said Springer, for the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars, the payment to be made in hand as aforesaid.

10th January A.D. 1831.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of R. C. Restick, for the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars, for removing the county in the request of the Commissioners.

[Signatures]

Commissioner

[Signature]

[Signature]
Monday, March 7th, 1831.

The commissioners met pursuant to law.

Present,

William Hamilton
Isaac Helmick
Israel Robinson

The board being organized, proceeded to business.

1st. John V. Sipple gave bonds with Samuel Parker and John Bowers, securities to the acceptance of the commissioners for the faithful performance of his duties as county auditor; and moreover took and subscribed the necessary oath of office as required by law, which bond and oath is filed in the Treasurer’s Office of said County.

2nd. Robert Brown presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning at the clay turnpike in Wayne township, on the line between Lewis Earnest and John Glossman, and running north along said line to the line between Ira Showmaker and Caleb Evans, thence north along said line to intersect the county road supposed to be Bixler’s road, thence west along said road to the Wheeling road, thence along said Wheeling road west to the hollow on Joseph Smith’s land, thence to intersect the national turnpike at the last end of the deep cut on said Smith’s land."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed Robert Jury, Zachariah Chandler and Stephen Rose, viewers, and John Colson surveyor, to view the above said route, to meet at John Glossman’s, on the 26th day of March instant, at 9 o’clock A.M., and to make report on or before the first Monday of June next.

In order for a view and survey to be made.

3rd. Damages on account of St. Roseby’s road.

Daniel Bone, Samuel Bone and Zachariah Chandler, laid in a complaint in writing, stating that John Roseby’s road, running from near Bouchers to Newchurch, as lately located through their premises, is a great injury to them, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to fairly determine said damages, as provided for by law, in such cases.

Whereupon the commissioners appointed Abram Varner, David Pears and Nathan Bradby, viewers, to view, assess and determine how much of the said premises of said complainant has been, or will be rendered by the opening of said road, and make report thereon to the first Monday in June next; to meet at Daniel Bone’s on the 20th day of April next, at 12 o’clock, A.M., and at said day, agree to pay said view to David Bone.

4th. Petition to change State road.

Eve Willidge presented a petition, signed by himself and others, residents of Muskingum County, praying that an alteration may be made on the State road lately located from West Grandville to Mount Vernon, as follows:

"Beginning at West Grandville, and lay said road on a straight line, or the present travelled road, or as near the same as the grade designated by law will admit, to the town of Jacob’s.

Thereupon the commissioners appointed to meet on the 25th day of May next, at their office in Bouchers, for the purpose of hearing demonstrations and of granting an order for a review.

Said Willidge gave bond and security to the satisfaction of the commissioners."
Petition to vacate part of a county road.
William Braddock presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that so much of a certain county road may be vacated, as follows:
"Beginning at or near William Braddock's barn, and running thence to the ends of John Johnson's line."

Any further proceedings thereon after being read, was laid over until next June session, as required by law.

The following reports on roads were made, and severally read the first time, viz:
1. Christopher Schick's road. The viewers having made a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.
2. Lewis Addicks' alteration of the Shoemaker's road. A favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.
3. William Reynolds' alteration of the Guernsey road. This being a favorable report, to be read again tomorrow.
4. Caleb Jakes' alteration of the State road leading from Newville to Langesville. This being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.
5. Dan Converse's alteration of the State road from West Langesville to Mount Vernon. Ordered to be read again tomorrow.
6. John Schick's petition for damages on account of John Bowers' road.

The viewers appointed at the last December session this day made report, in substance as follows: they went to said Schick's house on the day appointed to appraise said damage, when said Schick said that he professed petitioning for a review, and paid them for their services. Accordingly, there was no damage assessed.

The commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, March 8th, 1831.
The commissioners convened pursuant to adjournment.

Present:
William Hamilton
Isaac Hebner & Zebadiah
Israel Robinson &

Alteration of State road.
Francis Betsy presented a petition signed by himself and others, resident of this county, praying that an alteration may be made on the State road leading from Bragstock to Langesville, as follows:
"Beginning in the centre of the New York road at the north west corner of Asa Johnson's lot in West Langesville, thence a south course on the west end of the lots in West Langesville to the center of the lot wherein the stone house is situated in West Langesville, thence to the mouth of the upper bridge, where it intersects the town of West Langesville."
Thereupon the commissioners appointed to meet on the 25th day of May next, at their office in Langesville, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances and granting an order for a reviewer.

Said Betsy gave bond and security to the satisfaction of the commissioners.

J. W. Goodenow's petition to review and straighten the county road from James Taylor's fort down the river to the Morgan county line, was taken up and acted upon, agreeable to the 10th section of the act for paving and regulating roads and highways, passed 25th January.
It appearing from said petition that the true cause of said county road as laid out in 1803 is rendered uncertain by reason of the wash of the river, and other causes; the commissioners appointed Andrew Briggs, Joseph Bann and John Fleming viewers, and John More surveyor, to meet at James Taylor's store at the Falls, on Monday the 26th day of April next, at 9 o'clock A.M., of said day, to review and straighten said road as they may deem it necessary. Beginning at James Taylor's store, from thence down the bank of the river, or near thence as a road can be had, to meet a road leading up the river from the Community line to the Muskingum County line, to connect with said line, and to make a report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of June next, and to return a plat & survey of said road at the time aforesaid.

The following report on roads near the second line and confirmed to wit:

Christopher Shuck's road.

"Beginning at or near the school house on the land of Jacob Duncan's heirs adjoining Rich's town by others, running thence South on or near the line between said land of William Wynn, thence the same course to cross Big Creek a few rods below Christian Shuck's mill, thence on or near the same line South to a lane between Charles Henderson & Mr. Clinton, thence to the National turnpike."

On the aforesaid route the Commissioners at their last December season appointed viewers and a survey, to view and survey said proposed route for a road, and the viewers having at this season reported in favor of establishing said route a public highway, the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

William Reynolds' alteration of the turnpike road.

"Beginning at a stone bridge at the head end of Aaron Robinson's meadow, thence a westward course on the North side of the old road to a stump in the old road of prints the house of John Gaffney."

On the aforesaid route the Commissioners at their last December season appointed viewers and a survey, to view and survey said proposed route for a road, and the viewers having at this season reported in favor of establishing said alteration a public highway, the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and opened the width required by law, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly, and the former route not occupied by the new to be vacated."
Daniel Converse's alteration of the State roadway from West Lancaster to Mount Vernon.

Whereas the new road leaves the present traveller road 19 poles from the corner of Moses Dillons lot in East Lancaster, and goes at right angles with the present old road 14 poles in a westerly direction, then turning again at right angles northwesterly and parallel with the old traveller road until it strikes the old road after the same has left the river bank.

"The alteration proper for is, that said new road be so altered between the first and last mentioned point so as to run where the present traveller old road now runs."

On the above route the commissioners on the 25th day of January last, appointed viewers and a surveyor, to view and survey said alteration as above, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said alteration so as above, and the commissioners believing that said alteration may be advantageously made, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and thereafter considered a public highway.

Damages to Michael Wallman and others.

The commissioners order the auditor of this county, to give an order on the treasurer of this county, in favor of Michael Wallman for the sum of one hundred and ten dollars, to Mary Smith for the sum of ninety dollars, as a compensation in full for damages sustained by them on account of altering the State road leading from Putney to the town of Lancaster, in conformity to the report of the viewers of points to asso's said damages, made to their report made at the last December session, which report was laid over to this session.

The commissioners decide that Johnson Thompson shall receive no damage on account of the alteration as above made, as they do not believe that said Thompson sustains any damage whatever on account of said alteration.

Ordered that the auditor give an order on the Treasurer of this county, in favor of Daniel Brush, Sheriff, for the sum of thirty three dollars and eighty one cents, for delinquent fines in jail No., as per book received and filed.

Ordered that the auditor give an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of Benjamin Scott, for the sum of twelve dollars for 609 feet of boards by him put on the bridge over Jonas River near Groton, by order of the Commissioners.
The following bills on roads were examined & allowed:

1. Christopher Suck's road
2. Samuel Galland, for surveying & platting $2.00
3. George Say, for surveying & returning $2.00
4. John Cline, for surveying $1.00
5. Philip Brickell, do $1.00
6. Philip Darden, for carrying chains $1.75
7. Charles Snurr, do $1.75
8. James Strong, for marking $75 $8.35

**Sarah Filkerson's alteration of roads:**

- John Moore, for surveying & platting $3.25
- George Clapper, for surveying $1.00
- David Brown, do $1.00
- Stephen Reeco, do & returning $2.00
- Evan Graham, for carrying chains $1.75
- Joseph Ward, do $1.75
- Sarah Filkerson, for marking $15 $8.00

**William Reynolds' alteration of road:**

- John Moore, for surveying & platting $1.50
- Aram Warne, for surveying & returning $2.00
- Enoch Merrey, for surveying $1.00
- Edward Hensley, do $1.00
- Daniel Tinn, for carrying chains $1.75
- John Thomas, do $1.75
- James Mone, for marking $15 $7.75

**Basil James' alteration of Ravenna State road:**

- Jas. Anderson, for surveying & platting $3.00
- John E. Don't, for surveying & returning $2.00
- Thomas Jams, for surveying $1.00
- John Colvin, do $1.00
- Harry Wender, carrying chains $1.75
- Thomas Brown, do $1.75
- Issac Jams, for marking $15 $3.25

**Dan. Conant alteration of State road:**

- B. Buckingham reviewer $75 $1.00
- M. B. Cushing, do $1.00
- James Jeffries, do $1.00
- Eben Whipple, for surveying $1.50

The commissioners adjourned to 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

**Wednesday, March 7th, 1831**

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

**Present:**
- Jon. Hamilton
- Isaac Hoobinick
- James Robinson

It is hereby ordered, and it is hereby

fully authorized and empowered to draw orders on the
Treasury of Muskingum County in favor of said
Terry, for any sum or sums not exceeding seventy
five dollars (in addition to what he was by us
authorized to draw last December)Shoots as the same
may from time to time become due, at any periods
between this and the first Monday in June next,
for services in part as county auditor.

This day Daniel Bingham, Sheriff of Muskingum County,
executed a deed to John Curwell, Treasurer of Muskingum
County, for lot No. fourteen, in the sixth square, situated
in the town of Ravenna, County and State aforesaid, which
he holds for the use of the County of Muskingum.
It is ordered that said John Curwell treasurer as per
execute a quit claim deed to his wife, to Israel
Robinson for said lot, and that said Robinson hold
the same in trust for the use of the County of several
March 11th, 1831.

The commissioners met.

Present,

William Hamilton, 1st Commissioner.

James Helmick, 2nd Commissioner.

This day the commissioners viewed the bridge built by William Johnson over Jonathan's creek near James' Mills, on the Athens road, as per agreement made with said Johnson on the 23rd day of July last, and are of opinion that said bridge is finished and completed as regards by said contractors, and do hereby receive the same, and are thereby contented and satisfied.

Therefore ordered that the county auditors give an order, or orders, as the case may be, on the county treasurer, in favor of said William Johnson, or his order, or legal assignee, for the amount due said Johnson out of the road tax of 1830, on demand, agreed to by said contractors, for building said bridge, or for any part of said Johnson as of said.

William Hamilton

2nd Commissioner.
Monday, May 23d, 1831.
The Commissioners met.

Present:

John Hamilton, President.

Israel Robinson, Esq.

The Commissioners met this day for the purpose of hearing remonstrances, and of granting or refusing a record on the State road leading from West Zanesville to Granville, to wit:

The petition of Levi Millidge, relative to the above alteration was taken up, and after hearing certain objections from Edwin Burlingham & others against making any alteration therein as in their remonstrances set forth, the Commissioners thought proper to grant an order for a reviewing the alteration to be made as follows, agreeably to the proper of the petitioners.

"Beginning at West Zanesville and laying said road on a straight line, or the present travelled road, or as near the same as the grade designated by law will admit, to the town of Granville."

Thereon the Commissioners appointed John Robertson, Joseph Smith & Albert Cook, to survey said road, to meet at John Cleve's, on Monday the 30th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day, to view and survey the alteration as prayed for, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of June next, as required by law.

2° Francis Cosby's petition to make an alteration in the State Road leading from Zanesville to Granville, as laid in before this Board on the 4th day of March last was taken up and the Commissioners being of opinion that it
Frederick Bayer presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on so much of Crook's road as runs through said Bayer's land, as follows:

"Beginning at the South end of George Baines' Lane, thence on the line between William Camp and said Bayer or as near the same as a good ground can be got for a road, thence to the top of the hill at a stake, thence to intersect the old road at a white oak tree marked B."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed George Baines, Robert Bower, Martin Battles, viewers, and John Roberts surveyor, to view and survey said proposed alteration, to meet at Frederick Bayer's on Monday, the 13th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and to make report thereon on or before the first Monday of December next.

8°

John Smith presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road be laid out agreeable to the following boundaries, to wit:

"Beginning at a road at near Robert Brophy's in Brush creek township, thence to Sadler's place, thence to Fronhoather, thence to Beaver Creek, thence to the mouth of Bailey's creek, thence to the join of John Smith's lane, thence to Beaver's creek, thence across the South Fork of Jonathan's Creek to Christian Grauer's, from thence to intersect the road leading from Putnam to Roseville, at, or near Andrew Dugan's lane yard."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed Robert Bower, John Bowers, surveyor, and William Anderson, to view and survey said proposed route for a road to meet at John Smith's in Newton township, on Thursday, the 16th instant, at
proceedings on or before the first Monday of December next.

No. Order for a view upon this day is given to John Smith.

George W. Cole presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established agreeably to the following boundary to wit:

"Beginning at bayou lock on the Ohio-Central, thence west along the line of the banks to the line between Daniel Mills and George Wheeler, thence South along said line to the Muskogee river, or to the road leading from Danville to Arkocito."

Thereupon, the commissioners appointed Joseph Bellmore, Abram Smith of Thomas Fairman to be viewers, andiba ferret surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at Adam's mill on Monday the 1st day of August next, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report on or before the first Monday of December next.

Order for a view given this day is given to George Wheeler.

Petition to vacate certain parts of roads.

William Findley presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that certain parts of the following county roads may be vacated, to wit: First, that part of A. Reaume's road running from Jacob Baker's place to David Findley's mill as his East of the place where said road crosses the county road running from Bond's to Bartmer's. Second, that part of county road running from David Findley's mill dam on crooked creek to the salt works at the mouth of Mill creek as lies East of the place where the national road crosses said road. Third, that part of the county road from the salt works road near David Findley's to the Wheeler road near Matthew Findley's as lies South and East of such run."

Any further proceeding therein, after being publicly read, was laid over until next December upon as required by law. Said Findley entered into bond & security.

The following reports on roads were made, and severally read the first time, viz:

Reuben Evans' road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again to-morrow.

J. G. Leberton's road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again to-morrow.

Devin Milledge's selection of the State road leading from West Jarmenville to Mount Vernon, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again to-morrow.

William Roundly's petition to vacate a part of a certain county road as therein more particularly set forth, was taken up and read the first time, ordered to be read again on the last day of the session.

Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock to morrow morning.
Tuesday, June 7th, 1854.
The Commissioners met pursuant to a Journema. Present: Wm. Hamilton and Israel Robinson.

The following reports on roads were severally read the second time and confirmed, viz::

The following reports on roads were severally read the second time and confirmed, viz:

Hilton Evans' road:

"Beginning at the clay-pike in Wayne township on the line between Lewis' barn in John Stevens' and running north along said line to the line between Adam Shoemaker's and said Evans', thence north along said line to intersect the county road supposed to be Kimberly's road, thence west along said road to the Wheeling road, thence along said Wheeling road to the hollow on Joseph Smith's land, thence to intersect the National road at the East end of the deep cut on said Smith's land.

On the above route the Commissioners on the 7th day of March last appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey said route for a road; and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said road as above prayed for, and the Commissioners believing said road necessary, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and grant the width required by law, and hereby consider said a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Samuel W. Gilbertson's road:

"Beginning at James Taylor's store, thence down the bank of the river, as near thereto as a road can be had, to meet a road leading up the river from a Connection to the Muskingum County line, to connect at said line.

On this route the Commissioners on the 8th day of March last appointed viewers and a surveyor to view and survey said route for a road, and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of establishing said road as above prayed for, and the Commissioners believing the same necessary in carrying the public utility, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and grant the width required by law, and hereby consider said a public highway, and to be worked accordingly.

Poor Millidge's alteration of the State road leading from West Davenport to Mount Vernon:

"Beginning at West Davenport and running thence on the present traveled road and near the straight line to('-ville in Muskingum County.

On the above route the Commissioners on the 25th day of May last, appointed viewers, to view and survey said alteration as prayed for in a petition presented before the board in March last; and the viewers having at this session reported in favor of making the alteration as per reference to their plan and survey will more fully appear, and the Commissioners believing said alteration may be advantageously made, do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and hereafter consider said a public highway.

Damages caused by John Richay's road:

The viewers appointed by the Commissioners at the last March session to ascertain and determine the amount of damages that Daniel Bliss, Samuel Bliss and Sarahah Chandler, p\\u2019\\u2019si. pent on the road leading from said road is opened, over the road leading from
The north end of a field late the property of John Chandler Esq. to the town of Norwich made report on the first day of this session as follows; viz.

To Daniel Bly the sum of $25.00
- Samuel Bly the sum of $8.00
- Zachariah Chandler the sum of $10.50

Thereupon the Commissioners order the Auditor, to issue orders on the County Treasurer, to each of the persons aforesaid, for the amount aforesaid as aforesaid, as set forth against their names as above stated.

The following bills on road were severally allowed, viz.
- Reuben Evans, road - $2.00
- John Moore, for surveying & platting - $2.00
- Robert Cone, viewing - $1.00
- Zachariah Chandler, viewing - $1.00
- Stephen Reeve, viewing & returning - $2.00
- Reuben Evans, chaining - $75
- John Peckler, chaining - $75
- Caleb Evans, marking - $75

Sarah White insane person.

Archibald Galbraith this day appeared, applied for the keeping of Sarah White insane person, now in his custody, for one year from the 26th day of August next. Said Galbraith agrees to take said Sarah, and to keep, provide and furnish said Sarah with all things necessary and convenient for such insane person for the term of years. And the Commissioners agree to pay said Galbraith seven dollars for said term in county orders, in equal quarterly payments. Provided said Sarah shall at that time (26th August next) be a county charge, but if said Sarah shall at any time thereafter cease to be a county charge, by death or otherwise, then and in that case said Galbraith shall be paid as aforesaid, in proportion to the time he may have kept her.

Commissioners adjourned to half past 8 o'clock, tomorrow morning.
Wednesday, June 8th 1831.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,
Hon. Hamilton, 2nd
Israel Robinson, 3rd

1st Settlement with the Treasurer.
This day John Burwell Esq. Treasurer of Muskingum county, presented his accounts for examination and settlement, and the commissioners finds the accounts satisfactory and correctly kept; and there is found to be on settlement in the hands of said treasurer, in favor of said county, the sum of three thousands three hundred and sixteen dollars, and twenty eight cents, eight mills; consisting of County and School funds, as follows, to wit:

1st Certificate of Deposit, on Merch. Bank of Cincinnati, $100.00
2d Order on Morgan County Treasurer, 29.08
3d Miami Exchanging Company, 32.92
4th Bank of Hamilton, 18.00
5th Bank of New Haven, 5.00
6th Bank of West Union, 3.00
7th Hamilton & Rossville Mason Company, 6.00
8th Bank of Columbus, 1.00
9th Goods Funds, 31.22, 20.8
Total, $3318.29 8

2d Orders burned.
After settlement with John Burwell, Treasurer as aforesaid, all the orders that was redeemed on said settlement, up to this date, the commissioners burned.

3d Vouchers of the county auditor compared with the checks.
This day the commissioners examined the vouchers of the county auditor, compared the same with the checks, and find the same satisfactory and correctly kept.

4th Ordered by the commissioners that Jno. J. Stag be allowed for his own services as County Auditor from the first of June 1830, to the first of June 1831, the sum of four hundred seventeen dollars -- $417.00
Also for public letter postage & Stationary -- 3.00
Also, don't paid Dr. W. Tucker for writing to make out Duplicates of 1830 -- 3.27, 00
Total $483.27

6th Ordered that Jno. J. Stag draw an order on the county treasury, in his favor, for the sum of twenty seven dollars, that being the balance due him on settlement, up to the 1st June 1831, + $27,00

7th School Tax, 1831.
It is hereby ordered and determined by the commissioners of this county, that three fourths of a mile upon the dollar, be levied upon the general list or grand levy of said county, current year, to be appropriated for the use of schools in said county, agreeably to Law.

8th Road Tax, 1831.
It is hereby further ordered and determined by said commissioners, that one mile upon the dollar be levied upon the aggregate amount of the value of all property entered upon the general list for taxation for road purposes current year, agreeably to Law, and order the same to be put out for collection.
County levy, for 1831.

The commissioners proceeded to levy the preceding necessary for the purpose of defraying the expenses of Muskingum County, year 1831, agreeably to the statute in such cases; and so hereby levy two mills on each dollar of valuation of the aggregate amount of all property in said County, not upon the general list for taxation, and order the same to be sent out for collection.

It is hereby ordered, and it is hereby fully authorized and empowered to draw orders on the Treasurer of Muskingum County, in favor of said Siry, for any sum of money not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars, (in addition to the balance due him on settlement made this day) as the same may from time to time become due, at any periods between this day and the first Monday of December next.

Ordered, that the commissioners that William Ellis, Sheriff of Muskingum County, have an order on the treasurer of said county, for the sum of two hundred seventy five dollars, for the services rendered by himself & deputies in said county, year 1831, $275.75.

Ordered that John Hall, commissioner of the clay turnpike road, have an order on the county treasurer, for the sum of four dollars and fifty cents half for costs incurred in suit of road vs. John Robin $4.88.

Ordered that Thomas Anderson have an order on the county treasurer, for two dollars, for public printing for County Commissioners, as per bill.

Ordered that the auditor draw an order on the county treasurer, in favor of C.D. Folden, for the sum of seventy five cents, for fuel for his office until last post.

Ordered, that the auditor draw an order on the county treasurer, in favor of Dr. Thomas Flanner, for twenty dollars, for medical services rendered prisoners in jail, for one year, ending this day, as per agreement entered into 16th day of June 1830, $20.00.

The commissioners adjourn to 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Thursday, June 9th, 1831.
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

William Hamilton

Isaac Robinson

William Broadnax

This day said petition was publicly read, and there being no objections laid in against the prayer of the petitioners, the aforesaid part of said county road was declared vacated, and agreed by the prayer of the petitioners, as is their petition more particularly set forth.

In Order that the commissioners may be enabled to contract for the building of a bridge across Jonathan's Creek, at or near Jefferson Mills, on the State Road leading from the town of Paton, to McCombville,
The Morgan County, if they shall hereafter deem it expedient, agreeably to an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, entitled "An act to authorize the Commissioners of Muskingum county, to cause to be erected certain bridges therein mentioned, and for other purposes" passed January 25th, 1830: It is ordered that the road tax of the current year, that may come into the hands of the Treasurer of said county, be detained by the Treasurer, and not paid out from and after the same is collected, until ordered so to do by said Commissioners; and that the same be appropriated to the building of the above bridge, at a time and periods as may be determined upon by said Commissioners hereafter; and also to pay the balance due Mr. Weibrick for building a bridge over Wokamakee, and Mr. Johnson the balance due him of his apportion, for building a bridge near James Mill.

The Commissioners have this day agreed to curb the sides of the Public Square on Main Street, from the Athenaeum east to the corner of N. Street, thereon to four feet to the extent of the Public Square, as soon hereafter as the may seem expedient to be paid out of the County Funds.

In other business on hand the Commissioners adjourned.

William Hamilton
Israel Robinson

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Vacations of part of Portage County
June 16th, 1831.

This day Commissioners, New Hamilton & Israel Robinson, viewed that part of the alteration of the State road leading from tail of Muskingum county, to Town of Portage in Tuscarawas County, as petitioned for to be changed by Caleb James within in March 1830, and which alteration was established by the County Commissioners 8th day of June 1830, are of Opinion that the alterations in place of the old route is made in all respects as good as the old route was at the time of such change. Therefore it is hereby ordered, that so much of the old road as lies between the points of intersection of the new and old roads, is vacated.

William Hamilton
Israel Robinson

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July 7th, 1831.

Commissions met. Present:
New Hamilton &
Israel Robinson

Agreed to a motion from the Sheriff of Muskingum county, the Commissioners met at the jail of said county, to examine into the case of William Fox, a committee to the jail of said county by B. P. Holton, for the cause of deficiency. The Commissioners after examining said insane person, were of opinion that he was Restore to his proper senses, and ordered the Sheriff of said county to discharge him, which was accordingly done.

William Hamilton
Israel Robinson
October 8th, 1831.
The Commissioners of Knox County, Ohio, present,
William Hamilton, President,
Israel Robinson, Secretary.
This day Ezekiel T. Cow, tendered his resignation, as Recorder of deeds &c. of said county; which was accepted by the Commissioners of said county.

Ordered that David A. Bush, Sheriff of said county, receive an order on the Treasurer of said county, for the sum of $34.92, for depositing prisoners in jail, repairs done to the jail, &c., for time &c. recorded & filed.

Commissioners agreed.

William Hamilton, Commissioner,
Israel Robinson, Commissioner.

October 17th, 1831.
The Commissioners met.
Present,
William Hamilton, President,
Israel Robinson.

This day the commissioners met for the purpose of selling to the lowest bidder the curbing of the first walk of the public square on Main street, in the town of Danville, from the Athenæum west to the corner of 2nd street; thence on 2nd street to the extent of the public square, thence East to the end of the first walk—which was fully to Sarah Spaulding, the being the lowest bidder, at the rate of $60.00 forty Cents per foot, running measure. The materials and workmanship to correspond in every respect with the curbing done in front of the Athenæum to be complete against the first day of December next, to be done to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

The commissioners agree to pay said Spaulding, in a county order drawn on the Treasurer of said county, upon the same as completed and received as aforesaid.

Ordered that E. J. Cox, have an order on the county treasurer for the sum of twenty five dollars for rent of Recorder's office up to the present day, $25.00.

Ordered that Fortune & Bridge have an order on the county treasurer for the sum of ten dollars for money prisoners, remaining jail $10.00.

Bridge over Kentucky river.
The Commissioners this day agreed to rebuild the
Bridge over Benton's run near Grandy Taylor's, and for that purpose agree to attend at their Office in Danville on the 7th day of November next, between the hours of ten o'clock A.M. and one o'clock P.M. if said day, to unite the same at Robins' Court to the lowest bidder; at which time the Terms and conditions will more fully be made known. Ordered that the bridge above the same in the Miller's swamp.

Commissioners aforesaid,

William Hamilton
Joseph Robinson

November 7th D. 1831.
The Commissioners of Buckingham county, met:

Present,

Israel Robinson
Samuel Hannon
Nelson Tyler

Bridges over Benton's run.
Agreeably to notice given in the Buckingham Advertiser (commencing Oct. 22, 1831.) the Commissioners aforesaid, met this day at their Office in Danville, and offered for sale to the lowest bidder the building of a bridge over Benton's run, near Grandy Taylor's; where the State road leading from Danville to New Baccarat, crosses said run; when the building thereof was struck off to Grandy Taylor, he being the lowest bidder, at the sum of two hundred and seventy three dollars, to be paid out of the County funds from as the bridge is completed. Said Taylor is to build a good and substantial bridge at the place of division, of good materials, and finish the same in a good, substantial and workman-like manner, with good and sufficient

Joseph Robinson

This day Joseph Springer, sheriff of said county, appeared, and gave bond in the sum of two thousand dollars, and gave William Hamilton, Robert Stewart & Dudley W. Rhodes, securities, conditioned for the performance of his duties as sheriff of said county, which was accepted by the Commissioners.

Ordered, that the said [illegible] an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of Post Roll Mitchell for the sum of four dollars, for medicines and medicines on two criminals in jail of said county. 

Commissioners aforesaid.

Joseph Robinson
Samuel Hannon
Nelson Tyler
Monday, December 6th A.D. 1831.
The Commissioners met as required by law.

Present:
Isaac Robinson
Samuel McConney
Ely J. Fulton.

The following road petitions were presented and

D. L. Cline, presented a petition signed, by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows: to wit:

"Beginning where said McNaughton's road intersects the character road, thence to Mr. Young's new house, thence to the large rock on the ridge by Mr. Young's, thence to James Parr's lane, thence to the North West Corner of Benjamin Logan's field, thence to a stake on the road that leads from the Hollenbach's to the river, immediately on the section line between Mr. Anger's and Mathew Anderson.

On the above route, the Commissioners appointed George Johnson, Samuel Sevier and Mr. West preachers, and Mr. Sinclair surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at Joseph Fontaine's, on the second Monday in January next, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of March next, according to law. O. S. given to D. J. Cline, Feb. 3rd, 1832.

W. West, presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

Beginning at William White's in Blue- rock Township, thence down a small run to Jacob Ontlott's saw-mill, thence down the same to the mouth of Fulton's run, thence up said run to the dwelling place of Widow Anger's, thence by the way of John Winn's lane, thence to the Harriett road at a new building belonging to William Young in Harvey township.

On the aforesaid route, the Commissioners appointed Joseph Flint, Joseph Dunlop & J. B. Broder, viewers, and Mr. Sinclair surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at John White in Blue- rock Township, on the 5th Monday of January next, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of March next, according to law.

Petition to change State road.
Henry Marri, presented a petition signed by himself and others, residents of Washington County, praying that an alteration or change may be made on the Grave Creek State road, as follows:

"Beginning at a pine tree on said road on lands of Joseph Spirit in Washington Township, Washington County, marked A. B. Thence a Northwesterly course to a quilting gap on the line between said Smith and Andrew Dugan marked A. D. Thence due North to the corner of said Dugan's fence, near the United States turnpike. Thence northwardly to the west sidet said Dugan's fence, near said Dugan's brick house. Thence on the commission appointed to meet at their office in Brewer, on the second day of their next March Session, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances, and of granting an order for a view. Said Dugan entered into bond with security to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, as required by law in such cases."
Petition to vacate part of Gilmore's road as called by Buzzard Farms. The petitioner, by himself and others, praying that a certain part of Gilmore's road may be vacated, to wit: that part of said road that lies between the Elkins County line at the west end of land owned by Buzzard Farms and where the ridge road takes off to go to Damascus, a few rods east of Mount Sterling, be vacated.

Any further proceedings thereon, after being publicly read, was laid over until next March session, as required by law.

Said Farms entered into bond with security to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Petition for damages.

Christian Pomeroy, personally appeared and made complaint to the Commissioners, stating that the late location of a road known by the name of John Smith's road, which runs through his land to his great injury, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to assess the damages he has or may sustain if said road should be established and opened as a public highway.

Accordingly, the Commissioners appointed Abraham Ford, John Sullivan, and John Rose to be viewers, to view, assess, and determine how much of said road should be established and opened as a public highway; and to make report thereof in writing to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next; to meet at Christian Pomeroy's in said town, and name the time and place therefor.

Petition of Peter Brunner, a lunatic.

Elizabeth Brunner this day appeared and applied for the keeping of Peter Brunner, a lunatic, now in the custody of John B. Runk, for the term of one year, from and after the first day of January next, for the sum of seventy-five dollars, to be paid in equal quarterly payments; which the said Elizabeth is hereby ordered and required to draw on the Treasurer of Harrison County in favor of said Elizabeth Brunner, or her order, as the same may from time to time become due.

Whereupon said E. Brunner entered into bond and security for the safe keeping and maintenance of said Peter, to the acceptance of the Commissioners, which is filed in this office.

Reports on roads, made and read the last time.

Conrad Emery's alteration of Frederick County road, this being a favorable report ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Fred. Gay's alteration of so much of John's road as runs through his land; this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

John Smith's road. The viewers appointed at the last session of the Commissioners made a favorable report; whereas Christian Pomeroy, laid in for damages, which was acted on as previously stated.

William Findlay's petition to vacate certain parts of county roads at town in at last session, was taken up and read this day. Ordered to be read again on Wednesday next.
Ordered that Bronson Taylor have an order on the County treasurer for the sum of seventy-nine dollars, in part for building a bridge over Black's run, near Bronson Taylor's; as per contract entered into with the Commissioners the 7th day of November last.

Plut of State road leading from Norwich in Windham County, to West Earleville, in Rockingham County.

Rich'd H. Hogan a commissioner of said road, made a return of the plot and title notes of the same, which was ordered to be filed.

The commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, December 6th, D. 1831

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment,

Present

Israel Robinson

Daniel W. Carney

Lyde Fulton.

The following reports on roads was taken up and read the second time; viz.:

1st. Corrad Emery's alteration of Frederick's road, was this day publicly read, and there being no legal application made for a review of said alteration, or petition for damage, the same being fifty dollars, in part for curving the said road, was laid over until the second day of the next March session, as required by law.

Frederick Gayer's alteration of Conn's road so called, as runs through said Gayes land, was taken up and publicly read the second time, the sum of one hundred dollars and fifty cents, as required by law.

Ordered, that Joseph Spaulding have an order on the County treasurer, for the sum of one hundred dollars for alteration or petition for damage, (the same being fifty dollars, in part for curving the said road, a favorable report) any further proceedings to take the next session, and the said report was laid over until the second day of the next March session, as required by law.

Ordered, that Anthony Wilkins decedent, have an order on the County treasurer, for the sum of nineteen dollars and sixty-two cents, in part for curving the said road, a favorable report, and there being no legal application made for a review of said alteration, or petition for damage, the said road was laid over until the second day of the next March session, as required by law.

Ordered, that Joseph Spaulding have an order on the County treasurer, for the sum of eighty dollars in part for curving the said road, a favorable report, and there being no legal application made for a review of said alteration, or petition for damage, the said road was laid over until the second day of the next March session, as required by law.

Ordered, that Deputy Messieurs appointed.

Joseph Spranger, Master of Windham County, appointed Aaron Robinson of Rich Hill township, and Sera D. McCurdy of Hopeville township, deputies to assist in the performance of the duties of his office, and the Commissioners being of the opinion that said Messieurs will be unable to perform all the duties require of him by law within the time specified for the performance thereof, do approve and sanction said appointments.

Ordered, that the road tax of the current year which may come into the hands of the Treasurer of Windham County, from Danville township, be paid by the treasurer of said county, upon order of the County Auditor, to the treasurer of Danville township, as soon as the amount due said township can be ascertained by the Auditor of Treasurer, for their settlement in January next.

Ordered, that the road tax of the current year which may come into the hands of the Treasurer of Windham County, from Danville township, be paid by the treasurers of said county, upon order of the County Auditor, to the treasurer of Danville township, as soon as the amount due said township can be ascertained by the Auditor of Treasurer, for their settlement in January next.
John McFay, presented his account to the Com-
missioners this day, from the first day of June last,
up to the 14th day of December 1831, for services ren-
dered as county auditor, up to said period, Amount-
ing in the whole as follows-
This own service as per bill $233.00
Paid Mr. D. Gray for writing to
make out duplicate of 1831. .3 34.00
Stationary & public letter postage 1.10
Total $257.16

Contrary.
Augt 5th 1831. By county order No. 61.
Balance due on this day $185.16
The hereby order & authorize said J. McFay, auditor,
to draw an order on the county treasurer for said
balance due him as county auditor up to this
date. Amounting to one hundred eighty, two dollars
and six tenths Cents as above stated, at any
period he may think proper. + $182.16

Ordered, that the Auditor give an order on the
county treasurer, in favor of John Wilson in Clark,
for the sum of one dollar & twenty-five Cents, for
a bond for the use of Public office. + $1.25

Ordered, that the Auditor give an order on the
county treasurer, in favor of Daniel Branch, for a
draft for the use of the Commissioners Office, for
the sum of two dollars and fifty Cents. + $2.50

Ordered, that the Sheriff of Adair County, do
charge from custody, David Weaver & Henry Housons,
now confined in the jail of said County, upon a bond
given to collect costs of a process box incurred at
this Court 1831, as we are satisfied that said costs
cannot now be collected by imprisonment. —
January 2d, 1832.
The Commissioners met.

Present:
Israel Robinson
Samuel Alkarn

Bridge over Poquoson run.
This day the Commissioners viewed the bridge built by Samuel Taylor over Poquoson run, near said Taylor's, where the State road leading from Lancaster to New-Brunswick crosses said run, as per agreement made with said Taylor on the 1st day of November last, and are of opinion that said bridge is completed according to contract.

We therefore order the Auditor to issue an order on the County treasurer in favor of said Taylor, or his order, for the sum of two hundred dollars, being balance in full for building said bridge; to deliver the same on demand.

Israel Robinson
Samuel Alkarn
Charles Roberts surveyed, to view and survey said road, to meet at John Lee's in West Branch, on Monday the 9th day of April next, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of June next, according to law.

Mr. Clark presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning at the Salt Creek county road near James Hammett's in Blue rock township, thence west 40 rods to Hammett's Lane to Dunking run, thence of the south fork of said run with its bounders to the mouth of West run, thence on the ridge in a south westerly direction until it intersects the county road at Hamlet in Brush Creek township."

Therefore the Commissioners appointed James Berry, James Neff and William Orville viewers, and William Anderson surveyors, to view and survey according to the line, to meet at James Hammett's in Blue rock township, on Monday the 25th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to report thereon on or before the first Monday of June next, according to law.

Mr. Clark in a word said the road to said survey.

Ralph Shields presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning between the farms of Samuel Redman and Joseph Ely, located in Adams township, where the same between said farms intersects the road from December to Chesterton, thence to run on the north side of George Neeles' farm, thence on the northwest corner Robert Shields' farm, thence on the north side of Robert Shields' farm, thence on the road in the most suitable ground through Isaac Hill's farm, to Alladine township, thence by John B. Steckton's house, he resides, to the opposite bank of the Muskingum river,"
of the most suitable ground to the finding at said bank, a little below where George Brown's mill now stands on land of Daniel Stillwell, thence around said place Eastwardly to the corner of said Stillwell's field, thence nearly a north cause, thence between the aforesaid field and river till it intersects the road from Tom's to Cincinnati, thence to the Canal.

Thereupon the Commissioner appointed John Robertson, Robert Bingham, and John Ennis, viewers, and Joseph C. Wellman, surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at Samuel McFadden's in Adams township, on Monday 23rd day of April, 1847, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and to make report on or before the first Monday of June next, as required by law.

William McCall presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the road leading from Wausau to Conard as follows:

"Commencing at or near William Corliss farm thence to William Brown's farm in said town.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Robert Bingham, Abraham Price, and Robert McCall, surveyors, to view and survey said alteration of road, to meet at William McCall's on Tuesday the 28th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and to make report of their proceedings, on or before the first Monday of June next, as required by law.

William McCall presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning at a post near Sutton's pine on said road, laid from the Washington County line to William five miles thence to Wausau mill, thence to John Huffman's lane, thence to John Gray's Lane, thence to a new building of William Huffman's house.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Ellis Reed, Jacob Grumbacker, John Johnson, and William Sinclair surveyors, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at Thos.McMillan's, on the 23rd instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and to make report to this Board, on or before the first Monday of June next, as required by law.

Mr. Biddle for a vir-fince to save that this day.

Damages as a prelude to Christian Thomeu on account of John Smith's road.

The viewers appointed at the last December meeting to ascertain if said the damage that Christian Thomeu would sustain, provided said John Smith's road should be opened as petitioned for by said Smith last June, report that said Thomeu would sustain damage to the amount of one hundred and forty dollars. Whereupon the Commissioners request to establish said route as a public highway, and said road was accordingly set aside.

Said Smith is to pay all costs of expenses which have accrued in said case, agreeable to law.

Report on Davie B. S. Cline's road made and read the first time.

Davie B. S. Cline's road, this being a favorable report ordered to be read again tomorrow.

"Contra S. H. M. petition to vacate a certain part of Wausau's road (so called) as laid in at the last Session, was taken up and read— Ordered to be read again on the last day of this Session.

The commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.
The commissioners convened, pursuant to adjournment, present:

Israel Robinson
Samuel McComsey
Lifl Hulbom.

Ordered, that the Auditor of said county, give an order on the Treasurer of said county, in favor of Daniel B. Thurz, for the sum of $9,974 for certain repairs done to the Court house jail, $6.60 per bill, sunders $9,974.

Ordered that said deed be instituted against Isaac Springer & his sureties, Richard Hocking & Ocius White, on bond given to repair bridge at mouth of Big Salt Creek, on said 1st day of January 1831. Also ordered that said deed be instituted against said Isaac Springer, on bond given for the maintaining & upholding said bridge for five years from 1st August 1831, bearing date of 1st day of January 1831, and that Richard Hulbom be employed to prosecute said suit as attorney.

Philip Howell presented a petition signed by himself, and others, praying that an alteration may be made on a certain county road, as follows:

"Beginning at North end of Philip Howell's lane in Salt Creek Township, thence South till it strikes Thomas Smith's William Edlebury's lane in Blue Rock Township, thence along said lane to the road at David Silver, leading to Phil's Creek."

Thereon the commissioners appointed

Eliza Reed, Frederick Myer & Jacob Smithley viewers, and William Sinclair surveyor, to view and survey said alteration of said road, to meet at Philip Howell's house the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or before the first Monday of June next.

George Adams presented a petition signed by himself, and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Commencing at George Adams' in Madison Township, thence to Charles A. Eylander's, thence to James L. Brown's, thence to Crop ford, thence across the Clinchajun river to the 4th road leading from Cohocton to Dresden."

Thereon the commissioners appointed

Joseph Sharp, John Blane & James Connan viewers, and Daniel Hulbom surveyor, to view and survey said road to meet at Dresden on the 16th or 17th instant, at 9 o'clock.
James Cove presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on Pleasant's road, as follows:

"Commencing at the West side of Joseph Pleasant's land, thence thence to Charles Brown, William Brown, the Marshall, James Cove's farm, to intersect the Narrative road about half a mile east of Booth Hammond.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John Hammond, John Granstaff & Roney, Wharton viewers, and William Sinclair surveyors, to view and survey said road, to meet at Benjamin S. Scovell's on Saturday the 27th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of June next.

Order in a view grant given to said Cove this day.

Sam. Sullivan presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Commencing on the West side of the State road leading to Cohocton, and running thence directly West on the township line, thence through the lands of Samuel Sullivan, New Badger, Edwin Burrows, A.M. Jennings, Christopher Burrows, James Cove, and the furnace lands owned by the Decker Dillons, to as to intersect the furnace road leading to Stuts.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Joshua Beck, John Dancy, son of Robt. Walsh, viewers, and John Roberts surveyors, to view and survey said road, to meet at the farm of Sam. Sullivan in Falltownship, on Tuesday the 12th May, next, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of June next.

Order in a view grant given to John Dancy, May 5, 1832.

Chasper Hollenback presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows, or rather a view of what is called the old Federal road:

"Commencing at the Chagrin County line, again what is called the Vincent Hyde road, thence to intersect what is called the McGlashen road.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John Jordan, Mathias Blackburn & George Johnson, viewers, and William Sinclair surveyors, to view and survey said road, to meet at said Hollenback's, on Friday the 6th day of April next, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of June next.

Order in a view grant given to Chasper Hollenback this day.

Henry Barnes' alteration of the Graef Creek State road.

The Commissioners at their last December session having appointed this day for the purpose of hearing objections, and of granting or refusing a view on said road, going to the prayer of the petitioners thereon set forth, took the same into consideration, and after hearing certain objections from Joseph Smith against making the alteration or change, as prayed for by the petitioners, the Commissioners thought proper to grant an order for a view.

Thereupon Joseph Sharp, Biddleton Adams & David Chambers were appointed viewers, to meet at Nicholas Borden's in Wayne township, on Monday the 19th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, to view and survey the alteration as prayed for by the petitioners, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of June next.

Order in a view grant given to Henry Barnes.
10th.

Petition for damages on account of the State road leading from West Carlsile to Norwich. Philip Baker, Frederick Woodford, Davis Williams, Anthony Baker and Solomon Howens, personally appeared and made complaint to the Commissioners that the late location of the State road leading from Norwich to West Carlsile, as laid out through their lands, is a great injury to them, if the said road should be opened, and pray that persons may be appointed to survey the damages that each will sustain provided said road shall be opened. According to Joseph Sharp, Pitkin Adams & Davis Chamber was appointed viewers to appraise and determine how much by valuable the land or premises of said complainants will be rendered if said road shall be opened and to report the same in writing to this board on or before the first Monday of June next. To meet at Anthony Baker’s in Salem township, on Tuesday the 20th instant.

The following reports on roads laid over from last December session agreeable to law, was taken up, and being no legal application made for a review of said roads, or alteration, or petition for damage, they were established. On following the report of the viewers being favorable thereeto as follows, to wit;

Connoct Emory’s alteration of Frederick Dando road.

"Beginning at the furnace road and running thence southwardly on the line between of lands owned by James Smith and George Simpson until it strikes the line between Perry and Mushingham County, thence about fifty or twenty rods of the North West corner of James Baird’s grant, thence along said county line, or near thence, until it intersects the road from Connoct to said county line."

12th.

Fred. Grayer’s alteration of to much of Connoct road or runs through his land, as follows:

"Beginning at the south end of George Hains’ lane, thence on the line between Mr. Grayer & Frederick Grayer, or as near the same as good ground can be got for a road, thence to the top of the hill at a N. W. thence to intersect the old road at a white oak tree marked with the letter I."

The Commissioners having received satisfactory evidence that the present new road has been opened and in all respects made equal to the old road for the convenience of travellers, do hereby declare said new road a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, and do hereby vacate so much of the old road as is embraced by the new.

13th.

Ordered, That the county auditor give an order on the county treasurer, in favor of William Wallis Hitchcock, for the sum of fifty one dollars and nineteen cents, to be paid out of the road tax of 1831, being balance in full due said Hitchcock for building a bridge over Mohonkika, near Maysville.

14th.

Ordered, That the county auditor give an order on the county treasurer, in favor of William Johnson, for the sum of fifty eight dollars, to be paid out of the road tax of 1831, being balance in full due said Johnson for building a bridge over Jonathan’s Creek near S. W. Hill.

15th.

Ordered, That the county auditor give an order on the county treasurer, in favor of William Johnson, for the sum of fifty eight dollars, to be paid out of the road tax of 1831, being balance in full due said Johnson for building a bridge over Jonathan’s Creek near S. W. Hill.
Ordered, That the Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of Rob. Mitchell, physician, for medical and attendance on a lunatic, Eliza Ann Reed, and all other persons in jail of said county, as per bills rendered and filed, for sum of  $13.25.

Ordered, That the Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of James Rushing, street commissioner, for giving lines of grade around the public square, for the sum of one dollar.

Ordered, that the Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of John Burwell, for the sum of four dollars, for an iron crane, for the jail of said county.

The Auditor's bills for public printing allowed — $5.00.

The commissioners adjourned to 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, March 7th, 1832.
Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:  
Isaac Robinson 
Samuel W. Barr 
Clyde Walton

John W. Spry presented his account to the Commissioners of said county this day, from the 8th day of December, 1831, up to the 7th day of March 1832, for services rendered as county auditor, up to this day, which was allowed, viz: ninety nine dollars and ninety one cents, or.

For his services as auditor, $99.00
For public letter postage & stationery, $17.91
Total, $116.91

We hereby order and authorize said J. W. Spry, county auditor, to draw an order on the county
March 12th, 1832.

This day the Commissioners met at the house of Andrew Brooks, to examine the bridge built across Jonathan's Creek near to said Andrew Brooks, on the state road leading from Danvers to Compton in the year 1831, and to examine the accounts of Mathew Ethony & Benjamin Morin, for their labor and expenses in building said bridge. After examining the same, we do allow them the sum of three hundred and fifteen dollars as a full compensation. Therefore, according to the provisions of an act of the General Assembly of Ohio, entituled an Act to authorize the Commissioners of Muskegon County, to compensate Mathew Ethony & Benjamin Morin, for building a bridge across Jonathan's Creek, the 19th day of June, 1832.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of said Mathew Ethony & Benjamin Morin, for the sum aforesaid, and for services as of record, and deliver said order to said Mathew Ethony & Benjamin Morin, or either of them.

Sam'L McConn.

[Signature]
March 14th, 1832.
This day the undersigned, Commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, have examined the bridge built by Isaac Sprague over Big Lake Creek, where the post roads from Zanesville to Columbus, Leman, Marietta, and other places, near Johnson's Ferry, as per contract made with the Commissioners of said County for that purpose on the 15th day of October 1831; and are of Opinion that said bridge is completed as per said contract, and agree to pay said Sprague the sum of One hundred dollars out of the road tax now in the treasury, by his giving bond for the maintaining and upholding said bridge, and the expenses of said bridge, for the term of one year from this date, and he accordingly complied with.

Ordered, That the Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of said Isaac Sprague, for the sum of one hundred dollars, to be paid out of the road tax, now in the treasury of said County, being balanced in full for building the same.

Ordered that said Sprague's bond for building the bridge given:

Isaac Sprague
Lytle Fulton Com.

Monday, June 4th, 1832.
The Commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, met pursuant to law.

Present:
Israel Robinson, 
Samuel McGown, 
Lytle Fulton.

1st. Treasurer's bond.

This day John Roberts, treasurer, elected, appeared and gave bond & security in the sum of thirty thousand dollars, to the acceptance of the Commissioners, for the faithful performance of his duties, allowing all the duties appertaining to the office of Treasurer of said County, according to law.

The following road petitions were presented and severally acted upon, to wit:

Joseph Roberts presented a petition signed by himself & others praying that an alteration might be made on the State road lately located from Chatersville to Zanesville, as follows:

"Beginning at Station No. 14, on the 13th mile, and ending at Station No. 20, on the 16th mile in Chance Township"—the same running through his land.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Abraham Lane, Anthony Heter & James Hunter, viewers, and Joseph Keul, surveyor, to view and survey said alteration, to meet at Joseph Roberts, on the 12th instant, at 8 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of December next.

Christopher Washington presented a petition signed by himself & others, praying that an alteration might be made on the County road, running through his land.
John W. Turner presents a petition signed by himself and others praying that a road may be laid out as follows:

"Beginning on said road at a log wood stump on the East end of said road, and running thence as far as it leads through said Kingston Road, as to intersect said road again at or near the line,

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Samuel Harvey, Andrew Reels and James Stephenson, viewers, and Samuel Galland, surveyor, to view and survey said alteration of roads, to meet at said Kingston Road on the 15th day of June instant, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or before the first Monday of December next, according to law.

James W. Clintscock presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road might be laid out as follows:

"Beginning at the County line between Perry and Muskingum counties near Samuel Harvey's falling mill, thence an Eastwardly direction through the farm of Dr. Ralph J., thence keeping Jacob Knight's line, thence along the bank to Samuel Grant's house, thence due South across the Bottom, thence Eastwardly as to intersect the road leading to Danceview at the foot of the hill on Peter Bells land.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Matthew McChesney, Andrew Brooks and Lyman Ratcheter, viewers, and Mr. Anderson, surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at said Dr. Ralph J.'s house, on the 21st day of June instant, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or before the first Monday of December next, according to law.

Benjamin Rutter presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out as follows:

"Commencing at the County line at the West end of Benjamin Rutter's lane, running thence the nearest and best route to intersect the Buckeye road at the end below the Widow Womans.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed James Foster, James W. Fairland and Henry A. Lane, viewers, and Mr. Anderson, surveyor, to view said road, to meet at said Benjamin Rutter's on the 15th day of June instant, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of December next, according to law.
Costs on County Roads paid.

John Smith, this day produced the county treasurer's report for the sum of twenty dollars - costs incurred in consequence of his having laid a petition for the removal of a county road on the 6th day of June 1831. His bond was accordingly given up, and

Adjourned to 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, June the 6th A.D. 1832.
The commissioners met pursuant to a writ of habeas corpus. Present: Israel Robinson, Samuel W. Case, and Lynde Fallow.

The following reports were made yesterday on roads, and severally read the first time to vote: Jacob Roads' road - this being a favorable report ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Edwin Burlingame's road - this also being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

James Leach's road - this report being favorable, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Robt. Shields' road - this being a favorable report ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Mr. W. Call's alteration of road on own land. This report being favorable, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Mr. Wuest's road - this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Philip Howell's alteration of road on his own land. This also being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

George W. Adams' two roads - the reports on both roads being favorable, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

James Dovell's alteration of road - the report having made a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Sam'l Sullivan's road - a favorable report ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Chas. E. Hollenback's road - a favorable report ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Henry Kears' alteration of the kury turnpike - a favorable report ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Ordered, that J. & M. Dutty have an entry on the county treasurer for the sum of eight dollars & fifteen cents, for that pipe No. 16, for jail as per bills rendered.

+ $8.15
Ordered, that Robert Mitchell, physician, have an order on the County treasurer for the sum of forty-eight dollars for medicine and attendance on Dr. Jon. Read, in full up to the 30th May, 1822. 

Sarah White, insane person. 

Archb. Galbraith, this day appeared, and applied for the keeping of Sarah White, insane person, now in his custody, for one year from and after the 25th day of August next. Said Galbraith agrees to take said Sarah, and keep, provide for and furnish said Sarah with all things necessary and convenient for such insane person, for the term aforesaid. And, the Commissioners agree to pay said Galbraith, or his order, twenty-five dollars, for said labor, in county orders, in equal quarterly payments. Provided, that said Sarah shall at that time (25th August next) be in a county house, but if said Sarah shall at any time thereafter cease to be a county charge, by death or otherwise, then in that case, said Galbraith shall be paid an apportion in proportion to the time he may have kept her.

Cover on the Treasurer's office. 

This day, the Commissioners agreed with John Wilson, to cover the Treasurer's office with clap shingles, giving the nails for the same, and repair the laths of necessary for the sum of eight dollars, and also to make some other small repairs, and to be paid in addition to the above sum. And, on the completion of the said work, said Wilson is to make out his bill, and the Auditor is hereby authorized to give an order on the County Treasurer for the amount of said bill, if he shall deem it reasonable.

Vouchers of the County auditor examined. 

This day, the Commissioners examined the vouchers of the County auditor, and compared the same with the checks, and find the same to be correct.

Report of damages caused by State road. 

The viewers appointed in the last March session, to view and determine how much, valuable the lands or premises of the complainants, viz.: Philip Baker, Lewis Williams, Frederick Woolford, Anthony Baker, Solomon Baghman, has been, or will be rendered, by the opening of this road, leading from West Earlsh, in Cohocton County, to Newark, in Muskingum County, said road running through their lands of the said complainants; more in particular on the first day of this session as follows, to wit: That Philip Baker will sustain damages to the amount of 

- Lewis Williams to the amount of $100.00
- Frederick Woolford to the amount of $100.00
- Anthony Baker to the amount of $100.00
- Solomon Baghman to the amount of $100.00

Total: $400.00

The Commissioners were of the opinion that the said road is not of sufficient importance to the public to cause the same to be paid by the County, therefore refused to establish said road as a public highway, and refuse to pay any damage awarded.

Bill of Costs for surveying damages on said road.

To David Chambers $1.00
  --- Joseph Sharp $1.00
  --- Littleton Adams $1.00

Total: $3.00
| **Bill of expenses for laying out** |  |
| **Jacob Roads' road.** |  |
| John Roberts surveying & platting | $14.50 |
| John Bland. surveying | +3 |
| John Adams. do | +2 |
| William Welsh. do | +2 |
| Isaac Parker. chainman | +1.50 |
| James Bents. do | +3 |
| Jacob Roads. marking | +1.50 |
| **Total** | $15.00 |

| **21st.** | **New West 1st road.** |  |
| Edwin Burlington. surveyor |  |
| James Hannon. surveyor |  |
| Charles Ellis. do. | +5 |
| John Welsh. do | +5 |
| Charles Roberts surveying & platting | +10 |
| Frederick Camp. chainman | +2.35 |
| William Craig. do | +5.75 |
| Charles Carroll. do | +1.50 |
| Aaron Hieary. marker | +.75 |
| Nicholas Butler. do | +3 |
| **Total** | $28.25 |

| **James Searight's road.** |  |
| William Anderson surveying & platting | +5 |
| James Berr. viewer & making return | +3 |
| James Nett. do | +2 |
| William Swingle. do | +2 |
| William Nichols. chainman | +1.50 |
| John Nichols. do | +1.50 |
| James Searight. marker | +1.50 |
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The plat and field notes of the State road, lately located from Boshocto to Chancellorsville, was received and ordered by the Commissioners to be reexamined, as required by law.

Ordered that David Brush be given an order on the treasury of Muskingum County, for the sum of seventeen dollars and nine cents, for labor done for the jail 10. as per bill run. + $17.09
Ordered, that J. Wilkins appear, and at
the court, on the second Wednesday of the
month, time for the use of the above fund.

The commissioners adjourned to 8 o'clock to morrow.

Wednesday, June the 6th, 1832. 
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. 
Present: 
Isaac Robinson, 
Samuel McCann, 
Edgar Fulton, 

1st. Settlement with the late Treasurers. 
This day John Burwell, Esq., late treasurer of said county, presented his account for examination and settlement, and the commissioners find the accounts correctly kept, and there is found to be an settlement in the hands of said late treasurer, in favor of this county, the sum of four thousand seven hundred and nineteen dollars, sixty one cents of eight mills, consisting of county, township, road & school funds, as follows, to wit: 

1st. Certificate of Defton Farmers' Meck. 
Bank of Cincinnati 1000 
2d. Miami County Company 22 
3d. Bank of Hamilton 18 
4d. Bank of St. Louisville 5 
5th. Bank of West Union 3 
6th. Hamilton & Ripley Bank 6 
7th. Bank of Columbus 1 
8th. Good funds 1683 61 8
Total $798 61 8

Orders Burned.
After settlement as before stated, the said John Burwell, late treasurer, produced John Roberts the county treasurer's receipt for the amount of the above funds by said late treasurer paid into the treasury of said county, which receipt is filed in this office, for the sum of $798 61 8.

The following petitions on roads were presented and 
respectfully acted upon, to wit: 
Joseph D. Manley presents a petition signed by 
himself & others, praying that a road may be laid out 
and established, as follows,
"Commencing at the Cooper mill road between the 
Widow Hamblin & Mr. Coffman's North farm in Hope- 
well township, thence running northwesterly through lands 
owned by John D. Manley, Hamilton Campbell, Robt. 
Morison, the heirs of Simeon Jones, land, Hecker, and 
Peter Holmes, so as to intersect the turnpike West 
of Mount Sterling on the west part of John Holmes' 
land, to run so as to do the land holders the least 
injury.

Thereupon the commissioners appointed Moses 
Meck, Nicholas Peace & Mr. Bennettfield, assessors, and 
John Roberts surveyor, to view and survey said road 
for a road, to meet at Thomas Sains on the 1st inst. 
at 8 o'clock, A. M., of said day, and to make report 
of their proceedings to this board on or before the 
first Monday of December next.
Jacob Beard presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows:

Commencing at the county road at the west end of Abraham Melony's lane, thence along said lane to the corner of said Melony's stable, thence to a white oak tree, thence along the old mill route to a large white oak tree marked with three hicks, thence to the north corner of David Vandocik's bottom field, thence along said bottom field to the lower ford, to intersect the Dresden and Clarksburg road.

Therefore, the commissioners appointed Benjamin Welsh, Elias Green & John Vancoy as viewers, and John Roberts to survey, to view and report said route for a road, to meet at John Siddle's on the 17th inst. at 9 O'Clock, A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of December next, according to law.

Hugh Allison presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made in a certain county road at a near Dr. Bean's old farm, as follows:

"Commencing at the corner of John Drake's garden, and ending at a point near the new school house."

Therefore, the commissioners appointed Benjamin Welsh, Elias Green & John Vancoy as viewers, and John Roberts to survey, to view and report said proposed alteration of road, to meet at John Siddle's on the 17th inst. at 9 O'Clock, A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of December next, according to law.

School Tax, 1832:

It is hereby ordered and determined by the Commissioners of said County, that three fourths of a mile upon the dollars, be levied upon the general list, or grand levy of said county, for the current year, to be appropriated for the use of schools in said county, according to law.

Road Tax, 1832:

It is hereby further ordered and determined by said Commissioners, that one mile upon the dollar be levied upon the aggregate amount of the value of all property entered upon the general list (for taxation, for road purposes current year), according to law, and order the same to be sent out for collection.

County Levy for 1832:

The Commissioners proceeded to levy the per centum necessary for the purpose of defraying the expenses of this county, year 1832, according to the statute in such cases, and do hereby levy one mile and a half on each dollar of valuation of the aggregate amount of all property included upon the general list for taxation, and order the same to be sent out for collection.

Dan'l S. Oline's road established:

"(Beginning where Mr. Oline's road intersects the Marietta road, thence to Mr. Young's new house, thence to the large rock on the ridge near John Wilson's house, thence to James Park's lane, thence to the north west corner of Benjamin Boyman's field, thence to a stake on the road that leads from Charles Hollenback's to the river, immediately on the section line between Mr. Young's and Father Hanover."

The viewers appointed on this route made a favorable report, and the Commissioners being
Thursday, June 7th, 1832.

The commissioners, pursuant to an order,

Present,

Sarac Robinson
Samuel McCombs
Lytle Sullivan

John W. Smyly presented his account, before the commissioners of this county, this day, from the 8th day of March last, up to the 7th day of June instant, for services rendered as county auditor, up to this day, which was allowed.

For his own services as county auditor as above stated, $3,999.00
= James Hilton for clerking, 52 days, 4.00
= Stationary & public letter postage, 1.34 

Total $4,104.34

We hereby order and authorize said J. W. Smyly, county auditor, to draw an order on the treasurer of this county, in his favor, for the sum of one hundred and four dollars & thirty-one cents, for services rendered as county auditor as aforesaid, at any time or period, he may think proper.

Ordered, that Joseph Sprague, sheriff of this county, have an order on the treasurer of said county, for the sum of two hundred and ninety-nine dollars, for one hundred and forty-five days' services rendered by himself and deputies in keeping this county, year 1832, as per bill rendered and filed.

Adjourned to 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.
Bridge over Wakatomi Creek near Dresden.

Agreed to the notice given in the Muskingum Messenger (commencing Aug. 13, 1832), the Commissioners met at their office in Waverly, and offered for sale to the lowest bidder the building of a bridge across the Wakatomi Creek, in this County, on the road leading from Dresden to Portsmouth, at a point where the State road crosses the same; when the building thereof was struck off to Hugh McRogers, the lowest bidder, at the sum of three hundred and eighty dollars, to be paid in the county treasury, upon receipt of the bridge is completed according to contract, or the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Said Rogers is to build a good and substantial bridge, of good materials, and complete the same in a good, substantial and workmanlike manner, according to the plans filed in this office, except the width, which is to be sixteen feet wide, and to be finished on or before the first day of November next. The above sale and the contract is to be made and void. Provided said Rogers does not enter into bonds with such security as the County Auditor will accept, on or before the 30 day of June, instant.

Ordered by the Commissioners that Samuel C. Galbreath, Esq., Attorney for Israel Robinson in the case, in Chancery of said Robinson against Ephraim Paukell, Charles Roberts, and others, be instructed to make such compromise of the said case with the defendants as he may think proper, having due regard to the rights and interests of Muskingum County, when not the said suit is prosecuted.

No other business on hand, the Commissioners adjourned this session.

Israel Robinson

Said M. Darrow, Clerk

Field Munson

June 19th, 1832.

The Commissioners met. Present,

Israel Robinson

Parnell M. Evans

Lytle Atherton

The aforesaid Commissioners met at 10 o'clock A.M., for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements respecting the suit against Isaac Granger and his securities, and proceeded to examine the situation of the bridge at the mouth of Big Salt Creek, after which they adjourned until to morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

June 20th, 1832.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment on the same business as on yesterday, and authorized Richard Stillwell, the Attorney, to conduct the suit to discontinue the prosecution thereof upon the said Isaac Granger and Richard Hooking and Albert White entering into bond in a penalty of one thousand dollars, conditioned to erect a new bridge immediately above the said one, over the mouth of Salt Creek, in the manner agreed upon, and on the completion of the said bridge, agreeably to the said contract the Commissioners agree to pay the sum of $250 (two hundred and fifty dollars) on the former contract with said Granger and forty dollars in addition thereto.

Adjourned

Israel Robinson

Parnell M. Evans, Clerk

Lytle Atherton
August 8th 1832.
The Commissioners convened.

Present:
Samuel W. Conant
Ezra Tuttle

Whereas the Commissioners of Winslow County, did on the 7th day of June last, order the building of a bridge across Wilton's Creek, a branch of said County, on the road leading from Dresden to Easton, at a point where the State road goes the same, which road was struck off to Wm. P. Hoag, for being the lowest bidder, and whereas said Wm. Hoag had neglected to execute said contract, we declare said contract to be vacated.

We further determine that it is necessary to erect a bridge at the place aforesaid, and in order that the same may be effectually so agree that the said Wm. Hoag, within three weeks from the 11th instant, and that the said contract shall take place at the Commissioners' Office, in Sayreville, on Monday the 5th day of September next, between the hours of 11 o'clock A.M. and 12 o'clock P.M. of said day.

Commissioners agreed:

Samuel W. Conant
Ezra Tuttle

Saturday, August 26th 1832.
The Commissioners met.

Present:
Samuel W. Conant
Ezra Tuttle

Agreed to a notice from the Sheriff of Winslow County, the aforesaid Commissioners met at the jail of said county, to examine into the case of Elizabeth Worrell, committed to the jail of said county by Anthony Waltham Esq., a Judge of the Peace of Falls Township, upon the verdict of a jury of seven men, in the cause of insanity, said commitment stating that there is danger the same ought to be put in close confinement.

Whereupon Samuel R. Wood, appeared and agreed to take her the same, Elizabeth Worrell, and keep her safely until the first Monday of December next, and furnish her with such and sufficient clothing, meat, drink, washing and bedding, for and during the term aforesaid, and is not to suffer her to run at large, and at the expiration of said term convey her to, and deliver her to the Sheriff of said county, and make such other disposition of her as the Commissioners may direct. Whereupon the Commissioners agreed thereto, and ordered the Sheriff to deliver her to James Bennington, aforesaid Bond and security entered into.

Samuel W. Conant
Ezra Tuttle
Monday, September 28, 1832

The Commissioners met. Present:

Israel Molinard
Aaron Alcorn
Lyf Shellard

Agreed to notice given in the Washington Advertiser (commencing on this 5th Sept. 1832), the Commissioners proceeded to offer for sale to the lowest bidder, the building of a bridge across Johnston Thompson's run in this county, on the road leading from Gainesville to Somerset, at a point where the State road crosses said run nearly at right angles to the line of said road, when the building thereof was struck off to Joseph James by being the lowest bidder at the sum of one hundred and sixty dollars, fifty cents, to be paid out of the County Treasury as soon as the bridge is completed according to contract and to the satisfaction of the Commissioners.

The said Joseph James, is to build a good and substantial bridge of stone masonry, and complete the same on, and to which the Commissioners are to certificate when the same is completed and approved by the Commissioners.

Ordinance that D. Coons have an order on the Treasurer of Harrison County for two dollars for notifying the Commissioners to attend on the court of the District for copying plans, etc., to let contracts, $2.00.

Ordinance that orders be issued to the Executors of Mathew Alcorn, Abraham and Benjamin, to deliver the papers of said estate, 30th day of August, 1832.
Monday, Oct 22nd 1832.

The Commissioners met present,

Isaiah Robinson, Pres.

Samuel McClure, Compt.

Dylie Fuller, Sec.

Agreedly to notice given in the last his meeting (Providence Sept 1st, 1832) the Commissioners proceeded to offer for sale to the lowest bidder, the paving of the public square as follows, commencing on the North line of the pavement, at the corner of Main and Fourth streets, thence North on 4th street to the west side of the public square, thence on the south side of the said street to the west side of the public square, thence to the end of the side walk.

Ordered that David Brash, sheriff, have an order on the Treasurer of Muskingum county, for $27.46, for his costs as sheriff, at Clark's rate, for the use of Conrad, or A. Springer, O. Freeman, or W. L. White, also of E. Springer, Jr., Mr. Craig, Mr. Delgado, J. Hamilton, E. Beeston, $27.46, as per bills presented.

Ordered that John W. Gray, county auditor, be hereby authorized and empowered by us to draw an order on the county treasurer in his favor, for the sum of one hundred and eighty dollars, in part for services by him rendered as county auditor, the current year.

Ordered that notice be inserted in the Muskingum and yearbook the 27th day of Sept next, that the Commissioners will attend at their office on the 22nd day of Oct next, between the hours of one and three o'clock P.M. and offer for sale to the lowest bidder, the paving of the public square, commencing on the corner of 4th street, thence on 4th street to the street of the public square, thence East to the end of the side walk.

Adjoining

Isaiah Robinson

Samuel McClure, Compt.

Dylie Fuller, Sec.
October 31st, D 1832.
The Commissioners met—Present,
           Israel Robinson
           Samuel McCann
           Blyle Fulton

The aforesaid Commissioners met at 11 O'clock A.M. and proceeded to examine the new bridge erected by Isaac Sprunger over the mouth of Salt Creek as per agreement made and entered into with the aforesaid Commissioners on the 20th day of June 1832, as per reference to their minutes of said date will appear, and after examining the same are of opinion that said bridge is completed according to Contract, and do hereby accept of and receive the same.

Therefore, Ordered, that I. W. Spuy, County Auditor give an order on the County Treasurer in favor of said Sprunger, or his assignee, for the sum of two hundred and ninety-six dollars, amount in full for building the bridge aforesaid as per said aforesaid contract. After which adjourned to 1 O'clock to-morrow at 11.

1832.

The aforesaid Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, and proceeded to view & examine the bridge erected by Sype James over Johnson Thompson's run, as per agreement entered into with the Commissioners aforesaid, on the 26th day of September last, as per reference to their minutes of said date will appear, and after examining the same are of opinion that said bridge is completed according to Contract, and do therefore accept of and receive the same.

Therefore, Ordered, that I. W. Spuy County Auditor give an order on the County Treasurer in favor of said Sype James for the sum of one hundred ninety-six dollars and fifty cents, amount in full for building said bridge aforesaid in accordance to the aforesaid contract.

Adjourned—
Israel Robinson
J. W. Spuy
Blyle Fulton

November 1st, D 1832.

Treasure in favor of said Sype James, for the sum of one hundred ninety-six dollars and fifty cents, amount in full for building said bridge accordingly to the aforesaid contract.

Adjourned—
Israel Robinson
J. W. Spuy
Blyle Fulton
Union township, thence to intersect the county road at the north end of Adam Bowman lane in Salem township.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed to proceed to Theophilus Schrader, Israel Williams, Joseph Williams, and Samuel Sallad and survey the road to meet at Mr. Schrader's, the 25th instant, at 9 o'clock. And, if said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Tuesday of the following week, as required by law.

Daniel Stellwell, the day present, a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows.

"Beginning in the election township about one mile south of Daniel Stellwell's residence in said township, where road to the Salt works intersects the Eashkaton road, thence on the nearest and best road to a point on the Chasingum river, opposite or near to the Dresden bridge.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed to proceed William Dennis, Johnady and George South, also, and New York, Beaver, survey the road to meet at Daniel Stellwell's on the 25th instant, at 9 o'clock. And, if said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Tuesday of the following week, as required by law.

Petition to vacate road.

Samuel Bly presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that so much of the County road leading from Clandesdale to Namsick as lies north of the Wheelers road to its intersection with the Harpers road may be vacated.

Any further proceedings thereon, after being read this day, may be vacated by the Commissioners.
*December 8th 1832.*

The Commissioners met as required by law. Present:

Israel Roberts & Samuel McCanv

Isaac H. Saltonstall

The following road petitions were presented and duly acted upon:

1. Albert Armstrong presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the county road leading from Jacob Evergood's to John Robertson's, as follows:

"Commencing about eight rods from Armstrong's North East corner of the farm he lives on in Perry township, running thence due West along the line of said Armstrong's, thence to continue the road on their lands until it intersects said road again about 13 to 20 rods West of George Best's North East corner." Thereupon the Commissioners of assessors appointed John Robertson, Robert Byrge & John Bovill viewers, and John H. Smith Jr. surveyor, to view and survey said alteration of road to meet at Daniel Paterson's Perry township, on the 10th instant, at 9 O'Clock. A.M. of said day, and make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next, according to law.

John N. Powers presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Commencing on the county road leading from Adams' Mill to the Cohocton road on the line between the farms of Isaac Deare & Isaac James, from thence as near as practicable to John N. Powers' farm, from thence as near as practicable to intersect the Thistlefield road near the North East corner of John Gillingham's.

Thereupon the Commissioners of assessors appointed Robert Colburn, John Gillingham, Charles Jones, viewers, and Charles Roberts surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at John N. Powers' residence township, on the 27th instant, at 9 O'Clock, A.M. of said day, and make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next, according to law.

Jacob Bamb presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning at Duncan's falls at or near James Taylor's mill on the Wading River, running thence to Bailey's crossing across the South fork of Jordan Creek, thence to intersect the road leading from Jordan Creek Bridge to Roscoe, at a suitable point between Jacob Brooks & George Mitchell, thence along said Roscoe road to the crossing across the creek, near at Henry Stoddard's, thence to intersect the state road at or near Mariontown." Thereupon the Commissioners of assessors appointed James Spiers, Nathan P. Whitney and Nicholas Pierce viewers, and John F. Anderson surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at James Taylor's mill on the 10th instant, at 9 O'Clock, A.M. of said day, and make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next, according to law.

Adam Bowman presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Commencing at William W. Cloud's in...
Union township, thence to intersect the County road from Fox creek road at the North end of Adam Bowman lane in Salem township.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Joseph Steers, John Williams & Joseph Williamson to be viewers, and Samuel Wallan surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at Wheelock on the 24th instant, at 9 O'clock, A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of each month, as required by law.

Daniel Stillwell this day presented a petition signed by himself & others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning in Chadbourn township about one mile south of Daniel Stillwell's residence in Chadbourn township, where the road to the Salt works intersects the Cohocton road, thence on the nearest and best ground to a point on the Cohocton river opposite or nearly so to the Dresden bridge." 

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed appointed William Tennes, John Fitch & George Smith to be viewers, and Sam Blais surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at Daniel Stillwell's on the 25th instant, at 9 O'clock, A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of each month, as required by law.

Petition to vacate road.
Samuel Bliss presented a petition signed by himself and others, residents of Muskingum County, praying that an alteration or change may be made on the State road leading from Cohocton to Chillicothe as follows:

"Commencing at a point on said road where
The following reports on roads were made, severally.

Joseph Roberts's alteration of the State road leading from Cockeaton to Chandleview, a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Hugh Allison's alteration of Jack Road's road, a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Jacob Beard's road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Jesse C. Manley's road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

James McElrath's road, a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Christopher Kingman's alteration of road, a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Robt. Cyle's road, this being a favorable report, ordered to be read again tomorrow.

Ordered, that Dr. Robt. McElrath be allowed a bill for five dollars, for services and attendance on Bridgeman in jail, and that the auditor give an order therefor.

Ordered, that the auditor give an order on the County treasurer in favor of Richard Stillwell as Attorney, for prosecuting a suit against Jabez Sprague &c., on account of bridge at Monticello Salt Creek, falling down, for the sum of twenty-five dollars.

Application for damages on account of Geo. William--

Daniel Stillwell, George Wieden, J. L. Scott, made complaint to the Commissioners that the following roads as laid out through their lands at petition by Geo. W. Adams, is a great injury to them, if the same should be opened, to one, first read.

"Commencing at the termination of a county road in Cockeaton County, at the county line near Adams mill, thence to the canal bridge near said mill, thence a southwardly direction until it intersects the section line of Daniel Stillwell's section, thence South along said line to a road leading from Dresden to Cockeaton."

"Second road--beginning at the above named bridge, thence an Eastwardly direction to the road leading from Cockeaton to Dresden."

They therefore request that persons may be appointed to stop the damages that each person will sustain.

If said road shall be opened. Accordingly, David Chambers, D. B. Lomax, and John Jackson were appointed to inquire, to stop and determine how much of the bridge at the above mentioned points shall be removed; the same to be recorded by said roads shall be removed, and to report the same in writing to this Board, on or before the first day of March next, to meet at Alexander Clarke's on the 1st day of December, and to the best of my knowledge.

I. D. E. Stillwell's road, report received, favorable--ordered to be read again tomorrow.
Tuesday, December the 14th 1832.
The Commissioners met pursuant to an adjournment.

Present,

Israel Robinson, Chairman.
Samuel McConway, 2d Comt.
Lyde Forton, 3d Comt.

Petition of Peter Bruner.

Peter Bruner, a lunatic;

Elizabeth Bruner the day appeared and applied for the keeping of Peter Bruner a lunatic, now in her custody, for the term of one year, from and after the first day of January next, for the sum of seven dollars, to be paid in equal quarterly payments, which the County Auditor is hereby ordered and required to draw orders on the County Treasurer of said Muskingum County, in favor of said Elizabeth Bruner, on her order, as the same may from time to time become due.

Whereupon the said Elizabeth Bruner entered into bond, with W. Spencer, her security, for the safe keeping and maintenance of said Peter, to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, which bond is filed in this office.

County Auditor gave bond & security.

John H. Spry, gave bond with Samuel Parker and John Willson, Jr. securities, to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, for the faithful performance of his duties as County Auditor, from and after the first day of March next, and moreover both and subscribed the necessary Oath of Office as required by law, which bond & oath the Commissioners filed with the Treasurer of Muskingum County.

Petition to change State road on own land.

John Dain presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on so much of the State road leading from Coshocton to Canton, as runs through his land as hereafter.

"Commencing at a large white oak stump on the land of John Dain, about twenty rods north of the line between John Standish and John Dain in Mission Township, thence on said Dain's land a North westward course until it strikes the line between said Dain's and Peter Bashore at a hollow white oak bench, thence due North as near the line as practicable, to as to continue the road on said Dain's land until it intersects the old route again on said line."

Thereupon the Commissioners of said road appointed Andrew Brumce, Samuel McConway, and Samuel Ellam, commissioners, and Samuel Baldridge, surveyor, to view & survey said proposed alteration of road, to meet at David Landy's in Newville on the 18th instant, at 9 o'clock. A.M. of said day, and make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next.

Applicant for damages caused by alteration of the road.

Joseph Smith the day came in a complaint in writing, stating that the late alteration made on the Grove Creek State road, according to the petition of Henry Keams & others, runs through his land to his great injury, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to apprise said damages. Accordingly, Daniel Buxton, John Barnwell & Albert Cole be the parties to apprise, and determine how much dividend and newly road is to be run with the necessary alterations of said commission will be rendered by opening some alteration of said road; and report the same in writing to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next.- To meet at Joseph Smith's on the 23rd instant, at 10 o'clock, A.M. of said day.
The following roads were severally taken up and read the second time; and the report being in favor of all of the following roads and alterations of roads, and there being no objections laid in, the Commissioners hereby confirm said report, and order said report, survey if plat to be recorded, and said road hereinafter considered a public highway, and order the same to be opened and worked as required by law;

Order to open Grave Creek, said to be opened March 26, 1833.

Jacob Roads' road.

"Beginning at Navalot, thence to Roads; thence to Bailey's meeting house; thence to intersect the brushy fork road at a tree marked on the map."

The viewers having made a favorable report, and their being no objections laid in, the Commissioners hereby confirm said report, and order the report, survey if plat to be recorded, and the same hereinafter considered a public highway, and order the same to be opened and worked as required by law.

James Scarshall road.

"Beginning at the Salt Creek County road near James Cameron's in Bankers township, thence due north to Cameron lane to Duncan run, thence the south fork of said run until its meanders to the mouth of Wolf run, thence on the ridge in a south westerly direction until it intersects the county road at 1° 15' 20" E. of the N. 10th meridian in Brush Creek township."

The viewers having made a favorable report, and their being no objections laid in, the Commissioners hereby confirm said report, and order the report, survey if plat to be recorded, and hereafter considered a public highway, and order the same to be opened and worked as required by law.

The following roads were severally confirmed.

Edwin Bunting's road.

"Beginning at the fork of the road near West Yancey's, thence on the present traveled road to the settlement of B. B. Bunting, thence on a straight line into the road at Rich. Makers, thence on the nearest of the best grown to Green Law mill on Donno's run, thence on the nearest of the best grown to Irvine."

The viewers on the route having made a favorable report, and their being no objections laid in, the Commissioners hereby confirm said report, and order said report, survey if plat to be recorded, and said road hereinafter considered a public highway, and order the same to be opened and worked as required by law.

Order to open Jacob Roads, said to be opened March 26, 1833.

James Scarshall road.

"Beginning at the Salt Creek County road near James Cameron's in Bankers township, thence due north to Cameron lane to Duncan run, thence the south fork of said run until its meanders to the mouth of Wolf run, thence on the ridge in a south westerly direction until it intersects the county road at 1° 15' 20" E. of the N. 10th meridian in Brush Creek township."

The viewers having made a favorable report, and their being no objections laid in, the Commissioners hereby confirm said report, and order the report, survey if plat to be recorded, and the same hereinafter considered a public highway, and order the same to be opened and worked as required by law.

Order to open Jacob Roads, said to be opened March 26, 1833.
“Beginning between the farms of Samuel Salmon and Joseph Mower in Adamstown township, where the line between said farms intersects the road from Damascus to Cushetong, thence on the south side of George Lecker’s farm, thence on the north side of Tott’s farm, thence by Tott’s farm, thence to the farm in Cushetong township, thence by John Young’s house, when he arrives to the opposite bank of the Shenk’s Run river on the north side the ground to the same at said bank a little below where George Everhart now lives on land of David Stillwell, thence around said place, eastward to the center of said Stillwell’s field, thence nearly a north course till the bottom and between the opened field on the river till it intersects the road from Damascus to Cushetong, thence to the Canal.”

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in, the Commissioners do hereby confirm the report, and order said report, survey of plot to be recorded, and hereafter consider a public highway, and order the same to be opened, and worked as required by law. No. 61. no. 5, Session of July 1829. 

June 25, 1829.

William R. Way’s alteration of the road leading from Plainfield to Glenside.

“Commencing at a near Mrs. Cornelius’ thence to the North end of Mrs. Crompton’s lane, all in Enarms township.”

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in, the Commissioners do hereby confirm the report, and order said report, survey of plot to be recorded, and hereafter consider a public highway, and order the same to be opened, and worked as required by law. No. 61. no. 5, Session of July 1829. 

June 25, 1829.

George M. Adams’ road.

“Commencing at the State road near George Adams in Maurice Township, thence to Charlestown, thence to Dennis’s farm, thence to Cape Pond, thence across the Shenk’s Run river to the State road leading from Cushetong to Dresden.”

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in, the Commissioners...
Whereby confirm their report, and order said report, survey & plat to be recorded, and hereafter considered a public highway, and order the same to be opened and to be worked accordingly:

George W. Adams, other two roads (being the same that David Biddle, Mary Smith, & Geo. Wheeler laid for damages on yesterday) was laid over until the next March Session.

James Cove 8th alteration of road.
Commencing at the West end of Joseph Reed's land, thence West the land of Chad Brown, then Brown, Thos. Marshall, & James Cove, to the Martinet road about half a mile East of South Hammond.

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in, the Commissioners hereby confirm their report, and order said report, survey & plat of said alteration to be recorded, and hereafter considered a public highway, and order the same to be opened and worked accordingly.

This is to give notice to John Shea, 26th, 27th, 28th, & 29th. 1833.

John Sullivan's road.
"Commencing on the West side of the State road leading to Rochester, and running thence West on the Township line, thence through the lands of Samuel Sullivan, Acres. Badenaceder, E. Burleigh, W. Jennings, Christ Burleigh, James Cove, & the furnace lands owned by the Bishop Dillons so as to intersect the furnace road leading to Irvine."                  

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in, the Commissioners hereby confirm their report, and order said report, survey & plat to be recorded, and hereafter considered a public highway, to be opened & worked accordingly.

Chester Coblenbach's road.
Commencing at the New York county line adjoining what is called Vincent Dye's road, thence to C. Coblenbach's, thence to Brown what is called the Coblenbach road.

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in, the Commissioners hereby confirm their report, and order said report, survey & plat to be recorded, and hereafter considered a public highway, and order the same to be opened & worked as required by law.

We, Doa, to open same and join to Daniel Robinson on March 25th, 1833.

The following bills for laying out roads were severally examined & allowed, to wit:  

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**Wednesday, Dec 5th, A.D. 1832.**

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment:

Present

Israel Robinson 3
Sam. McCann 3

Robt. Fulton was unable to attend on account of sickness.

Ordered, by the Commissioners that the County Auditor give an order on the County Treasurer in favor of John S. Parkins, for the sum of one hundred dollars in full for paving the side walks on the west side of the Public Square, as per agreement made with the Commissioners on the 22nd day of October last.

Ordered that the Auditor deliver said Parkins' bond, above the surplus part is removed according to contract.

Ordered that the County Auditor give an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of James T. Reade, for the sum of four hundred dollars, for keeping clay box Reade incumbe in the room, to the extent of 50 cent. Inclusive, also including the making of ordinary articles of clay box, etc.

Ordered that Robt. McCann be allow'd his bill for twenty dollars, for staving and burning straw at Salt Creek, No. 5.

Ordered, that John Walsh, County Auditor, be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered by the Commissioners of Markedum County, to draw an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, in part for services by him rendered as County Auditor, the current year.

Commissioners adjourned this day.

Israel Robinson 3
Sam. McCann 3
February 7th, 1833.

This day the Commissioners met.

Preceding:

Isaac Robinson

Samuel W. Curr

(Bridge at Machatomiaw)

On the 6th instant, the undersigned Commissioners met and viewed the bridge built by John Coleman on Wakatomiaw creek on the road leading from Dresden to Dresden at a point where the State road crosses the same as per agreement made with said Coleman on the 3rd of September 1832, and are of opinion that said bridge is finished and completed according to contract, and do hereby receive the same.

Therefore ordered that the county treasurer, upon the order of said John Coleman, or his order, or assigns, for the sum of four hundred dollars, as the same may be demanded, that amount in full for building the bridge as aforesaid, as per contract as above stated.

Also, the auditor of the town of Dresden, the town of 2d.

State Road from Moosebeau to Evansburgh.

The plat and scale notes of the State road leading from Moosebeau in Muskawon county, to Evansburgh in Essex county, having been filed in this office by the Commissioners appointed to lay out said road, therefore ordered that the same be received as required by law.

The following Bill of expenses for laying out said road was allowed, being the county's proportion, viz:

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Total: $35.10.

No other business at this time.

Commissioners adjourned.

Isaac Robinson, Chairman

Samuel W. Curr
Monday, March 7th A.D. 1833.

The Commissioners met pursuant to law.

Israel Robinson

Samuel W. Cann

Eyle Fulton Esq.

The following petitions for roads was presented and several acts upon, to wit:

1st: John N. Powers presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Commencing at the county road leading from Adams mill on the canal to the Bakersfield road on the line between Ewan James & Christopher Humphrys, thence as near as practicable to John N. Powers, and from thence as near as practicable to a point on the Dresden road near John Johnston's."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Joseph Sharp, Littleton Adams, & John N. Ingalls viewers, and Peter H. Beacons surveyors, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at John N. Powers, on the 1st instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of June next, according to law.

2d: Noah Connell presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning between the farms of Robert Sheldon & Robert Conley at the county road running to the canal, from thence to run a due south course until it strikes the line between Royal Humphrys & Valentine Sherwood's plantation in Adams township, thence a southerly course until it strikes the north west corner of Noah Connell's land, and ending about 15 or 20 rods on Reynolds, to intersect said established route on said Marquard road."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed William McDonald, Cyrus F. Beane & Philip McGee viewers, and William Anderson surveyors, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at Concho mill in Springfield township, on the 1st day of April next, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board, on or before the first Monday of June next, according to law.

3d: Robert Gordon presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the Marquard & Lewis road (so called) as follows:

"Commencing at the north line of said Gordon's land, and ending about 15 or 20 rods on Reynolds, to intersect said established route on said Marquard road."

"Also Commencing a few rods East of the Marquard road and running West about 50 rods along the south line of said Gordon on the present travelled route, to intersect said established route on said Lewis road between the farms of James Olden & Sam Waller in Johnson county."

Thence commencing a few rods East of the Marquard road and running West about 50 rods along the south line of said Gordon on the present travelled route, to intersect said established route on said Lewis road between the farms of James Olden & Sam Waller in Johnson county."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Joseph Reid, Henry Wheeler & Jeremiah Hawks viewers, and Joseph Bonnaya, to view and survey said route for a road, to meet at John E. Connell's in Adams township, on the 19th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board, on or before the first Monday of June next, according to law.
Thereupon the commissioners appointed Abraham Dean, James C. Larsen & George Werts viewers, and Joseph H. Cowee surveyor, to view and survey said proposed alteration of roads, to meet at said David Atcher's line on the 10th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of June next, according to law.

David Atcher this day presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning at Charles Marquand's mill in Monroe township, running thence to the North East corner of James S conquer's line, thence to John Wills blacksmith shop, thence to intersect the state road leading from Cambridge to Dresden at a near the North East corner of James W. Conners improvement in Highland Township."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed Abraham Dean, Alexander George & James C. Larsen viewers, and Joseph H. Cowee surveyor, to view and survey said proposed routes for a road, to meet at David Atcher's line on the 10th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of June next.

Levi acknowledgments this day presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the Plainfield road (so-called) as follows:

"Beginning near steele's D. Barrows in Washington township, thence running due east as to intersect said Plainfield road (so-called) may be vacated, as follows:

"Beginning at the West end of John Green's lane in Wayne township, & running thence a westerly direction about 27 rods to the line between said Green & Stiers, Henry Wheeler & Irminthanks viewers, and the commissioners appointed Joseph H. Cowee, Henry Wheeler & Irminthanks viewers, to view and survey said proposed alteration of roads, to meet at said Thomas Gilling's in Washington township, on the 20th instant, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of June next, according to law.

Joseph H. Cowee this day presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning at Salem Meeting house, across road, thence north to the South West corner of a tract of land owned by the heirs of Robert Bodee deceased, thence north in the line between said Bodee's heirs and John Davis, thence to the South West corner of Bodee's heirs land, thence on the best ground to the head of a ravine near Mr. R. Backman's field, thence on the best ground to theDeering county line, near the South West corner of S. B. Green's land, thence north on the county line to intersect the national road."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed Mr. Hoffman, John Hieboy, son of Welch Hickey viewers, and Joseph H. Cowee surveyor, to view and survey said proposed routes for a road, to meet at S. Green's in Highland township, on the 20th day of May next, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board on or before the first Monday of June next, according to law.

Petition to vacate a part of Reice's road.

John Green Jr. this day presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a part of Reice's road, in Washington township, thence running due east as to intersect said Plainfield road (so-called) may be vacated, as follows:

"Beginning at the West end of John Green's lane in Wayne township, & running thence a westerly direction about 27 rods to the line between said Green & Shiers, Henry Wheeler & Irminthanks viewers, and the commissioners appointed Joseph H. Cowee, Henry Wheeler & Irminthanks viewers, to view and survey said proposed alteration of roads, to meet at said Thomas Gilling's in Washington township, on the 20th instant, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of June next, according to law.

Any further proceedings was after
Visitors report of damages offered to Joseph Smith.

The viewers appointed at the last December session to appraise and determine how much loss was suffered by the said Joseph Smith in consequence of the opening of an alteration on the turnpike road known as the Portage road, made report that the said Joseph Smith sustained damages amounting to thirty-three dollars and fifty cents in consequence of the opening of the aforesaid road.

The following is a list of roads on which alterations have been made:

- Jacob Lamb's road
- Adam Bowman's road
- Daniel Stillwell's road
- John Daines' road

The reports of the viewers on each of the aforesaid roads and alterations of roads being favorable, they are ordered to be read again to-morrow.

Visitors report of damages caused by Geo. N. Adams.

The viewers appointed by the commissioners at the last December session, to appraise and determine the amount of damages sustained by the said Mary Smith, in consequence of the opening of said road, made report, as follows: That Mary Smith will be damaged to the amount of one hundred fifty dollars, Daniel Stillwell fifty dollars, and George Wheelan fifty dollars. Thereupon said George N. Adams produced a receipt in full for the amount of damages claimed in his name, the same having been paid by said George N. Adams.
The commissioners adjourned to 8 o'clock to monow morning.

Tuesday, March 5th, 1833.
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

Israel Robinson
Samuel DeCormer
Clyde Fulton Esq.

The following business was taken up and acted on. 1st. James T. McConnell & Francis Elliott this day presented a petition signed by themselves & others praying that alterations may be made on the Sitterwięr & Senfis Brook State roads & the Duck run county road on their lands in Rich Hill township. as follows viz:

"Beginning with the Sitterwięr road at the West Corner of section 21, thence to a near James T. McConnell's East line & South West from the Shepherd's fence, thence North of West to a beach marked P. thence to a white oak marked P. thence West to the Duck run county road and intersect it, thence on the North side of the road and as near the top of the bank, as a road can be made and intersect the present road at the East end of Francis Elliott's lane in Rich Hill township."

Thereupon the commissioners the commissioners appointed Andrew Howell, Neal McVaugh & Daniel Hourse, viewers, and William Snell, Surveys to view and survey said proposed alterations of roads, meet at James T. McConnell's in Rich Hill township, on the 20th day, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board on or before the first Monday of June next, according to law.

2d. Eliza Ann Reed insane person.

It was agreed upon by the commissioners of this county and James W. Foust, that said McGene hall Eliza Ann Reed insane person (now in his custody) and her safety keep until the next December session at the rate of two dollars per week (clothing included) and is to give her sufficient diet for such insane person, and is not to suffer her to run at large, or to annoy the public by running about. We therefore authorize the auditor of said county, to issue orders on the treasurer of said county, for the bounty of said Eliza Ann Reed monthly, if called upon by said sheriff, a at any time he may think proper to call for her boarding.

3d. Law (Bliss' alteration of State road). The commissioners at their last December session having appointed this day for the purpose of hearing of remonstrances, and of granting or refusing a request on state road leading from Goosefoot to Shandarta, agreeably to the prayer of the petitioners thereon set forth, took the same into consideration, and these being no objections laid in against said proposed alteration, the Commissioners thought proper to grant an order for a view. Thereupon James Warner, Enos Alcorn,
The following roads were severally confirmed and blessed, viz.,
1st. Joseph Robinson's alteration of a road from Cohan to
beginning at station No. 10, on the 1st mile, and ending at station No. 20, on the 10th mile, in "Township...
2nd. The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in, the Commissioners do hereby confirm the report, and order said report, survey of said road to be made, and order the same to be opened, and worked as required by law, as soon as the work can be done.

The following roads were severally confirmed and blessed, viz.,
3rd. Hugh Allison's alteration of Jacob Beard's road, commencing at the corner of John Locke's garden, and ending at a point near the new schoolhouse. The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in against said proposed alteration, the Commissioners do hereby confirm the report, and order said report, survey of said road to be made, and order the same to be opened, and worked as required by law, as soon as the work can be done.

The following are the alterations of roads approved of and sanctioned:

1st. Alexander Armstrong's alteration of the county road from Leesburg 2 miles to John Robertson's.
2nd. Jacob Fambro's road.
3rd. Adam Bookman's road.
4th. Daniel Stillwell's road.
5th. John Dain's alteration of the road from Dahoma to Fairview. In a more particular description of the boundaries of any of the above-mentioned roads, or alteration of roads, reference may be had to the minutes of the last December session of the Commissioners as their record.
York tree marked, with three hackles, thence to the NE corner of David Simonds's bottom field, thence along said bottom field to the lower ford, to intersect the Dresden and Mount Sterling road.

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in against said road, the Commissioners do hereby confirm the report, and order said report, survey & plot to be recorded, and hereafter considered as public highway, and order the same to be opened, and worksed according to law.

Mr. Order to open spin given to S. Melony March 25 1833.

9th

Seis Colden's road.

"Commencing at the Cooper mill, road between the Widow Hamilton & William Hoffman's North farm in Rupert's township, thence northwardly through the lands owned by Seis Colden, Hamilton Campbell, Robt. Merrick, the heirs of Demon Jones, Sam. Hickey, and Peter Holmes, so as to intersect the turnpike road of Mount Sterling on the West part of Peter Holmes's land." The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in against said road, the Commissioners do hereby confirm the report, and order said report, survey & plot to be recorded, and hereafter considered as public highway, and order the same to be opened & worked according to law.

11th

Christopher Kingston's alteration of road running through his land to John Martin's mill.

"Beginning at a dogwood stump on the East end of said road, thence as far as it runs through said Kingston's land, and end to as to intersect said road again.

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in against said alteration, the Commissioners do hereby confirm the report, and order said report, survey & plot to be recorded, and hereafter considered a public highway, and the former point that lies between the points of intersection to be relocated, of which the new route is opened & improved according to law in such cases, by said Kingston.

12th

Robt. Dipple's road.

"Beginning at the County line, between Perry and Mechanicville, counties near Samuel Harvey's grist mill, thence an Eastwardly direction through the farm of Robert Dipple, thence passing Jacob Knight's house, thence along the bank to Samuel Grant's fence, thence due South across the bottom, thence Eastwardly so as to intersect the leading road to Janesville at the foot of the hill on Peter Delar's land."

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in against said road, the Commissioners do hereby confirm the report, order said report, survey & plot to be recorded, hereafter considered a public highway, order the road to be opened & worked according to law.

18th

James McLintock's road.

"Commencing at the Centre of Stoh and Second Street in the town of Davenport, thence to the County line, in the direction of the village of Grafton town in Rensselaer county, according to the survey field notes of said road."

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in against said road, the
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<td>Benjamin Butcher's road.</td>
<td>Comencing at the county line, at the West end of Benjamin Butcher's line, running thence the nearest and best route to intersect the Buckeye road at the fork below the Widow Horse's.</td>
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<td>Assessing damages to D. Stillwell, Mary Smith &amp; George Wheelon, on account of J. Williams roads.</td>
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<td>Ordered that the County Auditor give an order on the county treasurer, to John Burwell for his costs of expenses for making the accounts and calculations for the former treasurer of the county, to the order of J. Williams.</td>
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Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County treasurer, to James McGuire, for the sum of thirty-seven dollars eighty-one fourths cents, for keeping Eliza Ann Reed in poor's pension up to the 1st inst, including clothing $6, as per bills now filed. 1837. 81c.

The County surveryor of this county, is hereby directed by the Commissioners to procure from the surveyor general's office, a certified plat, together with the field notes of the corners, and bearing trees to each section, quarter section, lot, or original survey of such lands in this county as are not in his possession, as in the Register's office in the town of Danesville.

The Commissioners this day agreed to meet at their office in Danesville on the 19th instant, at 10 o'clock, A.M., to consult upon the propriety of building public offices; and if it shall be deemed advisable to build, to agree upon the plan to.

Commissioners adjourned to 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, March 6th 1833.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present.

Isaac Robinson

1st. Ordered that John F. Spy, County Auditor, be, and he is hereby ordered and in trust to empower by or the Commissioners of Muskingum County, to draw an order on the County treasurer, in said County auditor's name, for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, in part for services by him rendered as county auditor, the current year.

$150.00

Sam &. Crabtree's vacation of road.

It is hereby declared by the Commissioners that so much of the county road leading from Chandlersville to Norwalk in said county as lies north of the old Whiting road would end "Commencing at the foot of the hill East of Samuel Crabtree's house, thence to where said road intersects the road leading from Hardesty's to Norwalk."

3rd. Road tax of 1833.

Ordered that the Treasurer of Danesville Township be enabled to draw the amount of the road tax due said township for year 1833, and that the County Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer for the same, and that the balance of the road tax for year 1833, be detained in the county treasurer until further orders of the Commissioners.

Commissioners adjourned this day.

Israel Robinson

Sam. Huffman, Sub. of the Register's Office.
Tuesday, March 19th, 1833.
The Commissioners met - Present:
Israel Robinson
Samuel W. Cammer
Eph. Fulton, Esq.

Agreedly to public notice given in the newspapers past in this town, the Commissioners met for the purpose of consulting upon the propriety of building public offices in the West end of the Court house; and after receiving several plans presented, it was agreed that any of the proceeding three be laid over until to more.
The following bills were presented and allowed:
Ordered that Anthony Williams Recorder, be allowed a bill of seven dollars and eighty one fourths of a cent for 125 bushels of coal, for the use of his office, and that the county auditor give an order on the county treasurer for the same.

Ordered that Thos. Anderson be allowed his bill for public printing, amounting to the sum of five dollars, and that the county auditor give an order on the county treasurer for the same.

Adjourned to 8 o'clock to morrow morning.

Wednesday, March 20th, 1833.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment - Present:
Israel Robinson
Samuel W. Cammer
Eph. Fulton, Esq.

It was this day agreed by the Commissioners to build the public offices as opposite, and the Commissioners agreed that John Williamson, D. W. Cammer, William Silcox, and Ed. B. Cressy, be a committee, to draft the plan and specifications for same buildings against Monday, the 28th inst., at 10 o'clock. And of such day, at which time the Commissioners agree to meet, to inspect the same, and to give notice of the day of sale.

Adjourned -

Israel Robinson
Samuel W. Cammer
Eph. Fulton, Esq.

Monday, March 26th, 1833.
The Commissioners met - Present:
Israel Robinson
Samuel W. Cammer
Eph. Fulton, Esq.

This day the Commissioners met in order to examine the plan and specifications of the public office, agreed to by the report of John Williamson, D. W. Cammer, William Silcox, and Ed. B. Cressy, a committee appointed by the Commissioners on the 20th inst., to draft the same, and after examining said plan and specifications and making some amendments thereto, the Commissioners adopted said plan and specifications as reported, and to offer said buildings for sale by receiving sealed proposals at the Auditor's office on Thursday the 18th of April next, until twelve o'clock (noon) of said day for that purpose; the purchaser will be required to give bond and approve security for the faithful performance of the work, which is to be done agreeably to said plan and specifications filed in this office.

Adjourned -

Israel Robinson
Samuel W. Cammer
Eph. Fulton, Esq.
The commissioners met at Rebecca April 7th 1838

Daniel woods

The commissioners met at Rebecca

April 17th 1838

Joseph Robinson

The commissioners met at Rebecca
March 27th A.D. 1833
The commissioners met.

Present:
Samuel C. Carson
Isaiah Houston

Agreedly to notice from the Sheriff of Putnam County, the commissioners met at the jail ofsaid
County, to examine into the case of C. W. Thompson, a deputy of the peace in Bartow
County, upon the verdict of a jury of seven men, for
the cause of insanity; said commitment stating that
she ought to be confined. —

Whereupon the commissioners deem it advisable not to release her at present, but to employ
a Physician to render her medical aid in order to
restore her to her reason if possible; whereupon it
agreed to employ Doctor Robert Mitchell to attend
her as a physician for the purpose aforesaid.

It was further ordered by the commissioners that
if Doctor Mitchell and Turner should at any time
hereafter report in writing that they believe that she
may be released, or in any other way better prove
from upon such report the Sheriff is hereby ordered
to release her, or to make such other disposition
of her as the physicians aforesaid may require.

Adjourned
Samuel C. Carson
Isaiah Houston

April 18th A.D. 1833.
The commissioners met. 

Present:
Isaac Robinson
Samuel C. Carson
Isaiah Houston

Agreedly to notice given in the Hustings case on
and Bartow County, two of the newspapers printed in
Bartow County, the commissioners met this day to receive

The subscribers, practicing physicians, being Desirous to examine the District
and confine on the jail of Bartow County, and the said J. B. W. is about to be
transferred from this confinement, and having
been therefor to their senses as to afford
evidence that she will not do herself
or others any harm or personal
injury —

Robert Mitchell
Isaiah Houston

May 8th A.D. 1833.
The subscribers, practicing physicians, being Desirous to examine the District
and confine on the jail of Bartow County, and the said J. B. W. is about to be
transferred from this confinement, and having
been therefor to their senses as to afford
evidence that she will not do herself
or others any harm or personal
injury —

Robert Mitchell
Isaiah Houston

The commissioners obligate themselves in their
official capacity as commissioners of this county, and
their successors in office, to make the following payment,
in orders drawn on the treasurer of Said County,

the sum of five hundred dollars in hand,
and the sum of five hundred dollars in the
building to put under roof; and the further sum of five hundred dollars on the
building to put under roof; and the further sum of five hundred dollars on or before the first
day of January next; and the balance being
Monday, June 3, 1833.

The Commissioners of Washington County, Ohio, met pursuant to law. Present,

Isaac Robinson
Samuel McNair
Hale Washington.

The following road petitions were presented, severally taken up, and acted upon, viz:

Thomas Spear presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a road may be laid out in the established agreeably to the following boundaries:

"Beginning at a middle bridge on the County road, between David St. Beazer's and Alexander McHenry's, thence running to a crops street at James Bell's; in the town of Concord, thence to the North East corner of W. Stover's land where it intersects that Spear's, thence to Pleasant Hill meeting house to intersect two county roads running to that place."

Thereupon, the Commissioners of a road appointed John Cummins, James White & Peter Monroe, assessors, and Samuel Galland, surveyor, to meet at David St. Beazer's in Highland township, on the 3d inst., at 8 o'clock, A. M., of said day, and make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of December next.

Benjamin Brown presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established agreeably to the following boundaries, namely:

"Beginning at the town of Troyburgh in Jackson township, thence to the South West corner of Joshua Comert's lot of land, thence to the road leading from Newark to Coshohvon, near Elijah Shock's in said township."
Therupon the Commissioners aforesaid appointed William Swain, Frederick R. Pierson, Maxwell McCan, Alan W. Beavers, surveyors, and Mr. J. Barlow, surveyor, to view and survey said road, to meet at Samuel Mills' house in Dresden, on the 21st instant, at 9 o'clock A.M., of said day, and make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of December next, according to law in such cases.

Asa Gittings presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the Plainfield road (so called) as follows, to wit:

"Beginning on the land of James Ainsley in Madison, township, where said road crosses the township line into Salem Township, thence running a southerly course, as to intersect said road again at a stone about six rods south of where the Dresden road intersects said Plainfield road."

Therupon the Commissioners aforesaid appointed James Bellahm, Bilton Adams, and William Dennis, viewers, and George Smith, surveyor, to view and survey said road as a petition to be allowed to meet Asa Gittings, on the 23rd instant, at 9 o'clock A.M., of said day, and make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of December next.

Henry Ward presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the second end of the Grave Creek State road in Muskingum county, as follows:

"Beginning in said road where it crosses the East line of Andrew Dungan's land in Washington Township, thence to a point opposite an old cabin and orchard belonging to the heirs of Jacob Dovers, and on the North side of the same at a white oak marked E, thence to intersect the national turnpike."

Therupon the Commissioners aforesaid appointed to meet at their Office in Dresden, on the second day of their next December session, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances, and of granting an order for a sure and said editors entered into bond and security to the satisfaction of the Commissioners as required by law in such cases.

William Blizzard's petition to vacate a part of the road leading from Widow Swain to Peacock's mill.

This day (Am) Blizzard presented a petition signed by himself, and others, praying that so much of the above road may be vacated as follows, to wit:

"From where the State road crosses from Dresden to West Carle, to the West side of William Blizzard's farm, all in Jackson township.

And further proceedings herein after being publicly read, was laid over until the next December session, as required by law.

Bond and security given as required by law.

Damages caused by Jacob Damb's road.

This day William St. James, Henry Brevett, Nathan Niles & Margaret Ogden, made complaint to the Commissioners that the following road known by the name of Jacob Damb's road, as lately laid out through their lands, will if established a public highway and will be a great damage to them, to wit:

"Beginning at Duncan's Falls at a near James Taylor's mill on the Muskingum river, running thence to Bailey Reed's garden across the South Fork of Jonathan's Creek, thence to intersect
of road leading from Jonathan's Creek bridge to Roseville at a suitable point between Jacob Breckinridge's and George Mark's, thence along said Roseville road to where said Mark road crosses Buckeye run and thence to intersect the State road at a near Uniontown. Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Andrewh Ebenizer, Jacob Paycock & John Tadrow viewers, to apprise and determine how much land valuable the lands or premises of each of the said Complainants will be repaired if said road shall be established, propose, and report the same in writing to this Board, on or before the first Monday of December next, to meet at [illegible] Place's on the 14th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day.

7th. Damages caused by State road lately laid out from Troy to Carlisle.

This day William and Joseph Jasmine laid in a complaint before the Commissioners, stating that said road, as laid out through their lands, if opened, will be great damage to them, and praying that suitable person may be appointed to appraise the same. Thereupon the Commissioners appointed (Beaver Bower, James Wiggard & Robert Wilson) viewers, to appraise and determine said damages. Said road is opened, established, and made report thereof in writing to the Board, on or before the first Monday of December next. Said viewers are to meet at [illegible] Place's on the 14th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day.

8th. George W. Gibbons, this day laid before the Board a remonstrance in writing, objecting to the vacating of that part of Geo. Scott's road as petitioned to be vacated by John Green & others, at the last meeting of the Commissioners. Thereupon the Commissioners appointed James McIlwain, Henry Irvine & Gilbert W. Wiliams, to view the road as aforsaid, and make report of their opinion thereon, and their reasons for the same, to this Board, on or before the first Monday of December next, the viewers to meet at the W. Robins' on the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day.

9th. Damages caused by State road lately laid out from Waverly Shores in Knox County, to Evansville in Orange County.

This day John Robertson and John Tucker laid in a complaint in writing before the Commissioners, stating that the above State road, as laid out through their lands, if opened, will greatly injure them, and praying for redress according to law, in which cases made of provided. As agreed upon by the parties & the Commissioners, that no further proceeding be had in this case until the said complainants have time to petition to have said road laid on the old route, and if the same shall be accomplished they do not ask any damages whatever; but if the road is not changed on the old route through their farms, the Commissioners are then and in that case to appoint men to appraise the damages as aforsaid. Any further proceeding therein laid over until next December.

10th. Damages for taking lime stone.

Richard Dickson laid in a complaint in writing before the Commissioners, stating that he feels himself aggrieved by having had a considerable quantity of lime stone taken from his land by John Ockting & Arthur Tagger, contractors for repairing the National
Henry Warns produced the County treasurer except
for & the amount of costs incurred by his petition to
have the Grave Creek State road altered through the
lands of Joseph Smith & Andrew B. Rogen.

Alex Armstrong's alteration of the Benwood Road.
The County treasurer's receipt was produced for
the amount of costs by him paid into the treasury for
having said alteration made agreeably to his petition
filed in at December Session 1832.

Ordered, that the County Auditor give an order on the
treasurer of said county, in favor of Robt. Clatchetle,
for the sum of $22.75 his bills for medicine attendant
as a physician on Harriet W. Boothley insane person
while confined in the jail of said county, & $22.75

The Commissioners adjourned until 8 o'clock
tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, June 3rd. D. 1833.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment,
Present,
Israel Robinson
Samuel H. Warns
Rhyle Huntington Esq.

Mr. McCall produced satisfactory evidence to the
Commissioners that the alteration of the road leading from
Plainfield to Concord as petitioned for by him at March
Session 1832, is opened and made possible for the conven-
ience of travellers, the Commissioners declare said alteration
a public highway, and hereby vacates so much of the old
road as is embraced by the new.

An order passed and given to Mr. McCall this day.
Thomas Williams presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the Old New Ark road, as follows:

"Beginning in said road on the South West side of Bick's Creek, where the North and South line crosses the same between Edward Smith and Thomas Williams, thence South and East line to the national turnpike road and also to vacate all of said Old New Ark road from said line between Smith and Williams Eastward to where it intersects the turnpike road."

The Commissioners appointed John Gray, Thomas Savage and Joseph H. Readman viewers, and John Roberts surveyor, to view and survey said proposed alteration of roads, to meet at Thomas Williams' house on the 16th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of December next.

Ordered, that the County Auditor give an order on the county treasurer, in favor of John Roberts treasurer, for fifty-six dollars Twenty Cents, for stationary, public printing &c., for use of his office, as per return. 

Settlement with the Treasurer.

This day John Roberts treasurer of this county presented his accounts for examination and settlement, and the commissioners find the accounts correct, and there remains in hands on settlement, the sum of three thousand nine hundred fifty-eight dollars, thirteen cents, seven mills, consisting of County, Township, Road & School funds to wit:

In Deposited funds as recorded, the 6th June 1832, in this book $155.00
In Good funds $300.13
Total $395.13

County orders burned.

After settlement with the treasurer of said county, all the orders that were redeemed on said settlement up to this date, the Commissioners burned six, up to No. 645.

Vouchers of the County Auditor examined. This day the Commissioners examined the vouchers of the County Auditor, and compared the same with the checks, and find the same to be satisfactory and correctly kept.

Ordered, that the County Auditor give an order on the county treasurer, in favor of A. A. Williams Recorder, for the $18.22 for a Record book No. 39 for his office, as per return. 

Ordered, that for time No. be allowed the sum of twenty dollars, for repairing jail, ironing prisoners, repairing lightning rods on 6th house &c., and that the County Auditor give an order on the county treasurer, in favor of John Roberts, for that sum. 

The following reports on roads were severally taken up and read the second time; and the reports being in favor of all the following roads and alterations of roads, and there being no application made for a reversion of any of the following roads, or alterations of roads, or petition for damages, any further proceedings therein were laid over until the second day of the next December session as required by law.

1. John N. Powers' road.
2. Noah Hough's road.
4. David Johnson's road.
5. David Tapp's road.

For a more particular description of the boundaries
of levy, or all of the above mentioned roads, an alteration
of roads, reference may be had to the minutes of the
Commissioners at their last March Session as there
recorded.

10th. Said alteration of the said road leading from
Doshaston to Chandlersville.

"Commencing at a point on said road where
said road crosses Mission Township line, thence south
wardly to an elm tree at a small run on the road
above Shilp Curry's, thence to a white oak tree
at the North end of a lane where the County road
starts that leads past John Richly's."

On the above route, the Commissioners at
their last March Session, appointed viewers, to
review and survey said alteration as above prayed for,
and the viewers having at this session reported in
favor of making said alteration as prayed for, as per
reference to their report, plot and survey will more
fully appear - and the Commissioners believing
said alteration may be advantageously made, do
thereby confirm their report, and order the same to be
recorded, and hereafter considered a public highway.

Abraham Beatty presents a petition signed by him
and others, praying that a county road may be laid
out and established agreeably to the following boundaries,
to wit:

"Commencing at the road near Henry Backer,
thence as near as practicable, to John Hayworth's,
thence to intersect the County road on the East
bank of the Muskingum River on the lands
of the late Col. George Jackson, in Washington Township.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed, Messrs.
Sharp, James Calahan & George Smyth, viewers, and
Mrs. Th. Beavers Surroga, to view and survey said
road as petitioners 3d to meet at John Coleman's
on the 20th day of September next, at 8 o'clock. Him,
of said day, and make report of their proceedings
to this Board, on or before the first Monday of
December next, according to law in such cases.

Said Sarah White, insane person.

Arch Ballagh this day applied for the keeping
of Sarah White, insane person, now in his custody
for one year from and after the 20th day of Sept.
next. Said Ballagh agrees to keep, maintain
and furnish said Sarah with all things necessary
for such insane person for the term of said.

And the Commissioners agree to pay said
Ballagh, or his order, Seventy-five dollars, for
said term, in County orders, in equal quarterly
payments, which the County Auditor is hereby
authorized to issue orders on the County treasurer
for.

13th. School Tax 1833.

It is hereby ordered and determined by the
Commissioners that three fourths of a mile upon
the dollar, be levied upon the general list in said
County, for the current year, to be
appropriated for the use of schools in said County,
according to law.

14th. Road Tax 1833.

It is hereby further ordered and determined by
the Commissioners that one mill upon the dollar
be levied upon the aggregate amount of the value
of all property entered upon the general list for
taxation, for road purposes current year, and
order the same to be sent out for Collection.
County levy, 1833.

The Commissioners proceeded to levy the per cent tax necessary for the purpose of defraying the expenses of this County, current year, and do hereby levy one mill on each dollar of valuation of the aggregate amount of all property in this County, entailed upon the general list for taxation, and order the same to be sent out for collection.

Also ordered, that one half mill on each dollar assessed, be levied as aforesaid, to be appropriated and applied to the payment for building the public offices, and order the same to be sent out for collection, making the amount of per cent in both cases, to be two mills on the dollar.

The following roads were confirmed and established:

18th. Armstrong's alteration of the Oswego road.

"Commencing about 3 rods from said Armstrong North East corner of the farm he now lives on, in Perry Township, running thence due West along the line of the lands of John Armstrong, Pardon Prager and George Best, so as to continue the road on their lands, until it intersects said road again about 18 or 20 rods West of George Best's North East corner."

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in against said alteration of road, the Commissioners hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and considered a public highway, and to be opened and worked according to law.

No order given prior to December 11th, 1833.

19th. Daniel Stillwell's road established.

"Beginning in Madison Township, in said county about one mile south of said Daniel Stillwell's residence, where the road to the Salt works intersects the Cochabon roads, thence on the nearest and best ground to a point on the Muskingum river opposite a nearly so to the Dresden locks."

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in against said road, the Commissioners hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be recorded, and hereafter considered a public highway, and to be opened and worked according to law.

No order given prior to December 11th, 1833.

20th. John Davis alteration of State road from Coshocton to Chardonville, through his land.

"Commencing at a large white oak stump on the land of said Davis about 20 rods North of the line between John Crawford and John Davis in Union Township, and running thence on said Davis land a North Westerly course until it strikes the line between said Davis and Peter Fitch at a hollow white oak tree, thence due North as near the line as practicable to as to continue the road on said"
Dain's land, until it intersects the old route again on said line.

The viewers having made a favorable report, and there being no objections laid in against said alteration of road, the Commissioners hereby confirm their report, and order: the same to be executed, & considered a public highway, and to be worked accordingly; and the former route that lies between the points of intersection to be vacated, upon which new route is opened by said Dain, as required by law in such cases.

20th Jacob David's road as petitioned for at the 11th last December session, was not confirmed, as yet, in consequence of a number of individuals having at this session laid in for damages, on account of said road, running through their lands. Any further proceedings was therefore laid over until next December session.

The following bills for laying out roads was allowed:

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The Commissioners adjourned to 8 0'clock to-morrow morning.
Ordered, that the County Auditor draw an order on the Treasurer of this county, in favor of Joseph Pringle, Deputy of this county, for the sum of two hundred and sixty-nine dollars and twenty-five cents, for services rendered by him and his deputies, in keeping this county current year.

Ordered, that the County Auditor publish an exhibit of the Receipts & expenditures of this county, for the year ending the 5th instant; as soon as convenient.

No further business before the board.

ordered by agreement:
Israel Robinson
Samuel McCann
Treasurer
Friday. Oct 18th 1833.

Commissioners met.

Present,

Samuel M. Camp
Bye Fulton
Isaiah Robinson Esqr.

Agreedly to notice from the Sheriff of Mecklenburg County, the Commissioners met this day at the request of Jonathan Brewer, who was imprisoned for the purpose of repair in the jail of said county by Peter Colomes Esqr., a justice of the peace in Hopewell township, until the conviction of a jury of seven men, for the cause of twain, said commitment stating that the said Brewer was at his own request in jail to be put in their company; the said committee report

The Commissioners deemed it advisable not to release him at present; whereupon it was agreed to employ Dr. Robt. Whitehill to attend him as physician to render his medical aid in order to effect his release if possible, and that the remain shall remain in jail until otherwise disposed of by the Commissioners.

Ordered by the Commissioners, that the county auditor issue an order on the County treasurer in favor of Jonathan Brewer for the sum of twenty dollars for repairing the bridge over Salt creek near said Brewer's, at any time said Brewer may call for the same.

+ $20.00

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Robt. Whitehill physician, for the sum of seventeen dollars and fifty cents for medicine and attendance on prisoners in jail, as per bills rendered good and valid.

+ $17.50

In consequence of the bridge at Jonathan Brewer's.

Adjourned

Samuel M. Camp
Bye Fulton
Isaiah Robinson

Saturday, Nov 19th 1833.

Commissioners met.

Present,

Samuel M. Camp
Bye Fulton
James

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the treasurer of said county in favor of Robt. Whitehill physician, for the sum of six dollars, his bill for medicine & attendance on Nancy Taylor an insane person who was in the jail of this county.

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of John Stinson, for the sum of twelve dollars, for services as a guard at the jail of said county,

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of John Stinson, for the sum of fifteen dollars, for services as a guard at the jail of said county for fifteen nights, commencing 1st day of Oct 1833.

+ $15.00

Adjourned

This day Mathias Snagler Srm. Sheriff of said
Monday, December 2nd, 1833.
The commissioners, met pursuant to law. Present:
Samuel McChesney
Sales Halloway
Israel Robinson, Esq.
The board, being full proceeded to business.

Jacob Paul presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established, as follows.

"Beginning at a wall near the county line between the farm of Mr. Dye's, thence the best way to intersect the Marietta road at Chaspey's Hallowick's".

Thereupon the commissioners, after due affidavit of John Jordan, son of Chaspey's Hallowick, and Jacob Dechens, his partner, and William Sinclair, surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road, as above petitioned for, to meet at Mr. Dye's, on the 10th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next.

John McGlade presents a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established, as follows.

"Beginning at the county road, a few rods south of the house near Jackson's, thence on or near the East line, between lands belonging to the heirs of J. B. Davis and James McGee, so as to intersect the county road, leading from Capt. Taylor's farm to Dresden at the corner of John McGee's farm."

Thereupon the commissioners, after due affidavit of James Hemmen, James Scott of Maxwell, and James B. Fox, surveyors, to view and survey said route for a road as above petitioned for, to meet at John McGee's.
John Robertson presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on so much of the State road leading from Widow Ships' to Evansburg as runs through his lands, as follows:

"Beginning where said road crosses the South West line of said Robertson's lands, thence an Eastwardly course on the present travelled road to a stake that stands on said road about twenty two rods South West of said Robertson's house, the distance from thence on said present travelled road till said road said stake to where said alteration will be made is to
John Arnold this day laid before the board a remonstrance in writing, objecting to the vacating of part of the road leading from Widow Covette to Heatherton's mill as petitioned to be vacated by Mr. Blaggard & others at the last June Session of the Commissioners.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed David Deemer, John Adams & John Bland viewmen, to view the road of petitioners, and to make report of their opinion thereon, and their reasons for the same to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next. The viewmen are to meet at Widow Robbins' tavern in Pittsburgh, on the 14th instant, at 9 o'clock of said day.

8th. The following reports on roads were received, taken up, and severally read the first time, viz.;

1. Benjamin Brown's road.
2. John Gilbert's alteration of Plainfield road.
3. Thomas Williams' alteration of the old New Leech road.

But a particular description of the boundaries of these roads reference may be had to the minutes of the last June Session, as there receiver agreed to the petitions as laid in at said session. The reports of the viewmen on each of the aforesaid roads and alteration of roads being favorable, therefore order to be read again to-morrow.

9th. Thomas Sheard's road.

This day said report was received and read the first time, said report being favorable. Thereupon Abraham Beatty made complaint to the Commissioners stating that said road as laid out through his lands if opened, would be a great damage to him, and praying that persons might be appointed to view said road as required by law. Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Road Viewers, Peter O'Gallher & Benjamin Woodman, to view, to determine the amount of said damages, and to make report thereof in writing to this board on or before the first Monday of March next. Said viewers are to meet at said Beatty's, on the 14th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day. Any further proceedings respecting said road was laid over until March Session 1834.

Abraham Beatty's road.

This day said report was received and read the second time, said report being favorable. Any further proceedings on said road was laid over until next March Session, for the following reasons, to wit;

George W. Jackson, acting executor of John Jackson, deceased, made complaint to the Commissioners stating that said road as laid out through the lands belonging to the estate of John Jackson, deceased, if opened & established would be a great damage and praying that suitable persons might be appointed to view said road. Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John Robertson, John Hook & Robert Bogg viewers, to view and determine the amount of damages, and to make report thereof in writing to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next. Said viewers are to meet at the house of Samuel Bealeson, on the 1st instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day.

11th. Alexander Armstrong this day produced satisfactory evidence to the Commissioners, that the alteration of
The road leading from Jacob Lowry's place to John Robertson's as petitioned for to be altered on his land & others last December, is opened & made in all respects equal to the old road for the convenience of travellers - whereupon the Commissioners declare said alteration a public highway and hereby vacate as much of the old road as is embraced by the new road.

Philip Howell this day produced satisfactory evidence to the Commissioners, that the alteration of a certain County road, running through his land as petitioned to be altered by him at the March session 1832, is opened & made in all respects equal to the old road for the convenience of travellers - whereupon the Commissioners declare said alteration a public highway, and hereby vacate as much of the old road as is embraced by the new road.

Olias Green presented a petition signed by twenty of other praying that the following part of Burchill's road may be vacated, as follows:

Beginning where said Burchill's road leaves Nathan Dew's road at Stephen Potts's cabin, thence Westwardly to Jacob Allen's on the Tivoli road.

Any further proceeding thereon after being publicly read was laid over until the next March session as required by law in such cases. Bond & security given to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Deputy Assessors appointed.

Matthew Spangler, Jr., Justice of Allen County, present, and appointed, Lyda Jordon of Rochester township, and Henry Harris & William Work of Wayne township, & Robert W. Brown of Union township deputy, to assist in the performance of the duties of his office; and the Commissioners being of the opinion that said Addison will be unable to perform all the duties required of him by law within the time specified for the performance of said duties, to approve and ordain said appointments.

Report of damages for taking limestone.

John N. Cassady, Israel Sheldon & William Blackstone, appointed by the Commissioners at the last June session, to assess the damages sustained by Richard Dickinson in consequence of limestone being taken off of his lands by John Scanty & Arthur Jaggart, contractors for repairing the National turnpike road, to report that said Richard Dickinson is entitled to the sum of twelve and one half cents per pole for all the lime stone taken by the above persons; the commissioners are of the opinion that the amount proposed is just and equitable.

John Green in vacation of part of Robert's road.

The viewers appointed at the last June session, to view said part of road, in order to ascertain which said road ought to be vacated, are not, reported in their opinion that the same ought not to be vacated.

Therefore no other proceeding was had thereon. Said Green produced receipts for all costs by him paid for said viewers.

The commissioners adjourned till 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday December 3rd 1833.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

Samuel W. Conn
Lyda Jordon 6
Israel Robertson 6

Peter Bruner a luminary.
Amasa Van Buren this day presented a petition, signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the Burleigh County road, called, as follows: "Commencing at the North side of Edwin Van Buren's farm on the present located road and running to a stake in the road, near Richard Walker's house." To be changed so as to bear East so far as to strike the road on the North end of Amasa Van Buren's farm, thence to the Stake of Nevada, or if found impracticable, then to bear so far East of the present located road as may be found practicable until it intersects the present traveled road, thence to the Stake of Nevada near Richard Walker's house." Thence the Commissioners to appoint surveyors, and the road altered as agreed to by the petitioners, to meet at said Amasa Van Buren's, on the 21st instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of March next.

Henry Deane's alteration of Grave Creek Road.
The Commissioners at their last June session having appointed this day for the purpose of hearing from petitioners, and of granting or refusing a review on the West end of the Grave Creek State road attached to the prayer of the petitioners as set forth in their petition as laid in at the last June session, took the same into consideration, and that being no objections laid in against the same, the Commissioners thought proper to grant an order for a view. Thereupon Jacob Drumheller, Isaac Martin, and Stephen Reav were appointed viewers, to meet at Nicholas Bodner, on the 10th inst., at 9 o'clock, A.M., of said day, to view and survey the alteration as prayed for by the petitioners, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of March next.

Joseph Bowers' Vacation of road.
Joseph Bowers this day presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying so much of the county road as runs through said Bowers' land in Waya Township, between David Price and Jacob Moore, be vacated. Any further proceeding thereon after being publicly read was laid over until the next March session, as required by law. Bond & security given.

Olga Ann Reed, insane person.
Rachel Fleming this day appeared and applied for the keeping of Olga Ann Reed, insane person, now in the custody of James McGUIRE, and agreed with the Commissioners to take said Olga Ann and her safely
The auditors of this county hereby authorize the treasurer of this county, for the keeping of said Edga Ann, at any time they may in their opinion deem it necessary, and agree only to pay said Rachel for the time she may have kept her according to the terms of permit of the above contract.

The Auditors of this county are hereby authorized to issue orders in favor of said Rachel Fleming on the treasurer of this county, for the keeping of said Edga Ann, as the same may from time to time become due agreeable to the above contract.

The following roads & alterations were established, viz.

"Beginning at Charles Margino's Mile in Lieu of sea mile, running thence to the North East end of James Sprague's lane, thence to John Hull's blacksmith shop, thence to intersect the State road leading southward.

"Beginning at the county road leading from Adam Miller's land to the Hollis road on the north side of the town, thence to the junction of said road with the line between Evan James & Christopher Humphreys, thence as practicable to John N. Powers, thence as near as practicable to a point on the Dresden road near John Johnson's.

The auditors of the last June session having made a favorable report, and there being no objections raised in against said road, the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be opened & worked according to law.

Noah Connell's road.

"Beginning between the farms of Rob. Sheldon & Rob. Lasty at the county road running to the bank, thence a due South course until it strikes the lane between Mr. Humphry & Lotwell's farm in the Adams township, thence a Southerly course until it strikes the North West corner of Noah Connell's orchard on the line between Salem & Madison townships, thence a due South course until it intersects the Mansfield & Plainfield road between the farms of James Humay & Hamblin Walker in Salem township.

The auditors of the last June session having made a favorable report, and no objections having been made against said road, the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be opened & worked according to law.

David Hitchcock's road.

"Beginning at Charles Margino's Mile in the town of Easton, running thence to the North East end of said road, thence to the junction of said road with the line between Evan James & Christopher Humphreys, thence as practicable to John H. Powers, thence as near as practicable to a point on the Dresden road near John Johnson's.

The auditors of the last June session having made a favorable report, and there being no objections raised in against said road, the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and order the same to be opened & worked according to law.

"Beginning at the county road leading from Adam Miller on the Canal to the Rochester road on the west side of the town, thence South East and South by East until it strikes the line between Evan James & Christopher Humphreys, thence as practicable to John H. Powers, thence as near as practicable to a point on the Dresden road near John Johnson's.
The viewers at the last June session made favorable report, and there being no objections made to said road, the Commissioners hereby confirm their report, and declare the same a public highway, and order it to be recorded, and that said road be opened & worked according to law.

James T. McConnel & Francis Elliott alteration of the intersection of Dunfish creek state roads, and on the Dutch run county road, viz;

"Beginning with the lastcurve road at the south West corner of Section 31, thence to or near James T. McConnel's East line, & South West from his plantation, thence, thence North of West to a beech marked D, thence to a white oak marked P, thence West to the Dutch run county road & intersect it, thence on the North side of the run & as near the top of the bank of a road can be made and intersect the present road at the East end of Francis Elliott's lane, all in Richfield township."

The viewers at the last June session made a favorable report in the above case, and no objections having been made thereto, the Commissioners do hereby confirm their report, and declare the same a public highway.

Ordered that the County auditor give an order on the County treasurer in favor of John P. Irick for $40 25 for repairs done to the bridge at Jonathan creek, as per his bill rendered & filed on 14 June.
Ordered that the county auditor issue new warrants for the amount to the several names offended, viz.:

To Thomas Wilkinson, recorder for office rent, $3.00

To John T. Bower, for surveying, $5.00

To Henry Beavers, surveying and plating, $5.00

To Israel A. Beavers, surveying and plating, $5.00

The following bills on roads was allowed, to wit:

On Abraham Scott's road:

George Smith surveying and returning, $3.00
James Calahan surveying, $3.00

On St. Beavers surveying and plating, $5.00

On James Luchter's chain, $2.00

On Samuel A. Hunter, marking, $1.00

On Spear's road:

Sam B. Randell surveying and plotting, $5.00

John Cummings surveying, $3.00

Peter Monroe, $3.00

John Reason surveying, $5.00

On Rockmart's road:

Reuben R. Harts marking, $1.00

On Brown's road:

Wm. St. Beavers surveying and plotting, $5.00

Irwin S. Bourne, surveying, $3.00

Drake Vernon, $3.00

Maxwell O'Brien, surveying and returning, $5.00

On Brown's chain, $2.00

Joshua Bottom, $1.00

Samuel Miller, marking, $1.00

Bill for assessing damages for Jacob Lamb's road:

Andrew O'Connor, $1.00

Jacob Boycock, $1.00

John Farlow, $1.00

Beverly Easing, $1.00

James Blizzard, $1.00

Robert Millen, $1.00

Ordered that John W. Spey, county auditor, be hereby authorized and empowered by us to draw an order on the county treasurer in said Spey's favor, for the sum of $2,000 dollars, in part for services and $1,000 as county auditor for the current year, at any period he may see proper after the 6th instant.

16th. Report of damages to Mr. Joseph Simpson caused by State road leading from Strasburg to West Carroll running through their land.

The viewers appointed at the last session, as follows:

1. That Joseph Simpson will not sustain any damage.

2. That Joseph Simpson will sustain damages to the amount of thirty dollars. Whereon, the same was assessed, and the amount paid over to Joseph Simpson.

3. That the state road in Berkeley county, as it is reported, that heavy damages has accrued to said county.

4. The viewers appointed at the last session to report the amount of damages caused by Jacob Lamb's road, $100.00.

5. The report as follows, to wit:

That Mr. W. F. Beavers, complainant, will sustain damages $12.00

Margaret Logan no damages.

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That Henry Prescott will sustain damages to the amount
of twelve dollars.

That Nathan Miles damages to the amount of $10.00.
The Commissioners order that the report on said case
be notice of the said damages caused by said road,
be kept over until the next March Session, in order
not to ascertain what amount of said damages the petitioners
will pay, if the said aforesaid shall be established,
at which session they agree to confer or disagree in a
road so as to them may appear most expedient.

Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock to
morning morning.

Wednesday, Dec 3rd 1833.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, present
Samuel M. Can
Bylde Fulton
Israel Robinson Esq.

No business before the boards this morning, the
Commissioners adjourned.
Samuel M. Can
Bylde Fulton
Israel Robinson

Saturday, January 4th 1834.
Commissioners met. Present:
Samuel M. Can
Bylde Fulton

Agreeably to notice from the Sheriff of this County
the Commissioners of said county met for the purpose
of examining into the case of giving damage for
the road, committed to the care of said County by
John Moyle, Justice of the Peace in Aurora Township.
According to the provisions in an act of the Legislature,
entitled "An Act to provide for the CARE of
Injuries, Damages, insane persons, the protection of their property,
and other purposes," passed Jan 29th 1834.— After
examinating into her case the Commissioners were of
the opinion that it was not proper to release
her at this time, but to let her remain where she
is for the present.

Adjourned to meet again on the 17th instant.
Samuel M. Can
Bylde Fulton

Friday, January 17th 1834.
This day Samuel Can, County Commissioner met
as per a warrant signed by J. Fulton Esq., not
appearing, there was no business transacted.

Attnd.
Mills County Sc.
March 3rd, 1834.
This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law.

Present,

Samuel McConn, 
Byles Fulton, Jr., 
Israel Robinson.

The board being full proceeded to business.

Joseph Winck presented a petition signed by himself, others, praying that a road may be laid out and established, as follows.

"Beginning at David Shellenboger's mill in Newton township, running thence to Wintontown, thence Joseph Gray's mill, thence the nearest road to intersect the county road (leading to Grato) near the county line between Amskenuaum & Perry, near Martin's Mill."

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed Jacob Camp, Isaac James & Isaac Carter, viewers, and William Anderson, surveyor, to view and survey the points for a road, to meet at Joseph Winck's mill, on the 17th instant, at 9 O'clock A.M., of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday of June next.

John Smith presented a petition signed by himself, others, praying that a County road may be laid out and established, as follows.

"Beginning at the South West corner of the public square in Bagleyville, thence the nearest and best route to Moses Ayres' field at the township line on the ridge between Scamore & Duncan, thence to keep the dividing ridge to the East end of James Eddings' lane, thence through said lane to the West end of said lane, thence to a certain rock oak point on the South end of
John Sullivan's land, hence on the ridge the nearest best route so as to intersect the Brush Creek road at Butt's bridge.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Nicholas David, John Oakes, and Wm. Thompson, viewers, and surveyors, to view and survey said route for a road to meet at Carnarvon, or the 20th instant, in the 30th day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of June next.

James Granger this day presented a petition before the board, signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out of established as follows, "Beginning on lands owned by Richard Addison at a near his old house in Newton township, running thence a south course to intersect the state road from Bartville to Carnarvon near or opposite a road leading to Bluffton, and thence north by east to the banks in Newton township."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Philip Lambach, Samuel Chase and Wm. H. Morehouse, viewers, and Charles Roberts, surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road to meet at Carnarvon, on the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M., of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or on before the first Monday of June next.

Solomon Reasoner's petition for damage caused by Thomas Speer's road running through his land.

The viewers appointed at the last December session to appraise the amount of damage said Reasoner sustained if said Speer's road is established through his land, made report this day, that in their opinion said Reasoner is damaged to the amount of thirty dollars; The Commissioners confirm their report, and order the same to be paid to said Reasoner on demand, out of the County treasury. Provided the following conditions are complied with by said Speer, said Speer agrees this day to pay into the County treasury the sum of five hundred dollars, provided the Commissioners shall establish his road now if the said Speer shall well and truly pay into the treasurer of said county the sum of $500 as aforesaid, then the said county auditor is hereby authorized to pay an order on the County treasury in favor of said Reasoner for the sum of $50 as aforesaid, and if said Speer
The following reports of roads were recently made, taken up, and read the first time, to wit:

1st. Jacob Paul's road.
2nd. John Mcclure's road.
4th. John Robertson's alteration of State road.
5th. Joseph Keiger's alteration of State road.
6th. Warren VanHooper's alteration of State road.

The reports of the viewers on each of the above-named roads & alteration of roads being favorable, therefore ordered to be read again to-morrow.

For a particular description of the boundaries of these roads, reference may be had to the Commissioners minutes of their last December session as there recorded.

The viewers report on:

1st. Henry Barnes' alteration of the west end of the State road leading from opposite the lots of Grove to Dannerilla was received; taken up and read, and found to be a favorable report. Any further proceedings thereon was laid over until the next June Session, for the following reasons, to wit:

Isaac Grifiths, & the heirs of Jacob Over, & Andrew E. Duggar, made complaint to the Commissioners in writing, stating that said alteration as laid out through their lands is a great injury and damage of the same should be established & deemed, & praying that suitable persons may be appointed to appraise said damages. Thereupon the Commissioners appointed James Stafford, Jacob D. Springer & Caleb James viewers to appraise and determine how much by value the land or premises of said complainants has been or will be damaged by the opening of said roads, and to make report of their opinion in writing to this board, on or before the first Monday of June next, said viewers are to meet at Isaac Grifiths on the 14th instant, at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day. Bonds & security given.

John Arnold's remonstrance against vacating William Blizard's road.

The viewers appointed at the last December session made report this day, and have given it as their opinion that said road ought to be vacated agreeably to the petition as laid in by John Blizard at the last June Session.

Therefore ordered by the Commissioners that the following part of a county road as petitioned for by John Blizard & others to be vacated, at the June session in 1833, be vacated to-wit, a part of the road leading from Widow Lovett's to Heatherton's mill, & thence from where the State road crosses from Frazeyburg to West Carlisle, to the west side of William Blizard's farm, all in Jackson township.

The Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.
The plat and field notes of a State road leading from Taylorsville in Mecklenburg County to Rockingham in Union County, was received, and ordered to be read and placed on file in this office.

Petition for damages caused by State road leading from Taylorsville to Rockingham.

John C. Tucker's petition for an alteration on the State road leading from Widow Spear's to Cross Keys, as laid in at the last December session was taken into consideration. And after hearing certain testimony and examining a memorandum handed in against the same by Sampson Baker, the Commissioners refused to grant a review of so much of the cause as was prayed to be altered by said Tucker, as directed in his petition.

Therefore agreeably to an arrangement made with the Commissioners at their last June session, said Tucker laid in for damage -- thereupon the Commissioners appointed Robert Bogg, James Galbraith, and George Prosser viewers, to assess and determine how much loss of valuable the land or premises of said Tucker has been or will be rendered by said road as opened, to make report of their opinion in writing to this board, on or before the first Monday in June next, at 9 o'clock A. M., of said day.

Bonds and security given.

John R. Reasoner presented a petition before the board, signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the County road leading from the National road to Reasoner's house multiplicity of Union township, as follows: "Commencing opposite the South West corner of Pleasant hill Meeting house, thence South West of the spring on said meeting house ground, thence to..."
Ordered, that Adams & Wheeler have an order on the County treasurer for the sum of $136.02, for dry goods, boxes & pipes, furnished for the use of the public offices, and that the County Auditor issue a receipt for the same as per bill filed.

The following bills on roads were allowed:

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Forman Spencer's road:

- George Smith, for surveying 10, $13.60
- James Hannon, viewing $6.00
- John Welsh, do $8.00
- Samu. McCann, Haggan $6.50
- Jacob Pane, chaining $6.50
- Thomas O. Jool, do $4.50
- George W. Courcy, marking $4.50
- Robert Bennett, viewing 10, Mr. Haggan, noting $1.00
- John Bland, do $1.00
- John Adams, Sen. do $1.00

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of J. M. Didly, for the sum of $23.15 for grouts for the public offices, coal fires, 

No. 106, as per bill rendered & filed.

Appraiser of real estate appointed.

Agreeable to an act of the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, entitled "an act to provide for the revaluation of Real property in this State," February 24, 1834, the commissioners of this county appointed John Burwell, of Darkeville, as appraiser of the real estate in the County of Muskingum. And at the same time, the commissioners of said county, in conformity to the provisions of said act, appointed Archibald McCann, for an appraiser of said appraiser.
Wednesday, March 8th 1834.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

Samuel M. Coman

Lyde Hurley

Isaac Robinson

The following roads and alterations of roads were established, to wit: Benj. & Brown's road:

"Beginning at the town of Freeport in Jackson township, thence to the south west corner of Joshua Conners's lot, thence to the road leading from New York to Ooshington near Eliz's Stock fried, and laid township."

The view-well having made a favorable report and there being no objections laid in against said road, the commissioners do hereby confirm the report, and our said road to be recuced, and hereafter considered a public highway, and order the same to be opened and worked, according to law.

The Howard's road established on the following.

"Commencing at a middle bridge on the county road between Daniel J. Bigger's and Alexander McKrory's, thence running to a cross street at James Bell's in the town of Concord, thence to the North East corner of Mr. Bower's land where it intersects the Howard's road; thence to Pleasant Hill Meeting house, to intersect two county roads running to that place."

The view-well having made a favorable report, the commissioners confirm their report, and order said road to be recuced, and hereafter considered a public highway, and order the same to be opened and worked, according to law. Provided that said Howard's road on the petitioners shall first pay into the treasury of said
Act 1: Alteration of the Plainfield road.

"Beginning on the land of James County in Madison Township where said road crosses the township line into Salem Township, thence southwardly so as to intersect said road again at a tract south of that on the Dresden road, at the same point said Plainfield Road intersects said Dresden road."

The viewers appointed made a favorable report, therefore the Commissioners do confirm said report, and order the same to be considered a public highway; but the former route is not to be vacated until said Gilling's produces satisfactory evidence to the Commissioners that said new route is opened as required by law in such cases.

Act 2: Williams' alteration of the New Arak road.

"Beginning in said New Arak road where the line crosses the same between Edward Smith and Thomas Williams, thence southwesterly to the National Turnpike Road."

The viewers appointed made a favorable report; therefore the Commissioners do confirm said report, and order the same to be recorded, opened & worked according to law, and the former route to be vacated as soon as satisfactory evidence is produced to the Commissioners that the said new route is opened as good as the law requires.

Act 3: Junction released.

"This day the Commissioners examined Daniel Woman, the county surveyor, concerning the junction, now confined to the town of Salem, county, and one of the opinion that said persons may be safely released. This day ordered that the county of said County release the said junction from the said County."

Act 4: Vacation of roads.

Joseph Bower, the vacation of road, to wit, of so much of the county road as runs through Joseph Bower's land (of which the west and northwestern foot leading to Dunesville is an amendment) in Wayne Township, between Darius Green and Jacob Bower. The Commissioners do hereby declare so much of the aforementioned road as above stated, to be vacated.

Act 5: Otis Green's vacation of part of E. Burlingame road, vacated as follow:

"Beginning where said Burlingame road leaves Nathan Core's road at Stephen Pick's cabin, thence westerly to Jacob Allen's on the south road."

The Commissioners do hereby declare so much of the aforementioned road as above stated, to be vacated.

Act 6: Abraham Beatty's road established, bounds as follow:

"Commencing at the road near Henry Jeff's, thence as near as practical to John Hayworth's, thence to intersect the county road on the east bank of the Muskingum River on the lands of the late Col. George Jackson, in Washington Township."

The viewers appointed at the last December session to open the damages made on the same by George W.
Ordered, that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of J. Wilson, receiver, in the sum of $8,06 for office rent, fuel, and other expenses. 

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Friday, May 2, 1834.
The county commissioners met. Present:
Samuel McNam
Ephraim Fulton
Israel Robinson, Esqs.

1st
Deputy sheriff appointed.
Matthias Ziegler, Jr., sheriff of Muskingum
county, this day appeared and appointed Thomas R.
Roberts of Newton township, deputy sheriff, to assist
in the performance of the duties of his office. The
commissioners accordingly approved & determined said
appointment.

2d
It was agreed upon by the commissioners that Jonathan
Pickup Esq, have the room of stairs in the South West
corner of the public offices, to occupy as an attorney's
office, until the first day of April next, at the rate
of forty dollars per annum; rent to commence on the 6th inst., for which he is to give bond & security.

3d
Public offices
Agreeably to notice given by David Allogrin, con-
tractor for building the new public offices at the bar
and the Court house, the commissioners went into
an examination of the same, and after comparing
the same with the plan and specifications of said
contract, are unanimously of the opinion that the
building is finished and complete as required by
contract as entered into on the 18th day of April
1833; and do receive said offices from the hands
of said Allogrin, and are therewith contented and
satisfied.

Therefore proceed to settle with said
Allogrin, contractor as aforesaid for building
the public offices, and also for the work done to
the same, when the following settlement was made
and agreed upon by the parties, to wit:

The amount for building said offices as per contract $300-
Amount in full for extra work done to the same $300-
Total $600

Of which said Allogrin has received the sum
of the 1st installment required of hand as per Contract $200.+
Plus the 2d to be required to be made open as put
under roof $200+
Plus the further sum of $100-
paid in hand this day
Balance is __________________________

The balance remaining unpaid is as above stated,
which is to be paid in two equal annual payments
from this day, with interest till paid.

Therefore ordered by the commissioners that the
balance of proceeds in favor of said Allogrin, shall
be paid to County Auditor; who orders on the County treasurer for the said several sums, as they shall become due
of said Allogrin, with interest on each of said several
sums as they shall become due - which said balance
of $1800, when paid is in full for building said
offices and extra work done to the same-

Appointed

Samuel McNam
Ephraim Fulton
Israel Robinson

Mr. D. Beach, agent of David Allogrin, drew the above
amount of balance on his account of $1800 as follows,
one half on the 3d Dec. 1834. & the other half on the
2d May 1835.
Monday, June 3, 1834.
This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law.

Present:
Samuel McCann
Revel Fulton
Eggers
Israel Robinson

1st. Treasurer's Bond.
This day Daniel Breck treasurer elect, appeared and gave bond & security in the sum of thirty thousand dollars to the acceptance of the Commissioners, for a faithful performance of the duties pertaining to the office of Treasurer of said county according to law; and also took the oath of office as required by the statute, which bond is on file in this office.

The following petitions on roads was presented and severally acted upon, to wit:

James Granger presented a petition before the board, signed by himself & others, praying that a county road may be laid-out & established, as follows:

"Beginning on the Lancaster road by Jacob P. Springer's barn, opposite a road leading west from or near the township line of Springfields & Newton townships, running thence on East course to the bank of Jonathan's creek on lands owned by James Mcllravy in Springfields township, thence to unite with the road at James Granger's mill in said township."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed Benjamin Clark, Jacob Baker and William Bryant surveyors, and Mr. Anderson surveyor, to view and survey said route for a road, as above petitioned for. It meet at Jacob P. Springer's, on the 3d day of November next, at 8 o'clock A.M., if said day, to make report on or before the 1st Monday of Dec. next. A.B. order to view given to James Granger this day.

3d. Alteration of Road on S.
Mordecai Adams presented a petition signed by himself & others, praying that an alteration may be made in the Cockenhatch road (so called) as follows, to wit:

"Commencing near the North end of Mordecai Adams' farm in Salem township, thence along the East sheet of the town of Adamsville in said township, thence on the most suitable ground thereto, as to intersect said road again at any place that may be thought best between their town and Bynum's Creek."

Thereupon the commissioners of aforesaid appointed Ralph Hart and John Elder, Thomas Hapfield, reviewers, and George Smith surveyor, to view and survey said route of said alteration of road, as above petitioned for, to meet at Mordecai Adams' on the 3d instant, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report to this board, on or before the 1st Monday of December next.

A.B. order to view given this day to above named.
Petition for damages caused by State road leading from Danglvile to Stockton.

James Barry this day made complaint in writing to the Commissioners, stating that said road, as laid out through his land, if opened, will be a great damage to him, and praying that viewers may be appointed to appraise the same. Thereupon the Commissioners of said county appointed Mathew W. Sheid, Jacob Bucock & John Tadrows, viewers, to appraise the damage to the complainant, and to report their opinion in writing to this board, on or before the first Monday of December next.

To meet at said Barry's, on the 18th instant at 8 o'clock, A.M., of said day. Bond given.

Petition for damages on account of a graded county road petitioned for by Freeman Spencer voted at the last December session.

This day James George, & Isaac Brush, guardians for the minor heirs of Jonathan Woods dec'd, & William Hamp, & Isaac Brown, & Jos. Bland, guardian of the heirs of Silas Lane dec'd, made complaint in writing to the Commissioners, stating that the opened road lately laid out from Dresden to James George's farm, if opened will be a great damage to their lands, and praying that viewers may be appointed to appraise the same. Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John Slaughter, John Landon, & Isaac Roads viewers, to appraise said damages, and said road shall be opened if established, and to report their opinion in writing to the amount of damages each complainant will sustain, on or before the 18th of December next. To meet at James George's on the 18th instant, at 8 o'clock, A.M., of said day. Bond given.

Revocation of roads.

This day Samuel Harriman presented a petition to the Commissioner's of the State of New York, praying that a certain part of a county road in Perry township, & known by the name of Philip Beecher's road may be vacated, as follows: it is,

"Beginning in the county road between John Vordenbue's & the old Wheeling road, at a place known by the name of the Laurel hill, & thence to the old Wheeling road."

Any further proceedings thereon after being publicly read, was laid over until the next December session, as required by law.

Petition for alteration of the Plainfield road.

This day Aaron Kittling presented satisfactory evidence (viz., Williston Adams & George Smyth) to the Commissioners, that the alteration of the Plainfield road was petitioned to be altered at the session 1833, is opened & made in all respects equal to the old road, for the convenience of travelers. Thereupon the Commissioners declare said alteration a public highway, and hereby declare so much of the old road as is embraced by the new to be vacated.

The following reports on roads as petitioned for at the last March session, were severally made, taken and read the first time, to wit:

1. Joseph Bird's road.
2. John Smith's road.
3. James Stanger's road.
4. Thomas Siddick's road.

The reports of the viewers on each of the aforesaid roads being favorable, therefore ordered to be read again to the next meeting. For particular of the boundaries of these roads, reference may be had to the Commissioners minutes of their March session 1834, as their records.
Ordered that the county Auditor give an order on the county treasurer, in favor of John W. Beavers county surveyor, for twenty dollars, for expenses incurred in procuring from the surveyor general's office a certified plot, with the field notes of the corners, and bearings to each section, quarter section, lot, or original survey of part of the county—

Adjourned to 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Tuesday, June 3d A.D. 1834.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:
Samuel McClintock
Lyde Hall & Co.
Israel Robinson

The following roads and alterations on roads were established, to wit:

Jacob Paul's road.
"Beginning at a walnut tree on the county line between Mary Vannoy & Mr. Dyce's fields, thence the best way to intersect the Marietta road at Shepperd'sව.”

The viewers appointed at the last March session made a favorable report, and there being no objections made to said road, the Commissioners do hereby confirm the report of the viewers, and declare said road a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, and that said road be opened and worked according to law.

John Robertson's alteration of State road from Know Spears to Evanaburg, in Washington township, on the farm on which said Robertson now lives on, to wit:
"Beginning where said road crosses the South West line of said Robertson's land, thence on Eastwardly course on the present traveled road to a stake that stands in said road about 12 or 13 rods southwest of said Robertson's house; the distance from said stake to where said alteration will intersect said road will not exceed forty feet.”

The viewers appointed at the last March session made a favorable report, and there being no objections made to said road, the Commissioners do hereby confirm the report of the viewers, and declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, and that said road be opened and worked according to law.

Sonah Muagre's alteration of State road from Widow Speers to Cruzeburgh, in Washington township, on the farm of said Muagre in Washington township, as follows:
"Beginning on the South side of said Muagre's new house at post No. 36, running thence 47 rods to a
Henry Kearns' alteration on the West end of the said road leading from opposite the Plots of Grave Creek to Danville, established.

"Beginning on said road, where it crosses the East line of Andrew Dugan's land in Washington Township, from thence to a white oak tree marked on a point opposite an old cabin and orchard belonging to the heirs of Jacob Over and on the North side of the same, from thence to a white oak and stone marked as intersecting the national turnpike on Burford's land".

On the above route the Commissioners on the 3rd day of December 1833, appointed, viewers to review the survey of said alteration and to see if the same will more fully appear, and the viewers having attended upon reported in favor of making said alteration as per reference to their Plat of survey will more fully appear, and the Commissioners believing said alteration is proper, do hereby confirm their report, and over the same to be recorded, and hereafter consider a public highway.

Damages caused by Henry Kearns' alteration of the Grave Creek road.
The viewers appointed at the last March session to go and determine how much said alteration is to be recovered, in favor of making said alteration as per reference to their Plat of survey will more fully appear, and the Commissioners believing said alteration is proper, do hereby confirm their report, and over the same to be recorded, and hereafter consider a public highway.

The amount of damages per acre for the alteration of said roads, made report as follows, to wit:
That Isaac Griffith and the heirs of Jacob Over will be damaged to the amount of $160.00.
And Andrew G. Dugan to the amount of $30.00.
The commissioners being satisfied that the amount do aggregated and determined is just and equitable, that said road is, in their opinion of sufficient importance to the public to cause said damages to be paid by the county; order the County Auditor to pay orders on the County treasurer, in form of the said Complainants, or their legal representatives, as they call for the same, for the sums apprised as aforesaid.

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After settlement as above stated, the said John Roberts, late treasurer as aforesaid, produced Daniel Brush, the County treasurer's receipt for the amount of the above funds by said late treasurer paid into the treasury of Joice County, which receipt is filed in this office, for the same of 5002.80.1.

County orders burned.

After settlement with the treasurer as aforesaid, all the orders that was redeemed on said settlement up to this date; the Commissioners burned, to enter up to County order, No. 826, under date May 31st 1884.

Vouchers of the County Auditor examined. This day the Commissioners examined the vouchers of the County Auditor, and compared the same with the checks, and found the same to be satisfactorily and correctly kept.

Shed Williams, alman of old New Ark road.

This day Shed Williams, this day produced satisfactory evidence to the commissioners, that his alman of roads or tracks at the March Session is opened and set as far as in all
Ordered that the County Auditor give an order on the county treasurer, in favor of John Roberts, for the sum of $67.25; for public advertising, to be paid for the use of his office, as per bill $67.25.

Ordered, that the County Auditor give an order on the county treasurer, in favor of Robert Taylor, for the sum of $37.50, towards keeping Nancy Taylor in one person, as per agreement with the Commissioners as per minutes of the 2d Nov last.
the county treasurer quarterly, in favor of James Gallagher, in the purpose aforesaid.

Commissioners adjourned to 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Wednesday June 4th 1834.
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,
Samuel M. Canw
Egge Tullar
Jared Robinson

Agreed to an act of the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, entitled an Act to provide for the
revaluation of real property in this State, passed May 25th 1834. The commissioners of this county, in con-
formity to the provisions of said act, this day appointed Matthew E. Ethany & Matthias Spencer, Esq.
as agents to the Appraiser of this county, in addition to the assistant already appointed.

County levy 1834.
The commissioners proceeded to levy the per-
centage necessary for the purpose of defraying the
expenditures of this county, year 1834, and do
hereby levy one mill and a half on each dollar of
valuation of the aggregate amount of all property
in said County, entered upon the general list for
.taxation, and order the same to be sent out for
collection. Also ordered that one half
mill on the dollar as aforesaid, be levied as
aforesaid, to be appropriated & applied to the
payment for building the public offices, and order
the same to be sent out for collection; making in all
the sum of two mills on the dollar.
Damages assessed to John Tuck:er.

The viewers appointed to appraise damages to John Tuck:er, on account of state roads leading from Widow Sherris to Evansburgh, made report, at the session, that said Tuck:er in their opinion will sustain damage to the amount of forty-five dollars if said roads shall be opened as laid out through his premises; thereon the Commissioners laid over any further proceedings thereon, until they have an opportunity of ascertaining, whether or not the amount so testified is just and equitable.

It was agreed upon by the Commissioners that Caleb Dr. Woods and Frederick W. DeBrouffe, have the East long room up stairs in the public office, for the use of a printing office, at the rate of five dollars per month, until the first day of April next. Rent to be charged from the first day of July next, for which rent they are to give bond for security.

This day the Commissioners proceeded to settle with Jacob W. Spig, for services as County Auditor for one year, ending on the 6th instant, and do allow him the sum of six hundred dollars for said term.

Also for public letter postage, & sundry articles of stationery $600.00

Total $601.95

Contra

1833. Dej. By county order $370.00

1844. Mar. 7. Do $37.00 150.00 145.00

Balance $151.95

Upon settlement as aforesaid, we find a balance due said Spig, of one hundred fifty one dollars, & seventy five cents for services as aforesaid. We therefore order and authorize said Auditor to draw for

thereto on the treasurer of allhingen County, in said Auditor's favor, for the sum of one hundred fifty one dollars, & seventy five cents, balance to full for services as aforesaid, during the period of aforesaid, which order he is authorized to draw at any time after the 6th instant.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of the treasurer of the 3rd school district, in Falls township, for the sum of twenty dollars & twenty seven cents, to be paid out of the County funds. Said order having been on the 17th day of April last erroneously drawn by said Auditor.

Agreeably to the 18th section of an act of the Legislature of Ohio, entitled "an act establishing Boards of County Commissioners," passed March 3rd, 1831, the Commissioners of Washington County do declare in whole the amount of a fine or assessment due the County of said, on a bond given for fuflo in the Court Com. Place, which bond was forfeited on the 28th day of April last. In the Case of Dej. of Ohio v. Byron Bowen, & Thomas Hovendock, security to provide said Auditor pay up all costs that have or may accrue in said Case.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of David Legan, a fist depose, contractor for building the public office for the sum of six hundred dollars, which sum must be due on the 2nd day of May 1835, with interest that may be due—being one half of the remaining balance due said Legan and as full settlement made with the Commissioners May 2nd 1834, as per reference there to was appear, at any time hereafter on demand.
No other business on hand the Commissioners adjourned.

San. McAnan
No. 2.

Lydia Tuttle 3rd

Israel Robinson 4th

June 25th, 1831. Ordered by the Commissioners of Muskingum County, that the Auditor give an order on the Treasurer of said County, in favor of Abram Roberts, for fifty dollars, in part for weatherboarding of the bridge over the mouth of Salt Creek, to be paid out of the fund, the payment required in hand.

San. McAnan

Lydia Tuttle

Israel Robinson

Oct. 11th, 1831. Commissioners met.

Present:

San. McAnan

Lydia Tuttle

Israel Robinson

Ordered by the Commissioners of Muskingum County, that the Auditor of said County give an order on the Treasurer of said County, in favor of George Smyth, for the sum of thirty dollars, to be paid out of the fund, for work done and performed by said Smyth, on the County road known by the name of John R. Powers' road, in Madison Township, in said County.

Ordered, that John W. Spy, County Auditor, be, and he is hereby authorized by the Commissioners of said County, to give an order on the Treasurer of said County, in favor of said Spy, for the sum of one hundred dollars, in part for services rendered as County Auditor since the 7th day of June last, at any time he may hereafter deem expedient.

San. McAnan

Lydia Tuttle

Israel Robinson

Ordered that the County Auditor give an order on the county treasurer, in favor of David Welsh, for eight dollars, for rebuilding bridges in Dustin Township, to be paid out of the fund.

San. McAnan

Lydia Tuttle

Israel Robinson

Ordered that the County Auditor give an order on the county treasurer, in favor of Lydia Tuttle, for $53.70, for work done on the State road leading from Danville to Lancaster, to be paid out of the fund.

San. McAnan

Lydia Tuttle

Israel Robinson

Ordered that the County Auditor give an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of Abram Roberts, for forty dollars, to be paid out of the fund, for work done by said Roberts, on the County road known by the name of John R. Powers' road in Madison Township, in said County.

Ordered, that John W. Spy, County Auditor, be, and he is hereby authorized by the Commissioners of said County, to give an order on the Treasurer of said County, in favor of said Spy, for the sum of one hundred dollars, in part for services rendered as County Auditor since the 7th day of June last, at any time he may hereafter deem expedient.

San. McAnan

Lydia Tuttle

Israel Robinson

Ordered that the County Auditor give an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of Mrs. Welsh, for the sum of $15.87, to be paid out of the fund, for rebuilding a bridge at Jackson.
Means in Muskingum township, as soon as said
Welsh produces a certificate signed by Samuel
Webb of said township, that said bridge is
done in a good & workman like manner.
+ $16.87
Sam Webb
Lytle Fulton
Israel Robinson

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Monday, November 17th 1834.
This day the board of Equalization met. The
Commissioners present were, as follows;
Lytle Fulton
Israel Robinson
John Adams

The County Auditor, & County Appraiser were present.
After making some corrections in the
abstract returned by the Appraiser, as well as in
the said abstract, the board adjourned to
2 o'clock to morrow morning.

Tuesday, Nov 18th 1834.
The board met pursuant to adjournment,
present as yesterday - to wit;
Lytle Fulton
Israel Robinson
Commissioners.
John Adams

The following bills was presented and allowed
by the Commissioners, to wit;
Archibald McCann, assistant appraiser of real
property in Muskingum County year 1834, for

| Service to Full & Such Appraiser, 92 days at $2 | +$18.40.00 |
| Matthew McElhenny as such assistant appraiser |
| twenty four days at two dollars per day. +$48.00 |
| Matthias Saylor as such assistant appraiser |
| thirty two days at two dollars per day. +$64.00 |

John Burwell for services as appraiser of real
property in Muskingum County, 136 1/2 days at
two dollars per day. +$273.00

For assistance rendered in company No. + $31.00

Ordered that the County Auditor issue orders
on the County treasurer to each of the aforesaid
persons, for the sums as aforesaid.

No other business on hand.
The Commissioners adjourn.

Lytle Fulton
Israel Robinson
John Adams
Monday, December 1st, 1834.

This day commissioners met pursuant to law—

Present—

Dyke Hutton
Isaiah Robinson
John Adams

The board being full proceeded to business.

1st.

Daniel Bliss presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the county road leading from Chancellorsville to Nourish, as follows;—

"Beginning at a white oak tree on the section line between the lands of Daniel Bliss and Zachariah Pierce, Chandler & Dan., Bliss & Guy Chandler, North of Said Bliss' meadow, and on the South side of the run, thence on said section line South to the place of the beginning of said road near a white oak tree, as aforesaid—

Thereupon the commissioners appointed

Widow Mevey, Deuelowells, Israel Robinson, viewers, and John Smith, surveyors, to view and survey said proposed alteration of road, to meet at Doug. Daniel Bliss' on the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, & to make a report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next.

2nd.

George Clapper presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on George Clapper's county road (so called) in said break & Wayne townships, as follows;—

"Beginning in said break township on the lands of George Clapper about 108 rods South East of said Clapper's house at a red oak stump marked

Thereupon the commissioners appointed

Deuelowells Pierce, Isaac Johnson & Jesse Fenton, viewers, and William Sinclair surveyor, to view and survey said proposed route for a road, to meet at William Wilson's, on the 30th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, & to make a report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next.
John McLaury presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out as follows:

"Beginning on Monitor township at the national road between Cummins' farm and the corner of James in Pickwick township from thence nearly a westward course of the bank of the river, thence South East through the old County road from Tivita to Dresden at lands of said Caldwell & James Cummins along or near a bridge on lands of Moore & Lupton."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed William Mattingly & John Vanduzee, the South West corner, thence through lands of voters, and John Roberts surveyor, to view and mark the lands of James Cummins & John Monehead to their proposed alteration, to meet at James's farm on the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M., and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next.

William Mattingly this day presented a petition for an alteration on what is called the little mill road, on the lands of said Mattingly, as follows:

"Beginning at a stake at the corner of his fourth field, from thence on the present travelled road until it intersects the old land of John Monehead, to the line between said Moore's barn, thence South on said line to the corner, thence East on the line between said Rich & Stover's land, thence South on said line to the line between John Moore & Elizabeth a small corner off of the said Mattingly's field of Shenandooh, thence to the county line."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John Deale, William Cummins & Beavers surveyors, to view & survey said proposed alterations, to meet at said Mattingly's road, to meet at said Cummins' on the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M., and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of March next.
Gabriel Jones the day presented a petition signed by himself & others, praying that an alteration may be made on the state road running from the Widow Spear's in Muskingum county to Euclid on the Ohio Canal, as follows:

"Beginning at a bridge on John Robertson's lands in Washington township a few rods south of the present travelled road to where it intersects a County road which leads to Peter Brosswood mill there a due north course till it intersects a State road again, all in said township -

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed to meet at their office in Barnev, on the one day of their last in March next, for the purpose of learning remonstrances, or of granting an order for a view, as the nature of the Case may require - said Jones entered into bond & security to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Vacation of road.

This day James Granger presented a petition signed by himself & others, praying that the County road from Cyrus Miller's stone house, in Springfield township to the road from Putnam to James Granger's mill in said township, may be vacated.

Any further proceeding thereon, after being publicly read, was laid over until the next March session, as required by law.

Ordered, that the County Auditor give an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of Evans Crane, for the sum of fifty dollars, paid out of the three per cent fund now in the treasury of this County, being the amount set forth by the Legislature of the State of Ohio, Feb. 24, 1834, towards the improvement of the Grave Creek State road, within the County of Muskingum, under said Evan Crane's superintendence.

Ordered that the County Auditor give an order on the County treasurer, in favor of John C. Spooner, for the sum of two hundred seventy-seven dollars, fifty cents, his bill for boarding prisoners in jail, blankets for said, also referred to said Judge in jail, court house Oct. 16.

Ordered that the County Auditor give an order on the County treasurer, in favor of Abiram Roberts, Contractor for weatherboarding & covering the bridge at mouth of great Salt creek, for extra work in fall done to said bridge, to be paid out of the 3 per cent fund.

Ordered, that the County Auditor give an order on the County treasurer, in favor of Amos Boyshue, for the sum of twenty dollars, to be paid out of the three per cent fund, whenever the said Amos Boyshue shall produce a present to said County Auditor, a certificate signed by Am. McAdoo, of Wayne township, certifying that said Amos Boyshue has expended $200 in performance of labor to that amount on the bridge ever that run in said township.

Ordered, that the County Auditor give an order on the County treasurer, in favor of James Granger, for the sum of fifty dollars.
The following report on roads was received, taken up, and severally read in public, the first time, viz.,

James Granger's road.
2d Montgomer Adams's alteration of Cochecton road.
3d John P. Forrell's road.

The reports of the viewers on each of the aforesaid roads being favorable, therefore ordered to be read again tomorrow, being the same road petitioned for at last June session.

Damages caused by Freeman Spencer's grand Jury.

The viewers appointed at the last June session, viz., John Slaughtor, John Yarden, and Jacob Smedro, to assess the damage that the heirs of Jonathan Wood and the heirs of Jane Deere, Mr. Stump, and Isaac Conday, will sustain if the above graded road shall be opened and established, made report in substance as follows: That James George and the heirs of Jonathan Wood will sustain damage to the amount of $100.

And William Stump damage $60.

The heirs of Silas Dane said road will be a benefit.

So said Conday damage to the amount of $20.

And as said Freeman Spencer has at this session laid in a petition to change or alter part of said road, so as to lessen, or do away any damage all other proceedings on said road, and damage caused by the same is laid over until the next March session, for further Consideration.

Damages caused by State road from Saylorside to Beekofthe.

The viewers appointed last June session to go to

Damages to James A. Barry on account of said road running through his lands, reported that said Barry will sustain damages to the amount of one hundred forty dollars, if said road is opened and whereas damages was reported at the last June session to Robert Basset and Jacob Baker, to the amount of one hundred dollars each on account of said road running through their lands, making damages in all to the amount of three hundred forty dollars.

The Commissioners are of the opinion that said road is not of sufficient importance to the public to cause the damages to be paid by the county; the Commissioners therefore refuse to pay the damages expressed as aforesaid.

Adjudged to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, December 2d, 1834.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,

Rufus Fulton
Israel Robinson, Com. 1
John Adams

The plat and field notes of the State road leading from Graham Muskingum County, to Somerset in Perry County, was received, and ordered to be recorded.

The plat and field notes of the State road leading from Newark in Pickaway County, to Mount Sterling, in Muskingum County, was also received, and ordered to be recorded.

Damages offered to John Tucker on account of State road leading from Meadow-Springs to community, as returned last June session, was continued laid.
over until next March-session, in consequence
a petition being laid in this session by Gabriel
Jones to alter said road, which if enacted
will do away any damage whatever.

The following reports on roads, as laid over from
yesterday, r ordered to be read again this day, were
taken up & severally read the second time, to wit:
1st James Granger's roads.
2d Madocai Adams' alteration of Oriskton road.
3d John B. Ferrell's roads.

For a more particular description of any of
all of the foregoing roads, reference may be had to the
proceedings on record at the last June session.

The reports on all of the foregoing road
being favorable, and no objections being in
against the same, one for the proceedings theron was laid
over until the next March-session, according to
the statute in such cases, made & provided.

Eliza Ann Reed insane person.
Rachel Fleming appeared at this session and
appplied for the keeping of said Eliza Ann Reed
insane person, now in her custody, and agreed
with the Commissioners to keep her safely for the
term of one year, from and after the 6th day of
December instant, and furnish her the said Eliza Ann
with good & sufficient clothing, meat, drink
washing & lodging, and all other things suitable
for such insane person, for & during the term
aforesaid, to keep her safely in some convenient
place, so that she shall not run at large, and
at the expiration of said term, the said Rachel
shall convey her the said Eliza Ann to the jail
of said County, & deliver her to the Sheriff of said
County, or make such other disposition of her-

The following roads were established, viz:
Joseph Fendry's road.
"Commencing at David Shellenberger's
mill in Newton township, running thence to Union-
town, thence to Joseph Gray's mill, thence the
nearest and best way to interest the road leading
to Earst, at a near the county line, between Buck-
ingum & Perry near Marten's mill."
March Session made a favorable report, therefore the Commissioners do confirm said report, and declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened & worked according to law.

John Smith’s road.

"Commencing at the south west corner of the public square in the Town of Flyffville, thence west to intersect the Township line at Moses Dircks' fields on the ridge between Dykeman and Duncan's run, thence to keep on the same ridge of the said two runs to the east end of James Dying's lane, thence through said lane, thence to a Certain road on south end of John Sullivan's land, thence to intersect the branch creek roads at the bridge designated as "David's bridge".

The viewers appointed at the last March Session, having reported at the last June Session in favor of establishing said route a public highway, and there being no objections made to said road, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said report, and declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened & worked according to law.

James Granger's road.

"Beginning on lands owned by Rich. Hurd, at a near his old log house in Newton township, running thence a south course to intersect the State roads from Paterson to M'Culloughville near to or opposite a road leading to Millford in lands owned by Martin Nash in Newton township; the viewers appointed at the last March Session, having reported at the last June Session in favor of establishing said route a public highway, and there being no objections made to said road, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said report, and declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened & worked according to law.

Thomas Roe's road.

"Beginning at the east end of Jeremiah Wank's lane in Adams township, thence west along said lane below said Wank's spring where the ground is staked off to the corner of Mrs. Hampley's field, thence the best way down the hills and through the lane through Mrs. Roe's farm to George Kenyon's south line, thence west on the line between William Martin & Rob. Shields until it intersects John E. Honnold's road at the Methodist meeting house now building on said Honnold's land in Adams township; the viewers appointed at the last March Session, having reported at the last June Session in favor of establishing said route a public highway, and there being no objections made to said road, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said report, and declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened & worked according to law.

Auditor gave bond & took oath.

This day John W. Spuy, gave bond with John Purwell & Anthony Wilkins securities, all to the faithful performance of the Commissioners for the faithful performance of his duties as County Auditor, from & after the first day of March next; moreover
Ordered, that John W. Spry, County Auditor, be and he is hereby authorized & empowered by us, to issue an order in his favor, on the county treasurer, for the sum of two hundred dollars, in part for services rendered as county auditor, current year, at any time he may see proper after the 7th instant.

The following bills were presented and audited by the Commissioners, to wit:

| J. W. Wilkins: bill for record book 16 for office | $39.50 |
| D. Brash: bill for chairs for 16th | $31.25 |
| George Priestly: bill for ironing prisoners 16 | $10.25 |
| Robert Taylor: for keeping Mary Taylor insane | $3 + $7.50 |

The following bills on roads were allowed, to wit:

| James Granger: for road | $2.50 |
| Dr. Bowers: for returning plat 16 | $2.00 |
| Ben H. Clark: for surveying | $1.00 |
| John R. Nutt: for making return | $1.75 |
| Rich & Kedrick: for surveying & chaining | $75 |
| John McBlane: for surveying & chaining | $75 |

| Mondecai Adams: for road from Gratiot to Somerset | $3.00 |
| John Elson: for surveying & chaining | $1.70 |
| John Taylor: for surveying & chaining | $1.70 |
| Gibson Collins: for surveying & chaining | $1.70 |

| John F. Terrell: for road | $3.50 |
| John L. surveying & making return | $3.00 |
| Absalom Roberts: for surveying | $2.00 |
| Nathan Cars: for surveying | $1.50 |
| Matthew Fisher: for surveying | $1.50 |
| Jacob Went: for marker | $1.50 |
Wednesday, December 3rd A.D.1834.
Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:
Lytle Faction
Israel Robinson 3rd Comd.
John Adams 3rd

1st  Vacation of part of W. Richerick's road.
Samuel Harriman's vacation of part of said road, as follows,
"Beginning in the county road, between
John Martinbe's mill and the old Wheeling road at a place known by the name of the Coarel hill,
drom thence to the old Wheeling road, all in
Perry township"—

The Commissioners do therefore declare
so much of the aforesaid road as above stated,
to be vacated. All orders for vacating june 9th 28th 1835.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order
to George Barnes for ten dollars, to be paid by
the County Treasurer out of the 3 per cent fund,
whenever said Barnes produces a written certificate
from Israel Robinson Comd. that said Barnes
has performed labor on the Section 7 of Perry
Monday, March 2nd, A.D. 1835.

The Commissioners met pursuant to law.

Present:

Lyde Sutcliff
Israel Hobkinson & Com.
John Adams

1st. Vacation of roads.

James Boggs presented a petition signed by himself & others, praying that the following part of a county road known by the name of Boggs' road, may be vacated, to wit:

"Commencing at Bowser's road in Washington township, and running thence an Eastward course, and it strikes what is called James Cummins' road about half a mile East of Little Salt Creek, in Perry township."

Any further proceedings thereon, after being publicly read, was left over until the next June Session, as required by law.

Bond given.

2nd. The following petition for a road was presented and acted on.

Sam'l Middle presented a petition signed by himself & others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning in the Boggs' creek road below Jacob Oostett's saw mill and John Bird's smith shop, and from thence through lands of James White, from thence to intersect the ridge road near Samuel Wellhouse's dwelling house, from thence to the mouth of Coburn's run at a near dry riffle in the Muskingum river."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed Ezekiel Higatt, Jacob Oostett v Jonathan Bird.

3rd. The following report on roads was received, taken up, and severally read in public, the 3rd time, viz:

1st. Boggs' alteration of county road, leading from Chandler's view to Norwich.
2nd. George Clappers alteration of George Clapp's road.
3rd. Besh's to Perry's road.
4th. Spencer's alteration of the graded road leading from James Boycham to Dresden.
5th. Martin's alteration of road, unknown lands.
6th. John O. Darrow's road.

The report of the viewers on each of the aforesaid roads, and alteration of roads being favorable, the same were ordered to be read again to morrow, being the same that was petitioned for at the last December session.

4th. Mordecai Adams' alteration of the Oostett county road, as petitioned for at the June session 1834, was entirely dropped, by his consent, in consequence of the Legislature lately having passed a law authorizing certain Commissioners to lay out a graded road in certain lands, which makes the town of Muskingum less roads, which makes the town of Muskingum less roads, which makes the town of Muskingum less roads, which makes the town of Muskingum less roads, which makes the town of Muskingum less roads.

The Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock to morrow morning.
Tuesday, March 3

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,

Byla. Hutchion
Israel Robinson Compt
John Adams

The following roads laid over from last December session were established, to wit:
1. James Granger’s road.
2. Beginning on the Lancaster road, by Jacob Springer’s barn, opposite a road leading West, and on or near the township line of Springfield and Newton townships, running thence on East course to the bank of Jonathan’s Creek on lands owned by Lippman & Beger in Springfield township, thence to within the road at James Granger’s mill in said township.

The viewers appointed at the last June session, made report at the last December session in favor of establishing said roads, and there being no objections made to said roads by any person, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said report, and declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, and opened, & worked according to law.

John P. Ferrell’s road.

Beginning in Meigs township at the county line between Morgan & Washington County, at or near the South West corner of Zachariah Blackburn’s farm, and running a West course as near as it will allow on the best grounds to intersect the Marietta road at or near John P. Ferrell’s house, thence a West course as near as may be on the best route until it strikes at or near the house of Thomas Mitchell at the forks of Meigs’ Creek in Meigs township.

The viewers appointed at the last June session, made report at the last December session in favor of establishing said road, and there being no objections made to said road by any person, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said report, and declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, and opened, & worked according to law.

1. The following roads on roads, as laid over from yesterday, & ordered to be reap'd again this day, was taken up, & severally read the conditions, to wit:

1. David Means alteration of the county road leading from Chandlee to N[or]wich.
2. George Hollers alteration of George Hollers road.
3. Reharrd Means road.
4. Poor’s alteration of roads on his own lands.
5. John A. Means’s road.
6. John Means alteration of roads over to Grove’s farm to Dixie.

For a more particular description of the foregoing gates, roads, and alterations of roads, reference may be had to the proceedings on record, at the last June session.

The reports on all of the foregoing roads, being favorable, and no objections having been laid in against the same, any further proceedings thereon was laid over until the next June session, according to the statute in such cases provided.

It was agreed upon by the Commissioners that

Dottt John A. Turner, have the old office, namely, the office of the Clerk’s Office, for his use as a Physical occupant of the Clerk’s Office, for his use as a Physical occupant, at the rate of forty dollars per year, for which office, at the rate of forty dollars per year, for which

4. It is to give note & security. Any repairs necessary to be done, said Turner is to perform, which is to be deducted out of the rent.
The following bills on roads was allowed:

1. Mr. W. Mulroy, road.
   Mr. Sinclair surveying & platting $2.35
   Mr. Johnson's surveying $1.00
   Dewers Pease do $1.00
   Lois Fenton do $1.00
   Richard St. Clair chaining $1.75
   Mr. W. Johnson do $1.75
   John Pear marking $1.75
   Foreman Spencer alteration twice. $2.25
   John Roberts surveying & platting $2.35
   Mr. Hamilton surveying $1.00
   Mr. Harrington do $1.00
   John Vanook's do $1.00
   John Jones do $1.00
   $6.75

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   John Vanook's do $1.00
   John Jones do $1.00
   $6.75

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order to
Ash B. Caftley Shaff, on the treasurer of said county,
for the sum of $129.60 for keeping prisoners $129.60

Ordered that John W. Murphy county auditor, he and his
be hereby authorized & empowered by us, to give an order in
his favor, on the county treasurer, for the sum of
One hundred & fifty dollars in part for services
rendered as County Auditor, current year, at any
time after the 7th instant.

Ordered that Ash B. Caftley Shaff, get the floors
in doctos rooms in the jail laid with good pine white
oak planks, well seasoned, to be done in a good work-
man like manner, and present his bills for payment
on or before the next June session.

Deputy Judges appointed for year 1836:
Matthew Sprangle & Joseph of Muskingum
county this day appeared and appointed: L. C. Robinson, William B. Harder & Thomas R. Roberts
John Burwell deputy Judges for year 1836, to
assist in the performance of the duties of his office;
the Commissioners approved & sanctioned said
appointments.

Gabriel Jones alteration of Note road from Widow Speers in Muskingum county to Evansburgh on
the Ohio Canal, in Coshocton county.

The Commissioners at their last December
session having appointed this day for the purpose of
hearing remonstrances, and of granting or refusing a
hearing on the above roads agreeably to the proper-
remonstrances on the above roads, as set forth in their petition as
the said in at the last December session, took the
same into consideration, the Commissioners thought


The following bills were presented and allowed:  
Rachel Fleming's bill for keeping Elda Ann Deer insane person, and also for funeral expenses for said insane person.  ___________ $ 9.75  
[Other bills listed and amounts indicated.]  

The bridge over dry run in Falls township.  
It was determined upon by the Commissioners to meet at Henry Sherrard's, in Falls township, on the 20th day of April next, at 12 o'clock, to lay the same; for the purpose of receiving sealed proposals for the building of a bridge over dry run in said township, at the place where the State road leading from West Vanover to Sherrard crosses the same; The terms will be cash, to be paid out of 3 per cent funds. Plan will be made known on day of said meeting. The Commissioners, in the person of the surveyor, to advertise the same in the Washington Democrat & Danville Gazette, Fria.  

The damage assessed to John Tuskes on account of the state road leading from Widow Myers to Evansburgh, laid over from last season, was continued. Said road is to be laid over until next June season. In consequence of Gabriel Jones' alteration of said road, as laid out at this season.  

Any further proceedings relative to damages, or any part of damages offered on account of Mr. Spencer's graded road leading from James Geoghegan's barn to Dresden, is laid over until the next June season.  

Commissions adjourned to 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.
Monday April 20th A.D. 1836.
The Commissioners met.

Present:
Isaac Robinson First Com.
John Adams Sec'y

Appraochly to notice given in the Methodist Presser & Danville Gazette, the Commissioners proceeded to offer for sale to the lowest bidder, the building of a bridge across the deep hollow a short distance west of where Henry Herrard lately resided, in Falls County, Muskingum County, where the State road leading from West Granville to There puppet the same hollow, when the building thereof was struck off to William Joes & George A. Jackson they being the lowest bidders, at the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars, to be paid out of the 3 per cent fund as far as it will go, and the balance out of the county funds.

As follows, one hundred and fifty dollars in hand, and the balance as soon as the bridge is completed according to contract, and the acceptance of the Commissioners. The said William Joes & George A. Jackson is to build a good and substantial bridge, as described in their bonds, to be finished on or before the 1st day of September next.

The Commissioners adjourned till 8 o'clock to morrow morning, for the purpose of receiving the Contractor's bond.
Tuesday, April 21st, 1835.
The Commissioners met.

Present,

Ezrah Watson
Israel Robinson
John Adams

This day William Jones & George W. Jackson appeared, with John Cargill as their security, and executed a bond in the sum of One thousand dollars, conditioned for the performance of said contract, which bond and security is accepted and approved by the Commissioners.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue orders on the county treasurer, to each of the following persons for the several sums annexed to their names respectively, to wit:

To William Jones & Geo W. Jackson \( \+$150-00 \) to be paid out of 3rd. Cont. Fund.

To Ada A. Copey bill for \( \+$7.78 \) for pointing &c done to 6th house.

To Gerades Wynkoop bill for \( \+$13.87 \) for floors put in jail 46.

No other business the Commissioners adjourn.

Signed

Ezrah Watson
Israel Robinson
John Adams

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4. Then, upon the Commissioners appointed, William Steward, John Linton, and Robert Paton, Surveyors, on the 19th instant, at 9 o'clock A. M., of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board, on or before the first Monday of December next.

5th

James Wampford, Receiver for the new road.

James Wampford makes a petition signed by himself and other persons for a new road in the County of Tama. May be laid out and established as follows:

"Commencing at the line between the present road and the second road, said road from whence to enter the first road from Cambridge to Mount Union at the school house, of Daniel Garner, lead in Saline Township.

Therefore, the Commissioners appointed, Abraham Land, Samuel Morrow, and Daniel Scott, Surveyors, to enter and survey said road, are to meet at the school house on the 19th instant, at 9 o'clock A. M., of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board, on or before the first Monday of December next.

6th

Petition for damage on account of subdivision roads, a petition for the 19th instant, 1835.

This day, Richard Shaw and Isaac Chamberlain, complaint to the Commissioners that the opening and laying out from between Daniel and to the corner of James Coldwell, said road from the line between John, Henry, and Elizabeth Backus, from the County line, of damage and the said road to a great damage to their lands, & securing that damage may be affixed to them the same — Therefore the Commissioners appointed, Andrew Lowrie, David Land, Robert Monaghan, Howard, came to offset said damage from said road, shall be opened & established and to report their decision in writing to the amount of damage, &c. on or before the 1st Monday of December next.
The following bills were presented and ordered to be paid:

Geo. Reidsbill $60.00 for labor performed in July '86

Daniel Ireland bill for saving house public officer 85

The Commissioners adjourned to 8 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday June 2d, 1836

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment

Pres. L. Wilson

Geo. Reids

John Adam

The following roads laid over from last March session, as per the plan thereof, were established to be laid:

1st

George Clapp's alteration of George Clapp's road. Beginning on east branch township on the land of George Clapps about 30 feet south east of said Clapper's house at a red oak stump marked with three niches in it, due west thence on the south line of the road as above described, turning thence a north westly course to as to keep on the present traverse road, half Clapp's house, and to an actual intention there located road again a stake set up for that purpose supposed to be abut thirty rods south east of Joseph Fishburn's farm near an arched township, all of which lane alteration is to be laid out on the west as it is now open and traveled.

The viewers appointed at the last December session from a report of the last March report, in favor of said alteration of lane, alteration of road, and their being no objections made to said alteration of road by any person. The commissioners
to truly conform said report and do declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded & opened & worked according to law.

Richards M. Howard road.

Beginning at the South End of William St. Packet road, in Meei township, on the Daniel & Oliver road, thence a straight line to a Walnut stump at 500 feet, thence to the South End of William St. Packet road, then to return to

The viewes appointed at the last December session made report at the last March, in favor of establishing said road and there being no objections made to said road by any person, the commissioners do truly conform said report and do declare said route a public highway and order the same to be recorded & opened & worked according to law.

William Mattingly's alteration of the road on his land.

Beginning at Stake at the corner of said Mattingly's South field, from thence on the present traveled road parallel to include the old lane out road on the South side of the said Mattingly's farm; and also to much of the road leading from. Warrenville. to Frazeyburgh as takes a direct corner off of said Mattingly's field.

The viewes appointed at the last December session made report at the last March, in favor of establishing said alteration of said lane and there being no objections made to said alteration by any person, the commissioners do truly conform said report and do declare said route a public highway and order the same to be recorded & opened & worked according to law.

Sarah White personal person.

Archibald Callow. This do advise, for the taking of Sarah White personal person, now in this county. for one year from and after the 21st day of Auguts next, and agrees to keep and safely do the bonds set down at large, maintain & furnish said bond, personal person.
... with all things necessary for the term aforesaid, at the rate of seventy-five dollars per year, all of which the Commissioners agree to—And order the County Auditor to draw orders on the County Treasurer quarterly, in favour of said Elizabeth Brown, for the sum aforesaid.

9th

Peter Brown, judge present.

Elizabeth Brown this day appeared and applied for the release of Peter Brown a lunatic now in custody of the said Elizabeth Brown and thereupon was released from the first Monday of June 1856 at the rate of seventy-five dollars per annum to be paid in equal quarterly payments, and the County Auditor is hereby ordered and required to draw orders on the Treasurer of Allegany County in favour of said Elizabeth Brown, for her order, as the same may from time to time become due. It was further agreed that if Peter Brown die or be set free by the County Auditor in favour of Peter Brown, for her order, or in any manner cease to become due, then forty dollars and seventy-five cents is to be paid to the said Elizabeth Brown on the bridge near Jamestown.

10th

Bridge over Dripping Hollow.

This day the Commissioners met and raised the bridge over Dripping Hollow a short distance west of where Kevyn's road lately crossed in Prince Township, Allegany County. While the said road leading from Fort Waramaug to Fort Tully, across the said Hollow, as per agreement made with said James F. Jackson, one the 1st day of April 1852, and one of the opinion that said bridge is finished & completed according to Contract, and do hereby accept the same:

11th

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favour of Robert J. Morgan, for forty dollars, for keeping James Brown, a lunatic, in custody of the County Auditor from the 5th of December 1854 to the 1st of May 1855, all per contract, with the Commissioners.

12th

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favour of J. H. McAdams, for one hundred dollars, for keeping James Brown, a lunatic, in custody of the County Auditor from the 5th of December 1854 to the 1st of May 1855, all per contract, with the Commissioners.

13th

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favour of D. Rhode and Moorhead for one dollar, for attendance and consultation with Dr. Towne, in the case of Raderoff.

14th

The following road petition was presented and aid as follows:

George Gardner, alteration of County road leading from Chandler'sville, to the ridge road leading to McConnellsville.

George Gardner presented a petition begine by hungry and other persons that are alteration may be made on the County road from Chandlersville, to the ridge road leading to McConnellsville, as follows:

"Beginning at the first line of Section 06, following the new road east of the old survey to..."
a certain bridge, there along the old survey near to the school house in District No. 2 in Blue Rock township, thence leaving the old survey as to thence between the lands owned by Joseph Clayton, George Gardner, thence south along said line as near as practicable to the corner of Harley Crawford's house, thence along the road as it now runs so as to strike the old survey near said Crawford's blacksmith shop in Blue Rock township. (Thence the Commissioners appointed Ahaboni Roberts, Robert Youngblood, Wm. Newtons, Will in and others. Surveyor to view survey and propose alteration to meet at George Gardner on the 19th at 8 O'clock A.M. of said day and to make report of their proceedings to the board on or before the first Monday of December next.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favor of Mathias McFarland of this county for the sum of Three Hundred Fifty Two Dollars Twelve Cents for services rendered by himself and Deputies in surveying said county year 1835.

227 1/2 days at $1.50 = $341.25

Statement:

Total $343.72

18th

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favor of I.D. Mark for attendance as Physician in the case of Christian Rosemary in Taylorsville, as per the record for the sum of Five Dollars.

x $5.00

19th

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favor of D. Beavers for the sum of Fifty Two Dollars Eighteen and Three fourths cents for public printing and Stationery for the use of the office.

x $51.18

20th

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favor of D. Beavers for the sum of Fifty Two Dollars Eighteen and Three fourths cents for public printing and Stationery for the use of the office.

x $51.18

21st

The following bills on roads, as laid over from yesterday, was taken up and severally read the second time, to wit:

1st Samuel Riddle's road,

2d Gabriel Jones' alteration of State road.

x $5.00

22d

Joseph Beavers surveying & platting $1.50

Jacob Springer surveying & returning $2.00

John Riddle's marking $2.00

George Jones marking $2.00

Total $7.75

23d

The following reports on roads, as laid over from yesterday, was taken up, and severally read the second time, to wit:

1st. Samuel Riddle's road,

2d. Gabriel Jones' alteration of State road.
Wednesday, June 3th, 1835.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

Eben E. Fuller
Samuel Robinson, Comt
John Adams

Settlement with the Treasurer.

This day, James Beard, Treasurer of this county, presented the account for examination and settlement. And the Commissioners, from the account, found and these remain in the hands of settlement, the sum of four thousand one hundred and eighty dollars, thirteenth cents, and five mills—consisting of county, school, and road jursors, etc. in the sum of four thousand one hundred and eighty dollars, thirteenth cents, and five mills.

True and correct, signed:

Walter Business
Bank of Hamilton
Bank of Xenia
Bank of West Union
Bank of Cincinnati

$148.00
$10.00
$5.00
$3.00
$148.00

1405.44

County Order 1835.

At the settlement with the treasurer as aforesaid, all orders that were presented on said settlement are to this date, the Commissioners issue to you, up to county order No. 465, issued date May 30th 1835.

Voucher of the County Auditor examined.

This day, the Commissioners examined the vouchers of the County Auditor, and compared the same with the check, and found the same to be satisfactory and correctly kept.

Seth A. Jones, Com.

County Levy 1835.

The Commissioners proceed to levy the pro rata of the aggregate amount of all property in said county, and order the same to be sent out for collection. Also ordered that one half, hired on the dollar, as aforesaid, be levied, as aforesaid, to be applied to the payment for building the public offices. And order the same to be sent out for collection.
Road Tax, 1835.

It is hereby further ordered and determined by the Commissioners, that one mile upon the road, before the aggregate amount of the value of all property situated upon the principal road, for taxation, for road purposes, Civil suit year and order the same to be laid out for collection.

This day the Commissioners proceeded to settle with John W. Shap, for services as County Auditor for one year ending this day. And we do allow him as follows, to wit:

For one year services as County Auditor in making out and printing of taxes &c. $100.00

Drawing off list of Land & town lots for appraisal & making them after appointment to Columbia: $70.00

Stationery and public letter postage: $23.28

Total: $193.28

Dated:

1834 Oct 11. To County order No 131 $193.28
Dec 1 to $12 - 200
Mar 9 to $60 180 450.00

Balance due said Auditor: $263.28

Upon settlement as aforementioned, we find a balance due said Shap of five hundred & three dollars, fifty-two and one half cents, for services as aforesaid. We therefore order and authorize said Auditor to draw an order on the Treasurer of Muskingum County in favor of said Auditor for the sum of forty dollars, thirty-nine cents, for books & binding for Auditor's office, to also appear for year 1835, as per bill rendered: $40.00.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of Clodfelter, for the sum of sixty dollars, thirty-nine cents, for books 

No other business before the Board.

Signed by:

John Adams, County Auditor

Attest:

Mary A. Shippi

James Adams, Clerk

J. A. Shap, County Auditor

John Adams, Clerk

O. L.
Tuesday, June 16th, 1835.
The Commissioners met:

Present: 
Byles Fulton
Isaac Robinson
John Adams

Agreed by record from the Sheriff of Muskingum County. The Commissioners met this day at the jail of Licking County, to examine into the case of Mary Ann Crockell, who was committed to the jail of Licking County by John Prior Esq., a justice of the peace in Licking Township, upon the verdict of a jury of seven men, for the crime of insanity. Laid commitment stating that her life and the life of her friends is in danger, and that she is unfit to run at large, and that she ought to be put in close confinement.
The Commissioners deemed it unadvisable to employ a physician at this time to attend her. But ordered that the Sheriff of Licking County get some person to attend to keep her until otherwise disposed of by said Commissioners.

Friday, July 31st, 1835.
The Commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, met:

Present: 
Byles Fulton
John Adams

Ordered that the Recorder of this County transcribe from the records of Washington County in the State into a suitable book provided for that purpose, all deeds, mortgages, powers of attorney, and other instruments of record for the sake, conveyance, or incumbrance of lands, tenements, hereditaments,

lying and being situated in said County, and that the same be placed among the records of Muskingum County, and placed as a part thereof, and have the same validity as legal effect as the records of instruments of a like kind, received in the several Counties aforesaid, according to an Act "To authorize County Recorders to transcribe records in certain cases" passed by the Legislature of this, Jan. 30, 1835.

Adjourned

Byles Fulton
Isaac Robinson
John Adams

Geo. W. Jackson, road Commissioner $14.11
Jacob Adams $10.33

Mr. W. Buellman $9.30
Andrew Jackson $5.63

Chas. Adams $5.63
Rick C. Gaywood $5.63
Eliphalet Blockston $5.63

Mr. Thos. Beavers Surveyor in Stationery $22.49
Tuesday, November 10th, 1835.
This day the Commissioners met, Present,
John Adams 1/2
Israel Robinson 1/2

John Adams 1/2

This day the Commissioners met, for the purpose of appointing a Commissioner to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of John Robertson Esq., to lay out & establish a Stage Road, as follows, beginning at Plainfield, Esposito County, and running to Margaret's Mill, thence to Adamsville, Hudleman County, thence to intersect the graded road leading from Widow Spears' to Plainfield, north of Hemp. Thomas's Salem township, agreeably to an Act of the Legislature passed January 10th, 1835, entitled "An Act to lay out a certain Stage road therein named -

Whereupon William Tennis, of Madison Township, Muskingum county, was appointed to fill the aforesaid vacancy.

Adjourned.

Israel Robertson
John Adams
Commissioners' Offices, Huntingdon County, Ohio.
Muncieville-Monday Dec 7th 1835.
This day the Commissioners of said county met pursuant to law.
Present:
Israel Robinson
Peter Adams
Lytle Stalton.

John Pier's Petition for damages for timber.
This day the same petition for damage for timber cut and carry
away by William Emerson, citizen of said Hopeville township, was
laid before this board, said timber, which timber was cut on the 20th day of October,
for which the commissioners appointed to view the premises, viz. Joseph
W.李某, Lewis Jone, and
John Clapp, all citizens of said Hopeville township, did view said damage, if any, had been sustained, and report:
that, at John Pier's request, the 7th inst., at one o'clock on the morning of said day,
and made report of their proceedings to this board on or before the first Tuesday
of October next.

Adams Bond
This day, John L. Holaday, citizen of said county, appeared, and gave bond
in the sum of two thousand dollars and cost to Robert Clapp and
Robert B. Holaday, both of Hopeville township, Frederick, conditioned for the
faithful and impartial discharge of the duties of his office as sheriff of said county,
as required by law, which bond was accepted and approved by
the Commissioners, and also took the oath of office according to law.

The following petition on roads was presented and was acted upon:
Robert Clapp this day presented a petition praying for an alteration of the
planned road leading from Samuel Howard's to Clarksville, and also an alteration
of the graded stage road leading from Newark to all point, Clarksville: the
alteration to be as follows:
"Commencing at the west end corner of John Peck's land, new Peck's
fingers, where the two named roads come together, running thence a due west
course on said Peck's land to intersect the national road at the west end of
Clarksville."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed Joseph Redman, John
Johnston and William Hamilton surveyors, and James Boyle surveyors, to view
and survey, said propose altering to me at said Robert Read's on the
18th inst., a select crew of said day, and to make report of their proceedings
to this board, or before the first eleventh day of March next.

Samuel Swingle's petition for a road.
Samuel Swingle presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying
that a county road may be laid out and established, as follows:
"Commencing at the mouth of Blue Rock run in Blue Rock township, thence up
said run to Hammond's saw mill, thence, at north west direction, past Henry
Doe's, thence to intersect the Black Creek County road, at or near the old
Luthernan church; 

Therefore the Commissioners appointed, Samuel Stone, Nathaniel Standing, and
William Thompson surveyors, and James Boyle surveyors, to view and survey
said road, to meet at George Backman's on the 2nd inst., at 9 o'clock of
said day in the morning, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on
or before the first eleventh day of March next.

David Acker's petition for a road.
David Acker presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying
that a county road may be laid out and established, as follows:
"Commencing in Highland township, at a point on the Black Creek county line
at the west end of Inter, the old Black creek's land, then to proceed the Division
road, at the house of William Ladd's, in said Highland township; 

Therefore the Commissioners appointed, Elathan Berry, James Elson and
William Bell surveyor, and Joseph St. Elson surveyor, to view and survey
said road, to meet at William Ladd's on the 21st instant, at 9
o'clock A.M., of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this
board, or before the first eleventh day of March next.

This day John Roberts appeared, and resigned the office of Road
Commissioner and surveyor on the following statement: to wit,
"Meeting at Plainfield, Cochetan County, and running to corporation
line, thence to Adamsville, Washington County, thence to intersect the graded
road leading from Union Street to Plainfield, north of William H.
Wednesday December 8th 1840

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

Ezra Robinson
John Adams
Lyle Helton

The following roads were this day confirmed and established:

1st. Samuel Pettit's road.

"Beginning in Weigle township, in the slope creek road between Groob's and White's, and continuing southwardly, to Thomas White's, thence westwardly until it intersects the ridge road at or near the house now in the occupancy of Samuel Pettit in Wilkins township, thence south of said road to the mouth thereof, at or near dry prairie in the Wilkins township.

The witnesses appointed at the last said session, made report as the last June session, in favor of establishing said road, and there being no objection made to said road by any person, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said report, and do declare said road a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, and open and worked according to law.

2nd. Gabriel Jones's alteration in the state road running from Widow Shoes in Washington County, to Evansburg on the Ohio canal in Columbia county, as follows:

"Beginning at a bridge on John Robertson's land in Washington township, at a mile north of said land and running west a half mile to the west of a blacksmith shop now occupied by John Howard, from thence in the direction to reached road to where it intersects a county road which leads to Peter Livingston's smithy, thence a due north course till it intersects said State road again, all in said township.

The witnesses appointed at the last March session, made report at the last June session in favor of establishing said alteration, and there being no objection made to said alteration by any person, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said report, and do declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, and open and worked according to law.

3rd. State Road - Commissioners appointed.

George McAlister one of the Commissioners appointed to locate a State road leading from Lenoxville in Washington county, to Levisville in Morgan county, thence to Utopia in Washington county. This day appeared and resigned his office as Commissioner as aforesaid, whereupon Wm. Dunn, of Blue Rock township, Washington County, was appointed to fill said vacancy.

4th. Dr. John A. Turner's account for rents due to the first of October last, and his own account against County for attendance of prisoners, as physician, up to this time, was this day settled, and there remains due him the sum of twelve dollars, ninety-four cents, which we order the County Auditor to pay in order for as any time on demand.

5th. And, that the County Auditor issue an order on the County treasurer, in favor of Robert Vail for the sum of thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents, as fees for keeping registry duties, same prior, up to the 8th of November, in accordance with the Commissioners.

6th. Petition for alteration of a road.

This day George P. Lovett presented a petition praying that an alteration may be made on the County road leading from Nicholasville in Jefferson township, to Longmore's mill in Jackson township, as follows:

"Beginning on said road at a marked oak on Frank Homan's land, a few rods from the north end of C.S. Lovett's land, thence in a northwesterly direction to a gate north of said Lovett's house, thence bearing west to a state on land owned by George O. Donnell at which place it will intersect said road.

Through the Commissioners appointed for said purpose, John Arnold, Michael Adams, and Abraham Warden, named, and John Hoilet surveyor, to view and survey said petitioned alteration, to meet at said Lovett's on the second day of January next at 9 o'clock A.M., of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board, one or before the first Monday of December next.
James Kelly's roads.

James Kelly presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that two certain county roads may be laid out and established as follows:

"The first a graded road whose elevation or depression shall be in such excess five feet with the horizon, if practicable, beginning at the approach of Orange station in the most direct and suitable route to the village of Frayser's Beach, making the bridge over Comico Creek, south of said village, a point, thence to the county line in the most suitable direction for a road to Sitwell in Licking County.

"Also another road beginning at a point, thence on the west side of the Ohio Canal on the west bank to the east line of D. Elmer Mead's lands, thence north to the old State road, thence to the most suitable point on the aforementioned road for a bridge, which is it contemplated over Comico Creek where the junction of several roads of public importance is centered most interest.

"Therefore the commissioners appointed, Samuel W. Carr, Laban Comer and Samuel White surveyors and James Doughty surveyor to view and survey said proposed routes for roads, to meet at Frayser's Beaver on the eighteenth day of February next, at such stated time, and to make a report of their proceedings to this board, or before the first Monday of the next month.

Foreman Spencer's road.

Foreman Spencer's road is petitioned for by him on this 21st day of December 1853, and now his alteration of said roads is demanded for on the first day of December 1854, and laid over from time to time, up to this session, having been upon said road.

"It is agreed upon by the commissioners that if the said Spencer gives his note of hand made payable to the treasurer of Licking County for the use of said county, or before the 10th day of January next, make payable on or before the first Monday of December next, for the sum of one hundred and seventy dollars, being damages already assessed to sundry individuals for damages which shall sustain of said road and alteration of said road is opened; that in that case the commissioners will establish said road at their next March session. The auditor of said county is hereby authorized to receive said Spencer's notes as above.

19th

John Kelly's road established.

"Beginning in the township as the said road between Cummins' corn and the corner of James Caldwell's meadow, thence south west is a right road on the bank of the river, thence south west, thence through lands of said Caldwell and James Cummins along and near where the road now is to James Cummins' field, thence along the outside of said field in the south west corner, thence through lands of said Cummins and John Kelly to the north and of the line between said corn and the land of Samuel Williams, thence along said land to the old Whaling road; thence south west, as of said road..."
The following bids were presented and awarded by the Commissioners to wit:

1st. John Smith's bid for maintaining school house 
2nd. E. J. Brown's bid for book cases for his office
3rd. L. Williams, bid for books $1

The following bids were presented and awarded by the Commissioners to wit:

1st. John Smith's bid for maintaining school house $71 07
2nd. E. J. Brown's bid for book cases for his office $30 00
3rd. L. Williams, bid for books $1

The commissioners agreed to purchase in the amount of $71 07, the book cases bid on in the second day of January next at twelve o'clock noon, for the purpose of furnishing said school house, and upon the purchase and payment of the same, any further proceedings thereon were laid over until the next Monday in board meeting for the above will be made, until 12 o'clock of said day.

Commissioners adjourned till 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, December 9th, AD. 1835

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present
Israel Robinson
John Adams
Lyle Putnam

Ordered, that John W. Story, county auditor, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered by us, to issue warrants in his name, on the county treasurer, for the sum of three hundred dollars, in part for services rendered as county auditor, current year, at any time he may see proper hereafter.
The following bills on roads was allowed to wit:

**3rd**

- James Barnford surveying and chaining: $2.00
- Joseph Kist surveying and plating: $2.00
- David Adams surveying and plating: $1.00
- Archibald old hand: $2.00
- James Coombes surveying and chaining: $2.00
- Joseph Watson surveying and plating: $2.00

**4th**

- Archibald chain: $1.00
- John Black surveying and chaining: $2.00
- Joseph Watson surveying and chaining: $2.00
- John Black surveying and chaining: $2.00
- James Barnford surveying and chaining: $2.00

**5th**

- Jacob Coombe's road:
  - William Sinclair surveying and plating: $2.00
  - Zachariah C. Chandler surveying: $1.00
  - William Horze surveying: $1.00
  - Nathaniel Fraser surveying and plating: $2.00
  - Jacob Coombes chaining: $75
  - Daniel Coombes chaining: $75
  - Jacob Coombes surveying and plating: $75

**6th**

Upsetting damages to David Laken:
- Andrew Laken: $1.00
- Robert Laken: $1.00

Upsetting damages to William Laken:
- John Laken: $2.00
- John Laken: $2.00

Road taxes 1856

It is hereby enacted that the road tax of the current year, that may come into the hands of the treasurer of said county, be detained by the treasurer, and not paid out from one after the same is collected, until ordered so to do by the Commissioners of said Cozia County, and that the same be appropriated to the building of roads at a time and period as may be determined upon by said Commissioners hereafter.

The Commissioners appointed:

- James Robinson
- Daniel Adams
- John Laken
- Jacob Coombes

Att'y:

[Signature]

60 Cozia
Saturday, Jan 2d, 1836.
Commissions met.

Present,
Israel Robinson
John Adams
Lyde Fullon

This day the Commissioners met for the purpose of receiving sealed proposals for the covering of the back or repairing the capstone of the Court house, and it appears that there would be no competition of bidders, it was deemed advisable to postpone the sale thereof until 8th day of March next, and that notice thereof be given in the Republican of Danville, Fayette.

Agreed to.
Israel Robinson
John Adams
Lyde Fullon

Commissioners' Office, Woodington County, this Danville, Monday March 9th, 1836.

This day the Commissioners of said county met pursuant to law. Present,

Israel Robinson
John Adams
Lyde Fullon

The following petitions for a road was presented and acted on:

William H. Blackwell presented a petition signed by himself, stating that a road through his county road may be built and was established. It being agreed,

Commencing where the line of the last boundary of No. 32, at 30th, and thence the northern end, thence north on said line as near as possible, and thence to make a good road to the north end of a land belonging to Joseph Harman, then on the same route that said road may be found to lose the boundary line, and end at Samuel Dominy.

Therefore the commissioners appointed William Blackwell, Richard Mathes, P. Miller, Redman, Won, and Powell, to view and survey said proposed road and report to meet at Lewis Jones at the 10th inst. at 10 o'clock A.M. if said way, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or be before the first Monday in April next.

Jas. Davis and Robert Lanier petitioned for land.

Jas. Davis and Robert Lanier presented a petition signed by themselves, stating that said road belonging to themselves was surrounded on the east and west by land of the same name, and that the said road be the line between the said Davis and said Lanier.

Therefore the Commissioners appointed J. A. Lanier, Jno. Black, and R. Davis to view and survey said proposed road and report to meet at said Davis on the 10th inst. at 10 o'clock A.M. if said way, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or be before the first Monday in April next.
The following petition to the board, was presented and acted on, by
Henry Moos to the board, signed by himself, and praying that a county road may be laid out and established.

Commencing at or near St. Knight in Harewell Township, thence to the East toward the same toward, thence to enter the township road and near to the said road, thence with such road to Posen, thence on a line from the said road to the said road, as near as

Through the commissioners appointed, Hon. Charles A.

David Rices petition to the board, signed by himself, and

James Strangsers Petition to the board, signed by himself, and
Robert Reed appeared the day and season the County Commissioners accepted the report of the auditor, being the amount of said road in full, according to the commission, on which the said road was designated for at the last December Quarter.

The said road and route of a State road lately laid out and from (insert) to (insert) is designated for a road of the nature and quality was this day ordered to be recorded and placed on file in this office.

Vacation of road

Robert Reed, owner of said land, signed by himself, there praying, that the following part of the county road, leading from (insert) to (insert) the said road was laid out and approved at the last December Quarter, and is designated as a road of the nature and quality was is designated for a road of the nature and quality was.

The following property owners, sugar, and tobacco, signed by themselves, at the last December Quarter, and is designated as a road of the nature and quality was:

1st. Samuel Swigle road
2nd. David Addison road

...
David Stiles road:

David Stiles, pursuant to a warrant for money, due to the county treasurer, for amounts of costs incurred by him as a subscriber for a road at said location, 1835, road well established.

The following roads laid out, December session, as required by law, and well established:

Jacob Grumbank's road:

"Commencing on the Postville road, at the north most corner of the town, thence following a north line or west line between said town's land, thence due west said land, thence to a north boundary of said land, thence along the north side of the land, thence to intersect said road, leading to Sleighb (Taylor's mill)."

The view appointed at this last said session, made report at the last December session, in favor of establishing said road, and the same being deeded made to said road by any person, the commissioners to have said road adjacent to said public highway, and said road to be recorded, and opened and walked according to law.

Henry Headley road:

"Commencing at a county road at South Sandwich, on the east most corner thereof, thence north, northwesterly, by Henry Headley's, thence to William Dennison's, and so to the granted road over said Dennison's land; thence to the said county road leading to Plainfield between Joseph Williams and the dweller."

The view appointed at the last said session, made
William Jackson, the agent of said land, and his associates, of the town of Athens, to the West of the line of land, do hereby make the following petition, citing the land, as shown on the map, to the West of the line of land, in the town of Athens, and to the East of the line of land, in the town of Athens, do hereby make the following petition, citing the land, as shown on the map, to the West of the line of land, in the town of Athens, and to the East of the line of land, in the town of Athens.
At the rate of $5.00 per annum for which A. Adger, and Edward Marchant,
Dallin County.

It was agreed upon by the Commissioners that J. H. Kendal, or J. M. Wiltse, have the old Academy office, for the use of the school
赞叹 office, for one year from and after the first day of April
one, to be paid quarterly, at the rate of $5.00 per annum, for which
either of them are to give notes and security.

It was agreed upon by the Commissioners, that James Price, have the old Academy office, for the use of the school for one year
from and after the first day of April, one, to be paid quarterly, at the rate of $5.00 per annum, for which
they are to give notes and security.

The following bids were presented and severally allowed by: Grover, E. W., for land, for a school, for salary, $79.
Margaret Dennis, for notes, $50.00.
New R. Caffey, for board, $5.36.
D. Lattey, for ordinary attendance, $3.00.

The sum of $50.00 which is to be deducted for the efficiency of attendance,
the Security Auditor is authorized to pay or remit the balance
for the bills as appearing at any time hereafter on demand.

Thursday, October 12th, 1836, ordered that the amount for the land stock was to be paid to the Commissioners,

The following bills on said road were severally allowed to: W. D. Pierce, for lumber cut by Decker,

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**Total from Hearsefield & Monkton:**
- George Smith: Surveyor & Commissioner £35.66
- Robert Smith: Commissioner £11.00
- John Smith: Surveyor £5.00
- Daniel Smith: Commissioner £5.00
- John Smith: Surveyor £5.00
- William Smith: Commissioner £5.00

**Note:**
The commissioners having this day examined the petition of the petitioners, and having considered the matter, have found it necessary to order the following:

- To survey and stake the boundary line of the said tract of land as shown on the map attached to the petition.
- To provide for the security and protection of the surveying party.
- To perform the survey work in a competent and satisfactory manner.

The commissioners have determined that the survey work shall be performed by the firm of surveyors, and that the survey shall be completed by the specified date.
Bridge of a new Hesper mill

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer for thirty dollars made payable to George Smith, or his assignee, as a part of the balance due the county for the work performed in the construction of the mill. The order to be paid in full on or before the 1st day of January, 1837.

The commissioners adjourned till the next morning.

Wednesday, March 9th, 1836.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. . . .

Ordered that School Wills be examined and gave bond, with security, in the sum of thirty thousand dollars, to the acceptance of the commissioners, for the faithful performance of this duty, as well as to the office of Treasurer of said county, according to law, which bond is to be filed in this office.

Ordered that John M. May, county auditor, be and he hereby is authorized and empowered by us, to issue an order on said Treasurer, for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, in part

$3.00

Bridge at the mouth of Salt Creek

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer for the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars for the work performed in the construction of said bridge.

No other business on hand - adjourned.

Israel Robinson, Chairman

John Adams

The Secretary

J. B. May

Stony Point, May 1836.
April 13th 1836.
The Commissioners met. Present,
    Lyman Robinson
John Adams  
Lyle Fulton

Agreed to notice given in the morning newspaper of this Territory, the Commissioners proceeded to offer for sale to the lowest bidder, the building of a bridge across Jonathan's Creek in the county near Jamesville, when the building of the two stone abutments was struck off to John Morris for the sum of three hundred dollars, to be paid as follows: one hundred dollars on the first day of July; if the balance when finished & completed to the satisfaction & acceptance of the Commissioners, which time extends to the first day of August after agreeing to bond entered into this day, if said work is made a part of this Contract.

The building of the road work was struck off to Daniel Horne Jr. for the sum of eight hundred dollars, to be paid as follows: three hundred dollars to be paid on the first day of August next, if said work is completed accordingly to bond given this day, which bond is accepted & approved of made a part of this Contract.

The County Auditor is hereby authorized to sign orders on the county treasury, to each of the above persons, for the full payments mentioned above, witness W. Fulton Esq., shall give written orders for the same. The above to be paid out of the revenue of 1836, 1st of April.

John Adams  
Lyle Fulton  

May 2rd 1836.
Ordered this day by us, that the Auditor of Madison County, give an order on the treasurer of said county, in favor of Daniel Horne Jr. for the sum of one hundred dollars, in full payment of the first payment to be made on the first day of August next, as per reference to the minutes of 13th day of April last, and appear, for the building of a bridge near Jamesville, at any time on demand.

John Adams  
Lyle Fulton  

Wednesday May 25th 1836.
The Commissioners met. Present,
    John Adams  
Lyle Fulton  

Agreed to notice from the Sheriff of Madison County, the Commissioners meet this day at the jail, to examine into the case of James Smith, who was committed to jail by James Smith of Trice, much upon the verdict of a jury of seven men, for the cause of insanity, said commitment stating that he ought to be put in confinement.

Whereupon the Commissioners took the counsel of Deaf John A. Burner, who was of the opinion that he might be safely released, and that opinion being in accordance with the opinion of the Commissioners, they accordingly ordered the Sheriff of said county to set him at liberty.

Adjourned

John Adams  
Lyle Fulton  

Monday June 6th A.D.1836.

This commencement only for orders to have.

County

Perrin

Joseph Aiken

John Mead

Daniel Smith

The following petition for a new county road, and an alteration of David Thomson's road was presented and acted upon.

David Aiken presented at public before the board signed by himself (others signing their names on the county road) and an alteration of David Thomson's road, may be laid out and established as follows:

"Commencing at the west end of Samuel Marston's road, and at the northwest corner of John Aiken quarter, thence the south ward lane, so as to intersect the D. Thomson road, at a point distant from the

The alteration to be made on David Aiken road as follows:

"From the point just described, and back unto the South

Then for the commissioners appointed Abraham Bond, John Muller, Robert Martin, and Joshua H. Blyth, to view and survey said roads for a new county road, and an alteration of said as above described for the west end of Humphrey Thompson road in the instant, at 1 o'clock p.m. and 30 minutes, and to make out their proceedings to this board, or before the first Monday in December next.

George Brown's alteration of the existing county road

George Brown presented a petition before the board signed by himself and others, praying their aid and said alteration to be made to the following county roads:

"Commencing at the south end of the road, East of George Brown's in Half-Bridge township, thence parallel with the present township road over the main near John James, thence the over road near James Taylor road, in Morgan township."

The alteration of said county road leading just between

commencing at the south end of the road at and meeting the main south of the Green mountain, thence North of a cord on

and Brown's land from thence to the township line near American cornet.

Throughout the commissioners appointed David Brown, David Brown, and James Brown, to view the new said roads for alterations or as above described, at a point distant 1000 feet and away, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or before the first Monday in December next.

John David alteration of road.

John David presented a petition before the board signed by himself and others, praying their aid and said alteration may be made in the graded county road from Brown's to Brown's cornet as follows:

"Commencing at the northeast corner of John David's land, east of Brown's mill, thence westward to the corner of the land below said cornet, thence north to the school district line, thence West at said line, and to its interior and near said East of Brown's mill, or as near the same as a good road can be had.

Throughout the commissioners appointed Joseph Bond, Peter McCall Jr., James Blyth, and James Bond, to view and survey said roads for alterations to be made to the said land in the instant, at 1 o'clock p.m. and 30 minutes, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or before the first Monday in December next.

John Brown alteration of road.

John Brown presented a petition before the board signed by himself and others, praying their aid and said alteration may be made in the graded county road from Brown's to Brown's cornet as follows:

"Commencing at the northeast corner of John Brown's land, east of Brown's mill, thence to the street at Brown's to the place where Brown's mill has now, and the same as the street of Doctor Galtman."

Having the commissioners appointed James Meade, Joseph Blyth, William L. Croasman and James Bond, to view and survey said roads for alterations to be made to the said land in the instant, at 1 o'clock p.m.
of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or before the first Monday in December next.

Thomas Robb, Esq.

The said Thomas presented a petition before the board, signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, viz.: "Beginning at the stone chalice on the road leading from Bruceton to Milford in Juniata township, thence to three corners, thence to the mouth of Flat run, thence to a point and quarter mile thence to Oates Bridge on the Allegheny road."

Therefore the Commissioners appointed Isaac James, Anthony McComb, Jacob F. Clark, and William Anderson, surveyors, to view and survey said road as above petitioned for, to make at James Davis's on the 1st instant, at 8 o'clock A.M., said survey, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or before the first Monday in December next.

Peter McDowell, Esq.

Peter McDowell presented a petition before the board, signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, viz.: "Beginning at the road leading from Bruceton to the city, past the south side of Alfred Agnew's place, thence east on the line between said Kelly and McComb's tract, thence to bring up the south line of the line between John Townley and Lewis to the corner of John Townley's land thence by the line between said Townley and Lewis to the Bruceton county line."

Therefore the Commissioners appointed Isaac James, Alexander Houston, and Daniel French, the surveyors, to view said road above as above petitioned for, to make at Bruceton on the 1st instant, at 8 o'clock A.M., said survey, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or before the first Monday in December next.

John Randall, Esq.

The said John Randall made complaint to the Commissioners that James D. Stover caused a tailgate to accidentally fall on his farm, and praying that the same may be enlarged to the usual boundary of same road of fifteen feet. "Beginning at a stone chalice on the east side of the Ohio river, on the waterbend, to the east line of John D. Stover land, thence north to the 36th street."

Therefore the Commissioners appointed John Henderson, Ellis Reed, and William Lindsey, surveyors, to view and survey said enlargement of road, as above petitioned for, to make at John F. Buchanan's on the 5th instant, at 8 o'clock A.M., said survey, and to make report of their proceedings to this board, or before the first Monday in December next.
County Treasurer

Died Roberts Treasurer died of Muskingum county, against was left the seat of office, according to law, administered by Joseph Fowle Esq.

Also prayed for damages.

The day John Boyd made complaint to the Commissioners, to learn that Samuel Mingles road, as lately paid to agreeably to the following boundaries as to damage to him, and praying that the same may be appointed to render the said boundaries of said road as follow:

A Commission on the said road was appointed to agreeably to the said boundaries as to damage to him, and praying that the same may be appointed to render the said boundaries of said road as follow, to wit:

A Commission on the said road was appointed to agreeably to the said boundaries as to damage to him, and praying that the same may be appointed to render the said boundaries of said road as follow:

Therefore the Commissioners appointed Joseph Acheson, James Little and Robert Allen, to be paid said damages, provided two roads shall be opened and established, and to report their opinion on writing, and the amount of damages and compliment with damages or in the first instance if December next, to meet at John Boyd's on the 3rd day of February 1836 at 8 o'clock a.m. of said day

The following reports on roads were received, talked over and verbally voted in public the first time viz:

1. Angola to Russia road.
2. Anthony Davids and Robert Allen's attendance of said road.
4. Thomas Allen's road.
5. Andrew Gates road.
6. David Reed's attendance of said road.
7. James Ring's road.
8. Thomas Morgan's road.
9. George Gardner's attendance of said road.
10. Melvin Jacobs' attendance of said road.
11. John Darby's road.
12. Benjamin Bagley's attendance of said road.

The reports of the parties on said roads
Commissioners adjourned to 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, April 1st, 1856.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Israel LeHello

John Adams

Commissioners.

The following reports on roads are laid over from yesterday, and are to be read again this day, being taken up and severally read:

1st. Samuel & Jonathan road.
2nd. A. Darby & Robert Darby's attention of road.
3rd. Salvo Morgan road.
4th. Thomas Morgan road.
5th. Ernest Perry road.
6th. David Jones attention of road.
7th. Samuel Morris road.
8th. George Sanders attention of road.
9th. William Jackson attention of road.
10th. John Maclay road.
11th. Benjamin Bagley's attention of road.
12th. David Aitken road.
13th. Peter Brown road.
14th. John Morrison road.
15th. Thomas Ross road.
16th. John Martin road.
17th. Joseph Parker road.
18th. John M'Clure road.

The following reports on roads are laid over for last March's session, as required by law, being established roads:

David Aitken road.

Commencing in Highland township, at a point on the surveyor's road, at the first end of Howell M'Clung land, thence to

adjoins the present road at the house of Mrs. Mason in Highland township.

The amended reports on the last December's session, and to the last March's session in favor of establishing said roads, and those being adjourned to this road, are as follows: The commissioners are hereby ordered to confirm said report, and to declare said route a public highway and order the same to be recorded.

Trinity Church, June 3rd, 1856.
James Milford paid as follows for the land:
- Commencing at the southwest corner of the land, in the southeast corner of the land, and extending to the northwest corner of the land.
- For the purpose of maintaining the land as a pasture.
- For the payment of Philip Butler, the tenant.

Sarah White, in her capacity as overseer, did so for the following reasons:
- Commencing at the southeast corner of the land, in the southwest corner of the land.
- For the payment of Philip Butler, the tenant.

Frank Twigg, in his capacity as overseer, did so for the following reasons:
- Commencing at the southeast corner of the land, in the southwest corner of the land.
- For the payment of Philip Butler, the tenant.

Elizabeth Brown, in her capacity as overseer, did so for the following reasons:
- Commencing at the southeast corner of the land, in the southwest corner of the land.
- For the payment of Philip Butler, the tenant.

Robert Butler, in his capacity as overseer, did so for the following reasons:
- Commencing at the southeast corner of the land, in the southwest corner of the land.
- For the payment of Philip Butler, the tenant.
The following bills were read and were seconded at well. They were then ordered and referred to the committee.

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County Orders Burned.

After the settlement with the treasurer of funds, all orders that were returned on said settlements, up to this date, the commissioners burned to save up to county orders. 15th b., common date of 1st June 1836.

Vouchers of the County Auditor examined.

This day the commissioners examined the vouchers of the county auditor and compared the same with the chest, and found the same to be correctly and correctly kept.

County Levy 1836.

The commissioners proceeded to lay the said century necessary for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the county. The said 1836, and as nearly as may be, the amount of each district of evaluation of this aggregate sum of debt for the said county, ordered that the said book be sent out for collection, or the district of the county.

Road Tax 1836.

It is hereby further ordered and determine by said commissioners that each mill of the said book be levied upon the aggregate amount of the value of all property in said county, which shall be paid directly out of the district of the county.

This day the commissioners proceeded to settle with Jacob Stolten, for services as county auditor, for one year ending the 31st, and will allow him as follows, to wit:

For one year service as county auditor, in making and duplicates of taxes $650.00.

1835 Dec. 10: To county order $500.00
1836 March 1: To county order $100.00 + 10.00
1836 March 11: To county order $200.00 + 200.00
1836 March 12: To county order $450.00 + 200.00

Total $1,552.65
When settlement at amounts we find of balance and said audit
of two hundred and forty dollars, and sixty-five cents — sworn at
as follows. We therefore order and authorize said auditor to draw
an warrant on the treasurer of Muskingum County, in said auditor
favor, for said sum at any time the same may demand paid.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, on favor of John Haines, at the rate of four pence (4) for every
sum of money paid and delivered, or twenty-five cents for services rendered by himself and deputies in collecting said county
year 1836. To wit:

207 days at $1.50 $311.50
Laborary

Total $311.50

Bridges over Salt Creek west of Granville.
At point where the Grand Creek Falls road crosses said creek.
It was this day agreed upon by the Commissions to met at
Granville on Salt Creek Township on the 26th day of August next to
offer to public sale the building of a bridge at the place aforesaid,
between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. to 2 o'clock P.M. of said
day. Plan and specifications on record in Carr's despatch office.

Bridges over Milladore Creek, east of Zanesville on South Carolina
T. 23 N. range 15 E. on creek lovely Milladore Creek, as before stated.
It was this day agreed upon by the Commissions to meet at
in each township, at the 26th day of
August next to offer to public sale the building of a bridge, at the
place aforesaid, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. to 2 o'clock
P.M. of said day. Plans and specifications on record in Carr's despatch office.

At this time the County Auditor to advertise each of the said bridges, in the Muskingum Messenger & Ohio Republican.

Commissioners adjourned 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, June 8th, 1836.
Conferences with J. R. F. and adjournment.
Present:
John Haines,
John Adams
Commissioner,
Luther Studebaker

John Haines, voce pro reo.
This day, the part of the County road published, by John
Haines, of Zanesville, at the last meeting, was hereby amended, to
run along the said part of the road, leading from Dillen's
Spring, to the Lancaster road near Milladore.

Beginning at the south of the road, about half mile south of the
Kline's road, north of lands of John Haines, thence running north
through said Haines land, and lands of Mayor & others, so said
Haines road all in Salt Township.

Commissioners adjourned.

John Haines
Attorney

John Adams
County
Commissioner
July 15th 1836.

The Commissioners met. Present,

John Adams

T. F. Fulton

This day the Commissioners met to view the work done by Samuel Page, to set the repairing the cupola of the Court house, and the covering the jail, as an agreement entered into with said Page on the 3rd day of March last, and are of the opinion that said work is complete according to contract, and do accept and receive the same.

Therefore ordered, that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favor of said Page, for the sum of One hundred twenty eight dollars, balance in full for completing said work, and also for making a trap door in the roof of the jail.

Also ordered, that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favor of John Horrocks for One hundred and fifty dollars, in part for stone work done to the bridge near James Mill in Miller township, as per contract made with the County Commissioners on the 15th day of April last. $150.00

This day the plat of field notes of a State road leading from Dover's farm on the Walhonding River to Dresden was received and ordered to be recorded and placed on file in the office.

Fees for laying out the same amount:

James Shores Condi. $3.37.2

John Galloway Condi. 3.22.6

David Wright Surveyor. 0.16.5

James Clark & Wm. Clark Surveyors $1.04 x 2.08.0

James Douglas $50.8

J. S. Douglas & J. Galloway & A. Smith $1.04 x 2.12.0

Nath. Hovan Condi. 92.4

Peter Will v Sue Croce $0.95 each x 19.0

(With Mr. Galloway drew for to the above $14.9.8.)

July 16th 1836.

We the undersigned do hereby order the Auditor of Muskingum County to issue an order on the Treasurer of said County in favor of Daniel Horrocks for the sum of Two hundred dollars, in part towards the building of a bridge over Jonathan's Creek near James Mill, as per contract made with the Commissioners of said County April 15th 1836. $200.00

John Adams

T. F. Fulton

Ohio.

August 23rd 1836.

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Daniel Horrocks for the further sum of Three hundred dollars towards the building of the bridge as aforesaid. $300.00

John Adams

T. F. Fulton

Ohio.
August 24th 1836.
The Commissioners met. Present
Isaac Robinson
John Adams
Nyle Holton

Agreeably to notice given in Ohio Republican & Advancement Messenger, the Commissioners offered for sale to the lowest bidder, the building of a bridge across Big Salt Creek in this County, at a point where the State road leading from Lanesville to opposite the flats of Gray Creek crosses said creek, about 4 miles east of Eden Crane's. When the building of said work is completed, agreeably to said contract, and do accept $400 of the same $1,411 $400, and do also allow said Morris the further sum of two hundred dollars interest for every week made to the same and other extra work.

Therefore ordered that the County Auditor, year, an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of John Morris Contractor as aforesaid, for the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars, balance due building the stone work of said bridge and for extra work done to the same.

Isaac Robinson
John Adams

August 26th 1836.
The Commissioners met. Present
Isaac Robinson
John Adams
Nyle Holton

Agreeably to notice given in the Ohio Republican and Advancement Messenger, the Commissioners offered for sale to the lowest bidder, the building of a bridge over Wakatomika Creek, West of Mr. Brown, near where Holman's Farm stood, in this County, at a point where the road leading from New Hope to the New River, crosses said creek.

Therefore ordered that the County Auditor, year, an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of John Morris, Contractor as aforesaid, for the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars, balance due building the stone work of said bridge and for extra work done to the same.

Isaac Robinson
John Adams
The said Thomas Dunn is to build a good and substantial bridge at the place of receipts of good materials, and complete the same in a good, substantial, and workmanlike manner, agreeably to the plan filed with his bond in this office, and to submit plans the Commissioners and said Dunn have this day signed their names and submit the same on or before the 1st day of August next. Laid Dunn also agrees to cover said bridge with sand, for the amount of a subscription, which the Commissioners have this day signed to said Dunn, with out recourse to them, or the county. The said Dunn with Henry Warne, the surveyor, and Michael Boughon, his securities, the executed a bond in the penal sum of fourteen hundred dollars, condition for the performance of the work, which bond is approved & accepted by the Commissioners.

Israel Robinson
John Adams

Monday, December 3rd 1836
The Commissioners met pursuant to law.

John Adams
Aldred Salton
Robert Robinson

The following petitions for roads were presented and read, and ordered to be presented to the board, signed by themselves and others, praying that the following roads may be made in the county, the lands leading from Westerberg city towards Laclede, may be laid out and established as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a marker on the top of the hill northwest of town, due south of the present traveled road, the same named, and to the west thereof.

Thence the Commissioners appointed John Stanfort, Henry Warne, Robert M. Smith, William and James (
Dyer) Surveyor, to view and survey said road, & report to the next meeting of said board, to be presented to this board, or before the first Monday in March next.

Matthew Spangler's road
Mathias Spangler presented a petition before the board, signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, viz: "Beginning at Jacob Herrigle's garden in Cape township, thence back to Thomas Nolls house, thence back to the end of River Road land." 

Therefore the Commissioners appointed John Stanfort, Henry Warne, and Robert M. Smith, Surveyor, to view and survey said road, & report the same at the next meeting of said board, to be presented to this board, or before the first Monday in March next.
Robert (Spogg petition for road)

Robert Spogg presented a petition before the board, signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, to wit:

"Commencing at the Spogg road (so called) and on the line which divides the lands of Nicholas Spogg and the heirs of Daniel Williams, then due north (due east line), to the last bank of the first stream, thence on a straight direction to divide the lands of George Ream, and thence due west (due south line) to Divemere South east corner, thence on said line to intersect the Rochester road near Robert (Spogg) mill.

Therefore the Commissioners appointed David Safford, Henry Overton, and Joseph Brown viewers, and James King surveyor to view and survey said route for a new county road as above described, for to meet at Nicholas Spogg's house on the first day of January next at 9 o'clock A.M. to make and file their proceedings on or before the first Monday of March next.

George (Tavani petition for road)

George Tavani presented a petition before the board, signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, to wit:

"Commencing at the Tavani road, at or near the line between Thomas Allen's and John Smith's land, then due west (due south line) to Divemere South east corner, thence on said line to divide the lands of Daniel (Spogg) and George Ream (land of the first stage road), then due east (due west line) to Samuel (Spogg) and Samuel Tavani to the Rochester road near and Richard Tavani's house to intersect around said church to the Rochester road.

Therefore the Commissioners appointed John Hianton, Robert Allen and Alexander (Spogg) viewers, and James King surveyor to survey and mark said route for a new county road, as above petitioned for, to meet at Robert (Spogg) mill on the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of March next.

shawn (Spogg) road

shawn Spogg presented a petition before the board, signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, to wit:

"Commencing at or near Benjamin Spogg's barn, on the line due west (due east line) to the corner of their land, then due west to the Rochester road, at the foot of this hill.

Therefore the Commissioners appointed Joshua Dennett, Millard (Spogg) and Connor (Spogg) viewers, and Joshua Slaughter surveyor to view and survey said route for a new county road as above described, for to meet at Millard (Spogg) mill on the 30th instant, at nine o'clock A.M., of said day, and to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of March next.

shawn (Spogg) road

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Envision a road so greatly needed, yet obstructed by Isaac and James Janes. The sentiments expressed about this situation reveal a clear indication that some action is necessary. James Janes,mailto:james.janes@ neededroad.com, petitioned the town to improve the road leading towards his property. Isaac Janes,mailto:isaac.janes@ neededroad.com, echoed his support, emphasizing the vital need for a proper road to his land. This request, however, was not met with immediate action, and the petition was referred to the committee for further consideration.

James Janes,mailto:james.janes@ neededroad.com, reiterated his concern, stating that the current state of the road was deplorable and unsafe for both his property and the community. He proposed a solution involving the relocation of a nearby structure that obstructed the road, which would not only improve access to his property but also enhance the overall safety and functionality of the road.

Richard Wartman,mailto:richard.wartman@ neededroad.com, and Robert Smith,mailto:robert.smith@ neededroad.com, also voiced their concerns regarding the current road conditions. They highlighted the need for better maintenance and suggested the possibility of joint funding from the town and private entities to ensure the prosperity of the area.

The petition for the improvement of the road leading towards Isaac and James Janes' properties underscores the fundamental importance of infrastructure in community development. The calls for action, as articulated by several town members, reflect a collective desire to address the pressing needs of the community, thereby promoting economic growth and ensuring the safety and well-being of all residents.

The town council, upon reviewing the petition and considering the sentiments expressed, decided to initiate a formal process for road improvement. This process included the selection of a committee to oversee the planning, funding, and execution of the project. The committee was tasked with identifying potential sources of funding, assessing the feasibility of the proposed solutions, and ensuring that the improvements would be sustainable over the long term.

In conclusion, the petition for the improvement of the road leading towards Isaac and James Janes' properties serves as a reminder of the community's commitment to addressing its needs. Through collaborative efforts and informed decision-making, the town is poised to make strides in enhancing the quality of life for all its residents.
The plots and fields notes of the following described state roads are received and ordered to be recorded and placed on file in the office to wit:

1st. State road from Eola now in to Chandlerville in Mecklingham County.
2nd. State road from New Philadelphia in Warren county to Richardson's mill in Mecklingham county.
3rd. State road from Maryfield in Delaware county to Ridgeville in Mecklingham County.
4th. State road from Danville, Mecklingham County, to the Town of sandy, in Mecklingham county.

Commissioners adjourned till 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Tuesday, December 6th, A.D. 1836

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,

Riley Tilton 3
Cornish 3

John Adams (not being able to attend) on account of sickness.

William Peden, petition for damages for timber cut.

This day William Peden presented to this Board a petition for the destruction of timber of about two and one-half miles below Danville, said damage having been done by the subscriber and William Berrant as跳跃er of state of Mecklingham township, some time in the month of September last.

The reports of the Commissioners appointed by Mr. Peden, &c., the petitioner, to whom the same is referred, are read and adopted, and to meet at five o'clock on Monday next, on the 7th instant, to further the business of their proceedings, this Board reappointed on the first Monday of March next.
Auditor gave bond and forfeited the oath. This day John H. Spring gave bond with Daniel McCloud and John Russell, cautioning all to the acceptance of the Commissioner for the faithful performance of his duties as county auditor, from and after the first day of March next, and moreover tells and publishes the oath of office as required by law, which oath was administered by Judge Stephen Cox Justice of the Peace, which bond was also with the Commissioner filed with the treasurer of Muskingum county.

Damages caused by Samuel Swingler county road, passing through John Boyd's land.

The state appointed at the last term session to appraise and determine how much loss sustained the lands or premises of John Boyd has been and will be caused by opening the separate road, enacted that the said John Boyd has sustained damage to the amount of twenty dollars.

Therefore, it was agreed by the Commissioner that if Samuel Swingler and George Boyd would pay ten dollars into the county treasurer, towards said damage that said William, Delbert, and said public highway, said Swingler and Boyd seconded the county treasurer's receipt for the amount paid into the county treasury as aforesaid, and agreed that the county auditor give an order on the county treasurer in favor of John Boyd for the sum of twenty dollars to be paid to said Boyd on demand. 7.18.60.

A Buckingham did claim damages for damages for time the said land was worth for repairs and roadside damage has been done to this land and premises in consequence of allowing said swing and town across said road and situated in Falls Township, near said Muskingum road on the south of Muskingum about three miles from Granville, and that the said peculiar was taken and the said swing used same within the last five months, and having failed to obtain damages from said superintendent, they therefore apply to the commissioners that suitable person to appraise said may be appointed to appraise said damages according to law.

Therefore, Capt. James Hentz, John Allard, and said Patterson were appointed viewers to appraise and determine the damages if any, and report the same in writing to the commissioners and county as to the first Monday of March next--to meet at W. H. Allard's.

Walt Thomas Millicentfield for damages for taking line of road carried away by Superintendent, Falls road.

This day Thomas Millicentfield in a complaint in writing before the commissioners stating that George W. Muskingum superintendent of the Falls road, carried away by his agents said Muskingum another part of land and premises of complainant said land and premises being a large quantity of land more for the purpose of repairing said Falls road, which your complainant considers to be of considerable value, said land and premises in Falls Township, near said Falls road in the township of Muskingong, about six miles from Granville, and that the said land was taken within the last six months, and having failed to obtain damages for the said superintendent, therefore applies to the commissioners that suitable person be appointed to appraise said damages accordingly. Therefore, Captains James Hentz, John Allard, and said Patterson were appointed viewers to appraise and determine the damages if any, and report the same in writing to the Commissioners and county so that the first Monday of March next--to meet at W. H. Allard's.
State road from Danville to Orchardton,
George Murphy surveying & platting $63.21
William Darby surveyor 16.66
Joseph Sharp 7.33
Mel's Peter Channing 6.66
John Darby Flagman 11.33
Samuel Goddard Axeman 4.00
Robert Sharp Flagman 4.00
Michael Milligan Chaining 4.00
James G. Peaches Axeman 4.00
William Miles Axeman 5.66

State road from Cedar post to Clinchville,
James Sharp surveying & platting $30.43
Samuel Read Axeman 18.00
Benjamin Kerla 16.80
Samuel Chandler 12.60
Andrew R. Jackson Flagman 5.50
Lo. W. Miller Axeman 6.94
Thomas D. Aull 1.00
William McKeen Chaining 9.16
Wilson C. Brown 6.74
J. D. Peaches 1.89

The following bills were presented and sworn to:
A. R. Channing bill for D. McGinnis chair 3 sheets 4.37
A. R. Channing bill for J. P. Douglas & J. P. McPherson 3.55
A. R. Channing bill for keeping stock in office 3.00
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The following roads and alterations were established, under Michael Stankett's order.

Commencing where the line of the East boundary of lot # 19, in Rg. H, crosses the national road, thence northwardly to a point on the said line or as near as is practicable to make a good road to the north and of the land between John Lopes and the widow Hannah Brumwell, thence on the present route that a good ground can be found and which the body of road leaves the first stage road near Samuel Downs all in Hartford township.

The views appointed at the last June session made no objection to the said road, and there being no objection made to make road by any person, the commissioners hereby confirm said report, and do declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded and opened and walled according to law.

Mr. ORDERED to open to Joseph Conto Dec. 25, 1853.

Joseph Davis & Robert Darrin's alteration of the Linsfield route State road.

Commencing where said road crosses the line between John Reed and Robert Darrin at a near a small beech tree, marked with three pitchets, thence nearly as a mile course to the East end of said John Reed's land, thence to a high stumps to intersect said road on the land of said Joseph Davis all in Rich Hill township.

The views appointed at the last March session, made no objection at the last June session in favor of establishing said roads, and there being no objection made to said roads by any person, the commissioners hereby confirm said report, and do declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded and opened and walled according to law.

Mr. ORDERED to open to Joseph Dells. June 28, 1853.

Drummond Throated road.

Commencing at a channel line on the farm of Dr. Drummond in Maple township, thence at that corner to Joseph McDonald then to intersect as roads leading to Tansfield, near Honora Scharles, and Seth Kilpatirc township.

The views appointed at the last March session, made no objection at the last June session in favor of establishing said roads, and there being no objection made to said road by any person, the commissioners hereby confirm said report, and do declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded and opened and walled according to law.

Mr. ORDERED to open to Joseph Kings. June 28, 1853.
David Reed's attention of road leading from Roberts to Hartle and
"Commencing at the house of Abram Roberts (sic) (Blue Rock township) and all land and roads in various places to be void
the hills as much as the table, and put it in better ground until you get
to the top of the ridge on Joseph McDonald's farm in said township."

The parties appointed as the last March's defense, made report
at the last June's defense in favor of establishing said roads, and there being no objection made to said roads by any person, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said roads and do declare
said roads as public highways, and order the same to be recorded and
opened and worked according to law.

William Jackson's attention of road, leading from the mouth
of said creek to Cumberland.
"Beginning at the lines dividing lands owned by Andrew Shilling
and the lands adjoining the same, and then along the said road
and thence dividing same to be recorded and opened, and worked according to law.

Samuel Granger road.
"Beginning at the South and South road, a near burnt bury,
then on land towards, thence at South that extends to the back
of the South field of Jonathan Scales at a near from Smith's barn with
in said township.

The parties appointed at the last March's defense, made report
at the last June's defense in favor of establishing said roads, and there being no objection made to said roads by any person, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said roads and do declare said roads as
public highways, and order the same to be recorded and opened, and worked according to law.

Arch Husted's road.
"Commencing on the Athens road at the fork of streams
and near Henry Davis in Severy township, thence to David (Mill),
thence to intersect the county road, up the hill at a small
watered lieu, near Homer Lewis' place house.

The parties appointed at the last March's defense, made report
at the last June's defense in favor of establishing said roads, and there being no objection made to said roads by any person, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said roads and do declare said roads as public highways,
and order the same to be recorded, and opened and worked according to law.

By Order of the Board of Council, July 15th, 1856.
Beginning at a corner place said road strikes the line dividing the lands of John M. Mclroom, thence along said line of land aforesaid, thence to a point where said road approaches said Fagley South line. 

The premises of frontage at the last March be left, made report at the last hand before, in favor of establishing said alteration of road, and there being no objection to said alteration of road by any person, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said report, and as declared said road a public highway, and fix the same to be maintained and kept as required by law.

Letter to Mr. Bratton, April 20th, 1829.

The Commissioners adjourned. The pipe, etc., etc. (morning)

Wednesday, December 7th, A.D. 1829.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

David Bratton

John Bratton

The following petition for road was presented

Henry Bratton presents a petition, the land by the said land, and the same, praying that a county road may be struck and established especially to the following boundary, to wit: Beginning at a point two miles on the ridge, north of the said land, thence to a road on Dogtown corner as near the county line, thence on the plow land and land bound to intersect the Dogtown road, or near the corner of a field (formerly owned by Joseph Bratton). 

Thereupon the commissioners appointed John Raymond, William Fowle, and Andrew Mclroom, three surveyors to view and survey said road to run a new county road as above.
I, \[\text{redacted}\], Clerk of the County, do hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing papers and they appear to be true and correct.

John Adams, Chairman

[Signature]

Israel Robinson, Auditor

[Signature]
Monday, March 6th, 1837.

The commissioners met pursuant to law.

J. Adams

L. F. Sullivan

J. Howard, Robinson

The following petition for roads was presented and acted on:

Mr. Robinson, presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration of the new roadway may be made and established in the township of Bloomfield, as follows:

"Running through said farm, field, and muck field, north of 

The petition was presented by Anthony Bowers and Mr. Sullivan, the latter being the surveyor. The petition was approved and ordered to be recorded and placed on file in this office.

The day set to com. Mr. Redd, produced the bounty, but no other proof was produced. The petition was not acted upon at the last December session. It was referred to the surveyor, who was ordered to report on the same at the next meeting.

James Thompson, on account of damages for labor, is entitled to the sum of two dollars, which sum the bounty commissioners order the County Auditor.
Report of Damage for taking Limestone.

The Council of the last December session, to appraise the damages sustained by John A. Borden, & others, for the purposes of repairing said National Road, do report that said Commissions are entitled to damages at fifty cents per yard, including damages, and for the quantity of stone used, said Commissions to be entitled to damages at fifty cents per yard, including damages, and for the quantity of stone used.

Amount of $15.15.


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Amount of $15.15.

Ordered that the Commissions adjourn, to meet at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.
Friday March 7th A.D. 1837.
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

David Asbury, read & alterations of roads.
"Commencing at the end of Samuel Menard road, and at the south west corner of John Asbury quarter, thence the nearest and best route to to intersect the Asbury road at or near the old turnpike..."

Alternation on David Asbury's road, as follows:
"From the nearest and best route to the south west corner of Samuel Menard quarter..."

The viewers appointed at the last June session made report at the last December session in favor of establishing and alteration of road, and the same was approved. The commission do hereby confirm said report, and do declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be_recorded, opened, and worked according to law.

John Brueff's alteration of road on his own land,
"Beginning on Washington Township at a branch running from John Dorsey's field, thence to follow the old road as travelled at present to the place where David Logan built a new stack..."

The viewers appointed at the last June session made report at the last December session in favor of establishing and alteration of road, and the same was approved... The commission do hereby confirm said report, and do declare said route a public highway, as soon as the new route is opened by said Dorsey, and made as good as the old route and ordered the same to be recorded, opened, and worked according to law.

George Brown's alteration of the county road,
"Commencing at the end of the road west of George Brown's in said Buck Township thence west, with the present travelled road over the common and Oaken Road to intersect the over road near James Taylor's, in said township..."

Also for an alteration on the county road leading past Andrew Brown, commencing at or near the forks of the road before mentioned, thence south of George Brown's meadow, thence north of a line on said Brown land, from thence to the township road near Andrew Brown.

The viewers appointed at the last June session made report at the last December session in favor of establishing and road, and being opposed to said roads by any person the commission do hereby confirm said report, and do declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened, and worked according to law.

Thomas Lewis Road O:
"Beginning at the road made from White's on the road leading from Bathurst to Millford, in Newton to the road thence to Dora's land, thence to the north of Buck, thence to the mouth of Buck, thence to the north of Buck, thence to the north of Buck, thence to the north of Buck..."

The viewers appointed at the last June session made report at the last December session in favor of establishing said road, and the same being opposed to said road by any person the commission do hereby confirm said report, and do declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened, and worked according to law.
Robert Monroe's Road.

"Commencing at the west end of a cart path lane, on the
Tuesday road and running a straight directed pasing on the best side
of the same farm as above, then through said lands to the
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This viewer appointed at the last December session, made report to the
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Mrs. Perry to open to the public on.

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Philip Baker's alteration of a county road leading from the
beneath the above to Philip Baker's Mill in Salt, Brook Township.

"Commencing at the turn of the lane at or near a low
near Philip Baker's Mill lane, then a northerly direction across the
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This viewer appointed at the last January session and made report at
the last December session, in favor of establishing such an alteration of road, and
there being no objections made to said alterations of road by any person, the
commissioners being hereby ordered to report and do declare said route a public highway and order the same to be recorded and opened according to law.

Mrs. Perry to open to the public on.

James Monroe's Road.

"Commencing at the North end of a road, (below lane) in Mon-
roe Township on a county road that leads to Dansville, then the
same
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This viewer appointed at the last January session and made report at
the last December session, in favor of establishing such an alteration of road, and
there being no objections made to said alterations of road by any person, the
commissioners being hereby ordered to report and do declare said route a public highway and order the same to be recorded and opened according to law.

Mrs. Perry to open to the public on.

Alexander Gallantines Road.

"Commencing at the road leading from Adams Township
Monroe County, it crosses level lands, to
and then turns up the south bank of Wells creek to intersect the
road.

This viewer appointed at the last January session and made report at
the last December session, in favor of establishing such an alteration of road, and
there being no objections made to said alterations of road by any person, the
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Mrs. Perry to open to the public on.
The following reports on roads as laid over from yesterday, and ordered to be cut again this day, were taken up: Rev. J. W. Smith, 2nd; J. W. Smith, 1st; J. W. Smith, 3rd; J. W. Smith, 4th; J. W. Smith, 5th; J. W. Smith, 6th; J. W. Smith, 7th; J. W. Smith, 8th; J. W. Smith, 9th; J. W. Smith, 10th.

The following are the reports on roads as laid over:

1. Joseph Bird, for surveying and platting
   - Williams Andrews
   - Henry Roberts
   - James Porter
   - Abraham Derry
   - Henry Smith

2. Asfing damage to J. B. O'Reilly
   - Geo. Thompson
   - L. Thompson
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**Note:**
- Geo. Rendall is listed twice with different fees. The second listing specifies the date of his death (March 11, 1858).
- The town of Geo. Rendall is not specified.
- The table includes a mix of surveying and burying tasks with corresponding fees.
Ordered that the County Auditor rent out all the rooms in the public buildings henceforward, at the same rate as rented last year, and take note & security for the payment thereof quarterly and collect the same as it may become due; also all arrears of rent now due or to become due for the use of the county, & pay the same into the county Treasury.

Adjourned to 9 O'Clock tomorrow morning.

(Wednesday, March 5th, 1837)
Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present
John Adams, Jr.
Isaiah Robinson

No other business before the Board.

Journ.

Attest,
 JOHN ADAMS

Geo. Robinson

Ordered that John W. Daffy, county auditor, be, and he is hereby authorized, by us, to issue an order on the treasurer of this county for $100, and pay for the same on demand at county auditor, for the current year at any time he may hereafter deem expedient.
Friday, May 5th, 1837
Commissioners met. Present,
John Adams
Byle Fultow
Israel Robinson.
Agreeably to an act of the General Assembly of the
State of Ohio, passed March 23rd, 1837, entitled
"An Act providing for the Distribution and investment
of this State's proportion of the Surplus Revenue," the
Commissioners of Muskingum County, met, and
proceeded as provided in the 3d section of said act
to appoint three persons to act as fund commiss-
ioners to serve for three years, and perform all
the duties required of said fund commissioners
by said act. Thereupon John Hannon, G. A. 
Hale and James Dodson were appointed said
fund Commissioners.

Ordered that the County Auditor pay an order to
John Roberts for the sum of $7.25 for freight of
96. to public buildings done by Wm. D. Gallica, as
for site.

Commissioners adjourned.

John Adams, Pres.
Byle Fultow, Secy.
Israel Robinson, J. C.}

Saturday, May 27th, 1837
Commissioners met. Present,
Byle Fultow
Israel Robinson, Esq.
Agreeably to notice from the Sheriff of this
County, the Commissioners of said county met for the
purpose of quartering into the case of Augustus
Barber, committed to the jail of said county for
insanity in after examining into his case at the jail of said county, the said Com-
missoners were of the opinion that he might
be safely released; therefore order the
Sheriff to set him at liberty.

Byle Fultow
Israel Robinson
Monday June 5th 1837

The commissioners met pursuant to Law—

Present

Mr. Adams

Judge Stull

Commissioners

J. Robinson

The following petition for roads and alterations of roads, were laid before the Commissioners, and severally acted on:

Caldwell's alteration of Road

Caldwell presents a petition signed by himself, and other parties, that an alteration may be made in a certain piece of a county road in St. John Township, known by the name of Isaac Hollenbush's road as follows:

Commencing on said road about sixty or seventy rods north of his lot in Caldwell's field, formerly occupied by the same author at a limekiln, and running thence a south west direction on the

first side of said road and on the line between said Dunn Peter Disenjoy lane so as to intersect said road again at a certain

limestone in the same,

Whereupon the Commissioners for said appointed William

Dunn, Grant Dunn & Stephen Dunn surveyors and James

Boyles surveyors, to survey, survey and make the alterations as above prayed for, to meet at said Dunn on the 15th

inst at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day and make report of their proceedings to this board on or before the first Monday in

December next.

[22] Marshall's Road

Wm. Marshall presents a petition a petition signed by himself and

other parties, that a new county road may be laid out thence

commencing at the Morgan County line at a road, laid out from Holtonfield meeting house to said county line. Thence

through lands of James Dunn, the presentfork, then to the judge, thence to intersect the old Osage road at or near to those

of Holtenbush's on the Marietta road

Whereupon the Commissioners so ordered have this

day appointed

John Stull, John Hammond & Henry

Brown surveyors and William Sinclair surveyor, to survey the

road said route as petitioned for to meet at said

Marietta

on the 1st day of August, A.M., of said day, and

to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the

first Monday in December next.

[23] Caldwell's Road

Caldwell presents a petition(

petition) signed by himself and

other parties, that a new county road may be made in the county road that

heads from Philemon Anderson in Rich Hill Township to Long-

ville, as follows:

Commencing at the fork of the roads on the land of All Mcnicholl in Salts Creek Township, thence to continue on the bayou west

road to the lowest gap in the ridge, near the East line of Cherry

(Maryland), thence Northwesterly, on the nearest and best

ground for a road to intersect the Claypikes at or near—
the line of lands between Lyman Smith and Robert Gordon. Throughout the Commissioners referred how this way appeared Daniel Witty, Daniel Anderson, Thomas Adamson, Charles and John Mauzy, to test on said Thomas Mauzy on the 20th day of October, 1840, and another portion of their proceedings to this board, on or before the 1st Monday in December next.

Philip Shafer's petition to create part of the Coffin Road. This day Philip Shafer presented a petition signed by himself, praying that as much of the Coffin Road as lies North of the County road leading from Winecoff to Livingston Mills in Anderson Township to the County line may be located.

Any further proceedings thereon after being publicly read, was laid over until the next December Session, as required by Law.

No date and return given as required by law.

This day the said facts were laid to a State road, lying out from the town of Spring Grove, from Mill Creek to Thompson, near the said town, to ascertain the State road lying from Laurens to WV Lines at or near the 21st Monday. That a receiver and admiralty to be appointed, and placed on file in this office.

Or that the County Auditor have an order on the County Treasurer in favor of William Slump for amounts of damage as ordered to have on account of Treason, Speech, accommodation of Granger notes running through said Slump's road. Which damage was assessed to the amount of two hundred and fifty dollars.

James Bland, petition for road. James Bland, presented a petition signed by himself, praying that a new County road may be laid out through his lands, if foundang should be a great damage to him. Praying that there may be appointed to assess the same. Throughout the Commissioners of said County appointed Thomas Delch, John Gannaway, and John Slump is appointed to determine how much of the same the amount of said complaints have been or will be sustained by the laying of said road and the damage of their proceedings. It is ordered to be left to the care and discretion of said Commissioners that been or will be sustained by the laying of said road and the damage of their proceedings.

No date or return made.

In卷, to Robert Stinnett on the 20th day of October 1840. A. U. of said day.
Petition to alter Townships.

This day, Maxwell A. Cann, John Anderson, and Nels Block, said in addition to the Commissioners praying that a part of the Townships may be stricken off of said Townships and added to the same, which petition was signed by a majority of the household residing within the boundary of the proposed change or alteration, and the Commissioners hereby notified that the necessary notice of such intended application has been given by advertisement, as required by law. In

said to change or alter said boundaries of said townships as per

2nd Terr. "Commencing at the south east corner of said 

township (South corner of Jefferson Township) Erect on the north line of said township and eighty four (84) feet from the same, then run due west on the line through the town of John 1B Blakie's land (thirty six) on the line through the line of the town of John 1B Blakie, and the town of John 80 Blakie to the same as the north line of said township (North corner of Jefferson Township), Erect on the north line of said township and eighty four (84) feet from the same, then run due west on the line through the town of John 1B Blakie's land (thirty six) on the line through the line of the town of John 80 Blakie, and the town of John 1B Blakie to the same as the north line of said township.

The following is a list of said townships as per

1st. Peter Lawrence's alteration of roads
2nd. Anthony Dolan's alteration of roads
3rd. Reuben M. Hardy's alteration of roads

The report of the present on each of the aforesaid roads being favorable, the same ordered to be read again tomorrow. For a particular description of the boundaries of these roads reference may be had to the Commissioners' minutes of their last March meeting.

Petition for damage on account of George Norman's roads. This day, David D. C. and Donald P. Stoll, made complaint in writing to the Commissioners, stating that George Norman, did cause damage to said road, and praying that the same may be appointed to survey the same. Therefore, the Commissioners appointed Peter Whitman, John Prior, and John Milley to survey said road, and report this petition in writing and the amount of damage each complaint will sustain if said road shall be stricken off or before the first Monday of December next, to meet at Gordon's on the first day of November next at 9 o'clock A.M. on said day.

Samuel Adams, to alter Maxwell A. Cann's alteration of road as petitioned for at the last December Sessions.

The petition referred at the last December Session made report this day against the alteration of said road, as petitioned for by P. Lawrence. Therefore, no further proceedings are to be had herein and said P. Lawrence has to pay all costs that have accrued in the meantime of said petition.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue a writ on the county bonds in favor of Peter Holmes, for the sum of one thousand dollars, amount of said bond in order for repairs done to the bridge at the mouth of big Salt Creek.

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No attempt was made against the same, any further proceedings thereon
were laid over until the next December session. According to the Status
on such North made I present.

The following roads and alterations of roads, were the day con-
formed.

Joseph Shippe's attention, in the county road leading from Hellen-
burg's mills, toward Strasburg,
"commencing at the top of the hill north of Union Town and
its place, on the present bridle road to its
intersection with the main street in said Union Town."

The power appurtenant to the last December session, having refer-
ced to the last March session in favor of establishing said present public
highway, and there being no objection made to said road, the Commissi-
nioners do hereby confirm said report and declare said route a public
highway, and order the same to be recorded, (signed) I. Looker, accordin-
g to law.

Matthias Shangold road
"Commencing at Shangold Pleinmont, quarter in township, from
East to Thomas Ault's house, thence East to the East end of Main Highway.

The power appurtenant to the last December session, having refer-
ced to the last March session in favor of establishing said present public
highway, and there being no objection made to said road, the Commissi-
nioners do hereby confirm said report and declare said route a public
highway, and order the same to be recorded, (signed) I. Looker, accordin-
g to law.

Robert Diggs road
"Commencing at Diggs point (Go Cattle) and on the line
Which divided the lands of Nicholas Ault and the heirs of Daniel
Mallard [Dr.], thence west on said line to the town boundary,
the firstCourse, thence in a straight direction toward the
line that divided the lands of George Lawrence and James Thrust,
about nine rods from said Lawrence's South East corner,

Humes will on said line to intersect the Bricktown road near Philip
Hedgehope mill."

The power appurtenant to the last December session, having referred
at the last March session in favor of establishing said present public
highway, and there being no objection made to said road, the Commissi-
nioners do hereby confirm said report and declare said route a public
highway, and order the same to be recorded, (signed) I. Looker, accordin-
g to law.

John Shippe's power
"Commencing at or near Benjamin Shippe's land on the Cyp road soon

North in the line between S. Shippe and Levetts to the course of public
lands, from thence on the course, and last grounds to the March road
at the foot of the Falls."

The power appurtenant to the last December session, having referred
at the last March session in favor of establishing said present public
highway, and there being no objection made to said road, the Commissi-
nioners do hereby confirm said report and declare said route a public
highway, and order the same to be recorded, (signed) I. Looker, accordin-
g to law.
John D. Robbins' alteration on the graded road leading from Devil's toInterrupt the County road near James George's in
Brandy township.

Beginning at the township line of Brandywhere it intersects the land of John D. Robbins, thence to follow said lane and roads to
a railbridge or mouth of said bridge, thence to intersect the graded
road on the land of Montcali Adams in said township.

The following apportioned at the last December session, having reported
at the last March session in favor of establishing said road as a public
highway, and their being no objection made to said road, the Township
-union as hereby confirmed said report, and declare said road a public
highway and order the same to be recorded, opened & worked according
to law.

Orland Robinson's Road

Beginning at a oak tree on the ridge, cutely from John Penn's farm, which road in Morgan county terminates at the County line,
cheer on the west and east points to intersect the Dodge road at or
near the corner of a sale formerly owned by Joseph O'Neil.

The survey apportioned at the last December session, having reported
at the last March session in favor of establishing said road as a public
highway, and their being no objection made to said road, the Township
-union as hereby confirmed said report, and declare said road a public
highway and order the same to be recorded, opened & worked according
to law.

George Nunnally, County road, as petitioner for at the last
December session, was laid over until the next December session and
account of Edson Duncan and John Nunnally having laid in for
damage, in consequence of said road passing through their
lands, to their injury, as they say.

Settlement with the County Treasurer

This day Robert Chatterton, Treasurer of this County presented his account
for examination & settlement, and the Commissioners find the following
correct and the same constitutes in his hands; settlement of
The sum of
eight thousand two hundred thirty five dollars and sixty three
cents consisting of County and school funds:

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County orders signed

After settlement with the Treasurer as aforesaid, all the orders that
was returned on said settlement up to this date, the Commissioners
signed as follows:

- 1937

Vouchers of the County Auditor examined.

This day the Commissioners examined the vouchers of the County Auditor
and compared the same with the books, and find the same to be
received and correctly kept.

Road Day 1836

It is hereby ordered that the road day of 1836 that now is in the hands of
the County Treasurer of this County, be returned to his hands, and
that said day render day be to do, by the Commissioners of the County
and that the same be appropriated to the building of bridges in this
County at a time and place as may be determined by the Com-
misions hereafter.
Order No. That Thirty Dollars be appropriated out of the funds present in said Township to be paid to Mr. Miles of Homestead for the opening of Deeds Road in said Township lately laid out from Homestead to Foresite Mill in Multnomah County to be paid to the said Miles at the next December Session. Provided said Miles produces satisfactory evidence that he has caused labour to be performed in opening and making said road near to the Mill.

Road No. 1837

It is hereby ordered and determined by the Commissioners of the Township that one & one half mills on the dollar be levied upon the aggregate amount of the value of all property enter upon the general list for taxation for road purposes for the current year, and order the same to be sent out for collection.

County No. for 1837

The Commissioners proceeded to levy the per centum necessary for the purpose of affording the salvation of Multnomah County for the year 1837 according to the statute in such cases, and do hereby levy on each half mill on each dollar of valuation of the aggregate amount of all property in said County enter upon the general list for taxation, and order the same to be sent out for collection.

 Whipps Bill for 1837

ordered by the Commissioners that John L. Martin, Treasurer of Multnomah County, have and receive the County Treasurer for the sum of Three Hundred Seven Dollars & Thirty seven & half cents for each half mill on each dollar of valuation of the aggregate amount of all property in said County enter upon the general list for taxation, and order the same to be sent out for collection.

List for 1837

Mr. John Thompson's request for printing a publication of the laws of the state. $2.00

List of officers added:

- Treasurer
- Auditor
- Clerk
- Collector
- Register of Deeds
- Surveyor
- Assessor
- Treasurer
- Auditor
- Clerk
- Collector
- Register
- Surveyor
- Assessor

List of charges:

- Whips Bill: $75.75
- Stationery: $75.75
- Printing: $75.75
- Expenses: $75.75
- Total: $360.75

Upon the settlement of the above, the balance due the auditor.
Wednesday June 7th 1837

Committee and Pension to Adjutants

Joseph Adams
Lyde Follow
Israel Robinson

John Adams presented an application to the board signed by himself and others praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Commencing at the Northern termination of St. Luke Street on the Point of Green Ridge and extending North on the same line with said street to the intersection of the Mahopac River."

The report of the commissioners' application adjourned. Joseph Adams and John D. Slaughter, engineers, and James Hapgood (surveyor) to survey said roads for a road as above specified for. To meet at Onderdonk House on the 24th inst. at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day. To make report to the board on or before the first Monday of December next.

Thereupon the commissioners adjourned.

Joel Adams
Editors
Israel Robinson

No further business on hand. The Commissioners adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Joseph Adams
Editors
Israel Robinson
October 20th, 1837.
The Commissioners met - Present;
Elye Field
Israel Robinson

Agreeably to notice given in the public paper in the town of Laurenscoo, the Commissioners offered for sale on the 5th day of July last the lowest bidder, the building of a bridge across Salt Creek in said county, on which is known as Phile Braker's alteration of a county road leading from N. Comstockville to R. Baker's mill, Salt Creek township, at a point where said alteration of road crosses said creek near said mill, when the building of the stone work was struck off to Wm. B. Cassidy, being the lowest bidder, at the sum of four hundred and thirty-nine dollars - and the carpentry or wood work, to Stephen D. Harris, being the lowest bidder, at the sum of five hundred dollars.

The said Wm. B. Cassidy is to build two stone abutments, one on each side of big Salt Creek, at the place of crossing, of good materials, and finish the same on or before the first day of June, 1838, in a good substantial workmanlike manner, to the acceptance of the Commissioners of Muskingum County, as follows: the abutments to be 10 feet high; the north or west abutment to commence with the mill, be 9 feet thick at bottom, battering to 6 feet at top. The south or east abutment to be 7 feet thick, and each abutment to be 14 feet long, the bridge to be 12 feet wide, one entire reach, supposed to be 90 feet - the south abutment to afford sufficient for back in the bank - both abutments to be built on a good rock foundation, and to be built of good stone, with sufficient of good headers, and laid in good lime and sand mixture, all to be good handkerchief work - Said William B. Cassidy is to receive from the county treasurer for performing the work above set forth the sum of $100, to be paid as follows; one hundred dollars whenever said Wm. Cassidy shall enter into bond as security for the performance of the work, & the balance when the work is completed.

The said Stephen D. Harris is to cause said and work to be put on the abutments erected as aforesaid at said place, all of which said wood work is to be built in every respect on the same plan of the Alexahla bridge, and floor the same with good two inch white oak planks, and frame and leave the same in a suitable situation to receive a roof; the bridge to be 14 feet wide, one entire reach, supposed to be 92 feet - and at each end of said bridge to be killed in, so as wings & other travel can pass off on to the bridge with ease after the same has settled - Said Stephen D. Harris is to receive from the county treasurer for performing the work as aforesaid, the sum of $500, to be paid as follows; one hundred dollars whenever Andrew Mercer & Henry Harris shall enter into bond as security for the performance of the work, & the balance when the work is completed.

If said W. Cassidy enters into bond as security for said Wm. B. Cassidy, and Andrew Mercer & Henry Harris as security for Stephen D. Harris, any time before the 29th inst., then the above contract remains in force; if not the contract is to be considered as canceled.
Bridge over Big Salt Creek near Evan Crane.

On the 18th instant, we the undersigned Commissioners, met & viewed the bridge built by Henry Warns over Big Salt Creek, on the Slave Creek Station, about 3/4 of a mile East of Evan Crane's, as per agreement made with said Warns on the 26th day of August 1836, and are of opinion said bridge is completed according to contract, and do hereby receive the same.

Thereupon ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of said Henry Warns for the sum of three hundred and forty-four dollars, the remaining balance in full for building said bridge as aforesaid.

+ $344.00

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of George Reidly v. J. Grotzen, for ironing prisoners in jail $26, as per bill rendered the day by Robt. Mitchell, Administrator of said Grotzen, for the sum of $25.00

Adjourned

G. H. Mitchell
Joseph Robinson
John Adams
November 18, 1837
Commissioners met at Present
Ezra Hallion &
Israel Robinson

Agreed by, to notice given in the public paper
the town of Dansville, the Commissioners ordered
for sale to the lowest bidder, on the 2nd of
July last, the building of a bridge in South
Township, near Jonathan's Creek, near James
Graham's Mill, where the County road leading
from town east towards beverage ford and
creek, when the building of the stone work
was struck off to John Smock, at the sum
of $269-

and the Carpenter's work to Daniel House is
the sum of $395- on the performance of
which said work, the said Smock & House
were bound and security to our acceptance.
We therefore Certify, that we did on the
18th instant, view said bridge & agree that
the same is completed according to bond
on file in our office.

Thereupon the following order was made:
That the County Auditor, order on the
County Treasurer, as follows:
To John Smock an order for $131.25.
To Daniel House, $192.75

being balance in full in both cases for the
work aforesaid. The other part having been
paid by private subscription. Said Smock
& House are to use all necessary diligence
to collect the several subscriptions as subscribed, or
what cannot be collected is to be paid out of
the County treasury. -

— Signed —
Ezra Hallion
Israel Robinson

Monday, December 11, 1837
This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law
Present:
Ezra Hallion
Israel Robinson
Sam'l no Canoe Boy

The said being further proceeded to business.

Sam'l no Canoe Boy, produced a certificate from E	on hand of the Court of Common Pleas, of his appointment by the
court to the office of County Comissioner, to supply the vacancy
caused by the death of Aaron Whitmore, late Commissioner;
also a certificate from them, Thompson, Esq. that said Canoe
Boy was sworn into office accordingly to know all of which you file
in this office.

Dr. Hugh Sherlock presented a petition signed by himself and
three praying that an alteration may be made on the Boggs road as follows:

(Commencing at said Sherlock's North end corner
thence west on the line that divides the lands of said Sherlock
southward then to the North end corner of said Sherlock's land
thence west, westerly to intersect the old established
course of said road)

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed
Joseph Grant, Isaac Clark & Henry Strong, surveyors, to view and survey said proposed
alteration of road to meet at Hugh Sherlock on the 16th
instant at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day and to make a report
of their proceedings to this board on or before the first Monday
of January next.

Dr. Sherlock's petition for an alteration of the Boggs road
John Sandord presented a petition signed by himself and
these praying that an alteration may be made on the Boggs
road as follows:

"On that part of A. Sherman's graded road, leading..."
Thereupon the Commissioners appointed

Jacob Lane, Samp. Wist & Geo. Smiles, surveyors; and

Lach. Smith, surveyor, went to settle survey in

Dedford on the 10th instant at 9 o'clock A.M., to make a part of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first (Monday of) March next.

The James Moorehead's petition for an alteration of the Biggar lane. James Moorehead presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the Biggar road to Highgate Township as follows:

"Commencing at the north east corner of James Moorehead's meadow on said road, thence to the top of the hill near the south east corner of John Hook's improvement said road."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed

James Hunter, Abraham Lane, Mr. Bell, surveyors; and George Smiles, surveyor, went to James Moorehead's on the 10th instant at 9 o'clock A.M. to make a part of their proceedings to this Board, or before the first (Monday of) March next.

The James Wiltur alteration of the Corporum mill road. James Wiltur presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an alteration may be made on the Corporum mill road, lying from Putnam and Mushingham County to Thorneville in the County of Perry, commonly called Corporum mill road, as follows:

"Commencing at the north east corner of Cornelia Springer's land, running west with said Springer's line to the north east corner of said Springer's land, thence south with the line of said Springer's land until it intersects the aforesaid road."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed

Sampson Gray, William B. Hunt & Levi Hartley, surveyors; and William Anderson, surveyor, to view and survey said proposed alteration of road to meet at Miller

Shaw on the 27th instant at 9 o'clock A.M. to make a part of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first (Monday of) March next.

The Clement White's road. Clement White presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, viz.

"Beginning at the south end of William Shivers land on the McHenry road, thence a straight course along the section line to the south east of S. Porch improvement; thence an easterly course to a line at the said corner to draw a line from the said corner to the south line of the said section, then draw a line parallel to the said section line until it intersects a county road leading from the Mushingham river to the Marcellus road in said county near New Gloucester."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed

Sampson Hunt, Abner. Davis, Mr. Bell, surveyors; and George Smiles, surveyor, went to view and survey said proposed route on the 25th instant at 9 o'clock A.M. to make a part of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first (Monday of) March next.

The Samuel Johnson's road. Samuel Johnson presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, viz.

"Commencing at the county road called the 'Maine road' at the corner of the lands of John B. Black and James Monday; thence a westerly and best course to Samuel Wiltur's place to intersect the old Plainfield road at the 'Top Fill' the place of termination."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed

Sampson Gray, Geo. White, W. Bell, surveyors; and George Smiles, surveyor, went to view and survey said proposed route on the 27th instant at 9 o'clock A.M. to make a part of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first (Monday of) March next.
George Smith's case
George Smith presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that an extra road may be laid out and established according to the following:

"Beginning near the county road to a stake near the corner of David Jones' fence and a distance from a line between two trees on the west side of the road, thus: the nearest and best road to the corner of John Cole's meadow, thence to the nearest and best road to a forked path in John Hardesty's field and to one in a larger road in more tract of land, according to the said tract of land, before the first Monday of March next."
Comming on Meigs Township at or near the east end of William Potts lane at the old federal road turn through the lands of Arthur Newhouse, then to the west direction of the town of Chillicothe, then through the lands of James Curtiss and James Mitchell; then through the lands of Charles Anderson; then down the run to intersect the Cumberland Road at or near James Townshend in said township.

Thereupon, the Commissioners appointed John Hammond, Jr., John A. & Charles T. Smith, surveyors, and James Smith, surveyor, to view and survey said proposed route for a road to meet at William Reed on the 27th inst. at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day. To make report of their proceedings to this board on or before the first Monday of March next.

12th. John Moore's road.

John Moore presented a petition signed by himself and others praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning in Meigs Township near Edward Dimond at the place where the sewer runs west into the line that divides original surveyed Township 1st. 1803; thence north on said line till it intersects the Big Fork road, thence on an as near said original Township line at any point at which the surveying at certain points is to be done, and thence west and southwest 1 mile and one half thereof. Thence west to the road in said Township. Thence north on said road and west on said Township line to the Big Fork road; thence north on said road to the line of said Township; thence west on said road to the boundary line of said Township; thence south on said road to the boundary line of said Township; thence along said boundary line to the line of said Township; thence west along said Township line to the point of beginning."

21st. James Strang's road.

James Strang presented a petition signed by himself and others praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning in the road leading from William Potts' mill to Brownville in Meigs Township, thence south on Township line to the boundary line of Chillicothe; thence west on said line to the road at or near the old road from Brownville to the county line in Chillicothe Township; thence north on the county line in Brownville Township to the road."

Thereupon, the Commissioners appointed Hugh Buckingham, J. B.ie, A. & Charles T. Smith, surveyors, and James Viola, surveyor, to view and survey said proposed route for a road to meet at James Strang's on the 15th day of February next at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this board on or before the first Monday of March next.

15th. Jacob Aline's road.

Jacob Aline presented a petition signed by himself and others praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning on the north side of John A. Dimond.
16th. Hugh Sergy presented a petition signed by himself, and others praying that an alternation be determined.

Commencing at Station N° 1. On the 18th mile and from thence to the 64th mile tree on road.

Upon the Commission appointed to meet at their office in Lansville, on the second day of their meet March 19th, for the purpose of hearing arguments, and of granting an order for a new road, Commissioners entered into bond and security to the satisfaction of the Commissioners of the public roads in each county.

17th. Damages caused by Bernard Dunham's road. This day John J. cheesman & James Mundy made complaint to the Commissioners, that the following road known under the name of Bernard Dunham's road lately built out through Maysville, will if established as a public highway, expose him to great damage to his road to grit. Boundaries of said road to be set.

From the east end of Market Street in the town of Maysville, to a point on the National Road, according to a plat made by the County Surveyor.

Upon the Commission of printed Daniel Brush, Esq., and Inz. Roberts, answering to a request to determine how much of the lands or premises of each of said complainants will be required if said roads shall be established and made, and report the same writing to the road over the first Monday of March next.

To meet at Samuel Thompson's office on the 12th next at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day.

18th. The meeting appointed at the last June Session to again examine to the damages to the wharf Conover & John Redman in account, this road not being laid out through their lands, makes no report.

19th. Affidavit. This day John S. Manly, sheriff of Washington County, appeared and gave bond in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars, and gave John Morgan, County Treasurer, security, conditioned for the faithful and impartial discharge of the duties of his office as sheriff of Washington County, according to law, which bond is accepted and approved by the Commissioners, dated the 18th of March according to law.

20th. Deputy Collectors appointed.

West L. Manly, sheriff of Washington County, this day appointed as collectors Joseph P. Trotter of Maysville, and John S. Schaefer of Holy Township, deputies to assist in the performance of the duties of this office.

The Commissioners approved and the same said of appointing.

21st. Benjamin Carter's petition for damages for timber cut. This day Benjamin Carter laid in a petition for damages for timber cut and was carried away by a Alderman of the town of Maysville to make a bridge on the river road in said Township, which timber was cut on the 16th day of June last amounting in all to 1600 feet. Thereupon the Commission appointed John Red, John Parcell, & Thomas O'Gara, to examine the said damage if any had been sustained, and at Benjamin Carter's on the 16th.
The following bills were presented and severally allowed as follows:

- Joseph Powell, agent for S. Eldred, for work done to McDonald and Ruskhill's Hpingerstone and for repairs done to bridge over Loyal Run, $75.92
- New Prior guardian for keeping Martha Bedell, from 6th August last to 6th Dec. inst., $10.00
- A. Withrow, Recorder, for transcribing record book No. 1, in his office, $1.00
- John Shiple's bill for clothing for Mary Ann Goshute, insane person, $6.00
- Charles King for keeping Mary Ann Goshute from 8th Oct. last to this date, $15.61
- William Wills for work done on State road in Adams Township, out of $3,000 funds, $30.00
- Robert Taylor for keeping Daniel Taylor, insane person, from 1st of May last to the 5th of November last, $37.80
- W. Clark, Gill for candles, candlesticks, etc., $20.26
- Mr. Dunn, for work on bridge over Mirror Stream, $31.81
- Elijah Pitts' bill for repairing bridge for said town, $3.50
- M. Menard for advertising road-tax 1837 and bridge duties, $5.00
- The following reports on roads as made yesterday were taken up and severally read the first time, viz: 6th, Old Dunn's alteration of road; 7th, Marshall's road; 8th, Dr. Kinloch's road; 9th, Thomas Withers' alteration of road; 10th, James Easton's road; 11th, Mr. Elliott's alteration of road; 12th, John Hall's road.

The commissioners adjourn to meet tomorrow.
Roads of last June 10th disposed of as follows, to wit:

Peter Brumwine's alteration of road—

Anthony Baker's alteration of road—

The aforesaid Brumwine and Baker having failed to produce satisfactory evidence to the Commissioners, that his alteration of road has been opened a legal width of 6 feet, it was ordered by law—any further proceedings thereon was laid over until the next March Session.

Anthony Baker's alteration of road confirmed.

Boundaries as follows—

"Commencing at the cross roads where the road that leads from P. Brumwine to Jacob Baker's mills crosses—then following said road South to the North end of Anthony Baker's lane. Thence running West along said Baker lane until it intersects the aforesaid mill road against the North side of the said Anthony Baker's improvements."

The survey appointed made a favourable report; therefore the Commissioners do confirm said report and have come to be satisfied as to the highway, but the former vote is not to be revoked until said Baker produces satisfactory evidence to the Commissioners that said new route is found to be a legal road as described.

Bernard Van Hornis route from the east end of Market street in the town of Gansevoort to a point on the National road near Simpson's Ferry house was laid out while the public draft-defining in consequence of an application of J. D. Babcock having laid in for damages caused by said road.

Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

George Norman's road as laid out from the last route was taken up and confirmed. Boundaries of following.

"Beginning in the southwest corner at Robert George and the road from Grumwine's corner. Then the same to the South and West route to where at Mankind Mill the said corner was made along—right of way showed 60 feet to Edwardson's farm; thence along the North West route to the corner of Duncan streets and George Norman's land at the line west road, thence along the line west and Norman's land to the National road and John Elms (meadow) to interchange road from North part to the South part in Reference to township No. 1, bounded on North and South by the lines of the Commissioners hereby declare laid out as to a public highway and order the same to be recorded of record and registered according to law."

Philips Shaffer's route was confirmed. Boundaries thereon as follows:

"To that part of the island which lies on the National road and leading from Mankind Mill to Evergreen Mill in Sabbathtownship the County line."

The Commissioners do hereby declare and order the same to be recorded and registered.

The following routes on roads as laid out from yesterday and referred to and divided into the several townships to wit:

1st. Caleb Dumas's alteration of road
2d. William Doolley's road
3d. The Wiltcher's alteration of road
4th. James Blount's road
5th. William Chadwick's road
6th. Noah Bay's road
7th. The Burt's road
8th. The weather and route of the preceding and alteration of road being satisfactory and no objections having been laid in against the same, any further proceedings herein was likewise referred to the said March session according to the statute in such cases provided.
Damage caused by state road lately laid out from town in Muskingum County to the New Castle in Athens County. 

The views of the public and the damages caused by said road are to be paid by the county. The commissioners have examined and report the damages as follows:

To Daniel Galland  
Mary Smith  
Robert Smith  

The commissioners state that said road is not of sufficient importance to the public to warrant the damages to be paid by the county — the commissioners therefore refuse to pay the damages assessed as above.

Ordered that John M. Perry, county auditor, be and he is hereby authorized to draw an order on the county treasurer for the sum of three hundred twenty-five dollars in part for damages sustained as county auditor's current year at any time, as may be the amount after this date.

The following bills on roads were examined and paid:

For alleviating damages to Daniel Galland
Daniel Galland  

For alleviating damages to Robert Smith
Robert Smith  

For alleviating damages to Robert Smith
William Marshall  

M. Smith  

S. Smith  

Hugh Smith  

David Shew  

For alleviating damages to Robert Smith
William Smith  

George Smith  

E. P. L. Gilbert  

Montgomery Geo.  

Henry Haughton  

For alleviating damages to Robert Smith
Robert Smith  

Thomas McHenry  

John Jones  

C. E. Gill  

Samuel Johnson  

Philetus Johnson  

The Executors  

Thos. P. Hamilton  

John Taylor  

James Dickinson  

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Ordered that the County Auditor prepare a survey to be paid in the costs on the petition of the first order at the County's expense, as soon as practicable, and that said survey shall be made of such area as to enable the Auditor to determine the same.

Ordered that the survey be made as a part of fifty dollars and this note for damages incurred in consequence of the expenditure.

Ordered that Ada R. Basset hear and order the County Surveyor for helping the surveyor (1832) shall be paid as hereinbefore amounting to $350.14.

Commissioners appointed:
Lytle Kelley
Joseph Robinson
L. A. Kelley

Monday, March 5th, 1838

Today the Commissioners met pursuant to law.

Present:
Lytle Kelley
Joseph Robinson
L. A. Kelley

The following petitions and others were presented and orally admitted for favor:

1. Charles Satterly presented a petition for the same purposes as himself, and after praying that the County may be divided and established, as follows:

"Beginning at a small bridge near the lower corner of reef No. 25, a line running on the county road leading from Cumberland to Cumberland two hundred and ninety feet west of said road, thence north forty-five degrees west of said road, thence north thirty degrees east of said road, thence thirty degrees west of said road, thence north forty-five degrees west of said road, thence south forty-five degrees west of said road, thence south thirty degrees east of said road, thence south forty-five degrees west of said road, thence west on the north side of said road as to meet the county road leading from Jonathan Piers to the Maritta road and thence one hundred yards north of the Reif Presbyterian meeting house, thence along said road to the Maritta road, thence along the said road as to intersect the Reifsville road at James Office."

Thereupon, the Commissioners ordered apprenticed to William Boucher, Jonathan Heald, David Scott and Parker, the sum and survey said sums for a road as a true petition to meet at Robert Offield on the 15th next at 9 o'clock, A.M. of said day, and to make a report on or before the 1st Monday of June next.
William Clarks petition of sale of land.

The petitioner, William Clarks, presented a petition, signed by himself and others, praying that an act or law may be made for the sale of land for the benefit of the county. The land is described as a tract of land lying in the township of Smithfield, in the county of Kent, and bounded by land owned by the petitioners.

The petition states that the land is suitable for the purpose of sale and that it is in a location that would benefit the county.

The petition further states that the petitioners are willing to sell the land at a fair price and that they believe the sale of the land would be in the best interests of the county.

Upon the petition being presented, the commissioners appointed Mr. David Price, Mr. Richard Bonner, and Mr. John Morley to view the land and report on its suitability for sale.

The petition was signed by the petitioners and was read aloud in court on the 15th day of May, 1790.

The petition was approved and the sale of the land was authorized.

William Clarks

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Petition for damages caused by Thomas Whiting, resident of S. Adkins, county road as petitioned to be allowed at the last Board meeting.

Public hearing this day made complaint to the Commissioners stating that the petition of said Laye, laid out through his land if granted will be a great damage, to him, and praying that the same may be permitted to cross the same. Therefore the Commissioners appointed Evan Haun, Caleb Banman, and Thomas Whiting to view and survey said proposed alteration of land as above petitioned for. To meet at Gordon's on the 12th inst. at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report on or before the first Monday of June next.

Vacation of a part of the Allens Road vacated in 1829. This day Ebenezer presented a petition signed by himself and others praying that a certain part of a county and town road be vacated, and for the same to be restored to the public as follows:

"From the Posto to the north bank of Picking Brook"

Any further proceedings thereof to be taken in writing, and according to the most justice section as required by law.
The Commissioners' action of the Newards road inEssex Township established:

Said Commissioners having this day produced satisfactory evidence to the Commissioners that the action of the above road has been opened a legal width and in all respects made equal to the old road for the convenience of travelers, the Commissioners therefore declare such action of road as a public highway and do hereby agree, so much of the above as it is embraced by said action.

Boundaries of the action as follows:

Through said burner's field north of his house so as to run with Dr. Merrick road as far as the lane north of said field and then along said lane to said Neward road to where now traveled.

Petition for damages caused by Mr. Hallett road in the town of Warrenville as petitioned for at the last June session. Robert Mitchell this day made complaint to the Commissioners stating that said road as laid out through his land of Femme will be a great damage to him and prayers that a view may be appointed to assess the damage.

Hereby, the Commissioners of said county appoint James Bostwick, Arthur Reed, & John D. Gurnee, to view at Warrenville on the 13th inst. at 10 o'clock A.M. the said action of said road as to make report of their proceedings to the next session of this board—March 11, 1836. I have without my signature affixed to the orders printed on the petitioner.

The following reports were received, taken up and orally read in public at 12th inst.

1st, Hugh Teale's action of the George road.
2nd, John Jacobson's action of the George road.
3rd, Gurnee's action of the George road.
4th, Thomas Webster's action of the George road.
5th, Obdeon White's that.
6th, Samuel Armstrong's road.
7th, Dr. White's road.
8th, Dr. Anderson's road.

James Mundy.

The view of the view made at the last December session to assess the amount of damages that said roadway has sustained is hereby ordered to be made and estimates made, that the amount to be paid shall be in order on the County Treasurer in favor of James Mundy for the above sum at any time hereafter on demand.

This day the plots & rights act of the Damar road falling from Burnham farm in Warrenville to Norwich in Warren county was received and ordered to be placed on file in this office.

Damages caused by Bernard Van Wyck road on Warrenville, Jr. The view was appointed at the last December session to assess the amount of damages that said roadway will sustain as follows: that said roadway shall be found and estimated as follows:

That Mr. J. H. Berman will sustain damages to the amount of thirty dollars.

And that James Mundy will sustain damages to the amount of ten dollars.

Any further proceedings were left over for further consideration.
Tuesday, March 8th 1858

Commissioners of the town of Dongtown

Present:

Nathan Stover, James H. Smith, Andrew D. Rice

The following roads and accommodations were established:

Caldom Quince attention of said town is by the name of Alfred Smiths named in Dongtown, Finch:

"Commissioning in vain said about their stands north of a section said Ocho Quince state formerly occupied by the widow Jenkins at a house on a road that runs at the north side of this town on the line between said Quince and Peter Jenkins and used as a to put said road again at a certain time in the town." It was appointed at the last town meeting and voted at the last December session in favor of said alteration which report was laid over untill the present session. And now being objections made in a written and oral manner the the Commissioners to thereupon said report and order the same to be voted on and take another report according to law and to be considered a public highway.

William Marshall read

"Commissioning at the Morgan county form a road laid out from Woodridge on the road to said county on town of James Smiths the north end and east end of this town is to extend the old street across at present to which John Quince formerly lived on the circle east of Hollenback on the main street." It was voted at the last town meeting and were reported at the last December session in favor of said road and which report was laid over until the present session and those being objections laid in against said road the Commissioners therefore conformed said report and order the same to be voted on and take another report according to law and to be hereafter considered a public highway.

James Marsh read

"Commissioning on the North East arm of the Marist farm on Smiths to extend the east ever north and then to extend the Farm Smiths on the Shaffordship to intersect the county road leading from Shafford to the Circle Corners to run on the land belonging to James Smiths."

The view of the report at the last town meeting and report at the last December session in favor of said road and which report was laid over until the present session and those being objections laid in against said road the Commissioners to thereupon said report and order the same to be voted on and take another report according to law and to be hereafter considered a public highway.

William Smiths at attention of Leapten Pators read:

"Commissioning the same of Edward Whiten on said town in Wood Ridge township, it being the town of North West ever to intersect the Chodgersville road on the land of George Blythe. It was laid over to be voted on and take another report according to law and to be hereafter considered a public highway."
and said Lieutenant Penn's road at or near Martin Chandler.

The record of the last December session, as part of the last December session in favor of said alteration of road, which record was read over at the present session and which has been signed by said alteration of road, the Commissioners do therefore enter said alteration and order the same to be recorded and worked according to law, and to be hereafter construct a public highway.

Hugh Sturter's petition for the alteration of said road was as follows:

The petitioners having the complaint and dissatisfaction of the county, and desiring to have the road altered and established according to law, the Commissioners do therefore enter said alteration of road as public highway, and hereby remove some of the old road and also laid by said alteration.

Joseph Williams' road petition was as follows:

Joseph Williams presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that the same may be laid out and established as a road.

The Commissioners do therefore enter said alteration of road as public highway.

The petitioners having the complaint and dissatisfaction of the county, and desiring to have the road altered and established according to law, the Commissioners do therefore enter said alteration of road as public highway, and hereby remove some of the old road and also laid by said alteration.

There was a more particular description of any or all of the foregoing roads for a distance of building, but the proceeding was not agreed upon at the last Discern meeting.

The fees on all of the foregoing roads and attendants of roads thereon and any objections that may be in the way and further proceedings thereof was laid over until the next term.

The statute in such cases made and provided:


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- John Sonnett, surveying & platting: £3.00
- William Corbin, surveying & platting: £1.00
- George Meares, surveying & platting: £1.00
Wednesday, March 7, 1835. Commenced but pursuant to yesterday's order.

The following bills were presented and were accordingly allowed:

J. Almy, Clerk, and William B. Blacker, jailer.
Bill for board and provisions for up to 88.75 dollars &Whites for sundry reports on sale = 88.75.

Rogers & Bennett, for 3850.85.30.90 of office rates for service in jail = 6.00

C. L. Allen, for 1300.00.

Re. The custody, late due, for the property of deceased = 30.00.

H. W. Brown, for 1300.00.

Ordered that the county auditor shall set all the rooms in the public buildings house for rent, and:

The auditor is hereby empowered and authorized to collect all rents now due for the purpose of the auditor to become due, and pay the same into the county treasury.

John H. L. Gray, County Auditor, is hereby authorized to appoint by due and proper order on the treasurer of said county in favor of said person for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars in part for services rendered as county auditor for the current year, at any time hereafter.

The petition of S. W. Colburne and others praying that a part of the county may be detached therefrom, and attach the same to Lancaster, was indefinitely postponed.

John I. Hull, as pastor at last Sunday school.

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It was agreed upon by the Commissioners to meet a James Pofferies in Newton township, on the 5th instant, in order to offer for sale the building of a bridge over Jonathan's Creek near said Pofferies mill; to meet at 11 o'clock, A.M., of that day.

Ordered that fifty dollars be applied to the building of a bridge over the run between Jacob Mercer's and David Pofferies where the Detroitville State road crosses said run — provided a bridge shall be built by the Citizens in that vicinity between this and the next Deed Letters to be drawn by Jacob Mercer.

No other business arising.

By the motion of

J. Robinson

Said Alcona
be one entire reach or span across the creek, and the side headers to be properly secured on said header of the reach and pier - the pier on the west side to be fully protected — on the south side with a good 1 sufficient wing wall, and on the north an 1 sufficient for the receiving of the setting up of each 1 of said bridge to be properly fitted up so as to make the ascent and descent when settled easy for wagon and carriages, the pier 0 abutments on the west 1 side to be of a corresponding height with the one on the east side, and to be built to far in the creek as to make the reach a span one hundred feet long, said bridge to be placed with good roads, one inch thick, well bonded and 1 runners on each side to the timber with lown 1 spikes. The south wing wall to be four feet thick.

The Commissioners agree to pay the said Smith-Smock out of the county treasury 1st of the road day of year 1835 now in the treasury of the 1 county, for building the bridge as aforesaid the sum of Eight thousand Eight hundred Dollars, as follows: three hundred dollars on demand, and one hundred and fifty dollars on the first day of August next, for which sum the County Auditor is hereby authorized to issue orders on the County Treasurer for. And the balance when the bridge is completed according to contract, 1 accepted by the Commissioners, said Smith shall enter into bond with Matthew Stilson, and James Graham, as securities to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Ordered that the Recluse, now the books and papers in the office, be now occupying into the east room of the same in the public building

immediately over the Clerk's office, that said room be hereby assigned for the Recorder's office, and that the County Auditor be authorized to rent it to the best advantage to the said office.

Adjourned

J. H. Stuntz
Samuel McAnn

May 9th D 1835
Commissioners met - Present,
Lydia Holton
Israel Robinson
Clyde
Samuel McAnn

This day the Commissioners met for the purpose 0 of filling the vacancy in the Boards of said Commissioners occasioned by the town of office of James Walker of said town having expired — when James Walker — was unanimously reappointed to supply said vacancy.

Adjourned

Lydia Holton
Samuel McAnn
Montgomery, June 21st 1738.

This day the commissioners met pursuant to Law, 

By order

Joseph Ferguson

Samuel Williams Esq.

The board being first prevailed to business

The following petitions on roads were presented and generally said upon to read.

Jacob Kennelton presented a petition before the board, praying by the case of a petition that the road lying from Cambridge to Drayden and neat Chelstercreek be opened on the lands of Jacob Kennelton in Highland township, to patients.

Commissioners were of the opinion that the road lying from Chelstercreek to Echelston, thereon lies north of the road mentioned, and that it intersects the first-mentioned road at a small tree on the north west side of said

Hencefore commissioners were appointed, William Pettiford, Esq. and Joseph Wightman to view and survey said road, and for an alteration of said, and above petitioners for a road at Jacob Kennelton on the 1st. and 3rd. days of said month. A return is to be made on or before the first Monday of December next.

For damages on account of a graced road, as follows.

Commissioners at Thomas Hoorah, on the road near said house, in the town of Montgomery, on the north west side of the road mentioned, to view and survey said road, and to report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday of September next, on the 1st. and 3rd. days of said month.

Alexander Parker's petition for a road.

Alexander Parker presented a petition before the commissioners as appointed, and above petitioners for a road at Jacob Kennelton on the 1st. and 3rd. days of said month.

The commissioners were to view and survey the road mentioned, as follows.

Therefore the commissioners are appointed, William Pettiford, Esq. and Joseph Wightman to view and survey said road, and for an alteration of said, as above petitioners for a road at Jacob Kennelton on the 1st. and 3rd. days of said month.
Simeon Harris's road.

Simeon Harris presented a petition signed by himself and others praying that a county road may be established as follows:

"Commencing at the point at the head a batine of the dam and opposite the mouth of Simeon's Creek, thence down the river to the mouth of a branch between the lands of Alexander and William Copeland, thence west across the bottom to the foot of the hill; thence following the most suitable ground to the parallel south of Simeon Harris's lands then west on the line between Harris & Copeland to the north line of said Harris's lands; thence south to the south line of said Swagard's lands, thence west to the line between Simeon & Coar and so over the course of best way to the doorstep road."

Thereupon the Commissioners of aforesaid, approved William Welsh, William Ponder, and Samuel Morrant. Viewers.

See Smith surveyor to view and survey said road for article above petitioners for, to meet at Simeon Harris's on the 18th day of October next, at said day, and to make report or before the first Monday of December next.

Isaac Morgan's road.

Isaac Morgan presented a petition signed by himself and others praying that a county road may be laid out and established, as follows:

"Commencing at the river at the end of Robert Morgan's farm, about 300 yards south of a branch line, to at least three marches and one half, and the same to continue until you come to Brook river, thence west along said county line to at least three marches, thence north to a point at least one mile, and thence across the lands from Fortpitt's to the Boston."

Whereupon the Commissioners of aforesaid, approved Thomas Roberts, John Thomas, and Isaac Harris, surveyors.

On the 18th day of October, at said road, to meet at Simeon Harris and to make report or before the first Monday of December next.

Damaged caused by James George, as petitioned for the last December session.

This day David Winstead, John Bear, and Joel Bear made complaint to the Commissioners stating that the aforesaid road was damaged extensive as follows:

"Beginning on the west bank from Jeffries mill to Brush Creek in White Township, where the division line between land owned by the heirs of Jefferis Shall and the lands of the George Mathews and said road went running these in said direction to the Morgan County line at a point where the said road from Beaver's turnpike will pass through their lands to their home to their great injury and damage and praying that an order may be appointed to assist the same."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John Harper, William Scott, and John Yount.

Surveyors to appraise the amount of damage each complained and will ascertain present condition, be and is a public highway, and it is for the report of their proceedings, to be known the 1st Monday of December next, to meet at John Horse in the 1st Township at 10 o'clock A.M. or said day.

Review on Samuel Beekman Road, as petitioned for at the last December session.

John Williams, an citizen of Madison County, appeared in person to the Commissioners for review of said road, by petition, signed by twelve present holders residing in that part of the county through which said road is proposed to be established, and the Commissioners being satisfied that a view of the premises was reasonable, ordered the said Stephen Williams, Thomas Williams, Joseph Sear, Robert Scott, and John Jones, and the other petitioners of the county to review said road, it proved by examining the road required for such road by the same surveyors and to meet at their convenience to the same.
Tuesday June 5th 1836.

Commissioners must present to adjournment.

Yours etc.

L. Bartlet
Joseph Robinson
Samuel H. Brown.

This following roads and alterations on roads are to be sent to the commissioners for their adjournment:

1. Charles Street.
3. Lewis Campbell's road.

Reports of the present survey of the above roads are submitted to the commissioners for their consideration.

For particular description of the boundaries of these roads are for one may be had to the commissioners for the last March session as here recorded.

Damage to Isaac Fosters amount of said alterations of road running through his lands, reported by Isaac Fosters with certain damages to the amount of twelve dollars of said damages.

The commissioners are of the opinion that said alterations of road is not of sufficient importance to the public to cause the damages to be paid for the county, the Commissioners therefore refuse to pay the damages of said alterations.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favour of Isaac Fosters, Esq. for the amount of 12 dollars.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favour of Samuel Chandler & T. Willard & others Commissioners on said road from said road to Chandlestown for the sum of 12 dollars for surveying said road being this county's proportion.

1st, 5th & 17th.

Commisioners adjourned to Wednesday morning.
The receiver appointed at the last December session made a favorable report at the last March session, when said report was publicly read on two different days of said session, and there being no objections made to said allocation of said road, the commissioners by their report formed the report of the several lots and settlers, who made a public highway, and order the same to be surveyed, and that said allocation of said roadway, &c. be made according to law.

John Morison, agent for said lotter Henry A. Souders, allotment of that part of the present road running from Delphine to Deno, called the Green lane, as follows:

The survey of said land was made at the last December session, made a favorable report at the last March session, when said report was publicly read on two different days of said session, and there being no objections made to said allocation of said road, the commissioners by their report formed the report of the several lots and settlers, who made a public highway, and order the same to be surveyed, and that said allocation of said roadway, &c. be made according to law.

John Morison's allotment of the bigger road

John H. Souders, allotment of the north east quarter of James H. Souders, amount of said several roads, those to the west of the right of the south east corner of said H. Souders, according to law.

The receiver at the last December session made a favorable report at the last March session, when said report was publicly read on two different days of said session, and there being no objections made to said allocation of said road, the commissioners by their report formed the report of the several lots and settlers, who made a public highway, and order the same to be surveyed, and that said allocation of said roadway, &c. be made according to law.

Stephen Willard's allocation of a newly made road in Springfield Township, commonly called the Poplar Mill road, as follows:

Commencement at the North East corner of David's Hope, and running west with said Springfield line to the North West corner of the land, thence south with the line of said Springfield line, until it intersects the aforesaid boundary line of said town, and then south along said highway, and order the same to be surveyed, and that said allocation of said roadway, &c. be made according to law.
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which Messrs. land to the sunfish creek road,

(Their said report at the last December session, and the report was publicly made on two different days of said session, and then laid over to the first day of the present December, and there being no objections made to said report, the commissioners hereby confirm the report of the views and distance said route as a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, and that said road be opened & worked according to law; and also that said grant of the aforesaid road is hereby declared to be voided.)

Jas. Granger's road established,

Before the commencement, at or near Jas. Granger's mill, in Fairview Township, & running thence on at a southerly direction, a distance as a road at or near the mouth of the South Fork of Schoolhouse Creek in Newton Township.

The surveyors appointed at the last December session made a survey all in part as the last March session, when said report was publicly made on two different days of said session, and then laid over until the first day of the present December, and there being no objections made to said report, the commissioners hereby confirm the report of the views and distance said route as a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, and that said road be opened & worked according to law.

Jas. Granger's road laid over till December session,

Running on the road leading from Granger's mill in Newton Township, to Petersville, where the division line between lands owned by the heirs of Geo. Davis deceased said road, and lands of Geo. Mathews across said road, and running thence in southerly direction to the Moro and County line, & near where the Almira road from Petersville veers to said county line in Petersville Township.

The aforesaid road was laid over till the next December session in consequence of David Linton, John Dear,

Joak Bear having laid in for damages caused by said route, running through their lands.

Samuel Johnson's road at Conner for at the last December session was laid over until the next December session in consequence of John Ward, John Dinsdale, & Geo. Frazier of Newtown having petitioned for damages.

George Kelly's road at Conner for at the last December session was laid over until the next December session in consequence of John Ward, John Dinsdale, & Geo. Frazier of Newtown having petitioned for damages.

Andrew Clements' alterations of part of the Gifford road,

Andrew Clements presented a petition signed by himself and others praying for an alteration of the Gifford road, below the canal bridge at the widow Gifford's road leading from Wellsport to Ashport at muster, as follows:

Commencing at the said canal bridge, thence to the arrow between Andrew Clements' & Mr. Mitchell house with their line north to intersect the said Wellsport road between A. Hauptman, & W. Wright.

Thereupon the commissioners appointed James McBain, Ed. Mendenhall, & R. C. Gifford surveyors, and John Roberts, surveyor, to view & survey said route for an alteration of said road, to meet at the Widow Gifford's road on the 30th day of June at 8 o'clock A.M., of said day, and make a report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday of July next.

The following reports on roads, as laid on from yesterday, is ordered to be read again this day and when approved, shall be read the second time, to wit:

1st. Charles Grant's road
2d. Wm. Longbranch's alteration of road.
3d. Joseph Deanes road.
Henry Deaver, etc.  
Mr. Couch, etc.  
Mr. Smith, etc.  
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Mr. Deaver, etc.  

For a more particular description of the foregoing roads and alterations of roads, reference may be had to the proceedings of the Commissioners as recorded at the last March session.  

These reports on all of the foregoing roads being favorable, and no objections having been made excepting the same, and further proceedings therefore were laid over until the next December session, according to the statute in such cases made & provided.

Lewis Comstock's road as prudential for at the last March session.  

The viewes appointed at said session made an unfavorable report, consequently no further proceedings was had thereon.

Gordon Deaver's alteration of the Vermont road as prudential for at the last March session.  

The viewes appointed at said session made an unfavorable report, consequently no further proceedings was had thereon.

Settlement with the Treasurer.  

This day John Roberts late Treasurer of this county presented his accounts for examination and settlement, and the Commissioners find the accounts correct, and therefore remit up the balance of said at the present five thousand two hundred, and thirty-nine dollars. Twenty-five cents, nine mills.  

After settlement as above stated, the said John Roberts late Treasurer doth produce John Deaver, the County Treasurer's receipt for the amount of the above said's by said late treasurer paid into the Treasurer of said county, which receipt is filed in this office.  

County Orders Burned.  

After settlement with the Treasurer as aforesaid, all the orders that were redeemed and paid settlement up to this date, the Commissioners burned to wet.  

Upon county order No. 661, indorsed at 1st June 1838.

Sarah White, incense post.  

Applicant Hath this day applied for the keeping of Sarah White, incense post now on the assize for one year from and after the 24th of August next, and agreed to keep, maintain & furnish said incense post with all things necessary for the term of said incense, at the rate of one thousand five dollars five years all off this the Commissioners agree to — And order the court addict to draw order on the County Treasurer, quarterly interest of said incense post for the purpose aforesaid.

County levy 1838.  

The Commissioners proceeded to levy the one per cent necessary for the purpose of defraying the expenditure of the County year 1838, and did hereby levy one mill, and a half, one each dollar of taxation of the aggregate amount of all property in said County entered upon the general list for taxation, and order the same to be paid out for collection. Also ordered that one half mill on the dollar as aforesaid be levied as aforesaid, to be appropriated as aforesaid to the purchase of a tract of land and the provision of an county poor house, according to an act of the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, entituled, "An act to authorize the establishment of poor houses" passed March 8th 1831.

Bond levy 1838.  

It is hereby further ordered and determined by said Commissioners, that one mill and a half upon the dollar be levied upon the aggregate amount of the rates of all property entered upon the general list for taxation for such purpose, annual year and that the same be levied in the collection.
The following bills were ordinarily presented and allowed to us:

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Wednesday, June 6th, 1838

Commissioners present to adjournment

Present

Elias Lucas

Judge Robinson

Samuel McCanna

Elias Lucas read as petitioned for at the last March session, vacated: to act.
That part of the Allison road leading from Switzerland to the North Bank of Licking and hereby declared to be vacated.

This day the Commissioners proceeded to settle with John H. Clay for services from 6th Jan., 1837, up to 7th May, 1838, and have also for services one hundred and fifty dollars, and also for twenty dollars, and public hats, and for the sum of $76.64, in which sum Crown's warrant for $322.60, for which credit authorized to draw an equal in the county treasurer's fund, the assessors of the county auditor's examination.

This day the Commissioners examined the vouchers of the county auditor and found the same to be satisfactory and properly kept.

Commissioners adjourned to meet to-morrow morning.
Saturday, June 30th, 1835.
The Commissioners met in present, 
Mr. Holloway, 
Mr. Robinson, and 
Mr. Commissary 
Mr. Carr.

Agreed to notice given in the Lancaster Gazette on the Lancaster Times, that Commissioners proceeded on yesterday to offer for sale, on the lowest bid, to the building of a bridge across Bigby Creek, in the county, at a near Deer Park Post Mill, at the place where the road leading from Kirtland to Nitke's Lagoons leads across Bigby Creek, when the building of the said work was struck off to Thomas Clark, the sum of $750, to be paid out of the county treasury, as stated in his bond, and also the work done and completed as stated in said bond, on file in this office, which said bond is made a part of this contract.

The said work was struck off to Devo Claypool at the sum of $750, to be done and completed, if payment made as stated in his bond, on file in this office, and which said bond is made a part of this contract, said Claypool is to take a subscription list in his proper name, without any pecuniary interest, for the purpose of completing the said work, and the remaining balance, which is one hundred dollars, the Commissioners agree to pay in county orders drawn on the county treasurer, whenever said work is completed according to contract, or the acceptance of the Commissioners' three being to be completed on or before the first day of January 1839.

The Commissioners purchased for J. R. Jackson one hundred acres of land in said Township, Muskingum county, and bring the East end of said N. D. Jackson division, in said Township, No. 6, in Township N. O. Range No. 8, for the purpose of a county poor house, and obligate themselves to the payment of a mortgage in the hands of H. Buckingham & Company, and the balance as may hereafter be agreed upon.

Adjourned to Tuesday next.
Mr. Holloway, 
Mr. Robinson, and 
Mr. Carr.

Said Thomas Clark with Richard Avery his security, and also said Devo Claypool with Jacob Avitu his security, their execution bonds, conditioned for the performance of each of their said contracts, which said bonds are accepted and approved by the Commissioners.

This day the Commissioners purchased for James R. Jackson one hundred acres of land in said Township, Muskingum county, and bring the East end of said N. D. Jackson division, in said Township, No. 6, in Township No. 1, Range No. 8, for the purpose of a county poor house, and obligate themselves to the payment of a mortgage in the hands of H. Buckingham & Company, and the balance as may hereafter be agreed upon.
Tuesday, July 3rd, 1835.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Israel Robinson
Samuel McCann

Andrew D. Spalding having presented a deed executed by himself and wife to the Commissioners of Muskingum County, and their successors in Office, of six hundred acres of land heretofore purchased by the said Commissioners for the accommodation of a poor house of said County—It is therefore ordered, by the Commissioners, that the said deed and all other orders on the County Treasurer for the sum of $67.40, for work done in said Court house, be paid on file.

Ordered that the County Auditor give an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of Samuel Clark, for the sum of $67.40 for work done in said Court house, agreeably to bill on file.

Ordered that the County Auditor give an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of Thomas Clark, for the sum of two hundred dollars, to make up the difference between the Auditor and Deputy Auditor, to be paid in one month of the date of this order.

Israel Robinson
Samuel McCann
Wednesday, October 16th, 1838.
The Commissioners met. Present:
Israel Robinson, 
Samuel Albarn

The above Commissioners have examined
the stone work of a bridge built by Wm. C. Basing on each side of Big Salt Creek near Philip Baker's mill, as per agreement made with the Commissioners on the 20th Oct 1837, and although said abatments was not finished said
the work is done.

Israel Robinson, 
Samuel Albarn

Thursday, October 30th, 1838.
The Commissioners met. Present:
Israel Robinson, 
John Thompson, Capt.

The above Commissioners the day named
the bridge built by John Speak and Samuel's
work near James Seffers mill in Newton's township, as per agreement made with the
Commissioners on the 4th day of April 1838,
and grants said bridge finished & completed
according to contract, and do hereby receive
the same. And order the County Auditor to
issue an order on the County Treasurer in
favor of said John Speak for the sum
of four hundred and fifty seven dollars, balance in full
for the work of said bridge, having been paid herefore on said contract.

Israel Robinson, 
John Thompson

Thursday, Nov 1st, 1838.
The Commissioners met. Present:
Israel Robinson, 
John Thompson, Capt.

In accordance with an act of the General Assembly of Ohio entitled "An Act to incorporate the Danesville & Maysville Turnpike Road Company," passed March 7th, 1836, and at the request of Solomon
Shawes, J. G. Guthrie & Cyrus Morison, Inspectors
Committee for Muskingum County, the undersigned, Commissioners of said county, do
hereby appoint John S. Parkinson, David Peas & Stephen Price,
proponents of said county, to sift the damages
a compensation claimed for taking the Danesville
and Maysville turnpike roads through the lands
of the following claimants, to such others as may apply, in the County of Muskingum, to forfeit materials that may be wanted for the construction of said roads, &c.:

Jacob B. Spring, of Springfield township,

Moore James, of Newton township,

James Moore, do,

Amos Bartholomew, do,

Benjamin Clark, do,

Rory Roberts, do,

with such others as may apply, as above stated. Said freeholders are to proceed to view the lands, & assess the damages, if any therebe, according to the provisions made in the 9th section of said act.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favor of W. Adams for:

on the sum of $142.33 for boarding prisoners, and articles for prisoners & jail, as per bill heretofore

Israel Robinson,

John Thompson.

Ogai, December 3rd, 1838

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law

Present:

John Schofield

John Thompson

Henry Long

The said being duly furnished with the said.

Andrew Hastings road,

Andrew Ferrick presented a petition signed by himself and others, that a county road may be laid out, as follows:

Commencing in Pine township at a county road on the line between lands of John Bolles, & the sheriff; Anthony Smith, thence due south as near as practicable to his farm; thence the most practicable point on the land of Geo. Smith, to a county road known by the name of the Kings Road; thence along the west road to the line between the lands of Geo. Thompson, to a point known by the name of the Hadley Road, & a place called Smith's ferry, thence along the line of the said road to the line of the said.

Accordingly the Commissioners appointed

Philip Harkins, John Mccorkle, John Johnson,

Buchanan Barnes, & John Smith to survey a road for a road above mentioned for to meet at:

John Bickerson on the 25th day of December, 1838, & to make a return on or before the first Monday of March next.

David Banters then,

David Banters presented a petition signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out, as follows:

"Commencing on the west side of Muskingum river at the abutment of the dam now making between Lancaster and Dresden, thence along the bank of said river, in a north direction until it intersects the Dresden section. By the abutment is meant that point south of 600 acres on which Dresden is located, thence through said section.
In the first ground stall it is intended the Main Lancashire and Washington Road leading on to Sedbergh or about three miles from there.

Thereupon the Commissioners of certain Towns appointed John Butler, George Butterto, John Tufton, John Gifford, John Henshaw and John Roberts were appointed to be surveyors for a road at about the above-mentioned place and at any time to report to the Surveyor in the manner prescribed. A meeting was held on the 24th day and a report on or before the first Monday of March next.

George Bower Road.

George Bower presented a petition signed by himself and praying that a County Road be established along the line of the Morgan County line at the several points, the point being on a line through the road along the Blue Ridge County Road at the same time.

Thereupon the Commissioners of certain Towns appointed George Bower to be the Surveyor and to report at any time or at the meeting on or before the first Monday of March next.

Vacation of Road.

David Wood for petitioner appearing by himself praying that the Vacation of so much of the 6th and 7th streets and the 6th street and the 7th street and the 8th street be revoked.

Any further proceedings therein after being not to be heard on or before the last day of March next as required by law.

Dated March 24th.

Return for Damages Caused by Long Lane Road.

Sarah King, the day made complaint in writing to the Commissioners stating that said County Road was laid out through the land of the King and that it would be of great damage to the King and praying that said King be appointed to report the same. Thereupon the Commissioners of said County appointed John Tufton, John Henshaw and David Bower to examine the land and report on or before the first Monday of March next.

The following report on said road was delivered:

1st. Jordan's Road.
2nd. Thompson's Road.
3rd. Morgan Road.
4th. George Bower Road.
5th. Andrew's Road.

The report of the damage on said road.

The reports of the damage on said road shall be for the reasonable amount of the damage being awarded. The reports shall be read in court on.

Also a particular description of the boundaries of said road, as far as may be to the Commissioners' Minutes of their last meeting as ordered.
George W. Roberts, road,

Negotiating the present a section signed by Reman,

and then residing that a County Road may be laid out,

established as follows:

Beginning at the School House near the

Maling House in the right hand corner on the line between

the road, where E. A. Young and James Hamrick own the hill on the

stream, then a road to the right of said road, on a

direction of their proposed course until

it reached the road, leading from A. Roberts to Kebler's and the

Manetta Road.

The following routes were present and considered, to be

desired:

- E. A. Young and James Hamrick, said

that the road be extended to the

North side of said road.

- E. A. Young and James Hamrick, said

that the road be extended to the

South side of said road.

- E. A. Young and James Hamrick, said

that the road be extended to the

West side of said road.

The following routes were present and considered, to be

extended:

- E. A. Young and James Hamrick, said

that the road be extended to the

East side of said road.

The following routes were present and considered, to be

abolished:

- E. A. Young and James Hamrick, said

that the road be extended to the

West side of said road.

The following routes were present and considered, to be

abolished:

- E. A. Young and James Hamrick, said

that the road be extended to the

South side of said road.

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that the road be extended to the

North side of said road.

The following routes were present and considered, to be

abolished:

- E. A. Young and James Hamrick, said

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that the road be extended to the

West side of said road.
The Commissioners hereby declare, said road a public highway, and order the same to be accorded and opened, according to law.

Mr. Ticknor gives to Robt. Slack, Mar. 1st, 1839.

The following objects in road and alteration of roads were also then determined, and noted:

1st. John Hennecle's alteration of road.
2nd. Alexander Smith's alteration of road.
3rd. Isaac Carver's road.
4th. Isaac Morgan's road.
5th. John Slocum's alteration of the Slocum road.

For a more particular description of any one of the foregoing roads or alteration of roads, reference may be had to the report on or near the last June session.

The report on all of the foregoing is read and alteration of roads being favorable, it was ordered that the report be read in the next March session, and the same to be referred to the Commissioners to be reported for the alteration of roads.
The present by the County do advise to establish the same a public highway, instituted at the next March election on the 9th and expenses all paid by the petitioners.

Thomas, Manuel read:

Thomas, Moses the day present a petition before the board sign in their own and other, proposing that a County road may be laid cut in the following:

Commencing on the west side of the Muskogee Piss, near the mouth of DeWitt now in Muskogee County and running thence, in the nearest direct course, to the line that divides the lands of Isaac DeWitt and Thomas Moses, and to continue on said line as much as practicable to intersect the road leading from Muskogee to Muskogee.

Then upon the Committee is appointed:

Joseph DeWitt, John White, Robert ascending, and John Roberts, surgeon, to lay and survey said route for a road, to meet on the 1st of March in the 2nd part of the last year of our Lord 1791, and make report of their proceedings to the Board or on or before the first Monday in March next.

John Christie, C. M. Brown, surveyor.

Joseph DeWitt, this day appointed in the keeping of theseers in hand for the term of the year from this date, which were signed with the Committee, and I agree to receive from the County Secretary in equal quarterly payments at the rate of seventy-five dollars per month, which the County Auditor is authorized to have paid on the same may be given due for keeping and supporting said route.

The following bills were generally protested and allowed and ordered that the drafts thereon were referred to the 3rd. 4th.

Edgar Mose, for building a bridge, over the river between him and David Rain, where the station, State Road crossing the river, the following DISTANCE for distance 8 miles of distance, overlaid 16 miles, for laying out the bridge and completion of the bridge.

Robert Tuttle for keeping money, 15 miles, for the 5th of November, 1868, 1869.
For altering damages to David Eakin, 20
Heman, 6th. 2.2

For altering damages to John and others
George Johnson, 1 for altering 1.6
Humphrey, 2

For receiving sundries from Wickland.
Stephen Bailey for receiving 1.2
James Destrane, 2
George Phelps, 2.2
Afform Phelps 2.2

Ordered that thirty dollars be applied to the building of a bridge over Hicks' Creek in the township of

Ordered that a bridge shall be built by the citizens in that vicinity between this and the present lone

The Commissioners adjourned to 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Wednesday, December 5th, 1834.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present,

Isaac Robinson
Deborah Harrett
John Thompson.

Ordered that John W. Stays, County Auditor be & he is hereby authorized to employ an officer in the County Treasurer, in his favor for the

Some of the three hundred dollars, in part for services rendered as County Auditor during the current year, along time hereafter that he may deem expedient.

The petition of S. L. Carpenter & others praying that a part of Wayne Township may be detached therefrom, to be added to Hamilton Township was continued to the next March Session.

Also the petition of J. S. Davenport stating for a new township was continued to the next Session.

New investigation was this day held by the Commissioners into the conduct of the Board of Town Commissioners of said county, and it being thought that the public interest requires that John Hamon & James Doster two of said Board of Town Commissioners, should be removed from

It is therefore ordered that they be removed accordingly and for the purpose of filling the vacancy in the said Board of Town Commissioners occasioned by said removal, Thaddeus Oakland was unanimously appointed to supply the place &

For the absence therein occasioned by the removal of the said John Hamon and James Doster was unanimously appointed to supply the place &

For the vacancies therein occasioned by the removal of the said James Doster &

And hereby request the county auditor to pay each of the above persons of their removal from the appntment to office & that the books of said fund 

Ordered that John Stays be & he is hereby authorized to employ an officer in the County Treasurer, in his favor for the

Ordered that John Stays be & he is hereby authorized to employ an officer in the County Treasurer, in his favor for the
Of March next, and that he paid therefor the
June of twenty-five dollars out of the County Fund.

Adjourned

Israel Robinson, County
Rebecca Vincent, Clerk
John Thompson.

Tuesday, Dec. 11th, 1825,

The Commissioners met, President;
Israel Robinson,
Beverly Vincent.

The above named Commissioners met on the 10th instant, to view the stone work of a bridge built by Thomas Clark, over Brackley Creek, at a near Been Claypool mill, as per contract made with the Commissioners on the 30th day of June last, and are satisfied that said stone work is done & completed according to contract, and do hereby receive the same and are thereof clothed and satisfied.

And order the County Auditor to issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of said Thomas Clark, for the sum of five hundred and ninety nine dollars, being balance in full for building said stone work of said bridge at the place as aforesaid. Nor having received two hundred dollars on said contract hereunto.

$499.00

It is ordered by the County Commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, that the Clerk of this Board give notice in writing to James Doster &
John Hamme, that at the regular session of said Board, commencing on the first Monday of December

1825, and held at the seat of Justice of said County, they are, by order of said Board, removed from the office of Said Commissioners of said County; that at the same session, Said B. Copeland & J. B. Ichtern, were duly appointed to the office of said Commissioners of said County, the said B. Copeland to supply the vacancy occasioned by the removal of the said J. Hamme, & the said J. Ichtern to supply the vacancy occasioned by the removal of the said J. Doster; also that the said B. Copeland and J. Ichtern, each respectively, was, on the sixth day of December instantaneous, duly qualified to discharge the duties of the office of said Commissioners of said County, that B. Copeland, J. Ichtern, and J. Doster, now constitute the Board of said Commissioners of said County, and that their acts, as such, are entitled to respect.

Adjourned

Israel Robinson, Chairman
Beverly Vincent.
January 1st, A.D. 1839.
The following commissioners met: Present,
Israel Robinson and
John Thompson.

The commissioners being notified by Stephen O. Howard, that the work done on the bridge over South Creek, near Philo Bakers mill, as per contract made with the commissioners under date of the 20th October 1837, was ready for settlement. The undersigned Commissioners this day proceeded to view the same, and find the same completed according to Contract, and do hereby receive the same, and are thus will complete said bridge, and hereby order the County Auditor to give an order to the County Treasurer, in favor of said Howard, upon demand, for the sum of one hundred dollars, being balance in debt for building said bridge, as follows: — $1,000.00.

Auditor gave bond with oath.
This day John H. Sea gave bond with Daniel Briscoe and Ephraim A. Cox securities, all to the acceptance of the Commissioners, for the good performance of his duties as County Auditor from the first day of March next, and moreover took and subscribed the oath of office as required by law. Whose bond and oath the Commissioners yield with the Treasurer of Muskingum County.

The Commissioners also made application in writing to the Fund Commissioners of this County, in their corporate capacity, for the loan of three thousand dollars, to be applied to the erection of a poor house in this county. Said application is made in compliance with the provisions of the 9th section of "An Act providing for the distribution and investment of the State's surplus Revenue, passed by the General Assembly of Ohio, March 28, 1837."

Adjourned.

Israel Robinson
John Thompson
March 4th A.D. 1839.
The commissioners met pursuant to law, viz.,
Present,
Isaac Robinson.
Bryon Comstock, Esq.
John Thompson, Esq.,
The boards being full proceeded to business.

Abraham Pollock, selected at a meeting before the boards, signed by himself without praying that an allowance may be prescribed as the leader of the East, leading from the county line, on the east boundary of James Heavens land, to the noted point, near the west boundary of the town, and to the county line.

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Throughout the remaining text, the commissioners appointed Isaac Robinson, John Comstock, and John Thomson, among others, to proceed with the selection of leaders and the establishment of allowances.

John Thomson, this day presented a petition before the board, praying that an allowance may be prescribed as the leader of the East, leading from the county line, on the east boundary of the town, and to the county line.

The text concludes by stating that the process of selecting leaders and establishing allowances continues, with various individuals and groups being involved.
Alternation of Main Roads.

William Boonedsen presented a petition signed by himself and others praying that an alteration, may be made on the Peterboro Road. It was then read in
another open meeting at Woodstock on the advice of the town.

Commencing that at four rods from the south line of Thomas Boott's
house, extending to the north line of the town, and continuing on the north side of the
main road, to be continued so as to meet the

Thos. Bright.}

The following Report on limits is appended for the last Premier

day, and to be continued in the same manner, to wit:
1st. (Premier Streets, Woodstock.
2nd. (Premier Streets, Woodstock.}
3rd. (Premier Streets, Woodstock.}
4th. (Premier Streets, Woodstock.}
5th. (Premier Streets, Woodstock.}

The report of these terms of the above limits must be favorable to the
acres to be laid off.

The first report of the said road, laying from Woodstock on
Manusunqua, was thereon, and the county thereon, was resubmitted to be reviewed and placed on file in this office.

The second report of the said road, laying from Woodstock on
Manusunqua, was resubmitted to be reviewed and placed on file in this office.

This third report of the said road, laying from Woodstock on
Manusunqua, was resubmitted to be reviewed and placed on file in this office.

The fourth report of the said road, laying from Woodstock on
Manusunqua, was resubmitted to be reviewed and placed on file in this office.
The following is a statement of facts from the very earliest records of the town.

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**Thursday, March 8, 1837.**

**Commissioners with appointment to improve the road.**

*H. Thompson, Esq.*

The commissioners appointed by the town to improve the road.

The following is a statement of facts from the very earliest records of the town.

**Friday, March 9, 1837.**

**Commissioners with appointment to improve the road.**

*H. Thompson, Jr.*

The following is a statement of facts from the very earliest records of the town.

**Saturday, March 9, 1837.**

**Commissioners with appointment to improve the road.**

*H. Thompson, Esq.*

The following is a statement of facts from the very earliest records of the town.

**Sunday, March 9, 1837.**

**Commissioners with appointment to improve the road.**

*H. Thompson, Esq.*

The following is a statement of facts from the very earliest records of the town.

**Monday, March 9, 1837.**

**Commissioners with appointment to improve the road.**

*H. Thompson, Esq.*

The following is a statement of facts from the very earliest records of the town.

**Tuesday, March 9, 1837.**

**Commissioners with appointment to improve the road.**

*H. Thompson, Esq.*

The following is a statement of facts from the very earliest records of the town.

**Wednesday, March 9, 1837.**

**Commissioners with appointment to improve the road.**

*H. Thompson, Esq.*

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Annex a Margate Road.

"Commencing at the River at the rise of (not legible) downstream, and so along the said North or running direction, as nearly good land to best use and under such use as much as good roads can be made in annex Margate Road, then up and down and over, as much as can be made to best advantage and with the least damage; and the remainder to be made into public highways, under the same to be repaired, opened, and laid out for public use in such a manner as to best use and convenience. And the said annex Margate Road to be laid out and opened for public use in such manner as to best use and convenience, under the same to be repaired, opened, and laid out for public use in such a manner as to best use and convenience."
The following Sells and Roads were allowed to, wit.

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**Merchandise to Sell**

The following merchandise is to be sold:

- Tobacco, $3.00
- Coffee, $4.50
- Tea, $2.00
- Sugar, $1.50

**Miscellaneous**

- Advertising, $9.50
- Travel expenses, $10.00
- Legal fees, $5.00

**Total**

$11.50
In the name of the Lord, the Fourth month of the year 1839, and of the fourth year of the administration of the County Treasurer, the said commissioners acting under the authority of the same, heretofore entered into the following resolution:

The petition filed by the inhabitants of the town of Westmoreland, praying for a public road, is referred to the committee of the county, to be investigated and reported upon, and the same is hereby referred to the said committee.

A copy of the said petition is annexed to this order.

Resolved, That the said petition be returned to the petitioners.

Passed the 2nd day of November, 1839.
Monday, April 15th 1839.
The Commissioners met, Present:
Israel Robinson
Beverly H. Robinson
John Thompson, Jr.

This day the Commissioners met, for the purpose of examining the plans, specifications and estimates that may be presented for the poor house, in contemplation to be built by said Commissioners in said County, and agreeable to an order made by said Commissioners at their last March meeting. According to their order, it appeared that Mr. Thomas Smith presented join different plans & estimates, & Mr. Thomas Smith's one plan, after examining the plans presented & deeming it the best & most approved plan for a poor house, and that he is entitled to the premium—Therefore ordered by us, that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of S. Thomas Smith, for the sum of fifty dollars for furnishing said plan for a poor house as ordered.

It was unanimously agreed upon by the Commissioners this morning that Mr. Thomas Smith presented the best & most approved plan for a poor house, and that he is entitled to the premium—Therefore ordered by us, that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of S. Thomas Smith, for the sum of fifty dollars for furnishing said plan for a poor house as ordered.

It was then unanimously agreed upon by the Commissioners to build a poor house for said County, upon the farm lately
purchased by the Commissioners of said County for that purpose of Andrew B. Jackson in Falls township - and further agree to offer said building for sale by giving notice in the sound Gazette, & Ohio Republican, that bidders' proposals will be received at the Andover Office in Danville, until 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 15th day of May next for that purpose, said building to be given to the lowest & best bidder, the Contractor will be required to give bond & approved security for the faithful performance of the work, & will be required to put the building under roof against the first Monday of December next, and to complete & finish the same against the first Monday of June, 1840. And the Commissioners agree to pay said Contractor as follows: the sum of two thousand dollars on the first Monday of June next, provided bond & security is given aforesaid, and the further sum of two thousand dollars on the first Monday of December next, and the balance when said building is complete according to contract & the acceptance of the Commissioners, the building to be built & finished & accepted by the plans & specifications presented by Thomas Spafford, now on file in this Office.

Adjourned.

Israel Robinson, Pres.
Beverly Compt.
John Thompson, Sec'y.

I hereby certify, in the Ohio Republican and Danville Gazette, two of the newspapers printed in Danville, the Commissioners agreed to the time and place mentioned in said notice, in order, to receive and open the proposals that might be handed in for the building of a county poor house for said County, on the farm lately purchased of Aver B. Jackson for that purpose, about three miles West of Danville, on the North side of bucking creek, and after receiving proposals from sundry persons and examining the same, it was resolved by said Commissioners that the building of said poor house be given to David Majumdar in the sum of five thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars, that being the sum mentioned in said proposals, said building is to be built and finished in a good substantial and workman-like manner, of good materials of every kind, and description, according to the plans and specifications of said building filed in the Andover Office, which said plans were the day adjourned by the said David Majumdar, Contractor, and Israel Robinson, Beverly Compt. & John Thompson, County Commissioners, as aforesaid, and is made a part of said contract, the said David Majumdar is to commence said building and to progress with the same so as to put it under roof, against the first Monday of December next, and to complete & finish said building in every respect against
The first Monday of June D 1840.

The basement story to be of stone, and the two stories to be of brick. Said Maginnis

is to have the privilege of getting stone and making the bricks on said farm house

from his own funds, and also wood to burn said bricks, which he is to take from said farm that said Commissioners may direct. Also said building is to be built on that part of the place on said farm that said Commissioners may point out. All to be done in every respect agreeably to the plans and specifications as above referred to, and to the acceptance of said Commissioners.

The said Maginnis is to receive for the building of said farm house, $1,000.00 from the said Commissioners as aforesaid, and under our corporate capacity, and our successors in office as Commissioners of said County, to make the following payments, viz: the sum of two thousand dollars on the first Monday of June next, provided bond and security is given against that time to our acceptance; and the further sum of two thousand dollars on the first Monday of December next, provided said building is then under roof, except to contract, and the remaining balance when the building is finished according to contract, and the acceptance of said County Commissioners.

The said Maginnis with James Doster and Cora J. M. Screech, securities, then executed a bond in the penal sum of Eleven thousand five hundred dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of said contract. Said bond and said security is accepted and approved by the Commissioners.

This day the Commissioners were notified by the said Commissioners of Muhlenberg County, that the term of G. A. Hall as Fund Commissioner of said county expired on the 9th instant; whereupon said G. A. Hall was unanimously re-appointed to fill said vacancy as aforesaid for the term of three years.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of Parker M. Bennett, for the sum of $3,757.00 for advertising for premises for farm house, &c. proposed for the same — 7, $3,757.00

Adjourned.

Israel Robinson

Clerk

John Thompson
Monday, June 3d, A.D. 1839.

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law.

Present,
Isaac Robinson
Beverly Netter
John Thompson Esq.

The Board being full proceeded to business.

1st. Petition for damages caused by David Blevins' county road, as petitioned for at the December session 1838.

James Blevins this day made complaint to the Commissioners, stating that said county road lately laid out through his land, if opened will be a great damage to him, and praying that damages may be assessed to make the same. Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John P. Kemp, John Metcalf and James George, to assess and determine how much is liable, and in pursuance of said complaint, said damages will be assessed by the opening of said road, and to make report of their proceedings and opinion in writing to this Board, on or before the first Monday of December next. To meet at James Blevins on the 13th inst, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day. Bond and security given.

The following reports on roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last March session were orally made, taken up, and read the first time, to wit:

1. A Petition alteration of road.
2. Hugh Griffin's road.
3. Daniel Brown's road.
4. Tom philosopher's road.
5. John Grubbs' road.
6. Thomas Elliott's road.
7. Smith River's road.
8. Jno. W. Blandfield's alteration State road

The reports of the survey on each of the aforesaid roads, alterations of roads being favorable. Therefore ordered to be read again tomorrow. In a particular description of the boundaries of these roads, reference may be had to the Commissioners' minutes of their last March session, then recorded.

Damages caused by State road lately laid out from Taylorville, in Lincoln county, to Woodfield in Monroe county.

The survey appointed at the last March session to assess and determine how much is liable. The bonds or premises of the following complainants will be assessed if said road shall be opened—reported this day as follows:

The heirs of William Davis... no damage.
B. Williams Elliott, fifty dollars $50.00
Susan M. Watson & Sons of said Watson $200.00
William Frazier... no damage.
Aaron Greenfield, fifty dollars $50.00

Total... $300.00

The Commissioners are of opinion that said road is of sufficient importance to the public to cause the damages assessed as prescribed to be paid by the county. Therefore refuse to establish said road a public highway until such damages and expenses are paid by the petitioners, or those interested in said road.

The Plat and field notes of a State road commencing near John Evans' spring in Perry township, Linne county, thence intersecting the old road in Cooke county was this day received, ordered to be recorded and placed on file in this office.

The Commissioners adjourned to eight o'clock to morrow morning.
Tuesday June 14th A.D. 1859

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

Israel Robinson
Dwight Lineitt
John Thompson, Esq.

The following reports on roads, as laid over from yesterday, and ordered to be read again this day, were taken up and generally read the second time, to wit:

1. A. B. Sleeper's alteration of road
2. David Sturgis' road
3. Barnard Ann Thorne's road
4. Jane Shipley's road
5. John Gleave's road
6. Thomas Elliott's road
7. Smith Randell's road
8. Mrs. Randell's alteration of road.

For a more particular description of the foregoing roads and alterations of roads, reference may be had to the proceedings on record at the last March session.

The reports on all the foregoing roads being favorable and no objections having been laid in against the same, the further proceedings thereon were laid over until the next December session according to the statute in such cases provided.

The following roads and alterations on roads were also laid over, to wit:

Andrew Sheeck's road

"Commencing on Perry Township at a county road on the line between lands of John Dick & Charles Rude, thence south as near as practicable to Andrew Sheeck's saw mill, thence the most practicable route on the said line to the road to a county road known by the name of the Highway, thence along said Road to the line between the land of J. C. Garrow & David Sturgis, thence south along said line to the National Road at a near Isaac Wilson's Gun Smith shop.

The survey appointed at the last December session made favorable report at the last March session which report is laid over until the present June session, and therefore no objection made to said road, and the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility do hereby confirm the report of the survey and declare said route to be a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened and worked according to law.

Mr. Galloway joined to J. G. Price. June 20, 1859

George Doody's road.

"Commencing at the Morgan county line, at about Hunter's field, thence running due north, the old graded survey intersecting the Blue Rock County road at James Wynn's lane.

The survey made at the last December session made a favorable report at the last March session, which report was laid over until the present June session, and therefore no objection made to said road, and the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility do hereby confirm the report of the survey and declare said route to be a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened and worked according to law.

Mr. Doody joined to J. G. Price. June 20, 1859

George W. Roberts' road.

"Beginning at the school house near the Baptist meeting house in Blue Rock Township on the line between John Davis & Deep Lee, thence West on a line to any north on the land of Wm. Lee and James Vanell from the pole to a point thence nearly west to the Bonnie Road, thence a westerly course through the land of Alex. Thrash, on the north side of a drain of Mr. Thrash, thence up a ridge a south west course until it strikes a road leading from A. Roberts to Hollenbach on..."
the Marquette Road.

The surveyors appointed at the last December session, made a favorable report at the last March session, and that report was laid over to the present session, and the deputation made to said road, and the petitioners believing the same to be of public utility, to have the report of the surveyor, and declare said road to be a public highway, and order the same to be divided, opened, and worked, according law.

Baranabad Monroe's road.

Comencing on the west side of the Baranabad River, near the mouth of Bomont's creek in the Baranabad Township, and running thence on the same and best ground to cross the Baranabad Road, and the line that divides the lands of Isaac Kelly and Baranabad Monroe and to continue on with said lands as near as practicable to interest the road leading from Launcelot to Chagaryshon.

The surveyors appointed at the last December session, made a favorable report at the last March session, and that report was laid over to the present session, and the deputation made to said road, and the committee believing the same to be of public utility, to have the report of the surveyor, and declare said road to be a public highway, and order the same to be divided, opened, and worked, according law.

David Blunt's road and petitioners, who report was received at the last December session, (being a favorable report) was continued to the next December session, on account of James Blunt being laid in for damages in action of waste, and running through his land.

The following bills on roads were generally taken up and allowed.

A. Pollock's alteration of road.

The costs of said view and survey all paid by the petitioners.

Hugh Givens' road.

George Barwise for surveying and platting x £50
James Rollinson for viewing x 100
John McInirry " x 100
Hugh Givens chaining x 75
James Watson Do. x 75
David Watson Marking x 75

Bernard Raw Horned's road.

James Boyle for surveying and platting x 150
 Caleb Davison for viewing x 100
David Reay Do. x 100
John W. Parsonson Do. 75
 L. M. Buchanan 75
 J. R. Howard 75

Ann Shipley's road.

James Boyle for surveying and platting x 450
James George for viewing and making return x 300
George Stephenson for viewing x 200
David Frazer Do. x 100
Wm. Wicks for marking x 130
John T. Bruce Do. 150
David Bruce Marking x 75
Mrs. Davis Do. x 75

For expenses damages caused by State road.

Leaving from Taylorville to Woodfield -

John Logan for asphing 2 00
George Guarden Do. 2 00
John Grubbs road, John Roberts surveying and platting x 3.00
Paul Birknap for seeing 1.00
Alex Caldwell Do. (Chk. receipt) x 1.00
John Grubbs chaining (x 1) x 75
George Bell Do. (x 1) x 75

(The Elliott road)
John Moore for surveying & platting x 3.00
W. B. Buchanan, viewing & making return x 2.00
John Black viewing (x 1) x 1.00
Ralph Hardcast Do. (x 1) x 1.00
Samuel Joseph chaining (x 1) x 75
John McConaughy Do. 1/2 Do. (Johnny) x 75
W. F. Hunter marking (x 1) x 75

Smith Rouse road,
George Smith surveying & platting x 3.00
Molcomb McNalty viewing x 1.00
Samuel Morrow Do. 1.00
James Morrow Do. x 1.00
John Rouse chaining x 75
Chistoph Bunning Do. x 75
James S. Rouse marking x 75

NEW ROSEFIELD" alteration of road.
No new Bill returned.

State Road from beach to Long Do.
to the old road near K.C. Fleming in Bathroon county.
Henry Severson for surveying & platting x 475
Peter Wood commission x 350
George McNall Do. x 350
T. K. Nash Do. x 350
K. C. Fleming chaining 0.50
John Batlett Do. 0.50
John Evans marking 0.50

An nex White insane person,
Archibald Gallaithe this day applied for the keeping
of White White, insane person, now in his custody, for one
year from and after the 16th of August next, and
wants to keep, maintain, and provide for insane person
with all things necessary for the term aforesaid, at
the rate of seven dollars per year, all of which the
commissioners agreed to. And ordered the county au-
ditor to draw order on the County Treasurer, quarterly, in
favour of said Gallaithe for the purpose aforesaid.

Writs of the county auditor examined,
This day the Commissioners examined the writs of
the county auditor, and compared the same with the bills,
and find the same to be satisfactorily and correctly kept.

For food's Bill for the year 1839.
Ordered by the Commissioners that, Jabez & Monty Al-
ton, of Muskingum county, have orders on the county au-
ditor for the sum of Four hundred and fifty dollars, being
and one and a half cents, including stationary, for two hundred
and twenty five firm, divided by himself and his,
deputy as Auditor in accounting said county, for the
year 1839.

Settlement with County Treasurer.
The day, John Buddell, Treasurer of Muskingum
county, presented his accounts for examinations and settle-
ment, and the Commissioners find the accounts cor-
cert, and there remaining in his hands on settlement the
sum of Two thousand five hundred and fifty three
dollars, two cents and one mile. $2553.10.1

County Orders burned.
After settlement, with the treasurer as aforesaid, all
the orders that were redeem on said settlement up to
this date, the commissioners burned, to wit:—up to county
order No. 646, of date 31st June 1839.

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The following Bills were presented and allowed, to wit:

Jeff D. Kerley, Assessor, bill for the servicing of himself and deputy, assess ing the taxable property of said county in the current year 226 days at $2 per day, $460.00.

Dr. for stationery $1.00.

John Russell county Treasurer bill for public printing, Stationery $1.67.

John Abercorn for keeping Mary Ann Booker, insane person, 6 months ending 5th instant, $50.00.

Robert L. Roper for keeping Nancy Taylor, insane person, six months ending 31st May last, $37.50.


C. W. Buchanan, Deed, bill for keeping prisoners in jail 160 days, up to June 31st instant, $219.00.

E. D. Ball's bill, including time and expense for transporting Mr. Riley from Columbus to Zanesville for trial, reduced by cutting a trunk from stage $24. Also for work for Court House cleaning public square, repairing Court House leading $48. $31.07 $35.07.

The Commissioners adjourned to eight o'clock tomorrow morning.
Wednesday, June 5th, A.D. 1839.

Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present.

Isaiah Robinson
Beverly Levent
John Thompson. Esq.

Wm. S. Denison's vacation of road.

Whereas William S. Denison, in a petition, the last March session, praying that as much of the County road leading from Shantyville to Plainfield commencing at its junction with the county road commencing the Headley Road and terminating at the point of its junction with the Ganniphery and Buckingham may be vacated, and that laying no objection made to this purpose, the Commissioners declare the above

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Clement White for the sum of fifty dollars and ninety three cents, being the amount of his bill for paving and boots for county paper and county Auditor.

The day the commissioners proceeded to settle with John W. Spy for services as county Auditor for one preceding on the 3d day of June 1839 and we do allow him the sum of five hundred one thousand and fifteen dollars and twenty six cents agreeably to his bill. Also the sum of twenty three dollars fifty three cents for Stationary, Public letters postage, and postage on Ohio School Directors during the periods aforesaid, to wit:

To his allowance:

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Total $138.79

Credit county order on the 8th December last $750, and do on the 1st March last $500 300.00

Balance is $38.79

Upon settlement as aforesaid we find the balance to be due of we laid forty dollars and seventy nine cents for services as aforesaid. We therefore order and authorize said Auditor to draw an order on the Treasurer of Muskingum county in said Auditor's favor for the sum of eight hundred thirty eight and seventy nine cents, balance in full for services as aforesaid at any period or periods he may see proper hereafter; $38.79.

We agree to appropriated in the course of one year from this date the sum of one hundred dollars to John Dillon and Charles Bowen to aid in the erection of a bridge at the mouth of Timber RUN in Falls township.

And that on the day of July next the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of John Dillon for the sum of fifty dollars interest on due on $3000 Surplus Revenue borrowed of the said Commissioners in the year of creating a county Poor House in said county.

And it is further ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of county school boards for the sum of sixty dollars interest in advance on $2000 Surplus Revenue now applied for to be borrowed of the said Commissioners for the purpose of creating a county Poor house in said county, said order to be issued as said as said sum of $2000 is obtained on said application.

The County Commissioners, in their corporate capacity, do this day apply to the said commissioners of said county for the loan of seven thousand dollars for the term of three years at six per cent. interest, to be applied to the erection of a poor house in said county. And be drawn as follows: one thousand dollars this day, and the further sum of two thousand dollars on the first Monday of December next, and the further sum of three thousand dollars on the first Monday of June A.D. 1840.
July 27th, 1839.
The Commissioners met, present.
Beverly Bennett v.
John Thompson.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favor of David Majernis, for repairing bridges on the county road; the same to be done under the direction of Beverley Bennett.

Ordered that the said Majernis be paid for repairing said bridges as hereinafter specified.

Order for Majernis to be paid:
- $36.00 for repairing said bridges.

Signed:

[Signature]

Israel Robinson

[Signature]

Beverly Bennett

[Signature]

John Thompson

County Clerk.
August 23rd, 1834.

The Commissioners met, pursuant to law.

Present
Isaiah Robinson
John Thompson

Robert Brandon presented a petition signed by himself and others praying that a county road be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning at the bridge or county road, over the lines between lands of George Dungle, Esq., and Jacob Dartis, thence through lands of said Dungle, Robert Brandon, Simon Dungle, the line of Jacob Stinchcomb, Adam Torric, Mr. McCaw, David McRory, John Roman, James Cunningham, and Lewis Pitcher, to intersect the state road leading from Jeffersville to Wrenthamvile."

The petition the commissioners hereto have appointed William O'Neal, Nathaniel Bell, and James Berry, and James Boyle surveyors to view and survey said route for a road as above petitioned for, to meet at the house of Robert Brandon, on Friday, 13th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report on or before the first Monday of March next, to this Board.

Nathaniel Barnett presented a petition signed by himself and others praying that a county road be laid out and established, as follows:

"Beginning at the house of the petitioner at the present state road, where it passes through the farm of said Dungle, and continuing down the branch on the North side until it shall intersect the road leading from Jeffersville to Wrenthamville at Bennett's bridge."

Thereupon the commissioners have appointed John Or. Stimp, John Stimp, and Henry Adair, surveyors and Solomon Short for surveyors to proceed.


downey's road to a route as above petitioned, to meet at Woodruff's tavern, first post, on the 13th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report on or before the first Monday in March next to this Board.

John Steven's alteration of State road on his own land, petition signed by himself and others praying that an alteration of the State road on his own land be laid out and established as follows:

An alteration of the State road leading from Zanesville to Marietta, commencing and ending at the following points on said road, viz., beginning south of the house formerly occupied by Dr. Varshow, thence east parallel with the street of a stand marked E, thence east of the South East corner of the Presbyterian Meeting House; thence south as near built as will admit to grade road at six degrees, and intersect said Marietta Road, at the foot of Ferguson Hill.
ers, to view the same, and determine how much of
salable the land or premises of said complain-
ants will be rendered of said road shall be es-
tablished and opened a public highway; and to
make report thereof in writing to this board, on or
before the first Monday of March next; to meet
at the house of Young Township on the 13th inst.
at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day.

Thomas Elliot's road as petitioned for at the
last March session was continued to the next
March session in consequence of Young Town-
ship and William McCulloch having paid in
for damages as above stated.

At the March Board:
This day, Joseph P. Houston, Assessor of Mus-
hingum County, appeared and gave bond in the
sum of two thousand dollars and gave John
W. Gray and Daniel Bush, bondsmen, and conditioned
for the faithful and impartial discharge of the du-
lies of his office as Assessor of Muskingum County
as required by law— which bond is accepted and ap-
poved by the Commissioners, & also took the oath
of office according to law.

The following bills were presented & severally
allowed to be paid:

Wm. 4. C. Chamber for plucking & laying
down stone on bridge at North of Big
Valley bridge.

William Tonnis for building bridge over
Son's creek.

Levi Blaggett for building bridge over
Lookout Creek near his Mills $170.
and also for extra work not in-
cluding mv. $50.

Joshua Bennett for repairing 1st canal
bridge North of Nashport.

Charles Clark for building Court House, Jail,
and Public Buildings.

James Ward for repairing canal bridges
in Jefferson township.

$33.00
$60.00
$200.00
$50.00
$75.00
$81.00
$75.00

Damages caused by David Water's county
road as petitioned for at the December session
1838 running through the land of James Waller.

The viewing appointed at the last
June session to apply, and determine how much
Commissioner adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock A.M.

Tuesday December 3d A.D. 1839, Commissioner's adjourned to adjournment. Present:

John Thompson
Peyton Lewis
John Gooden

The following county land over from last June office was established, to wit: Abraham Pollock's alteration of road, beginning from the county line, on the east boundary of James Fleming's land, to the Clay pike road near the west boundary of Abraham Miller's land.

"The alteration to commence at a large bank near the west corner of James Fleming's fields, then ascend the hill to the upper breach, thence along the said breach, on the back side of Abraham Pollock's farm, so far as to begin intersect the old road near Nancy Crawford's house mill, thence along the lanes as it is now opened, past the house of Nancy Crawford, thence to intersect the old road, at the rear on Abraham Miller's land."

The viewing appointed of the last March session made report at the last June session in favor of establishing said alteration of road, and that being no objections made to said alteration of road by any person, the Commissioners do hereby confirm said report, and to declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, and opened and worked according to law.

H.C. Ordered to be printed to A. Pollock, Novr 19th 1839.

Petition for damages on John Quibble's road.

Henry Safford, Charles B. turnover and Andrew Deming, made complaint in writing to the Commissioners by their agent W. Harvey stating that the late location of a road known by the name of John Quibble's road as petitioned for at the last March session, runs through their lands to their great injury, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to appraise the damages they have, or may sustain if said road shall be established and opened a public highway.

Accordingly the Commissioners, Caleb Tony, Jacob P. Granger and Johnson Thompson viewing to raise, adopt and determine how much by valuable the lands or premises of said complainants will be intersected by said route, shall be established and opened a public highway; and to make report thereon, in writing to this Board on or before the first Monday in March next; to meet at this house of John Quibble on the last Saturday in January next, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day. Order to be issued for appraisement damages as soon as the complainants give bond according to law.

Bond to security given thereupon.

[Handwritten notes and signatures]

[Signature]
Though Gibbons's road, established.

Beginning at a small wood-shed lying upon the south side of a

small stream of water, on the south side of the road at or near to where a

g pretend line crosses said road, dividing lands between Lewellen Trouwe and James Moore in

Prospect Township, running as near south as ground sufficient to make a good road a

will extend of until it intersects the Granny road at a Black Oak tree marked LH near

the Union Meeting house in said township.

The surveyor appointed at the last March term, made report at the last June session in favor of establishing said road, and these being no objections made to said road by any person, the

Commissioners do hereby confirm said report, and do declare said road a public highway, and

order the same to be recorded, and opened, worked according to law.

W. B. F. Given. March 31st, 1840.

Smith's Road, established.

Beginning at or near a Black Oak tree on the north side of Abby run in Monroe town-

ship at the boundary line, from thence running northwardly on the nearest and best route of

Robert Weeckmull, thence to the Section line between Winfield Roue and Martin Richardson,

and thence northwardly on the White Oak Road, thence through said Weeckmull line to intersect

the State road leading from Willow Grove to New Philadelphia.

The surveyor appointed at the last March term, made report at the last June session in favor of establishing said road, and these being no objections made to said road by any person, the

Commissioners do hereby confirm said report, and do declare said road a public highway, and

order the same to be recorded, and opened, worked according to law.

Ordered, that the county auditor issue an or-
der on the county treasurer, in favor of the land

Commissioners of Muskingum County, for the sum

of two hundred and forty-four dollars 

32 cents, the amount of interest which will be due on

the 31st inst. on $7,000, of the surplus Revenue

borrowed of said land commissioners, for the con-
ty Poor House, which said order is made payable

on the 31st inst. 

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And it is further ordered, that the county auditor

issue orders in favor of said land commis-

sioners; for the amount of interest accruing on $7,000, from and after said 31st inst.
Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer in favor of David Majournis for the sum of one thousand dollars, balance of payment in full for erecting county Poor House as required to be made on the first Monday in December 1839 x $1,000

The following bills were presented and duly allowed, to wit:

1. Sm. Taylor for carpentry in $175.00
2. John Dillen towards erecting bridge over gumhene (in Falls town) $57.00
3. Charles Brown do. do. do. $50.00
4. James Godfrey for repairing bridge at Adams' Mill $35.50
5. Town of Gainesville for curbing public square $52.00
6. Leonard Alley for painting done to Court House $24.37 1/2
7. W. H. Brown for making locks & keys for jail $20.00
8. Mr. Brookman, Dept. Sheriff for boarding and provisions $20
10. Here, copy for holding vacant seat of Joseph Thompson on 1st Oct. 1839 $322.05
11. A. W. Wilkins Recorder for Book, Index and Stationary $51.65
12. Robert Taylor for keeping Nancy Taylor insane person in county 1st Nov. 1837 $27.50
13. Edmond Hall, Sheriff for chairs, stores etc. $20.00 furnished court house as per bills will appear $21.55
14. Mr. Perrin, for ironing prisoner $5.00

In assessing damages to James Blunt:

John Miller receiving and assessing damages $1.00
A. Stumpe do. do. do $1.00
James George do. and making return $2.00
S. & M. Duffly for sporting store $10.00

John Thompson do. this day resigned the superintendence of the building of the county Poor House under contract and to be built by David Majournis and John Goodwin do. was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Deputy Assessor appointed:
Joseph F. Buxton, Assessor of Muncie Township, county, this day appeared and appointed Lewis Spons of Hopewell Township, and John P. Blackwell of Falls Township Deputy, to assist in the performance of the duties of his office.

The Commissioners approved and sanctioned said appointments.

Adjourned to 9 o'clock to morrow morning.

Wednesday, Dec. 4th, 1839.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.
Present: John Thompson, Beverly Beem & John Gothen

James Thompson's account against the county for defending a suit brought against him by Robert Campells was heard over for further consideration at the next March Session.

New Township,
A petition was presented by John Hammand signed by a majority of the householders residing within the boundaries of the proposed new township and the Commissioners being satisfied that the
necessary notice of such intended application has been given by advertisements as required by law, proceeded to take the matter into consideration, the petition set forth that they labor under many difficulties of disadvantages in consequence of the distance of their difficulties they have to labor, under in going to refer to elections &c., and also proving that a new township may be set off of parts of Blue- Brook, Brush Creek, and Lake Creek townships, and the Commissioners believing the prayer of the petitioners necessary for the convenience of the inhabitants of township officers, do hereby order a new township to be set off according to the following boundaries, to wit: "Beginning at the South West corner of Section No. fourteen, in Original surveyed Township No. four, in Range No. thirteen, and running thence North to the Centre of the Muskingum river, thence following down the Centre of the meanders of said river to the County line which divided the Townships of Muskingum and Morgan, thence West on said County line to the place of beginning, all in the Congress District of lands, which shall constitute a new township, to be called Harrison Township."

Also ordered by the Commissioners that an election be held at the house of P. Burkholder in Troy township, on the 20th next, between the hours of 8 o'clock A.M. and 12 o'clock at noon, to elect township officers, for said township, according to law.

173. Three advertisements for an election of township officers, issued and given to said Township.

Ordered that the Beverly Board of Commissioners, be appointed superintendents of all the canal bridges in this County, to attend to repairing the same by contract, in such manner as they may deem expedient, and upon their certificate to the County Auditor that any of said bridges have been repaired by any person to his satisfaction, & by stating the amount due to such person in said certificate, the County Auditor is hereby authorized to issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of any such person for the amount certified, without any further orders from this board, until otherwise directed.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of David Morgan, for any amount. John Goshun may order in writing, not exceeding one hundred dollars, at any time hereafter on demand, for rescuing will on present farm.

Dec. 6th, 1839. A. M. Adjourned to half past 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.


Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of J. Richy for the sum of sixty dollars, on demand, provided John Goshun & John Thompson certify that said Richy has covered it weather-boarded the bridge over Calico Creek on the Grave Creek road to their satisfaction.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the County Treasurer, in favor of D. Brack for sixty-five dollars & sixty six, for the two-
The followingILLS were presented and signed by the County Clerk:

John Thomson

The Clerk then presented a petition from the people of the county asking for a change in the form of government for the county, which the petitioners submitted to the Board for their consideration.

William Laughery

The petitioners were advised by the Clerk that no action would be taken on the petition until the Board had had the opportunity to consider it. The petitioners were promised a fair hearing and an opportunity to present their case.
Foot. "An alteration in the State road leading from Dresden to Millerstown, commencing on the line between Edward, of Geo. W. Adams and Thomas W. Elting Ellis, thence south, along said line to the Cohocton road, thence along said road to the Millerstown road."

And "also for an alteration in the State road leading from Dresden to Mount Vernon, commencing at the graded road on the line between Cohocton and Hustings, thence, a southerly course of the bank, thence along said bank until it intersects the old road near Covert."

And "also for another alteration in said road commencing at the south side of the Ragby pond, thence south to Dresden side-cut, thence along said side-cut until it intersects the old road near Tomica pool."

And "also for an alteration in the county road leading from Covert to West Rutland, by way of Matthew Wilson's, Commencing near Covert, thence to the Ohio canal, thence along the bank of said canal, near the line Edward of Geo. W. Adams and the heirs of Andrew Haperson."

Therefore the commissioners have appointed Mr. Barlow, Privy Richlet, and Andrew Walker, surveyors, and Aden Doughter, surveyor, to view, survey, and lay out said road, as prayed for, agreeably to the above mentioned boundary, met at Covert on the 27th inst., at 9 o'clock A. M., said day, and to make report to this Board on or before the first Monday in June next.

The following reports on roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last December session were severally made taken up and read in the first time to wit:

1st: Robert Broady's road
2nd: Joshua Bennett's road
3rd: John Stevens alteration of State road leading from Gainesville to Marietta, on his own land.

The report of the survey on each of the aforesaid roads and alteration of roads being favorable, they were ordered to be read again tomorrow for a particular description of the boundary of these roads, reference may be had to the commissioners minutes of their last December session, as recorded.

Viewers report of damages caused by Thornell's road, as petitioned for at the March session 1839.

The viewers appointed at the last December session to assist in determining how much lep valuable the lands or premises of the following complainants will be rendered if said road shall be opened; reported the day as follows:

That the land of Henry Hubbard will be rendered lep valuable.

And William McCulloch's land will be rendered lep valuable.

Total $112.50

The commissioners are of opinion that said road is not of sufficient importance to the public to cause the damages assessed as aforesaid to be paid by the county. They therefore refuse to establish said road a public highway unless said damages and expenses are paid by the petitioners or those interested in said road, or on or before the first Monday in June next, and in default thereof said road shall stand vacated.
**Tuesday March 3rd 1840 Commission met pursuant to adjournment.**

**Present:**  
John Thompson  
Beverly Linnet, Jr.  
John Goosen

The following bills for services rendered in laying out roads, for assaying damages caused by roads, and reviewing roads were presented and allowed, as follows:—

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**Sethum Bennett's road**

- Solomon Wood for surveying & platting | $25.00 |
- John B. Stump for surveying | $100.00 |
- John Morris | $100.00 |
- Samuel Steel | $75.00 |
- Abel J. Davis for chaining | $75.00 |
- Abiel Anderson | $75.00 |
- John Wool for marking | $75.00 |

John Heves's alteration of State Road—To all paid by the petitioner.

**Bernard Van Horney's road**

- Solomon Wood for reviewing | $100.00 |
- James Stump | $100.00 |
- Jackson Stump | $100.00 |
- N. Fleming | $100.00 |
- Levi Claypoole | $100.00 |

The reviewers appointed at the last December session to review the route for a road as petitioned for by Bernard Van Horney & others at the last session 1839, made report the day as follows:—

"To the Commissioners of Muskingum county. Pursuant to your order of the 3 December 1839, directing us to review and report on a route for a county road petitioned for by Bernard Van Horney and others, bounded as follows:—

Commencing at the Northern termination of Sixth Street in the town of Sunsville, and extending North to the Muskingum River.

"We the undersigned, having been notified of our appointment by Horace I. Cook, six days previous to this day, and having been duly sworn by Samuel Thompson, Esq. present to and reviewed the road proposed for as aforesaid, and having fully and satisfactorily examined the route surveyed for said road by the former surveyors, do hereby decide and report against the laying out of said road, for the following reasons, viz:—We see no necessity for a county road from the Northern termination of Sixth Street, to the river at a place where it cannot be crossed by a bridge or ford."

**Sunsville, Dec. 13, 1839.**

- Solomon Wood
- James Stump
- Jackson Stump
- N. Fleming
- Levi Claypoole

The above report having received the commissioners according to law determined that no further proceedings can be had before this Board.

Commissioners adjourned until 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.
Bill for assething: Damages caused by

Thomas Elliott's road.

William Self, for assething $1.25

William Moore do. x $1.25

William Henderson do. x $1.25

Bill for assething Damages caused by

John Grub's road.

John Thompson for assething $2.00

Selby James for assething $1.00

Jacob P. Sprague do. x $1.00

Bill for assething Damages caused by

Mrs Ann Blackley's road.

Samuel W. Dunn for assething $2.00

two days and one day making return $1.00

Edward L. Pettit for assething two days $2.00

Thompson Rodman do. x $2.00

The following bills were presented and allowed:

J. Fox & Co. for building county Poor house $101.00

J. W. McMorris for rebuilding bridge over

Credit mill $19.30

A. Peters bill for public advertising $179.20

The bill of James Jeffrey for covering and
weather boarding the bridge arc $158.50

at his mill on said creek amounting in all to

the sum of $178.70 was taken into consideration
by the commissioners, and decided that said bills
be not allowed.

The following reports on roads and alteration
of roads, as laid over from yesterday and ordered
to be read again this day were taken up and
generally read the second time, to wit:


3. Joshua Bennett's road.

11. John Steele's alteration of State road

leading from Zanesville to Marmet, on his own land.

In a more particular description of the foregoing
roads, and alteration of roads, reference may be had
to the proceedings on record at the last December
session.

The reports on all the foregoing roads and alteration
of roads, and no objections having been laid against
the same, any further proceedings thereon was laid over
until the next June session according to the statute in
such cases provided.

State roads from Taylorville to Woodfield.

It is this day decided by the Commissioners that

if the damages assessed to William Elliott, Dr. William

Davidson, Walter and heirs of Geo. Watson, and Rev. 

Greenfield amounting in all to the sum of $340

caused in consequence of the State road lately

laid out from Taylorville in Muskingum county

to Woodfield in Monroe county, according to the

report made by the viewers appointed to assess said

damages as recorded in the commissioners' minutes

of 31st June last: That if said damages shall be

paid into the treasury of Muskingum county by the

petitioners, or those interested in said road on, or

before the first day of April next, said road shall

be considered a public highway, and in de-

fault thereof laid road shall stand vacated.

Viewers' Report of Damages caused by

John Grub's road, as petitioned for at the

March session 1839.

The viewers appointed at the last December

session to assess and determine how much

of the valuable lands are premises of the fol-
Wednesday, March 14th 1840.

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present: -- John Thompson

Beverly Coment

John Godden

The following bills were presented and allowed, viz:

E. Hall, for coal for use of the jail, $7.30

A. Reifinger, for repaving bridge near Jonathan's creek at Brooks, $6.50

J. D. Rose, for cast iron plate in jail, $7.75

Dr. John A. Howard, for medicine and attendance on persons in jail up to March 2d A.D. 1840, $10.50

John Billow, jail-keeper, for blanks for jail, washing for prisoners, $11.45

Wm. McCollum, for cleaning lot between court house & jail, $5.00

The following bills were presented and summarily allowed, to wit:

Dr. Albert for repairs to jail, $7.30

Dr. Watkins, for record book, $16.00

A. Reifinger, for repaving bridge near Jonathan's creek at Brooks, $6.50

The commissioners adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.
to the sum of sixty thousand Dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties appertaining to the Office of Treasurer of Said County according to law; And also took the oath of Office as required by the Statute. Which bond and security is accepted and approved, and on file in this Office in Said Bond is dated March 30, 1840.

Ordered, that the County Auditor issue orders on the County Treasurer to the following persons for the several sums annexed to their names, to wit:—

To John Bechey for covering a weather board on the Bridge across Salt Creek on the Grove creek road $60.00
To Offenbach for our Canal bridge x 1-00
To Daniel Majors for balance due in 2 pieces viz Pamplin 240.00
To D. Majors, the sum of four hundred and eight dollars, in part towards building Marsh Ingram's cabin from here, which said order is to be made payable on the first Monday of June next, $485.00

The account rendered by James Hampton against the County for defending him in suit against him by Robert Campbell, who sued him as Sheriff of Muscogee County for false imprisonment. It, as laid in before the Commissioners of Said County at the last December Session, was taken into Consideration. The Commissioners refuse to allow a pay said bill.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the Treasurer for the sum, whenever he may deliver the same to the jailer of Said County, or otherwise discharge the same, as the Commissioners may direct. If said Shepley shall at any time between this and the next Session deliver him to the jailer, or bring any suitable person to keep him, the County Auditor is hereby authorized by us to contract for his keeping, at any price that shall not exceed the price of keeping him in jail.

Adjourned

John Thompson

[Signature]

John Gaston
April 18, 1840.
The Commissioners of Muskingum County met
Present: John Thompson 3
John Batton 3

Agreedly to an Act of the General Assembly of the
State of Ohio, entitled An Act to provide for the
revaluation of real property in this State, passed
March 16, 1840, the Commissioners of said county
sent to receive the bonds of the Appraiser of Real
Estates in said county—Therefore Mathew
McElvany appeared and presented the following
Certificate from the Clerk of the Court of Common
Pleas of said county, of which the following is a
Copy, to wit:

"The State of Ohio, 2d Court of Common Pleas,
Muskingum County

J. B. O. Clark, Clerk of the Court of
Common Pleas of said county, hereby certify that Mathew
McElvany, was at the above term of said court duly
appointed Appraiser of Real Estates in and for said
County to sit on the 17th day of April, 1840.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my
hand and affix the seal of said court, at Zanesville,
this 17th day of April, 1840.

(Seal) J. F. Clark, Clerk.""
Monday June 17 A.D. 1840.

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law.

Petition for Damages on Sophia Bennett, as petitioned for at the December Session 1839.

Held Randall personally appeared and made inquiry in writing to the Commissioners stating that the late location of a county road known by the name of Sophia Bennett's road runs through his land to his great injury, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to view the damage he has sustained, a survey made, if this road should be established and opened as a public highway.

Accordingly the Commissioners appointed Samuel King, William Hump, and Jackson Hump, viewers, to view, report, and determine how much life valuable the lands or premises of said complainant will be rendered if said road shall be established and opened as a public highway; and to make report, through his justices, this Board, or before the first Monday in December next to meet at 7 o'clock A.M. of said day.

Samuel Duvall presented a petition before the board, signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows:

"Commencing at a near the corner of U. B. Warren's field in Adams Township, on the state road, that runs from Gannill to Woodstock, forever, following the old road to the South, West corner of his land, where the widow's boundary lines, from thence, along the right hand side of the same to his lands, from thence to a corner, the mouth of Mill creek; from thence to intersect the old old road, at a near the old settlement in Madison Township."

Therefore the Commissioners appointed David Duvall, John E. Henderson & Sales Hunter viewers, to view, survey, and lay out said road, to meet at 10 O'clock on the 1st of June, at 7 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next.

Henry Terrell's road. A petition was presented before this Board by Henry Terrell, signed by himself and others, praying that a county road may be laid out as follows:

"Commencing at the township line between Washington and Madison Townships at W. A. Reynolds' land, then running on the tracts already opened, to Pierce's mill thence to intersect the road running from Cambridge to Dresden on the best route to intersect said road on George E. Wood's land."

Therefore the Commissioners appointed James Cant, George Babcock & John Trainer, viewers, to view, survey, and lay out said road, to meet at 10 A.M. on the 1st of June, at 7 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next.

Petition to change State Road. Bezil Richard's presented a petition signed by himself and others, residents of Washington County, praying that an alteration to change may be made on so much of the state road running from Dresden in Washington County to West Cairo in Woodstock County as lies between Dresden and a point on said road, while it intersects the farm of W. Warren in Washington county, about three miles from Dresden, alteration to be made as follows:

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Samuel Duvall, John E. Henderson & Sales Hunter viewers, to view and survey said route for a road to meet W. A. Reynolds' on the first day of July, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day; and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next.
"Commencing at a point on Main Street in Duson and running thence immediately up Wabatonika valley on the North side of said located road as above stated and terminating where said road intersects M. Burch's farm as above stated."

Therefore the commissioners appointed 23th day of December next for the purpose of hearing remonstrances and granting an order for a view — Said Royal McNallie is entitled into bond with security to the satisfaction of the commissioners, as required by law in such cases.

James Roff's road. A petition was this day presented before the Board signed by James Roff and others praying for the location of a county road — "Commencing in Hall back township, at some James Hill's tree at the mouth of Pine Run, and thence up said tree to George Johnson's road, and meet across said road, and thence down a hollow running a due West course to the Wabatonika river and thence across said river to intersect the State road on the West side of the river in Harrison township."

Therefore the commissioners appointed John T. Scott, ThomasCraig and Robert Decett jurors, and Paul Shaubaud surveyors to meet at James Whiting on the 23th June (next) at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day to view, survey and lay out said road, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next.

Jonathan Moore's road. A petition was this day presented before the Board by Jonathan Moore signed by himself and others praying for a county road — "Commencing in Duson township, at a point where the road from West Laurel to Duson bridge crosses the county line between Wabatonika and Lebanon coun-

ty, thence East along said county line as near it as a good road can be laid (so as to lay said road attin Wabatonika county) to the North West corner of William Danleys land, thence to intersect the road leading from Duson to Allen's half mile South of William Danley's barn."

Therefore the commissioners appointed Thompson along, James Evans and Abiah Bennett, viewers, and Ferdinand Lean surveyor, to view, survey and lay out said road, and to make report of their proceedings to this board on or before the first Monday in December next, — to meet at Jonathan Moore's on the 19th June (next) at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day.

Daniel Stillwell's road. A petition was this day presented before the Board by Daniel Stillwell signed by himself and others praying for a county road to be laid out as follows: — "Beginning on the South bank of the Wabatonika river at or near the house of John Whiting, in Madison Township, Wabatonika County, thence on the bank of said river to the road leading from the house of Daniel Stillwell to Duson."

Therefore the commissioners appointed John Jacobson, Abiah Benedict, and Andrew Mathews viewers, and Joseph Fisher surveyor, to meet at Daniel Stillwell's on the 19th of June (next) at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day to view, survey and lay out said road, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next.

Abiah Benedict's road as petitioned for at the last December adjourn was continued to meet December next whereon in consequence of Abel Randall having laid in for damages as herein before stated.
The following reports on roads and alterations were presented at the last March session were severally made taken up and read for the first time, viz.:

1st. William Baughead’s alteration of state road on his own lands.
2nd. Edward Adams’ alterations of Three roads on his own lands.
3rd. Joseph McMorris’ alteration of road commonly called the McCoy road.

The reports of the survey on each of the above roads and alterations of roads being favorable they are ordered to be read again tomorrow. To a particular description of the boundaries of these roads reference may be had to the commissioners’ minute of their last March session, as recorded.

Mr. Baughead produced satisfactory evidence to the commissioners that his alteration of the state road leading from New Conoco to Ashingtown county to Plainfield in collector county is made on the side for the convenience of travellers, declare is an alteration of road a public highway, and do hereby vacate so much of the said road as is embraced by the new and order that one order may be issued.

The following bills were presented and severally allowed:—

J. H. Sodickin, Deputy Assessor for 60 days assessing personal property current year $130.00
Davis Sodickin, Deputy Assessor for 60 days assessing personal property current year, $121.00

Edward Adams Alteration of roads. Fees are paid by petitioner.

Mr. Baughead’s Alteration of road. Fees paid by petitioner.

The Board adjourned till to-morrow morning at 9 o’clock A. M.

Tuesday June 3rd 1840.

The Commissioners and pursuant to adjournment

Present—

John Thompson,
Beatty Ayers
John Goddew

Sarah White insane person.

Archibald Galbraith this day applied for the keeping of Sarah White insane person, now in his custody for one year from and after the 16th day of August last, and agrees to keep, maintain, and furnish said insane person with all things necessary for the same aforesaid, at the rate of twenty-five dollars per year, all of which this Commissioner agrees to. And order the bounty Auditor to draw on the bounty Treasurer, quarterly for such quarter of the sum above allowed, in favor of said Galbraith for the aforesaid purpose.
Ordered that the Auditor issue an order in favor of
Elizabeth Bruner for keeping Peter Bruner insane person,
one quarter ending the 1st June instant. $18.75
The medicine furnished said Peter Bruner. $2.00
Total $20.75

County Treasurer's Settlement.
This day, John Reddell, Treasurer of Muskingum county, presented his accounts for examination and
settlement, and the Commissioners find the account correct, and these remain in his hands till settlement the
sum of One Thousand Two hundred and forty four dollars, one cent and five mills.

County Orders burned. —
After settlement with the Treasurer as above, all
the orders that were redeemed on said settlement up to
29th May 1840, the Commissioners burned, to wit: Up to
county Order No. 583, —

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order in favor of
Robert Taylor, for keeping Nancy Taylor insane person
for six months, ending May 6th ultimo. — $18.75

A plat and field notes of the State road leading
from John Edward's spring in Perry township, Muskingum
county, to the old road near W. B. Flower's in Athens
county was received and ordered to be received and placed
on file.

The Bill on said work.

Henry Scofield for surveying and putting. 8.0.75
William Wood, Commissioner.

George Hill, do. 0.33.6
Of the North, do. 0.50.6
Hugh B. Flower for chaining 0.0.83
John Bartell, do. 0.0.08
John Evans for blazing 0.0.08

George Gardner's Alteration of roads.
Vehicular evidence was the day produced to the Com-
misners that George Gardner's alteration of roads leading
from Chandlerville to the ridge road leading to Wilber-
sville established at the December session A.D. 1840, or,
make equal to the old road, for the convenience of travel-
ers, the Commissioners therefore declare said alteration
of road a public highway, and do hereby make said
of the old road as is embraced by the said alteration
and order that an order to open be issued on demand.

Vouchers of the County Auditor examined.
This day the Commissioners examined the vouchers
of the county Auditor and compared the same with
the checks and found the same to be satisfactorily
and correctly kept.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order in favor of
Joseph Barnd, for keeping Martin Bodell insane per-
son for one quarter ending the 5th instant. 7.918.75

The following reports on roads and alterations of roads
as petitioned for at the last March session were severally
taken up and read the second time, to wit:
1. William Banyard's alteration of state road on
his own lands.
2. Edward Adams' alterations of three roads on his
own lands.
3. Joseph McHerrig's alteration of road commonly
called the N. C. O. road.

In a particular description of the boundaries of these
roads reference may be had to the Commissioners min-
utes of their last March session as recorded.
The reports on all the foregoing roads and alterations
of roads being favorable and no objections having been
laid against the same, any further proceeding there-
was laid over until the next December session, according to the statutes in such cases provided.

The following road laid over from the last March session was established, to wit:

Robert Broshrey's road.

"Commencing at the Pooch creek county road near the line between lands of George Swingle deceased and John Dutrieux deceased, thence through lands of said Swingle, Robert Broshrey, Simon Stevens, the heirs of Jacob Smealth, Adam Tole, William Mclay, Job Sonace, James Cumminwight and Lewis Pichters, to intersect the state road leading from Joffe's Mill to McConnelsville at said Pitches." The viewers appointed at the last December session made a favorable report at the last March session, which report was laid over until the present January session and there being no objection made to the said route, and the commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, do hereby confirm the report of the viewers and declare said route to be a public highway, and under the same to be recorded, opened and worked according to law.

K. H. C. to open given to Robert Broshrey, Nov. 6, 1840.

The following alteration of road laid over from the last March session was established, to wit:

John Stevens' alteration in state road leading from Gainesville to Marietta, as follows:

Commencing south of the house formerly occupied by Col. Samuel Chandler, the centre of the street, thence east parallel with the street of Schandwille to a stump marked. Thence south to the north east corner of the Presbyterian Meeting house, thence south as near south as will admit 1 grade said road, at two

agrees, and intersects said Marietta road, at the foot of Tragel's Hill.

The viewers appointed at the last December session made a favorable report at the last March session, which report was laid over until the present January session and there being no objection made to the said alteration of road, and the commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, do hereby confirm the report of the viewers on said alteration of road and declare said route to be a public highway, and under the same to be recorded, opened and worked according to law.

Mr. wash to the join to Joffe's, Jan. 25, 1841.

The following bills were presented and equally allowed:
- David Hall, sheriff, bill for boarding prisoners and sundries for jail — $632.00
- John Russell, county treasurer, bill for public printing, stationery, &c. — $72.60
- John P. Houston, overseer, bill for services in assessing Champaign county, including stationery &c. — $230.00

This day the commissioners proceeded to settle with John M. Speir, for services as county Auditor for one year ending the 30th day of May 1840, and do allow him the sum of one thousand and fifty dollars, ten cents, and nine mills, agreeably to his bill. Also the sum of three dollars, ninety three cents, eight mills, stationery and public letter postage during the period aforesaid.

For the allowance $1058.03
Stationery & postage $108.96

Mr. Speir receipt over received on 10% of March last.

Balance $168.96.
Upon settlement as aforesaid, we find the balance due said Auditor as aforesaid, four hundred and sixty-eight dollars, ninety-six cents, five mills, for services as aforesaid. We therefore order and authorize said Auditor, to draw an order on said treasurer of 'aforesaid county and said Auditor have for the sum of four hundred and sixty-eight dollars, ninety-six cents, five mills, balance in full for services aforesaid, at any period or periods he may see proper.

The Board adjourned until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock A.M.

Wednesday, June 3rd, 1840

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

John Thompson
James Brown
Seth L. Shattuck

James Brown, alderman of said county, read in said land and house, to wit: "A bill to authorize the establishment of the county poor house," passed March 31, 1831. And it is also enacted, that an additional tax of one mill, and a half on the dollar as aforesaid, be levied and collected and paid into the county treasury of Madison county in the same manner, and at the same time that state and county taxes are paid into the county treasury; which tax is to be applied to the repairing of bridges within said county, and also to the payment of debts already contracted for county purposes, agreeable to the statute in such cases made and provided.

Broad Tax 1840.

It is hereby further enacted and determined, by said commissioners, that one mill and a half upon the dollar be levied upon the aggregate amount of the value of all property entered upon the general list for taxation, for and purposes, current year, and enter the same to be paid out for collection.

County Levy 1840.

The commissioners proceeded to levy the present tax, necessary for the purpose of defraying the expenditures of this county for 1840, and do hereby levy one mill and a half on each dollar of valuation of the aggregate amount of all property in said county, entered upon the general list for taxation, and enter the same to be paid out for collection. Also enacted, that one half mill of the dollar as aforesaid, be deemed as aforesaid, to be appropriated and applied to the erection of a county poor house, agreeable to an act of the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, entitled "An Act to authorize the establishment of poor houses," passed March 31, 1831.
The following bills were presented and duly allowed by the commissioners, viz.:

John Highfield, for bill for making pump for poor house.

Peter Alden's bill for making iron for pump for poor house.

The commissioners adjourned until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Thursday, June 5th, 1840.

This day the commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

John Thompson.

Secretary.

William Goodwin.

This day was spent in examining the county Poor House, built by Mr. Maginnis. The commissioners returned and adjourned to meet at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Friday, June 6th, 1840.

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

John Thompson.

Secretary.

Samuel Goodwin.

County Poor House:

Appropriately to have been given by David Maginnis, contractor for building the Washington county Poor Houses, the commissioners yesterday went into an examination of the same, and after comparing the same with the plan and specifications of said contract, are unanimously of the opinion that the building is finished, not completed as required, by contract, as follows:

The 25th day of June, 1840, and to this day receive but county Poor House from the hands of said Maginnis, and all the materials contained in said contract.

Therefore the commissioners proceeded to settle with said Maginnis's contractor as aforesaid, for building said county Poor house, and also for extra work done in the same, where the following settlement was made and agreed upon by the parties, to wit:

The amount for building said county Poor House, agreeing to contract, $870.00.

Amount of extra work done for bills of days 16.91.87.

Interest on 700, and interest from 23.00.

On which the following payments have been made:

June 13th, 1st payment, on contract $200.00.

Aug. 12th, 2nd payment, to do. 100.00.

Oct. 3rd, 3rd payment, to do. 100.00.

Nov. 5th, 4th payment, to do. 100.00.

Nov. 20th, 5th payment. Total $329.17.

Balance remaining in settlement $281.40.

Intended that the county auditor issue in order to take the Maginnis's work, the county commissioners to pay to Maginnis the sum of two thousand and eighty dollars, forthwith, being balance incurred for work done by Washington county Poor house according to contract, and also for extra work done to the same.

(See next page.)
Appointment of Poor House Directors.

The poor house being completed for the reception of the poor, the commissioners proceeded to appoint a Board of Directors to take charge of and manage the affairs of that Poor House, agreeable to the provisions of an act entitled: "An act to authorize the establishment of the Poor House," passed March 8, 1834, where the following persons were unanimously appointed to act:

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Order that the Auditor issue an order in favor of John Thompson for his two Aprils of services, $30.00.

On the 13 day of June (1834), the commissioners were notified by John Thompson that he was unable to perform the duties of Poor House Commissioner for the ensuing months and declared a resignation. Thereupon, after motion was made, the resolution was unanimously agreed to give his resignation, to continue in office for the time of three years, and unless a resignation shall be received and executed.

Order that the Auditor issue an order on the Treasurer of Washington county in favor of John Thompson for his two Aprils of services, $30.00.

In addition, for the term of three years, the Auditor is directed to issue an order to John Thompson for his two Aprils of services, $30.00.

For the term of three years, the Auditor is directed to issue an order to John Thompson for his two Aprils of services, $30.00.

Ordered that the Auditor furnish an exhibit of the receipts and expenditures of this county for the past year.
Saturday, July 26th, 1840.
The Commissioners met this day for the purpose of holding a special session present.
Signatures:
John Thompson
Beverly Brenton
John Coates.

In pursuance of an order of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Muskingum in the State of Ohio, made on the twenty-fourth day of July, 1840, in a case in Chancery wherein Jacob Smith, Andrew Smith, and William Smith, also Parke, Solomon, and James Smith, plaintiffs, by their attorneys, and next friends, the junior Smith and the complainants; and "The Lanesville and Mayville Turnpike Road Company," Solomon Slusser, John C. Gather, Cyrus Sherrer, Hugh Doubly, and William Corbin were defendants, which order is hereto attached, as containing the directions to the freeholders herein appointed, and in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of the State of Ohio, entitled "An Act to incorporate the Lanesville and Mayville Turnpike Road Company," passed on the seventh day of March, 1839, and certain differences having arisen between said complainants and said company respecting the damage done to the following lands of said complainants situated in said county of Muskingum and on and through which said lands and a part of the Lanesville and Mayville Turnpike Roads have been located, to wit, the North East quarter of section No. two, in township No. fifteen, of Range No. four of Congress lands, west of thence from that part thereof which has already been set off to Mary Smith, widow of Jacob Smith deceased as her right of dower, and respecting the compensation to be allowed to said complainants for the materials which have already been taken, and which said company yet wish to take from said complainants said lands for the construction of said road, or the application of Jacob Smith on behalf of said complainants, we, the undersigned Commissioners of said county of Muskingum do hereby appoint John Dillon, John Roberts, and Lewis Swan, three disinterested freeholders of said county of Muskingum, to assess the damages or compensation which the said complainants may be entitled to have of the said company under the provisions of the ninth section of the aforesaid act to incorporate said company for any entries already made or yet to be made by said company or its servants, workmen or agents upon the said complainants' said land, and for any taking which has already been done or may hereafter be done by said company or its servants, workmen or agents, of any such land belonging to said complainants, to the location or construction of said road, and for any taking by said company or its servants, workmen or agents of such materials as have already been taken, or of such materials not previously appropriated by said complainants, to any particular use, as said company may wish to take from said complainants said land and as may hereafter be necessary to enable said company to construct or much of said road as has already been commenced to or in the vicinity of said complainants' said land, or as sufficient materials cannot be had on the lands occupied by said road.

Said freeholders, after being duly sworn, or affirmed, faithfully and impartially to perform the duties required of them by their appointment and the aforesaid act to incorporate the Lanesville and Mayville Turnpike Road Company are to proceed to view said lands and said materials and take into consideration whether
The land of said Complainants is or will be rendered more or less valuable by said road, passing through or near it, that, in their opinion any damage has been sustained by said Complainants, and, if in their opinion said Complainants are entitled to any compensation on account of any materials which have already been taken, or which said Company may yet wish to take, for the construction of said road as aforesaid, make out a demand therefor, in writing, and furnish a Copy thereof to the owners of said land by delivering the same to the said Jacob Smith, and apply for and on behalf of himself and the other said Complainants his co-tenants, and another Copy to the said Solomon Stiles, one of the appointed
Committee for and the Agent of said Company in this behalf, agreeable to the aforesaid order
of the said Court of Common Pleas, and the provisions of the ninth section of the aforesaid
act to incorporate said Company.
Said freshmen will meet at the said office in said County of Muskingum on Monday the third
day of August, 1840, at ten o'clock A.M. of said day, or at the same hour of the day,
within the period of fifteen days therefrom, at such time and place as may be convenient to them, and then
proceed to discharge their duties under this appointment.
Given under our hands this 26th day of July, 1840.

[Signatures]

John Thompson

Ephraim Godfrey

John Gossler

Ohio.
October 14th, 1840. The day the Commissioners met for the purpose of making some arrangements relative to the poor house. Present: John Thompson, J. Godber. 

The following bills were presented and allowed: To Sanford Toward for sundry articles furnished the poor house, as per bill — $105.90. To Daniel Marsh for wood $110.80. Adjourned to 9 O'clock to-morrow morning. 

October 15th, 1840. Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, present as yesterday of the consulting and making some arrangements relative to the poor house adjourned — John Thompson, J. Godber.


On the 21st instant, the Commissioners were called upon to view the bridge at Claypools Mills, & accordingly, on said day, proceeded on said business & found the middle pieces of said bridge had given way, and that the bridge was likely to fall down. They accordingly agreed with Revd. Claypool to put a good & substantial wooden bridge in the place of said pieces for which they agree to pay him the sum of fifty dollars, after as completed.

The following bills were presented & allowed: John Hall for two book cases for Auditor's Office $16.00. Charles Clark for painting the same $1.25.

November 6th, 1840.

Ordered by us the undersigned, Commissioners of Muskingum County, that the County Asst. of Said County, file an order or orders on the Treasurer of Said County, in favor of Henry Jones, for whatever sum or sums of money that John Goshen Esq. may direct, not exceeding one hundred dollars, in part of pay towards the removing a bank of earth at the Muskingum County Poor House, agreeable to contract made with Said Goshen on the 20th October A.D. 1840.

John Goshen

Bob Briggs

Musk Co.

Monday December 7th, A.D. 1840.

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law.

Judge: John Thompson

John Gooden

Robert Rogers

Petition to alter State Road.—Henry Thorns presented a petition signed by himself and others, residents of Muskingum county, praying that an alteration or change may be made on a certain state road known as the West burdine road in this county, and which lines Thornsburgh at the SW corner of said town going Wst by NSt a short distance thence directly North about quarter of a mile, until it passes immediately through the Burial Ground of said town. The alteration to be made as follows:

"Start sixty feet east from the SW corner of John Winner's land, thence in a straight line north leaving Wst, leaving a slack oak tree, standing on the north east corner of the space yard, on the right, to another slack oak on said Winner's land marked (A) thence North in a straight line to the south end of Blizzard's lane, where the proposed improvement will join the West burdine road."

Thompson the Commissioners appointed to meet at their office in Zanesville, on the second day of this next March term, for the purpose of hearing remonstrances and of granting an order for a view. Said Henry Thorns entered into bond with security to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, as required by law in such cases.

James Hastings alteration of county road on his own land. This day said Hastings presented a petition signed by himself and others praying for an alteration of the county road, running from the old Wheeler road to Robert Office's old place, now Peter Turner's place, beginning and ending at the following points, to wit:

Starting at a pine tree marked S, on said road south of James Hastings in Perry township, thence North
of said Hastings dwelling house, thence North East and intersect said road at a kichway the market N.

Therefore the commissioners have appointed John McDonald, Joseph Xellers, and Martin Welden, viewers and Sam'l Ro. Jones, treasurer, to view, survey and lay out said alteration of road, as proposed, and agreeably to the above mentioned boundaries; to meet at the house of James Hastings in Perry township on the 31st day of December, instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, to report to this Board on or before the first Monday of March next.

The following reports on roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last June Session, were received and generally taken up and read the first time.

1st. Samuel Swanz's road.
2d. Henry Farrell's road.
3d. James Niff's road.
5th. Daniel Wills's road.

The reports of the viewers on each of the aforesaid roads and alterations of roads being favorable, they were ordered to be read again to-morrow. The particular description of the boundaries of these roads, reference may be had to the minutes of the Commissioners at their last June Session, as recorded.

Viewers' Report of Damages caused by Arthur Wills's road as petitioned for at the December Session 1839.

The viewers appointed at the last June session to visit and determine how much less valuable the land or premises of Mel Randall, claimant, will be rendered if said road shall be established and opened, reported this day as follow:

That the land of the said Mel Randall will be rendered less valuable: $50.00.

The Commissioners being of opinion that said road is of sufficient importance to cause the said damages assessed as aforesaid, to be paid by the county; they therefore refuse to establish said road as a public highway, unless said damages and expenses are paid by the petitioners or those interested in said road on or before the first Monday of March next; and to default thereof said road shall stand vacated.

Daniel Conners' Executor's petition for damages for timber cut.

This day Daniel Conners, Executor of the estate of John McGillicie deceased, laid in a petition for damages for timber cut and carried from the lands belonging to the estate of John McGillicie deceased, by Charles McGaughie a supervisor in Falls township, to repair the bridge across the river on the road leading from Zanesville to Newark in July and August last.

Therefore the commissioners appointed Anne Dillon, John Peck & A. Wilson, footholders, to assess said damage, if any, has been sustained to meet at John Peck's in that Precinct, on the 27th February at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday of March next; said Conners entitled into bond according to law.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order in favour of A.A. Gill, Prosecuting Attorney, on the county treasurer for the sum of two dollars, as his annual salary for attending to the taking of bonds of county officers for the year 1840.
The following settlement was made with Henry Jones to erect:

For removing earth at county Poor House as per contract with the commissioners $75.00
To county order in 577.00 An 1840. $70.00
- removing and things Balance 2.00 72.00

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the treasurer in favor of C. Binkle for said balance.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of L. Binkle for repairs due to Jonathan's creek bridge, for the sum of fifty dollars.

The Board then adjourned until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock A.M.

Tuesday, December 8th A.D. 1840.

The commissioners met agreeably to adjournment.

Present: John Thompson
John Godden
Robert Moss

The following reports on roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last June session were taken up and read the second time:

1st. Benje. Seabolt road.
2d. Henry Towlson road.
3d. James Haff road.
5th. Daniel Willetts road.
6th. James Morris alteration of road.

The following alterations of roads laid over from the last June session to the last March session according to the petition of Edward Adams, etc.

The reports on all the foregoing roads and alterations of roads being favorable and no objection having been made against the same, any further proceedings thereon were laid over until the next March session according to the statute in such cases provided.

The following alterations of roads laid over from the last June session was this day established, to wit:

William Baugh's alteration of state road. The substance of the petition is as follows: "That an alteration or change may be made in the state road leading from Greensville down the Muskingum river to Middletown, said alteration to be made in Wayne township, in said county, and on the land of William Baugh as follows:

Commencing in said road at a near said Baugh's falk. Next corner, thence down said river about 60 or 70 rods till it intersects said old route, and to be laid on the route lately opened by said Baugh."

The viewers appointed at the last March session, made a favorable report at the last June session, which report was laid over until the present June session, and now being no objection made to the said alteration of road, and the commissioners believing the same to be reasonable, to hereby confirm the report of the viewers and declare the said route a public highway, and to agree as hereinafter satisfactory evidence is produced that the new road is in all respects made equal to the old route for the convenience of travellers, to sacrifice so much of the old route as is embraced by the new.

Edward Adams alteration of three roads on his own land. The substance of the petition is as follows: "An alteration in the state road leading from Dresden to Middletown commencing on the line between Edward B. and W. Adams and Thomas B. and Ellis. Thence South along said line to the Cohocton road, thence along
Said road to the Millersburgh road. "Also for an alteration in the State road leading from Dresden, Mount Vernon. Commencing at the graced road on the line between Castleton and Mushingame, then a southerly course to the bank, thence along said back until it intersects the old road near Dresden." Also for another alteration in State road, commencing at the bank of Wapahong, thence south to the Dresden line cut, thence along said line cut until it intersects the old road near Seminio Pond.

The viewers appointed at the last March session made a favorable report at the last June session, which report was laid over until the present December session, and the same being no objection made to the said alterations of roads, and the commissioners believing the same to be reasonable, do hereby confirm the report of the viewers and declare the said alterations a route public highway; and having regard to the said satisfactory evidence that the proposed new roads have been made in all respects equal to the old roads for the convenience of travellers, to erect as much of the old road as is embraced by the new road, and order the same to be worked according to law.

Joseph McMorris' alteration of road. The substance of the petition is as follows: "That an alteration be made in the road running into the county of Castleton, commonly called the Millbury road, as follows: Commencing at the Norris's bridge, running thence on a northerly line dividing the lands of Joseph McMorris and Willamson to the line dividing Mushingame and Castleton county.

The viewers appointed at the last March session made a favorable report at the last June session, which report was laid over until the present December session, and there being no objection made to the said alteration of road, the commissioners believing the same to be reasonable, do hereby confirm the report of the viewers and declare the said alteration a public highway; and do agree as soon as practicable to make the same.

Petition to alter township. This day McDonald, in a petition to the commissioners praying that a part of Wallack township may be detached off of said township and attached to Wayne township, which petition was signed by a majority of the householders residing within the boundary of the proposed change of alteration, and the commissioners being satisfied that the necessary notice of such intended application had been given by advertisement as required by law, proceeded to change and alter said boundary of said township, as follows: To wit:--

That the fractional parts of sections No. 29, 458 in township 13, Range 13, lying on the South side of the
Ordered that the county Auditors issue orders in favor of the Sand Commissioners of Muskingum county for the amount of interest accruing semi-annually in advance, on the sum of $11461.00 (being the sum borrowed of said Commissioners by the county Commissioners) on and after the 31st day of December next, or the same may from time to time become due; until otherwise ordered.

The following bills for services rendered in laying out roads and alterations of roads were severally presented and allowed; to wit:

**James Neff's Road.**
- Joseph Fisher for surveying and platting: £2.50
- Samuel Watton for viewing: 1.00
- John & Benjamin: 1.00
- Elias Banks: and making returns: 2.00
- Thomas Goppers for chaining: 0.75
- Nathan Beedy: 0.75
- Joseph Parsons for masking: 0.75

**Jonathan Moor's Road.**
- Ferdinand Berritt for surveying and platting: £2.50
- Thomas Adams for viewing: 1.00
- James Evans: 1.00
- Joshua Bennett: 1.00
- William Singlet: 0.75
- Manuel Chaney: 0.75
- Philip Neff: for masking: 0.75

**Daniel Stillwell's Road.**
- Joseph Fisher for surveying and platting: £1.50
- John Jacobson for viewing: 1.00
- Andrew Palmer: and making returns: 2.00
- John Stillwell for chaining: 0.75
- Miner Pamkham: 0.75
- Jacob Winder for masking: 0.75

**James Morrow's alteration of Road.**
- George Smith for surveying and platting: £3.00
- Humphrey Acklin for viewing: 1.00
- William Prowde: 1.00
- Samuel Morrow: 1.00
- John McDonald for chaining: 0.75
- Nathan McDonald: 0.75
- William H. Beatty for masking: 0.75
The Plat and field notes of a graded state road, commencing at the Morgan county line, on the graded road between William Reymond and Eli Brigham's; thence to the south end of first cross streets in the town of Cumberland; thence to Ford Barron's old stone mill; thence to the east end of Abraham Follet's meadows; thence to Concord in Muskingum county, was yesterday received, and ordered to be recorded and placed on file in this office.

The bill for this county as follows:—

John Robinson, for surveying, planting, and fencing, $9.33
Joseph Morrison, commissioner for surveying, $2.66
James Bell, $2.90
Charles Carroll, staff bearer, $1.45
William Tolleson, for chain, $1.33
Stephens P. Dennison, for chaining, $1.33
Peter Smith, for chain, $1.12
Upham Biddle, $1.12
David Wilson, for chaining, $1.12

The following bills were presented and severely allowed by the Commissioners, to wit:—

Robert Taylor, for keeping Nancy Taylor, insane person, one month ending Nov. 30th, $30.00
Robert Taylor, for keeping Mary Ann Cochell, insane person, one month ending Dec. 31st, $37.50
Joseph Thor, for keeping Mary Ann Cochell, insane person, one month ending Dec. 31st, $26.00
Joseph Thor, for feeding insane, as agreed to his bill, on file, $8.00
Davie Maginnis, for work and materials for poor house, as agreed to his bill, $196.04
Joseph Brand, for keeping Martha Beadle, insane person, one year ending 5th Dec. inst., $18.75
A. Peters, for public printing as agreed to his bill, $98.87
James Ramey, for book foldings, $10.00, paying it on 3.75

The Commissioners then adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock A.M.

Wednesday, December 9th, A.D. 1840.

The Board met agreeably to adjournment. —

Present:—

John Thompson
John Cole
Robert Bogg

The following bills were presented by Edward Ball, and severally allowed, and ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer for the amount.

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The following bill was presented and allowed, viz:—

D. V. Mc. Daily, for stone pipe for East House, repairs for Treasurer's office, Dept. V.C., no per bill on file, $33.18

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of the Directors of the Muskingum county Poor House, for the sum of Twelve hundred dollars, to be paid out of the Parochial Revenue, at any time on demand, which said sum it is to be applied to furnishing the Muskingum county Poor House with things necessary for establishing and supporting the said institution, to be paid out of said funds not otherwise appropriated.
Ordered that John W. Pay county Auditor be so ordered to issue him, in his favor for the sum of Three hundred dollars, in part for services rendered as county Auditor for the year commencing on the 1st day of June last, an order on the county Treasurer of Huntingam county, said county is ordered to pay.

The memorial of J. Hargis, &c. Hamilton and A. B. Callahan—being a committee appointed by the board of Directors of the Gainesville and Mayesville Turnpike road company applying to the Commissioners of Huntingam county for a subscription to the capital stock of said company, for the purpose of building bridges in said county was laid over for further consideration at the next March session of this Board.

John Dillon's application for an appropriation to build a bridge to be built across Etowah was laid over until the next March session.

Adjourned

John Thompson, County
John Gash, Commissioner
Rob Boggs
Monday March 1st, A.D. 1841.

This day the commissioners met pursuant to law.

Present: John Thompson, John Gilson, Robert Boggs

And John gave bond and took oath.

This day, John M. Web gave bond, with Daniel Rush and Thomas Moorehead, subscribers, at the acceptance of the commissioners, for the faithful performance of his duties as county auditor, from and after this day; and moreover took and subscribed the oath of office as required by law—where bond and oath the commissioners filed with the Treasurers of Muhlenberg county.

The following report on an alteration of road as petitioned at the last December session, was made, and taken up and read for the first time, to wit:

Samuel Martin's alteration of county road on his own land.

The report of the viewers on the aforesaid alteration of road being favorable, it was ordered to be read again tomorrow. For a particular description of the boundaries of this alteration of road reference may be had to the commissioners minutes of their last December session.

Basil Richetti's alteration of state road running from Dresden in Muhlenberg county to Mt. Carlisle in Lebanon county. The report of the viewers appointed at the last December session was made and taken up and read the first time, and said report, being favorable, was ordered to be read again tomorrow. For a particular description of the boundaries of this alteration of road reference may be had to the commissioners minutes of their last December session.

Petition for Damages caused by the state road

Commencing at the Logan county line, on the graded road between N. Reynolds and E. S. Bingham, thence to the town of Cumberland, thence to track Burnes old line still, thence to A. Pollock's meadow, thence to bend in Muhlenberg county.

This day Solomon Reaume, Jr., the speaker by his agent for McCrory appeared and made complaint to the commissioners stating that the late location of the above state road, runs through their lands to their great injury, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to assess the damages they have, or may sustain if said road shall be established and opened a public highway.

Accordingly the commissioners appointed John McBe, Uriah Oke, and Joseph Boggs viewers, to view, assess, and determine how much loss or value the lands or premises of each of said complainants will be sustained if said road shall be established and opened a public highway, and to make report. Whereas, in writing to this board, a deputation of the people of Union township, on the 30th day of March (instant), at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day.

Petition for Damages caused by Jonathan Moore's road, as petitioned for at the June session, 1840.

This day Mr. Dunlop appeared and made complaint to the commissioners stating that the late location of a county road, known by the name of Jonathan Moore's road, runs through his land to his great injury, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to assess the damages they have, or may sustain if said road shall be established and opened a public highway.

Therefore, the commissioners appointed Henry Semen, Richard Le Mundenhall, & others, to view, assess, and determine how much loss or value the lands or premises of said complainants will be sustained if said road shall be established and opened a public highway.
road shall be established and opened a public high way and to make report thereof, under oath, in writing to this board or on or before the first Monday in June next, to meet at William Dunlap's in Jackson township on the 15th instant, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day.

Damaged assessed to the Estate of John Montgomery deceased for timber cut.

The viewers appointed at the last December session, upon the petition of David Byers Executrix of the estate aforesaid, to assess the amount of damages that said estate has sustained by timber cut by a superior in Talley township to repair a bridge across Doe's run made report that day, that said estate has sustained to the amount of Twelve dollars, on whereof the county Auditor is to add an order on the county Treasurer in favor of said estate of Montgomery deceased for the above sum at any time hereafter on demand.

A notice was received from G. A. Hall one of the land commissioners for Muskingum county, which was filed in this office on the 15th of July 1840, of which the following is a copy to wit:

"Sandyville, July 15th, A.D. 1840

Gentlemen: I resign to you the appointment of a land commissioner for this county from you dated May 15th, 1839, for three years from the 12th of May 1839. My resignation to take effect from this date. Respectfully,

John Gooden, John Thompson, G. A. Hall

The commissioners of Muskingum county hereby accept this resignation.

Commissioners adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Thursday, March 2nd, A.D. 1841.

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present: John Thompson, John Osborne, Robert Boggs

The following report on an alteration of road so petitioned for at the last December session, was taken up and read the second time, to wit:

James Hastings' alteration of county road on his own land. A particular description of the boundaries of said alteration of road reference may be had to the Minutes of the last December session of the commissioners. The report on the foregoing alteration of road being favorable and no objection having been made against the same, any further proceedings thereon was laid over until the next June session, according to the statute in such cases provided.

Bazil Richillo's alteration of state road running from Drew in Muskingum county to McMechin in both counties. The report of the viewers appointed at the last December session was taken up and read the second time. For a particular description of the boundaries of this alteration of road reference may be had to the Minutes of the commissioners of June last.

The report on the foregoing alterations of road being favorable, and no objection having been made against the same, any further proceedings thereon was laid over until the next June session, according to the statute in such cases provided.
The following roads and alterations of roads laid over from the last December session, were this day established to wit:

Samuel Scovil's Road.

"Commencing at a near the corner of No. Bar- 
clay's field in Adams township, on the state road that 
leads from Zanesville to both towns, from thence following 
the old road to the South West corner of his orchard, 
then the widow Beale's line, from thence along the right-hand 
side of the river to Samuel Scovil's, from thence to William 
Bosleto's and above his stable and through his lane, 
from thence to a near the mouth of West Creek, from 
thence to intersect the old dirt work road, at or near 
the old dirt works in Madison township."

The viewers appointed at the last June session 
made a favorable report at the last December session, 
which report was laid over until the present March session, 
and there being no objection made to the said road, 
and the commissioners believing the same to be of public 
utility, do hereby confirm the report of the viewers and 
declare said route to be a public highway, and order 
the same to be recorded, opened and worked according to law.

Mr. order to open same to June 3rd, 1841. 
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James Neff's Road.

"Commencing in said brick township at a near 
Woods at the mouth of Plum Run, and thence up said 
women to George Yander's road, and West across said road, 
and then down a hollow running a due West course to 
the Muskingum river, and thence across said river to 
intersection the state road on the West side of the river in 
this township."

The viewers appointed at the last June session 
made a favorable report at the last December session, 
which report was laid over until the present March session, 
and there being no objection made to the said road; 
and the commissioners believing the same to be of public 
utility, do hereby confirm the report of the viewers and 
declare said route to be a public highway, and order 
the same to be recorded, opened and worked according to law.

Mr. order to open same to June 3rd, 1841.

Daniel Stillwell's Road.

"Beginning on the South bank of the Muskingum 
river, at a near the house of John Stevens, in Madison 
township, Muskingum county, thence West on the bank of 
the said river to the road leading from the house of Daniel 
Stillwell, to Zanesville."

The viewers appointed at the last June session 
made a favorable report at the last December session, 
which report was laid over until the present March session, 
and there being no objection made to the said road; 
and the commissioners believing the same to be of public 
utility, do hereby confirm the report of the viewers 
and declare said route to be a public highway, and order 
the same to be recorded, opened and worked according to law.

Mr. order to open same to June 3rd, 1841.
James Moor's Alteration of county road in Monroe township.

"Beginning on the line between John McDonald and David Rockwell, thence along a new lane, thence to a white oak tree on the west of James Moor's house along the new road travelled, and to vacate so much of the old road as may be embraced in the new."

The viewers appointed at the last June session made a favorable report at the last December session, which report was laid over until the present March session and there being no objection made to the said alteration plan, and the commissioners believing the same to be reasonable, do hereby confirm the report of the viewers and adopt the said alteration as a public highway, and do agree as soon as satisfactory evidence is produced that the new route is in all respects made equal to the old route for the convenience of travelers, to vacate so much of the old road as is embraced by the new.

Mr. Orton is given to James Moor on June 21, 1871.

Jonathan Moor's Road, as petitioned for at the last June session was continued to the next June session, in consequence of William Dunlap having laid in for damages as herein before stated.

Mary Ann Cockrell, insane person.

William McBrownaugh this day applied for the help of Mary Ann Cockrell insane person, now in the custody of John Shugett, for one year from and after this day and agrees to keep, maintain, and furnish said insane person with all things necessary for the term aforesaid at the rate of Twenty-five dollars per year - all of which the commissioners agree to. And order the county Auditor to draw orders on the county Treasurer, quarterly for each quarter of the sum above allowed, in favor of William McBrownaugh for the aforesaid purposes. Order issued to John Shugett to deliver said Mary Ann to said McBrownaugh.

Joshua Bennett's Road, no person appearing to pay the damages assessed to Neil Randall of said road. Should be established, together with the cost of the view and report, the commissioners this day decided that no further proceedings be had thereon.

The following bills for services rendered in laying out iterations of roads and other services, were presented and allowed:

Basil Hackett's Alteration of State Road & etc.

Adam Shilbit for surveying & platting  $2.50

B. S. Benson for viewing  $1.00

D. J. Savitt  $1.00

George McDonald for viewing & returning plat & report  $2.00

Jonathan Burgh for chaining  $0.75

John Johnston for chaining  $0.75

Lisa Burgh for marking  $0.75

James Hastings' Alteration of road on his own land - the bill are paid by petitioner.

D. Conner, Executor of estate of McKean, bill of expense for timber cut by supervisor.

Stone Brown for assessing damages  $1.00

John Lee  $1.00

A. Whiting  $1.00

Henry Horns' petition to alter a state road in Jackson as petitioned for at the last December session. This day was heard by the commissioners to grant or refuse a review of much of said road as is included in said petition; and the commissioners after hearing the statement of said Horns from said petition & the objections of John Wimmer, person, refused to grant a review of so much of said road as is prayed to be altered & described in said petition, as aforesaid. Said application was accordingly denied.
The following bills were presented & allowed; and the county Auditor ordered to issue orders for the same, on the county Treasurer, to the several persons entitled thereto, on demand.

No. 1, bill for coal for Court House & streets, from Sept. 28, 1840, $78.00; March 12, 1841, 688 bushels at $5 per bushel, $3425.63.

No. 2, bill for advertising expenses of the Board of Supervisors, (as per bill) $187.50.

O. White, bill for books for the Appearance & Binding Department of 1840 for Superior Court, $31.50.

John B. Turner, bill for his attendance & medicine to prisoners in jail, from March 6th, 1840, to April 15th, following, $9.50.

Mr. J. Nicholas, bill for labor & services in building Index & Register of Deeds, $39.81.

Mr. Wellers, bill for services as assistant Auditor for Real Estate, rendered during the year 1840, $100.00.

Adjourned bill of land for sale, $18.90.

Commissioners adjourned, to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, March 8th, A.D. 1841.

The Commissioners met, agreed to adjournment.

Present: John Thompson

John Godden

Robert Boggs

The following bills were presented & allowed, and the Auditor ordered to issue an order for the same:

Edward Wall, Sheriff, bill for keeping prisoners from Dec. 8th, 1840, to March 8th, 1841, $384.13.

W. H. T. Brown, bill for fuel, $126.60, & $16,000.00.

The said Commissioners proceeded to settle with John W. Jay for services as county Auditor, from the 1st day of June 1840, to the 8th day of March 1841, and do allow him the sum of Nine hundred and forty-four dollars, twenty-six cents, quarterly to his bill.

The Auditor received $944.26.00

The county order, No. 178, issued Oct. 18th, 1840, $300.00.00.

Balance due at this date $644.26.00.

(On the above account there is no charge for serving county orders, recording orders in book, filing vouchers for annual salary for school business, or for Stationary and postage, which items are yet to be allowed, at next Session.)

Upon settlement as aforesaid we find the balance due John W. Jay Auditor, as aforesaid, Six hundred and forty-four dollars, twenty-six cents, for services as aforesaid. We therefore order and authorize said Auditor to draw an order or orders on the Treasurer of Muhlenberg county in said Auditor's favor for the sum of Six hundred and forty-four dollars, twenty-six cents; balance in full for services aforesaid, at any period or periods as he may deem proper.

Commissioners adjourned, to meet tomorrow at 9 o'clock. A.M.

Thursday, March 9th, A.D. 1841.

The Commissioners met according to adjournment.

Present: John Thompson

John Godden

Robert Boggs

Ordered that the Reader be required to transcribe in a plain legible hand, both A. and B. of the Records of Muhlenberg county, into a new and suitable book; & exactly compare, and certify the same officially, and preserve carefully the original record from exposure or waste, except in cases of absolute necessity, and that he be paid therefor the sum of Forty dollars, out of the county Treasury, when the same is completed, to the satisfaction of the Commissioners.
John Goshen Beale is hereby authorized to procure some person to make and put a safe for the Record books in the Recorder's Office, of such structure and cost, as he may deem best adapted to the purpose of keeping said books.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer to be paid out of any money of the surplus Revenue, that may be in the county treasurer, not otherwise appropriated, in favor of the Directors of Meckling county Poor-house, for any sum or sums not exceeding Four thousand dollars, at any time on demand; to be applied to the necessary expenses of establishing and supporting said institution.

1. The memorial of J. Scharer, C. Averham, & J. W. Gathre, (a committee appointed by the board of Directors of the Gainesville and Maryville Turnpike road company,) applying to the commissioners of Meckling county for a subscription to the capital stock of said company, for the purpose of building bridges in said county, was this day taken up, considered, & dismissed.

John Dillon's application for an appropriation for a bridge to be built across Fishing, was this day taken up, considered, and dismissed.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of John Skiplett, for helping Mary Ann Cockrell, one quarter ending this day, for the sum of Twenty-five dollars, to be used as he shall direct, in purchase of the Auditor the warrant issued by

It was this day determined by the commissioners to build a barn on the county poor-house farm, and Dr. Goshen Beale was appointed to make a draft & specifications for that purpose. The commissioners agree to meet on Tuesday 16th inst. to put the same under contract to make such other disposition of the matter as they may deem advisable.

Commissioners adjourned.

John Goshen, 
Commiss. 
John Goshen, 
Commiss. 

Rob. Tappas.

Tuesday, March 16th A.D. 1841.

This day the commissioners met pursuant to the above appointment. Present:

John Goshen 
Rob. Tappas 

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Young Goshen for making a safe for the Recorder's Office, for the sum of

$18.00.0

The board not being full, the commissioners conclude to postpone the consideration of building a barn on the poor-house farm until a full board can be obtained. Adjourned. 

John Goshen 
Rob. Tappas
Monday June 7th A.D. 1841.

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law—Present—

John Bond, 1st Commr.
Robert Snodgrass, 2nd Commr.
Samuel L. Mansfield, 3rd Commr.

Where being a quorum present the Commissioners proceeded to business.

Presley Fisher's Road. A petition was presented before the Board by Presley Fisher signed by himself and others praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, to wit:

"Beginning at the bridge across the river on the Sauble road on the land of Samuel Belcher in Washington township, thence to or near Samuel Hunt's dwelling house, thence to a near the house of John Davis, thence to the corner of the lands of Alexander Miller, Benjamin Fitzgerald, John Matson, and Billy Ledson, thence with the line of said Fitzgerald and Miller until it strikes the land of Jacob Reiffer, thence with the line of said Reiffer and Miller to the termination at the Plainfield road near Reiffer's tavern."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Gabriel Bush, Jacob Black, and Jacob Basset surveyors to view, survey, and lay out said road to meet at Samuel Belcher's on Friday the 18th instant at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day; and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next.

Samuel Farrell's Road. A petition was presented before the Board by Samuel Farrell signed by himself and others praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, to wit:

"Commencing at a stake on the county road east of Jonathan Smith's house, in the township of Blue Rock, running a southerly course, until it intersects the north and south line between Edward Ferrell and John Ferguson, thence south along said line, (or so near as practicable) until it intersects the road running from Blue Rock Baptist Meeting house, to the river—thence southwest along said road, and up Mansfield Road, to its termination in a county road—thence same course, nearly north, until it intersects the north and south line between Jacob and Joseph Fox, and thence north along said line, to terminate in a county road west of Samuel Hebron's house."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Eliza Reed, William Heacock, and Jacob Oestolti surveyors, and Samuel Ordman surveyors, to view, survey, and lay out said road to meet at Jonathan Smith's on Friday 18th June, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day; and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next.

George Orman's Alteration of roads. A petition was presented before the Board by George Orman signed by himself and others praying for an alteration of the road leading from McBain's Wells, which mill to Duncan Falls in Muskingum county.

"Commencing in Wayne township, at the township at a new Samuel Johnson's house, south west into the
James Moorehead's Road, in connection with Guernsey county; a petition was this day presented before the Commissioners of Mecklingham county by James Moorehead one of the signers, praying that a county road in connection with Guernsey county may be laid out and established, as follows, to wit:

Commencing "near the east end of a bridge on the National Road near David Anderson's mile, thence North West till it strikes the county line, thence along said county line as near as possible till it strikes the Plainfield road, east of Erich's town's meadows, thence along said road till it comes opposite David & Bigger's meadows, thence North East to Thomas Smith's stable, thence to the above county line, thence along to over the county line to a brush tree between David's Suttle and Daniel Harper's, thence North East to a county road to a farm South East of Robert Harper's house in Adams township, Guernsey county."

Therefore the Commissioners appointed said barnet, by James Warren to be surveyors and Abraham Reasoner, surveyor, to view survey and lay out said road to meet at David Anderson's on Friday the 15th day of June instant, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next.

Sarah White infant person, ARCHibald is in the custody of the Board, this day applied for the keeping of Sarah White infant person, now in the custody, for one year from and after the 26th day of August next; and agrees to keep, maintain and furnish said person with all things necessary for the term aforesaid, at the rate of twenty-five dollars per year, all of which the Commissioners agree to. And order the county Auditor to drawers on the county Treasurer, quarterly for each quarter of the sum above allowed, in favor of Archibald for the above purpose.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the Treasurer in favor of Robert Taylor for keeping Nancy Taylor infant person the months ending on the 15th day of May last, for Thirty seven dollars and fifty cents of 87.80.

The petition of Mrs. Brown and others, praying for a new township, to be taken from Brush Creek township, was continued to the next December session for further action.

Ordered that the Auditor issues an order on the Treasurer in favor of Edward Hall, Sheriff, for boarding prisoners, repairs to jail, and sundry articles for prison as per bill rendred and on file, amounting in all to the sum of three hundred and ninety three dollars sixty cents.

$393.60

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of Wm. McOwan for keeping Mary Ann Booth infant person, for one quartermaster of the instant, for the sum of eighteen dollars and twenty five cents.

$18.75

The following bill was presented, and allowed to wit:

Joseph C. Whetstone for attending year 1841

119 days

for Stationary

x $ 332.75

The Commissioners then adjourned until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.
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The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, - Present:

John Parkman, Commrs.

John Burwell's alteration of the State road from Jamestown to Cockeaton on his own land. A petition was this day presented before the Board by John Burwell signed by himself and others praying for an alteration of the State road from Jamestown to Cockeaton on his own land, as follows:

"Beginning at a point in said road at or near a place known & designated as 'Slaughbridges' bridge being the three mile station from Jamestown, at the line between the bounds of John Russell and John Underwood, in Washington township, thence North easterly (and out of the original line) to a point about two or three rods east of (Smith's) Gater house, and on as straight a line as practicable to intersect the original line of State road between the said spring and the four mile station."

The commissioners of said county appointed John Parkman, Daniel Bowers & Daniel Red to be viewers, and Charles RobertsSurveyor, to view the same, and lay out said alteration of State road, to meet at John Burwell's, on the 1st day of November next at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make reports of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Ben. Bцовест for reaping done to a bridge over Rocking stream near his mill, for the sum of Forty-five dollars; and Ben. Bцовест is to have the stone in the old gear, when it is of no further use to the county, as it now stands. x $45.00

Thursday, June 10th, A.D. 1841.

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, - Present:

John Parkman, Commrs.

The following bills were presented and generally allowed:

James Watson's bill for sundry articles for prisoners & mail, box, pitcher & stone...
x $10.60

William Miller balance for Appraising estate year 1840...
x $63.70

D. Maginnis bill for medicines for prisoners...
x $14.38

D. W. Algie bill for medicine & attendance on prisoners in jail...
x $13.76

O. H. Shorter bill for 6 pair blankets for jail...
x $15.00

John Russell Treasurer bill for public printing...
x $60.00

O. White for books for Sheriff, Auditor office...
x $38.34

Dr. W. Moorehead's bill for medicines & attendance on prisoners in jail from Apr. 28th, 1840 to March 29th, 1841...
x $23.50

Wm. J. Hulbrow's register for transcribing index of Book 20 into General Register...
x $20.00

O. White for books for Sheriff, Auditor office...
x $16.50

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County Treasurer's Settlement. This day John Russell, Treasurer of Muskingum county, presented his accounts for examination and settlement and the commissioners find the accounts correct, and they remitted in his hands on settlement the sum of Four thousand eight hundred and thirty nine dollars, thirty three cents, two mills.

County Orders Bounded. After settlement with the Treasurer as aforesaid all the orders that were redeemed on said settlements up to June 1st, 1841, the commissioners bounded, to wit: up to county order No. 678.

Vouchers of the county Auditor examined. This day the Commissioners examined the vouchers of the county Auditor and compared the same with the check and find the same to be satisfactorily and correctly kept.

Countey Levy year 1841. The commissioners proceed to levy the pre-contents necessary for the purpose of defraying the expenditures of the county year 1841 and do hereby levy one mille and a half on each dollar of valuation of the aggregate amount of all property in said county, entered upon the general list for taxation, to order the same to be set out for collections. Also ordered that one half mille on the dollars as aforesaid be levied as aforesaid, to be appropriated and applied to the county Poor House, agreeably to an act of the General Assembly of the state of Ohio entitled "an act to authorize the establishment of poor houses" passed March 8th, 1831. And it is also ordered that an additional tax of one mille on the dollars as aforesaid be levied and collected as part into the county treasury of Muskingum county in the usual manner, and at the same time that the said county taxes are paid into the county treasurer, which tax is to be applied to the repairing and building of bridges within the county, and also to pay existing legal claims against the county, agreeably to the statute in such cases made and provided.

Road Tax. 1841. The commissioners were of opinion that it was inexpedient to levy a tax, this present year, for road purposes.

The commissioners then adjourned to meet to morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Friday, June 11th, A.D. 1841.

The commissioners met agreeably to adjournment.

Present:—

John Goodwin, Chairman.

Robt. Riggs.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer, in favor of the funds commissioners of Muskingum county, for the sum of Fifty six dollars and twenty five cents, being the amount of interest in advance up to June 30th 1841 out of $3000 borrowed by the county commissioners of the said commissioners.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer, in favor of the funds commissioners of Muskingum county, for the sum of Six hundred and ninety three dollars and eighty three cents on the 6th of June, and 31st December, in each year, that being the interest due semi-annually in advance on the sum of $10461, borrowed by the county commissioners of the said commissioners for the erection of the Muskingum county Poor House.

The following bill was then presented and allowed:—

J. W. Ferris, Auditor, for his services up to June 1st, 1841, $120.90.

In addition to the bill above aforesaid de$ 257.75

Stationary, public letter postage.

$478.65
Tuesday, June 22, 1841.

Respectfully adjourned, the Commissioners met present:

John Godden
Robt. Bozzi

The Poor House Directors having appeared before the Board, the Commissioners proceeded to appoint a Board of Directors to take charge of and manage the affairs of the Poor House, and to act as Directors under the provisions of an act entitled "An act to authorize the establishment of Poor Houses," passed March 8th, 1831; under the following persons were appointed, viz.: John Peters, John Roberts & Mrs. Camp, for the year ending 4th June, 1842.

Adjourned.

John Godden
Robt. Bozzi
July 18th, 1846
The Commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio, at
Present—
John Goshaw
Robt. Jones.
Whereas complaint was made to the
Board, that Sarah White, an insane person, now in
the custody of Arch Galbraith, it has been kept
in a most shameful & inhumane manner, the said
Commissioners proceeded to the house of said
Galbraith, to examine into the matter, and find
her in a miserable & uncomfortable situation,
so much so that said Commissioners do
heartily rescind and disannul the order
made, at the last June Session of this body,
relative to said Galbraith, keeping her another
year from & after the 20th day of August next,
and do hereby declare said contract null &
void.

Whereas, William S. Conaway applied
for the keeping of said Sarah White, insane person
as aforesaid, & now in the custody of said Arch
Galbraith, for the term of one year, from the last
date he may receive her, and furnish her the
said Sarah, with good and sufficient clothing,
meat, drink, washing & lodging, and all other
necessary, fit and convenient for an insane
person in her situation, for and during the term
aforesaid—And further binds himself to keep
her safely in some convenient place of confinement
so that the said Sarah shall not run at large,
and at the expiration of said term (or sooner, if
required by the Commissioners of said County) it
is required to convey the said Sarah to
the jail of said county, and deliver her to
the Sheriff of said county, or make such other
disposition of her as the Commissioners of said county
may reasonably direct.

And the Commissioners do agree with said
person to the extent of their Corporate Capacity, and
their Executive Officer, to pay the said McConaway
for keeping said Sarah as aforesaid, the sum of
One Hundred dollars, in equal quarterly payments.

Provided, however, that if said Sarah shall
decade, or be restored to her reason, or in any
manner cease to become a County charge within
the time specified as above, or in case the
Commissioners do deem it proper to make some
other disposition of her, then payment shall cease;
and receive pay only in proportion to the time she
may have kept her—It is further agreed by
the parties, that the Commissioners, or any person
or persons employed by them for the purpose,
shall at all times have the privilege of examining
the place & manner of keeping the said Sarah.

It is also agreed that if said McConaway shall
neglect or fail in his part in all, or any of the
particulars as aforesaid, in keeping said Sarah
as aforesaid, then this Contract shall cease.

The Commissioners do further agree that
if it shall be made apparent to their satisfaction,
that One hundred Dollars per annum, is not a
sufficient Compensation for keeping said Sarah,
that they will allow such additional sum as to
there may appear to be reasonable.

A draft of agreement was then entered into by
the parties, on file in this office, ordered that the
County Auditor pay an order on Galbraith to deliver Sarah
to said McConaway.

John Goshaw
Commissioner.

[Signature]
Sept. 14, A.D. 1841.

The Commissioners met to examine and audit bills for work done at Muskingum county Poor House.

Present: John Godshel, commissioners
          Robert Boggs, commissioner

The following bills for work done as aforesaid were presented and generally allowed, and the county Auditor ordered to issue orders for the same on the county Treasurer to the several persons entitled thereto on demand.

James Willis for work done at county Poor house, shingling valleys in roof, building privy, as per bill rendered & filed
D. A. Cooper, work done to cause towittering, plastering &c., apx. bill, $109.50
John Godshel for cash advanced to pay for shingles &c., as per bill, for Poor House, $8.50
John Peters for nails & hatches, as per bill, for Poor House, $2.70
George Kreamer for 3000 ft. of flooring boards, for Poor House, as per bill
Adjourned

John Godshel
Rob. Boggs

Commissioners' Office, Muskingum County, Ohio.
September 21st, 1841. Special Session.
The commissioners met, present,
John Godshel &
Robert Boggs, when Saml. Richards was appointed Recorder for said Muskingum County, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of William E. McRibbon, late Recorder.

John Godshel
Rob. Boggs

October 10th, 1841.

Ordered by us, the undersigned Commissioners of Muskingum County, that the Auditor of said County give an order on the Treasurer of said County, in favor of the Directors of the Muskingum County Poor house, for the sum of six hundred Dollars, to be applied for the purpose of paying necessary expenses already incurred for said institution and for supporting the same.

John Godshel
Rob. Boggs
Monday, December 6th, AD 1841.

This day the commissioners met pursuant to law. Present: John Robins, Robert Rose, Seth Little. 

It appearing to the board that Pittston Moore, Esq., being duly elected, had taken the oath of office as Commissioner of Multinomah County, as far as the certificates filed in the office, October 16th, 1841, he appeared and took his seat accordingly.

The following reports on roads and alterations of roads, as petitioned for at the last June session were severally made, taken up, and read the first time, to wit:

1. Treaty Feller's road. 
2. George Brown's alteration of road in Wayne Township. 
4. James Norcross's road. 
5. John Readwell's alteration of State road through his lands in Washington Township. 

The reports of the survey on each of the aforesaid roads and alterations of roads being favorable, they were ordered to be read again tomorrow, for a particular description of the boundaries of said roads reference may be had to the commissioners minutes of their last June session, as recorded.

Henry Miles' road. A petition was presented before the board by Henry Miles signed by himself and others, praying for a county road to be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning at the east end of the lane in front of David Bullock's house, and dividing the lands of said Bullock and John Abbot, in Newton Township, hence running in a Northeastward direction across the Northwest corner of Joseph Darragh's land and continuing the same direction through George Miles' lot, part of his house in Springfield Township, and across the Northwest corner of Joseph Dugger's land, thence North bearing 8 1/2 degrees 16 minutes North of East to the corner of Bullock's land near his house, and intersecting a road known as the Cooper mill road at a point on the line between lands owned by A. F. Smith and A. H. Guthrie, making such variations on the route as may best suit the interest of those concerned."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed David Bolt, Mr. Jasper and Nicholas Fitch, surveyors, and William Anderson, surveyor, to view survey and lay out said roads, to meet at David Bullock's house on Monday the 20th instant at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report of their proceedings to this board on or before the 1st Monday in March next. 

Henry Miles gave bond and security to the acceptance of the commissioners.

William Brown's road. A petition was this day presented before the board signed by himself, and at least thirty other freeholders of said county, praying for a county road to be laid out and established as follows:

"Beginning at the foot of Thomas Wirch's hill near the creek in Hopswell Township, thence to Sherlock's house, thence to Belvander's stable, thence the nearest and last north Archibald Thompson's old barn, thence to a spring near the West side of Joseph Screers' meadow, thence, on the West side of the meadow until near the South side of said meadow, thence to a pair of bars at the North East corner of William Brown's land, thence on the north side of said William Brown's barn house, thence on the west side of William Brown's house to the South line of William Brown's land, thence on the North side of his house to his North line, thence West to Oliver Norman's house South to the Canbyville road near the corner of W. & Easton complete.

And the said 700' of Brown having given bond and security to the acceptance of the commissioners, they thereupon appointed David Fland, John Shelf and Samuel Brown surveyors, and William Anderson surveyor, to view survey and lay out said roads, to meet at William Brown's on Monday the 21st instant at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and make report of their proceedings to this board on or before the 1st Monday in March next.
Treasurer's Bond.

This day John Russell, treasurer of Muskingum county, appeared and gave bond with Nathaniel Miller, John Sharp, The Gages, W. P. Rensart, and John Russell, justifying his securities in the penal sum of Fifty thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties appertaining to the office of Treasurer of said county, according to law; and also to the oath of office as required by the statutes. Which bond and security is accepted and approved, and on file in this office.

The following bills were presented and severally allowed:

A. A. Gillies, Probating Attorney, bill for writing and preparing official bonds for Muskingum county under the act of 1839, for the year ending December 31, 1841. $22.00

A. Peters, bill for advertising Road tax, county exhibit, for house of delinquent land, set, year 1841. $76.00

Robert Taylor, for keeping Nancy Taylor insane person for month, ending 6th December 1841. $7.50

The commissioners then adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, December 7th A.D. 1841.

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

John Cutter
Robt. Boggs
Pittsford Moore

The following reports on roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last June session were taken up and read the second time, to wit:

1. Deley Fisher's road.
2. George Grant's alteration of road in Muskingum township.
4. Samuel Moorehead's road.
5. John Burwell's alteration of state road through his own lands in Washington township.

For a particular description of the boundaries of these roads reference may be had to the commissioners minutes as recorded at their fame session 1841.

The reports on all the foregoing roads and alterations of roads being favorable and no objections having been made against the same, any further proceedings thereof was laid over until the next March election according to the statute in such cases provided.

The following bills for services rendered in laying out and alterations of roads, and in assessing damages for timber cut, were presented and allowed, as follows:

**Redley Fishard road.**
- Joseph Fither for surveying & platting: $15.00
- Gabriel Jones for viewing: $1.00
- Jacob Shuck: $1.00

**Samuel W. Hunter's road.**
- Samuel W. Hunter for viewing & making return: $5.00
- John Jones for chaining: $0.75
- John Beating: $0.75
- James Fither for marking...

**George Brisco alteration of road in Wayne township.**
- Samuel C. Jones for surveying & platting: $3.00
- Thomas Miles for viewing: $1.00
- Michael Mapes: $1.00
- Joseph Pease: $1.00
- Jacob Thollingsworth for chaining: $0.75
- John Stone: $0.75
- George Brisco for marking...

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**John Burwell's alteration of state road.**

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Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of A. Galbraith for keeping Varah Miles insane person from the 26th day of May, 1841, to the 1st day of July following, at the rate of twenty-five dollars per year, amount being ten dollars fifty cents.
James McGee's road. A petition was this day presented before the board by James McGee, signed by himself and at least twelve other freeholders of said county, praying for the location and establishment of a county road.

"Commencing at the road at the north east corner of Andrew Tolton's sugar camp in Rich Hill township, running thence west to the line dividing Andrew Tolton and Charles Ward in the same township, thence south along said line to the corner, thence by the house of James McGee to the road on the top of the hill at the south east corner of George Underwood's field, thence to Robert M. Wilson's blacksmith shop, thence to Joseph Warren's site stable, thence to intersect the road at Russell's Place 80% house in Neigel township."

Said McGee having given bond and security to the satisfaction of the commissioners, they thereupon appointed: Elias Robinson, Stephen Andrus and Nathaniel French, surveyors and George Waite, surveyor, to view, survey and lay out said road; to meet at Andrew Tolton's on the 20th day of December 1841, at 9 o'clock A.M. on said day; and make report of their proceedings to this board on or before the first Monday in March next.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Edward Hall, sheriff, for the sum following, viz:

- Boarding & key fees  $265.00
- Advertising & printing  24.00
- Expenses & fees, therefor  63.00  345.00

The following was also ordered:

- John Richards bill for putting up stove pipe in Recorder's office $63.25 Requited for $20. 82.

The commissioners then adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, December 8th. A.D. 1841.

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:

John Godbee
Robert Bogy &
Littleton Moore

The commissioners proceeded to settle with Dr. Buch.

B. Dillon late Pen House Director for the expenses of the establishment from the 1st June 1841 to July 8th 1841, and find the account to stand as follows:

[Entries follow]
Amount in Director hands 1st June 1841, £8741.31

Amount paid out for institution £180,43

Balance in late Director hands £75,09,7.00

Amount received afterwards for produce £7,020.33

Vouchers for the payment of the amount above cited were presented, examined, and filed in this office.

And the above balance they are required to pay over to John Pellow, one of the present Poor House Directors, for the use of the institution, and take duplicate receipts for one of which must be filed in this office, which receipt was accordingly filed this day.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of John Pellow for forty three forfeits of stone at 24 cents per piece, furnished as certificate of Sanfords Howard late superintendant of the county Poor House under date of Sept. 20th, 1841, for building wall.

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The petition presented by W. Carnell, signed by himself and others asking for a new bridge over Tompkins creek at Mcintosh's mill, laid over for further action.

The commissioners then adjourned to meet the morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Thursday December 7th A.D. 1841.

Pursuant to adjournment the Commissioners met.

Present:

John Godbee
Robert Boggs
S. Todd Moore

New Township.

A petition was presented by William Moore signed by a majority of the householders residing within the boundaries of the proposed new township, at the last June election of this board, and laid over to the present election, which was this day taken up, and the commissioners being satisfied that the necessary notice of such intended application had been given by advertisement as required by law provided to take the matter into consideration, the petitioners state that they labor under many difficulties and disadvantages in consequence of the distance and other difficulties they have to labor under in going to and from deports. And also praying that a new township may be set off of part of Brush Creek township, and the commissioners believing the prayer of the petitioners necessary for the convenience of the inhabitants and township officers, do hereby order a new township to be set off according to the following boundaries to wit: "Sections number one, one, three, four, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, and fifteen in township fourteen Range fourteen being part of Brush Creek township in Luzerne county," which said new township is called Clay township.

Also ordered by the commissioners that an election be held at the house of Adam Rider due in said township on the first Monday in April 1842; election to be opened between the hours of 8 a.m. and close at 4 o'clock, P.M. for elect township officers for said township, according to law.

178. Three advertisements for an election of township officers issued and given to J. W. Seipeland—Feb. 5, 1842.

The following bills were recently presented and allowed to wit:

1. B. Mc. Doly, bill for 25 lbs. of stone pipes taken for circular elbow in Directors office £6 50
2. W. B. B., bill for 63 lbs. of stone pipes taken for circular elbow in Directors office £6 50
3. D. B. B., bill for 7 days service as Poor house Direct, as per bill £1 00
4. D. Brush, for work done as Poor house Direct, as per bill £10 00

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer, in favor of the Directors of the county Poor House.
The state road from Morgan county lines to Concepcion, Matamoras county, laid over from the last June session, was continued for further consideration to March session A.D. 1842.

We authorize the county Auditor and Clerk of the county, each to furnish their respective offices with a writing table of such dimensions and structure as they may deem most expedient, and order that the same be paid for out of the county Treasury.

The application of £7 stages & stores for appropriation for the Groveville and Mayville turnpike road laid over for further consideration to the extra session to be held on the 21st January 1842.

The Commissioners adjourned to January 21st 1842, a 9 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of holding an extra session in order to take into consideration the propriety of building bridges at Dresden and across the mouth of Brush Creek, and for such other purposes as are allowed by law.

John Goden, County Auditor.
Robert Brazg, County Commissioner.
Blitteton Moore, County Commissioner.

Bridge over mouth of Brush Creek.

The Commissioners agree to receive sealed proposals for building a bridge over the mouth of Brush Creek, agreeably to a plan & specifications on file in the office, until the first Monday in March next; provided suitable proposals are laid in, and the contractor agree to take at his own risk, a subscription taken up for that purpose amounting to £157.50.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurers, in favor of White & Hopkins, 'tfor building 'Duplicate of taxes for the year 1841, for some of Six dollars, at any time on demand. + £6.00

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurers, in favor of F. A. Lyedle, Esq, 'soliciting Attorney, for the amount allowed him by the court in March last, of the date of this 24 Daniel Chapman, for the sum of Fifty dollars, at any time on demand. + £50.00

The application of £7 stages & stores for appropriation for the Groveville & Mayville turnpike road laid over at the last December session, to this session was taken into consideration by the Board, and dismissed. Commissioners Brazg & Moore in the affirmative, and Goden in the negative.

The proposition to build a bridge at Dresden on Osage creek was taken up, and no person appearing to show the amount subscribed to aid in erecting said bridge, all
Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of the Directors of the County Poor House for any sum not exceeding Three hundred dollars to be applied to the purpose of paying necessary expenses already incurred for said institution and supporting the same at any time on application.
+ $200

John Godden's bill for drawing drafts of bridges, &c., + $200
Specifications and for services as Commissioner, as per bill on file.

Robert Boggs' bill for services as Commissioner this day. $2.00

Littleton Moore's bill for services as Commissioner this day. $2.00

Adjourned.

John Godden

Robert Boggs

Littleton Moore

Monday, March 7th A.D. 1820.
This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law.

Present: John Godden

Robert Boggs

Littleton Moore

Petition for damages on Presley Fisher's road as permitted for at the June session 1820.

Alexander Miller personally appeared and made complaint in writing to the Commissioners stating that the late location of a county road known by the name of Presley Fisher's road runs through his land to his injury, and praying that suitable person may be appointed to assess the damage he has sustained, or may sustain if said road should be established and opened a public highway.

Accordingly the Commissioners appointed Henry Combs, Samuel Howard & Joseph Brain as view, to view and report to determine how much less valuable the land or premises of said complainant will be rendered if said road should be established and opened as a public highway, and to make report thereof in writing to this board on or before the first Monday in June next, to meet at the house of Alexander Miller on the 16th day of March, instant, at one o'clock P.M. of said day. Bond and security given by said Alex. Miller to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

The following reports on roads as petitioned for at the last December session were severally made, taken up, and read the first time; to wit:

1st. - Henry Miles' road.
2d. - William Brown's road.
3d. - Joseph Baughman's road.
4th. - James Miles' road.
5th. - William Galloway's road.

The reports of the viewers on each of the aforesaid roads being satisfactorily, they were ordered to be read again tomorrow. In a particular view of the boundaries of said roads reference may be
Monday, March 7th A.D. 1840.

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law.

Present: John Godden
Robert Bozzer
Lillaton Moore.

Petition for damages on Presley Fields' road as petitioned for at the above session 1841.

Alexander Miller personally appeared and made complaint in writing to the Commissioners stating that the late location of a county road known by the name of Presley.

Mr. John Davis who was committed to prison for putting in summary for drinking, has entirely recovered, and I consider it perfectly safe to release him from confinement.

Oct. 10, 1842.

[Signature]

E. T. Wade, attending physician.

Worlick A. Mo. of said day. "Roads and security given by said Alex. Miller to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

The following reports on roads as patented for at the last December session were severally made, taken up, and read the first time, to wit:

1st - Henry Miles' road.
2nd - Williams Brown's road.
3rd - Joseph Doughtman's road.
4th - James McGuy's road.
5th - William Calloway's road.

The reports of the viewers on each of the aforesaid roads being favorable, they were ordered to be read again tomorrow. In a particular case, the boundaries of each road referred to be...
An application was this day presented to the Board by Alex. Gray, of Grayport, this being the 1st day of December, 1841, praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, to wit:

"Commencing at Moses Reeve's house in Grayport, there is a road an Eastern course to lands of William Bower, south of David's house, thence up said road as near as a good road can be made, to the said meeting house, thence to the road leading to Rockville, thence to road leading from the river to Milton, the said eastern road laid out as near as a good road can be made, near a bank West of William's house, thence down said road through lands of Widow Barber to Joseph Schelberry's line thence East on said line until it strikes the road that leaves of New York.

Thereupon the commissioners appointed John Miller, John Bards, Stephen Reese, and Samuel Bards, surveyors, to view, survey and lay out said road at the house of Moses Reeve in Blue Rock township on the 1st day of April next at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in June next.

Andrew B. Henderson's alteration of road.

A petition was this day presented to the Board by Andrew B. Henderson of himself, and at least twelve of his freeholders of the County, praying for an alteration in a county road, to be laid out and established as follows, to wit: thence from the County road leading from Marcy's Mills to Peter Bards as follows, commencing in Highland township on said road and on the land of Andrew B. Henderson about twelve rods South of the cross road and running...
Election for Officers in Original Surveyed Fraction at Township No. 10, in Range No. 10, Muskingum county.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Commissioners of the county that Original Surveyed Fractional township No. 10 in Range No. 10 is inhabited by more than twenty electors, it is therefore

Ordered that written notice be set up in three of the most public places in said fractional township, requiring an election to be held therein on the 11th day of April next for the purpose of electing three trustees and one treasurer, to perform all the duties pointed out by an act entitled

"An act to incorporate the Original Surveyed townships," passed March 14, 1831. Such election to be held at the house of John Green, and to be conducted conformably to the provisions of the act entitled "An act for the incorporation of townships," passed March 5, 1831.

The commissioners then adjourned to tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, March 8th A. D. 1842.

Pursuant to adjournment, the Commissioners met.

Present:

John Godwin
Robert Hoag
William Moore.

The following reports on roads as petitioned for at the last December session were taken up and read the second time to wit:

1st Henry Wills' road,
2nd William Brown's road,
3rd Joseph Baughman's road,
4th James McDoug road,
5th William Galloway's road.

In a particular description of the boundaries of these roads reference may be had to the Minutes of the last December session, assembled at their December session 1841.

The reports on all the foregoing roads being favorable and no objections having been made against the same, any for the proceeding thereto was laid over until the next June session, according to the statute in such cases provided.

Presley Tifft's road, as petitioned for at the June session 1841, was continued to the June session, on consequence of Alexander Miller applying for damages on account of said road being laid out through his lands.

Samuel Ferrel's road, as petitioned for at the June session 1841, was continued to the next June session, on consequence of John Tazier & James Smith applying for damages on account of said roads being laid out through each of their lands.

James Moorehead's road as petitioned for at the June session 1841, was continued to the next June session, on consequence of the commissioners not being satisfied that said road would be of public utility, and the same not having returned a certificate signed of the levy of said road, and a plat of the same.

Alterations of Roads Confirmed.

The following alterations of roads laid over from the last December session were this day established, to wit:

George Orange's alteration of the county road leading from M. Blair & M. Horsman's mill to Duncan's Falls in Muskingum county: "Commencing in Wayne township at the township line at on near James Johnson's house South West into the river road at Daniel Bohn's house near Dunlap & Bowers' Mills."
was laid over until the present March session and there being no objection made to the said roads; and the commissioners believing the same to be of public utility so far by confirming the report of the viewers and declare said routes to be a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened, and worked according to law.

John Burwell's alteration of the State road from Gainesville to Breathon on his own land, as follows:

"Beginning at a point in said road at or near a place known & designated as Boughridge's bridge being near the three mile station from Gainesville, at the line between the lands of John Burwell & John Anderson in Washington township, thence North, westerly (and part of the original line) to pass about two or three rods east of (McKee's) Sally house, and on as straight a line as practicable to intersect the original line said road between the '50 spring' and the four mile station."

The viewers appointed at the last March session made a favorable report at the last December session which report was laid over until the present March session, and there being no objection made to the said roads, and the commissioners believing the same to lie of public utility do hereby confirm the report of the viewers and declare said route to be a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened, & worked according to law.

William Brown's road.
William Anderson for surveying & platting  x $4.50
Lewis Stans for viewing  x 2.00
John Shutt  do.  & returning  x 3.00
Joseph Beene for chaining  x 1.50
Scott Wragers  do.  x 1.50
William Brown for marking  x 1.50

Joseph Vaughtman's road.
William Anderson for surveying & platting  x $4.50
David Atlee for viewing  x 1.00
Levi James  do.  x 1.00
Robert Bowers  do.  x 0.75
John Smith for chaining  x 1.50
Varnell Vaughtman  do.  x 1.50
James Rendrue marking  x 1.50

James McGee's road.
G. Barks surveying & platting  x $3.00
Stephen Chandler for viewing & returning  x 1.00
Richard Traney for viewing  x 1.00
James Robinson  do.  x 0.75
Joseph Wains for chaining  x 0.75
James McGee  do.  x 0.75
William Huntington for marking  x 0.75

William Galloway's road.
Joseph Fields for surveying & platting  x $3.00
Henry Bowers for viewing  x 1.00
Debo Leach  do.  x 1.00
Richard Mc Knoon for viewing  x 0.75
James Galloway chaining  x 0.75
James Daily  do.  x 0.75
John Darner marking  x 0.75

Apparantly no notice published in the newspapers printed in Gainesville, (to wit; the Ohio Republican, the Gainesville Gazette) the commissioners proceeded to open the road.
proposals for building a bridge across the mouth of Brush Creek, in Brush Creek township in this county, on the road leading from Pittman to Poyntsville, and upon examining said proposals, finds Hugh Madden to be the lowest and most confiding bidder, and agree to receive said proposals; and the said Hugh Madden shall appear on or before the 1st of next month and enter into bond with security for the faithful performance of said contract.

The Commissioners then adjourned to to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, March 9th, A.D. 1842.

Pursuant to adjournment, the Commissioners met.

Present:

John Godbeu
Robert Boggs
Littleton Moore

The State road from Muskingum county to Concord in Muskingum county, laid over from the last December session, was continued, for further consideration, to the next June session.

The petition presented by Mr. Barnes, signed by himself and others, at the last December session, asking for a new bridge over Tomika creek at Mr. Blanchard's Hill, was continued and laid over to the next June session.

The proposition to build a bridge at Dorset over Tomika creek, was taken up and continued to the next June session for further action.

Ordered, that the county Auditor cause the existing county buildings to be repaired, and the coal ashes in the rear of the public offices to be removed, at the expense of the county. Orders to have the bent hewn for the said ashes and made secure from danger of falling, also at the county expense.

The following bills were presented and allowed, and the auditor ordered to issue orders for the same, on demand:

Dr. W. Moore's bill for medical attendance on prisoners in jail from July 3d, A.D. 1841 to March 7th, A.D. 1842, $28.30

James Hammonds' bill for fine boxes and other articles furnished for county Poor house, $10.80

John Hilliard, Recorder's bill, for stationery, repairing lock no. and indexing Alphabet to Book A., $5.00

White & Hopkins' bill for book binding, December 1, A.D. 1842, Book (A.) Book (P.4) 146 x's, $16.75

Mr. S. Cox & Co.'s bill for coats public offices & 4 rolls of paper, $82.35

Ame's Stationers' bill for blankets, trowsers & for jail, $35.80

Cox & Gottiel's bill for blankets for jail, 15.35

Owen Ball, Sheriff's bill for bringing prisoners in jail from 3d Dec. 1841 to March 7th, A.D. 1842, $23.75

Owen Ball, Sheriff's bill for transporting Freeholders, 3d Dec. 1841 to March 7th, A.D. 1842, $58.43

Samuel Miller's bill for rent of store and blank office, $3.00

This day the commissioners proceeded to settle with John A. Smith for services as county Auditor, from the 1st day of June, A.D. 1841, to the first of March, A.D. 1842, and do allow him the sum of three hundred and thirty dollars and eighty cents, $330.80.

In the above account there is no charge for issuing county orders, recording orders in both, filing vouchers for order, annual salary for school business, bill for stationery & postage, or returns for services required by the law creating the office of township assessors, which items are yet to be allowed, at next June session.

The foregoing order and authority said Auditor is to draw an order or orders on the Treasurer of Muskingum county in said Auditor's favor for the sum of three hundred and thirty dollars and eighty cents at any time a period he may see proper.
Bridge over mouth of Brush Creek.

Hugh Madden, contractor for building a bridge across the mouth of Brush Creek, on the road leading from Putnam to Taylorsville, appeared before the body of 1 o'clock P.M., and entered into bond in the final sum of sixteen hundred dollars with Samuel W. Matlack, security, conditioned for the faithful performance of said contract, which bond is accepted and approved by the Commissioners.

The said Hugh Madden, contractor as aforesaid, is to build said bridge on or before the first day of November A.D. 1842, in a good, substantial and workmanlike manner, of good materials of every kind and description, agreeably to the plans and specifications of said bridge filed in the (Auditor's) Office; and do any and all other things necessary to make and finish said bridge, which may not be particularly specified by the acceptance of the Commissioners, aforesaid; which said plans No. 1, 2, D, 4, together with the specifications, a bill of lumber, and a bill of hundreds therein before cited were the day previously signed by the said Hugh Madden contractor, and John Godden, Robert Borgs and Littleton Moore, Commissioners of Muhlenburg county and made part of said contract. Then the said Hugh Madden, contractor, is to receive from the Commissioners aforesaid the sum of Five hundred and forty seven dollars, together with one dollar and eighty eight cents when the bridge is completed agreeably to the plans and specifications aforesaid. The said Hugh Madden contractor as aforesaid having received at his own risk an assignment of a subscription of One hundred and fifty one dollars 79 cts, which said subscription was this day assigned by the Commissioners to said Hugh Madden contractor as aforesaid and accepted by him in part payment on said contract, being with the prorata above specified the total amount on the contract.

The Commissioners then adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Thursday, March 10th, A.D. 1842

Agreed to, adjournment the Commissioners met.

Present:

John Godden
Robert Borgs
Littleton Moore

The Commissioners agree with James Hill to repair said site in a substantial manner the blinds in the cave of the Court House, and to shut the bottom of the column of the Court House, and to shut the bottom of the column of the Court House, and to shut the bottom of the column of the Court House, for which they agree to pay him the sum of forty two dollars.

John Godden

[Signature]

Robert Borgs

[Signature]

Littleton Moore
Monday June 6th A.D. 1842

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law

Present—

John Godman
Robert Dillen, Esq., Comm. 2
William Moore

Petition for Damages on William Brown's road as petitioned for at the December sessions 1841.

Boyd Dillen personally appeared and made complaint in writing to the Commissioners stating that the late location of a county road known by the name of William Brown's road, runs through his land to bounty injury, and praying that suitable fences may be erected to prevent the damages he has sustained, as may sustain of said road should be established as a public highway.

Accordingly the Commissioners appointed William Moore, Esq., Henry Hill and John Balthazar viewers, to view and determine how much of valuable land is necessary for the purposes of said complaintant will be rendered if said road should be established and opened for the public highway and to make report therefore, in writing to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next, to meet at Black's Barracks house, on the 25th day of June instant, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day. Said report being given by said Boyd Dillen to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Joseph Brown's Alteration of roads. A petition was this day presented before the Board by Joseph Brown, signed by himself and twelve other freeholders of the county, praying the alterations of the county road that now runs through his land to Thomas Roberts and James Henrietta's store:

"Beginning said alterations at the last house of William Henrietta's lane, and run due South to the tenth house of William Henrietta's lane, then run East along said lane to intersect the leading from Newcastle to Dacters at a near the Methodist

house, on the land of said Wheatman in Highland township, which said road will intersect the road that the said now does."

Therefore the Commissioners appointed Ephraim Backly, Vestris Ely, and Benjamin Shaggs public viewers, and John Roberts, viewer, to meet at noon on the 21st day of June instant, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, to view survey the said alterations of roads, and to make report of the proceeding to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next. Said report being given to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

The following report on roads & alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last March sessions were generally made, taken up and read the first time, to wit:

1st. Also Gray yard roads.
2d. And H. Henneford alteration of road.

The reports of the viewers on each of the aforesaid roads being favorable, they were ordered to be read again to morrow, for a particular description of the boundaries of said roads. Reference may be had to the commissioners minutes of their last March session, as recorded.

William Brown's road as petitioned for at the last March sessions was continued to the next December session in consequence of said Boyd Dillen applying for damages, on account of said road being laid out through his land.

Frederick Prior's alteration of State road commencing at Dacters in Haukings county and running up Mahaines creek, and terminating at West Barre, in Lockeborough county. A petition was this day presented before the Board by Frederick Prior, signed by himself & three others praying for an alteration in the above said road on their own lands as follows:

"Commencing on Mrs. Birch's farm in the said county of Maukings, along said alteration previously made in said road there-
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"In the name of God, Amen, and the State of Ohio, the Commissioners appointed for the purpose of establishing public roads, do hereby certify that they have held a meeting at the courthouse in this county, at the request of the petitioners, and have determined that the lands described in the petition are necessary for the establishment of a public road. The commissioners have therefore voted to establish said road as a public highway.

J. Adams, Chairman.

The commissioners have further determined that the road shall be surveyed and marked off and that the same shall be maintained at the expense of the petitioners.

J. Adams, Chairman.

[Signature]

[Date]

[Location]"
Henry Miles' road as situated for at the last town

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county

Treasurer in favor of Hugh Maddox for the sum of Six

hundred and fifty dollars the amount due this day on
this contract to build a bridge over the mouth of Rock
Creek, as will more fully appear by reference to the ac-
counts of the above-mentioned Board of Commissioners, at any
time after said demand.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county
Treasurer in favor of Horace Bards for the sum of Eight-
hundred and twenty-five cents for keeping Horace Bards
in said person for three months ending the 5th inst.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county
Treasurer in favor of Robert Taylor for the sum of Nine
hundred dollars and fifty cents for keeping Nancy Taylor
in said person for three months ending May 6th A.D. 1832.

Samuel Reed, and Elia Whitney, Trustees of Blue Rock
township, and Samuel Howard, surveyor, made a report
of their doing, under date March 8th 1832, in case of a
slip occurring in the road leading from Chandlerville, on
the North creek to interests, the Chandlerville roads commonly
called Betts' road. Which proceedings were considered by
the Commissioners as made and void, not coming within
provisions of the Statute.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county
Treasurer in favor of Daniel McDonald for the sum of
Thirty dollars, for putting four main braces under the bridge
on Southard's Creek, near Jeffery's mill. $25.00

The following road bills were severally allowed:

Henry Weaver surveyor
M. Thornsbeek Commissioner
Charles Bennett do.
Horace Hughes Chairman
William Peters do.
Allen Blake do.
William Hughes
James Workman
John Bryan

Ad for Gay Slew's roads.

Samuel Harlow for surveying & plating
John Mitchell for surveying
John Ropy do.
Dolphus Strauss do. & making rails
William Holcomb for chaining

John Elliott for marking

Andrew Bl. Thornton's attention to do
T. Bl. Jones for surveying & plating
James Barnes for surveying
Ophius Hughes do.
Jacob Brown do.
David Davis for chaining
William McDowell
William Scott for marking
The following bills were allowed for assessing damages on roads:

Damage caused by Samuel Terrell's road on application of John Harvey & Joseph Smith.
  David Reed for assessing injuries sustained, $2.00
  Isaac Miller for assessing, 1.00
  Mr. M. Miller ds., 1.00

Damage caused by Reuben Fisher's road on application of Alex. Miller.
  Joseph Fox for assessing, 1.00
  Samuel Howard ds., 1.00
  Henry Crownes ds., 1.00

The commissioners then adjourned to tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday June 7th A.D. 1822.

Present to adjournments, the commissioners met. Present.

John Goddard
  Robert Briggs County Comr.
  Littleton Almon

Roads confirmed.—The following roads laid over from the last March session were the day established, viz.

Joseph Baughman's road:
  Beginning at downtown, called in Bracken township in Linn county, then passing the dwelling house of Joseph Baughman in Newton township, and to intersect the county roads leading from Nappie's mill on Bracken Creek to Deavers town, (in Linn county) near the house of William Lawrence, thence on said road to a small hill, thence to John Smith's saw-mills on the south fork of Indian Creek in said township of Newton.

No views appointed at the last December session made a favorable report at the last March session, which report was laid over until the present June session and there being no objections made to the said road and the commissioners believing the same to be of public utility do hereby confirm the report of the viewers and declare said road to be a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened & worked according to law.

W. Crais to serve as judge to 10. December of Jesse W. Robb, and

William Gallaway's road in Mon township.
  Beginning at the county road leading from Newton's mill & Richard Schumla, at 5 to near the East end of William Gallaway's land, thence West with or near said lane, to a
  near Jacob McCaskey's saw-mill, thence Westwardly, thence Westwardly on said McCaskey's saw-mill lane, thence to the lane between Samuel Lawrence & James Hanlott, thence Westwardly on or near said westwardly lane until it reaches John Bateman's land—thenes
The following bills were presented and generally allowed, on the Auditor, ordered to issue orders for the same, to the several persons to whom they are allowed, on demand.

John D. Logan, for repairing & Julia Jones, $1000

John Smith, for stationery $200

Robert Mitchell, for medicines & medicines, $200

Robert Brown, for circulating fund, $200

The following report on roads & alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last March session were taken up and read at the second time to day:

1st. New Gap Sixth roads.

2nd. Andrew P. Henderson's alterations of roads.

The reports on the foregoing roads being favorable & no objections having been made against the same, the further proceedings thereof will be laid over until the next December session for further action, according to the wishes of the legislators in such cases provided.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the Treasurer of Muskingum county, in favor of Mrs. A. B. Snow, for keeping Mary Ann Rockwell's house in good repair for the term of Eighteen dollars and Twenty-five cents.

Ordered that the Auditor publish an exhibit of the receipts & expenditures of Muskingum county for the year ending June 1st, similar to the exhibit of last year.
Wednesday, June 8th, A.D. 1840.

Pursuant to adjournment the Commissioners met. Present,

John Godwin, President
Robert Brock, County Comm.;
Sittitoe Lewis, County Comm.

County Treasurer's settlement: This day John Russell, Treasurer of Washington county, presented his account for examinations and settlements; and the Commissioners finds the account correct. There remain in his hands on settlement the sum of two thousand eight hundred and eighty one dollars, twenty two cents, five mills.

$ 861.22.5

Road Tax year 1842. It is hereby further ordered, as determined by said Commissioners, that one mill and a half upon the dollars due herein, upon the aggregate amount of the value of all property entered upon the general list for taxation, for road purposes, the year 1842, and upon the same, to be sent out for collection.

James Moorehead's road as petitioned for at the June session 1841, was continued to the next December session in consequence of the Commissioners not being satisfied that said road will be of public utility, and the surveyor not having returned a correct certificate of the survey and plans of said road, or a plot of the same.

The state road from Logan county line to Brown in Washington county, paid over from the last March session, was continued for further consideration to the next December session.

The petition presented by J. Barnes, signed by himself and others, at the last December session, asking for a new bridge over Tomahawk Creek at McElh.Pay's Mill, was continued and laid over to the next December session.

This day the Commissioners proceeded to settle with John Pay, for services as county Auditor from the 1st day of March 1842, and do hereby allow him the sum of one hundred forty eight dollars and sixty cents, as per bill on file. $ 148.60

The following lots for services to township clerks

The stationery and public letter postage 8.65

Total 366.15
We therefore order and direct the said District to draw his order or order for the sum of One hundred and sixty five dollars and fifty cents, at any period of periods he may desire.

The commissioners then adjourned to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Thursday June 9th A.D. 1840.
The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present: John Goshen, Robert Rogers, Robert Moore

The Poo House Directo, appeared and presented a report of the state of the institution, and an account of his proceedings, contracts and disbursements, and the expenses incurred from the 1st of July 1839 to 1st June 1840. The report was received.

The commissioners then proceeded to settle with said Poo House Directors, and find that they have received from the Board of Directors $98.90, from the county commissioners $1,000, from the sale of produce $20.00, amounting in all to the sum of $148.90; and that they have expended the sum of $173.34, by which it appears that there is a balance of $34.46 due them, which accounts and warrants are received and ordered to be placed on file.

Ordered that the said District, in order to the early payment in favor of said Poo House Directors, for the balance of $34.46 due as above, at any time on demand.

$34.46

The following bills were presented and generally allowed:
John Peters for services as Poo House Director 17 days at 40 cents per day.
Williams camp for services as Poo House Director 20 days at 60 cents per day.

Total: $7.80
Tuesday June 31st A. D. 1842.

The Commissioners this day met pursuant to ad
journment. Present:

John Godlew,
Robert Beggs, county commil,
Littleton Moses.

The following bills were severally presented and al
located to cut:

Mordecai Agle, for repairing canal bridge,
at Adams Hill in March 1842, $25.00
James Blunt, for 33 feet of lumber for canel bridge,
repairing the same, 3 x3 15.
James McDowell, for repairing the same, 4.

C. Balsley for making tuning tables for Audita-
Office, 11x6 by 6 ft, 600, as bid, 11.00

The Auditor is hereby authorized to issue orders to each
of the above persons for the amounts set opposite each of
their names respectively, at any time demand.

The proposition to build a bridge at Dresden over Tom
ica creek, was this day taken into consideration and dis
missed.

The Commissioners this day agreed to appropriate one hun-
dred dollars, in common currency, toward the building two stone
piers and the west work complete of a bridge over mill race
where the county road crosses it near its mouth, on the line betw
Ganseville & Washington townships, so soon as said bridge is
completed to the acceptance of Robert Beggs, one of the county
commissioners, and the county Auditor is hereby authorized
to issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Willis
Darwin for the above sum upon the presentation of the sub-
scription of said Robert Beggs that said bridge is completed to
his satisfaction & also the certificates of John Loo late engineer
in Washington township & Peter Beckman supervisor of Gainesville
township, that the said 11% frame is the proper piece of

stone pier under Clayfoot's Bridge, across
Sickling creek.

The Commissioners agree to receive sealed proposals for
building a stone pier under Clayfoot's bridge, across Sickling
Creek, near North west, in Sickling township, Tuscarawas coun-
ty, and at 9 o'clock A.M. on Monday the 22d of July next.

Such pier to be placed where the old pier now stands, to
be 15 feet high, 7 feet thick & seventeen feet long at bottom, and
at top 6 feet thick & 15 feet long, to stand the long way up
and down streams, with the upper and lower round equal
to a semi-circle; to be built of good large stone, cut and
laid in good lime and sand mortar, & well plastered and
banded together. All to be completed, to the satisfaction of
the county Commissioners on or before the first day of Novem-
ber next. The old pier is to be removed together with all
stone and rubble to the rock, the contractor to have all the
stones suitable for the new pier which remains of the old
ones.

Painting Court House & cupola.

The Commissioners agree to receive sealed proposals for
painting the brick work on the front side of the court house
offices and west end of offices and so much of the eaves
of the court house as may be seen from the main
trottoirs above the roofs of the Athenaeum & offices, with the
rafters, walls on both sides & the tops of the chimneys with
the coat of Venetian red and plates of Paris in equal
proportions in good flat bed oil, and penciled with white
lead and oil. Also the window frames, sash, caps, sill,
round heads, door frames, belted cornice, frontispiece & gable
line; the window frames & sash in the basement of the office
with two coats of white lead and oil; & the front doors of
court house & offices two coats of slate. And the cupola
except the blinds & columns & excluding the roof to be pain..
Agreeably to a notice published in the Gainesville Gazette, a newspaper printed in Gainesville, the Commissioners, to receive sealed proposals for building a stone pier under S. Claypole's bridge across Bickley creek near Goshen, and also for painting the boat house and public offices.

Respectfully,

John Goshen
Robert Bogg
Littleton Moore

The Commissioners proceeded to open the proposals for building a pier under S. Claypole's bridge across Bickley creek, near Goshen, and upon examining said proposals found Hugh Maddox to be the lowest surviving bidder, having proposed to do said work for the sum of Three hundred and eighty dollars and.

They agree to receive said proposal; provided the said Hugh Maddox contract for building the stone pier, as before the 25th instant, shall enter into bond in the penal sum of Eight hundred dollars, with Samuel Cotton or Isaac Lane, security, conditioned for the faithful performance of said contract. The said Hugh Maddox contracted as aforesaid to build, said pier over before the first day of November, A.D. 1842, under the bridge aforesaid where the old pier now stands (which is to be by him removed together with all sand and rubbish to the rock, by being allowed to use all the stone suitable for the new pier, which remains of the old one) said pier to be nineteen feet high, seven feet thick and seventeen feet long at bottom, and at top five feet thick and fifteen feet long, to stand the long way up and down streams, with the upper end made round, equal to a semi-circle in addition to the length, to be built of good large stones, cut and laid in good lime mortar, and well grouted and bound together, to the satisfaction of the Commissioners.

The Commissioners agree to make the following payments:

1. One hundred
and ninety-four dollars in orders on the county Treasurer, whenever the said Hugh Madden shall produce the certificate of any one of the commissioners, that said five is half completed, and the balance being one hundred and ninety-four dollars in orders on the county Treasurer, when said five is completed to the satisfaction and acceptence of the county commissioners. All to be paid in common currency.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of John Smith, Esq. Carter, for plaster and timber furnished and put on the common bridges as per bill, for the sum of Twenty dollars and forty cents.

The commissioners proceeded to open the proposals for painting the court house, public offices, and on examining said proposals find Wesley Pittman to be the lowest, competent bidder, having proposed to do said painting for the sum of Eighty-five dollars and they agree to receive said proposals; provided the said Wesley Pittman contract for painting the court house, public offices aforesaid shall on or before the 1st day of August next, enter into bond in the sum of Two hundred dollars, with D. Brisk as security, conditioned for the faithful performance of said contract.

The said Wesley Pittman contractor aforesaid is to paint the brick work on the front side of the court house, and offices, and to the east end of offices, and to much of the rear walls of the court house as may be seen from the Main street above the roofs of the store houses and offices, with the proper work on both sides, and the top of the chimneys with one coat of bitumen red and plaster of Paris in equal proportions in lampblack oil, and penciled with white lead and oil, also the window frames, sash, caps, sills, door heads, door sash, doorsills, cornice, frontispiece, and spouting; and also the window frames, and sash, in the basements of offices, with two coats of white lead and oil, and the front doors of the court house and offices two coats of lead. And the cupola, except the bims and columns, and excluding the roof, to be painted with two coats the brown color, that it was formerly painted; the bims to have three coats of lead, and the columns to be well filled with putty and have three coats of white lead and oil. All the materials to be of the best quality, and the work to be done in a neat substantial workman in the manner on or before the first day of November next to the acceptance of the commissioners.

The commissioners agree to make the following payments on orders on the county Treasurer, to wit: Fifty dollars upon the entering into bond with security as herein before required, the balance being Eighty-five dollars upon his completing said work to the acceptance of the commissioners, all to be paid in common currency.

In case said Wesley Pittman shall fail to enter into bond as aforesaid the contract is to be let to D. Brisk the next lowest competent bidder, his having proposed to do said painting for the sum of Eighty-five dollars and fifty cents, upon his entering into bond with approved security.

S. W. Moore was appointed superintendant of the building of the bridge over the mouth of Bush creek, and Robert J. Ross superintendant of the building of the pier under the bridge at Clay's foot, North, on Rocking chair.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of John Johnson commissioners, for services rendered as per bill, for the sum of Twelve dollars.

D. Brisk's bill for.

D. Moore's bill for.

$12.00

$10.00

$10.00
Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Thomas H. Beatty for the sum of $4,000 for publishing two books. Directed the Auditor to pay such amount in two equal installments. J. P. Hough.

John Goddess
Robert Boggs
Matthew More

Monday, August 15th, A.D. 1842.

This day the commissioners met and made the following order—Present:

John Goddess
Robert Boggs

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer for the payment of $4,000 to T. H. Beatty for publishing two books. J. P. Hough.

John Goddess
Robert Boggs

August 25th, A.D. 1842.

This day the commissioners met and made the following order—Present:

John Goddess
Robert Boggs

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Wesley H. Petersen for the sum of $4,000 for publishing the two books. J. P. Hough.

John Goddess
Robert Boggs

October 10th, A.D. 1842.

This day the commissioners met to attend to the case of John Davis, a person confined in jail on a charge of insanity. Present:

John Goddess
Robert Boggs

Having taken into consideration the report of Dr. Smith and the attendant physician in said case, which is in the following words, to wit:

"We, John Davis, who was committed to jail for pauper's insanity, from drinking, has entirely recovered, and of our considered judgment, is perfectly safe to be released free from confinement. Oct. 10th, 1842.

We, therefore, order that the sheriff release said John Davis from confinement."

John Goddess
Robert Boggs

[Signature]
Friday, October 25th, A.D. 1842.

This day the commissioners met, in order to agree upon the plans and specifications of a bridge to be built across the Ohio Canal at Nashport, on the roads leading from Danville to Newark, and give notice for the letting of said bridge to contract. - Present:

John Gossen
(Acting Commissioner)

Bridge over canal at Nashport.

The commissioners agree to receive sealed proposals for building a bridge over the Ohio Canal, at Nashport, in Richland township, Muskingum county, on the roads leading from Danville to Newark, to a plan and specifications on file in this office, until the first Monday in December next, at 12 o'clock noon, their proposals to set forth the prices of the work of the bridge separately, including the removal of the remains of the old bridge & building and removing the temporary bridge; the price of the stone work by the yard of 16x12x12, and all necessary digging & removing of earth; and also the price of the timber, foundations for the cars, abutments, &c. The contractor will be required to remove the old bridge and place a temporary bridge across the canal above where the old one now stands, sufficient for the travel upon the roads until the new one is completed & received, and then remove the temporary bridge, clear of the banks of the canal. The commissioners agree to give the contractor the materials of the old bridge.

Ordered that notice of the above be published in the Ohio Republican and Danville Aurora.

The commissioners this day proceeded to settle with Mr. Robert, for painting the county house and public offices, agreeable to contract made July 22d, A.D. 1842. After examining the said work the commissioners agree to receive the same, as a completion of his first contract, and do allow him as follows:

Original contract for painting $85.00
Differences in painting average of color $15.00
Extra coat on parlor $4.00
tout 1st coating & stairs $34.00
Saniters &c. bedstuds rooms $3, per room $5.00 10.50
Treasurer's rooms $4, clerks room $5, Randell room $7 6.00
Extra coat on seats in 1st house & washing woodwork $5.00 21.50

Or. Jnt. drawn Aug. 25th, 1842. $158.00
Balance + $88.00

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the Treasurer of Muskingum county for the sum of Eighty eight dollars, being balance as above stated.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of John H. James for the sum of Twenty dollars, for painting walls & repairing four chimneys in Public Offices.

Adjourned.

John Gossen
(Acting Commissioner)

Rob. Boggs 3rd, Commissioner.
Thursday, Nov. 10th, A.D. 1842.

The commissioners met. Present

Robert Briggs (ex. commr)

William Stone (ex. commr)

The commissioners convened for the purpose of receiving the struts and under E. Claypools's bridge on Dickson creek, built by H. Madden on contract entered into by said Madden and the county commissioners July 23rd, 1842. We find said pieces built according to contract and receive the same, and allow H. Madden the balance due on said contract, being $194.

The above was viewed by all the commissioners. The following extras were also allowed by the whole board:

- In building one foot in addition to height $20.00
- In building 8 ft. in addition to length 76.37
- In putting in one trestle 4.00

Total $294.37

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order for the county treasurer in favour of said H. Madden for the sum of two hundred and thirty-seven dollars and 37 cents, balance in full on contract and extras as above stated.

John Goff

Robert Briggs

William Stone

Wednesday, November 15th, A.D. 1842.

The commissioners met. Present

John Goff (hon. commr)

William Stone (hon. commr)

The commissioners convened for the purpose of receiving a bridge over the mouth of Dickson creek on the road leading from Pittman's to Haywoodville, built by Hugh Madden on contract entered into by said H. Madden and the county commissioners March 9th, 1842. We find said bridge built according to contract, and receive the same, and allow H. Madden the balance due on said contract, being $231.88 (H. Madden having received $400, balance on said contract).

To extras to culvert in North end of bridge $6.00

Total $237.88

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order for the county treasurer in favour of said H. Madden for the sum of two hundred and thirty-seven dollars and 37 cents, balance in full on contract and extras as above stated.

John Goff

Robert Briggs

William Stone
Monday, December 5th A.D. 1842.

This day the commissioners met, pursuant to law. — Present:

John Godin
Robert Begg
Robert Scott
William Moore

The following reports on alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last June session, were severally made, taken up, and read the first time, to wit:

1. Joseph Brand's alteration of the road that runs between Thomas Roberts and James Norman.

2. Frederick Prior's alteration of state road leading from Dresden to West Bath.

The reports of the viewers on each of the aforesaid alterations of roads being favorable, they were ordered to be read again tomorrow. For a particular description of the boundaries of said alterations of roads reference may be had to the Commissioners' minutes of their June session 1840, as recorded.

Derral S. Sefver's alteration of state road leading from Dresden to Chanderlille in Meshingum county. A praying that suitable persons may be appointed to ascertain the same was this day presented before the boards by Derral Sefver signed by himself and twelve other freeholders should be established and opened up a public highway of said county, praying for an alteration of the state road leading from Chanderlille to Chanderlille in Meshingum county as follows:

"Commencing in Salt Creek township at a white oak tree marked B, on said road, at the northeast corner of Ralph Blaise's fields, now occupied by Thomas A. Gillard to make report thereof in writing to this Board.

The north to the Blaise's, thence west along said road on the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock along the county road leading from Chanderlille to Dresden to the foot of the hill north of the town. Sefver to a white oak tree marked 15, thence Northeast to a post marked A from thence to a post West of Stephen Dav..."
Also Gray's Road, as petitioned for at the March session 1842, was continued to the next March session, in consequence of Geo. B. Davis for himself and his heirs Thomas Davis, William Newkirk, & David Patterson, agents for untitled, agreeing for damages on account of said roads being laid out through each of their lands.

Viewer's Report of Damages caused by Hays Miles' road, as petitioned for at the last December session.

The viewers appointed at the last June session 1842, dismissed in consequence of the petitioners adding and determining how much less valuable the land adjoining to pay the damages assessed to John Traylor, on premises of 4.25 acres. Samuel Smith's. On 4.25 acres, there will be assessed at 25 cents, if brick road shall be established and opened; reported this day, as follows: to wit:—

"With regard to Gen. Parrow's land, we have several reasons why we cannot bring ourselves to think that it will be rendered less valuable, the contemplated road passing through it, one of which is the only direct road he has to his farm, and he has a toll gate pass to go to Putnam's and how much less valuable the land on premises of this road will give him a free outlet and a good one to the road. Dillow, complaint, would be rendered, should one road be established for a public highway, failed to make report.

Damages on Williams Brown's road. The viewers appointed at the last June session to assess and determine how much less valuable the land on premises of this road will give him a free outlet and a good one to the road, feared, should one road be established for a public highway, failed to make report.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the Treasurer in favor of Robert Taylor for 37$ for keeping private road open on the said 8 acres boundary thirty feet, thirty days, which was purchased by a few individuals and delivered 6.9. 1842.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of the Director of the county for any sums or sums not exceeding by hundred dollars, to be applied to any time on application.
Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of Reid R. Lee, in favor of the sum of Five dollars, for making stone foundation for Court House, superintended.

$5.00

Adah James’ petition for a bridge over the athaxad creek, at or near James’ mill, on the road leading from Danville to Athens, was this day presented, and laid over to the next March sessions 1843.

The Board then adjourned till the morning at 9 o’clock A.M.

Tuesday, December 6th A.D. 1843.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. - Present

John Godwin
Robert Robins, (bounty clerk);
William Wood.

The following reports on alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last June sessions, were taken up and read the second time to vote: —

1% Joseph Collins’ alteration of the road that runs between Thomas Roberts and James Connolly.

2% Frederick Prior’s alterations of state road leading from Dusten to West Caroline.

For a particular description of the boundaries of said alterations of roads, references may be had to the Commissioner’s Minutes of their June sessions 1843, as recorded.

The reports on the foregoing roads being favorable no objections having been made against the same, further proceedings thereon was laid over until the next March sessions for further action, according to the statutes in such cases provided.

Henry Wilkes’ road established, as petitioned for at the December sessions 1843, to wit: —

"Beginning at the East end of the lines in front of Aaron Bliss’ house, and dividin the lands of said Bliss and Mary Abbott, in Newton township, thence running in a Northeasterly direction across the Northwest corner of Joseph Delahay’s land, and continuing the same direction through George Wilkes’ land East of his house in Springfield township, and across the Northwest corner of Joseph Springer’s land, thence North running East through Samuel Pulham’s land near his house, and interesting a road known as the Longon mills road at a point on a line between lands owned by A. Bumby and A. A. Goethrie, making such variations on the route as may best suit the interests of those concerned."

The viewers appointed at the last June session to assess and determine damage to the lands of A. Bumby and T. Delahay, said road should be established and opened a public highway, made report that the lands of A. Bumby were rendered less valuable by $50 and that the lands of T. Delahay will not be rendered less valuable, as will appear from the records of yesterday’s proceedings if said road shall be established & open’d.

The Commissioners believing said road to be of public utility, do confirm the report of the viewers made at the last March sessions in favor of said road, and declare said route a public highway, and order the same to be surveyed and located as may be done to suit the said Bumby and Delahay, as account of said roads. And upon the receipt of the receipt as aforesaid said Auditor is required to issue in favor of the opening of said roads at any time after fifteen days shall have expired.

With order for opening said road, issues for Newton Springfield township, on the 18th of December 1843.
Andrew P. Henderson's alterations of county road leading from Reynolds' mills to Pete's Bridge as petitioned for at the last March sessions, as follows, to wit:

"Commencing in Highland township on said road, running south of the cross roads, and turning thereon to the northly course and on the west side of said county route thence, to the land of Andrew P. Henderson about said roads south of the cross roads, and running thence on the northly course and on the west side of said county route thence, to the land of Reynolds' mills, on the land of James Moorehead in said township."
Jacob P. Springs presented a petition to the Board, praying for the vacation of the following State roads, to wit:

"In the vacation of so much of the State road leading from Danville to Danville as lies in Springfield and Newton townships, between Putnam and Uniontown in Muskingum county.

"And for the vacation of so much of the road and State road leading to Danville as lies between Putnam and Celestine in Newton township, where it enters the turnpike road."

"And for the vacation of so much of the State road leading from Danville to Danville as lies in Springfield township, between Putnam and where it enters the turnpike road near the turnpike gate."

"And also for the vacation of so much of the state road leading from Woodville to Danville, as lies in Springfield township, between Putnam and where it enters the turnpike road near the turnpike gate."

Said petition having been publicly read was laid over until the next March session according to the statute in such cases provided.

Auditor gave bond & took oath of office.

This day John W. Gray, gave bond, with Daniel Reed & Adam Peters as sureties, all to the acceptance of the Commissioners for the faithful performance of his duties as County Auditor from and after the first day of March 1842, and more over, and subscribed the oath of office as required by law, which bond and oath, the Commissioners filed with the Treasurer of Muskingum county.

The petition presented by Mr. Barnes, signed by himself and others, at the December session 1841, asking for a new bridge over Tomika creek, at $1500 dollars'; work was continued, and laid over to the next March session.

This day the Commissioners proceeded to settle with John W. Gray, Auditor, for making out two copies of the duplicates of taxes for Muskingum county, year 1842, and to allow him the sum of Five hundred and twenty seven dollars, twenty three cents, as per bill on file.

x $577.23

We therefore order and authorize said Auditor to draw an order or orders on the Treasurer of Muskingum county, in favor of said John W. Gray, Auditor, as aforesaid, for the sum of Five hundred and twenty seven dollars, twenty three cents, at any period or periods he may see proper.

Ordered, that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of W. J. B. O'Leary, for the sum of Eighty dollars twenty five cents, for keeping paper and books, as such books means paper, one quarter ending Nov 6, 1842.

x $18.75

The following bills were allowed for assessing damages, on the Mill road:

David Spence assessing, 3 days $2.00
John Morgan do. do. $2.00
John Smith assessing & making returns $3.00

Joseph Beavers alteration of roads.
Fees all paid by petitioners.

Frederick Prior alteration of State road.
Fees all paid by petitioners.
The following bills were recently presented and allowed.

Brady Parsons, for cutting stone for L. Thomas...$2.00
B. Gates, for publishing Nesho bridge notice...2.00
John Daniels, for pipes for office black jap...5.00
J. A. Giller, Post Blk, for taking official bonds...10.00

The Board, at a public meeting, appointed M. E. Eiddon...2.33

John Roberts, late Prov. Rep, for services...5.00
These bills for cutting prisoners...5.95
W. P. Bennett, for amounts due to bridge builders...3.00

John Hilliard, for cutting 92 and...3.18
Transcribing same into register index...3.00

Thomas O. Hopkin, for book No. 3...13.00
Thomas & Watson, for publishing...5.00
James Hall, for work done to the fence...176.50

E. Pike, for building...175.00
B. Pike, for building...175.00

The Board then adjourned until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Wednesday, Dec 7th, A.D. 1840.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:
John Godden, Chairman.
Robert Besco, County Commr.
Lithon Humes, Recorder.

This day the Commissioners entered into contract with...Hugh Laddor, for building a bridge over the lake, into the Nesho town, in Digging township, Washington county, where the said new bridge, being the lowest competent bidder, he having prepared to do said work as follows: to dig and build the same in the specifications of said county Commissioners, and also to furnish the materials of the said bridge when the work is completed, and receive an additional...
This security, for the faithful performance of the contract of
appraisers, which bond was approved and accepted by
the Commissioners. John Goshen was then appointed
to superintend the building of said bridge.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the
county Treasurer in favor of James Bewkes, for filing
in the north end of the bridge over mouth of Bush
Brook, for the sum of Thirty dollars, upon the certificate
of John Goshen that the same is completed to his satisfaction.

+ $30.00

Mr. McWhirer presented a petition by himself and others, for the building of a bridge on South
Breckbill's mill, taken up, abandoned and dismised.

Adjourned.

John Goshen
Robert Moore

Monday, March 6th, 1843.

This day the Commissioners met pursuant

Present:

John Goshen
Robert Moore

John Barwell presented a petition to the Board,
made by himself and twelve others, presenting
the Association of the following county road, to wit:-
To have the county (or new) road made from the junction (in
Washington townships) with the north end of John Barwell's allusion
of the state road, thence down the river to Lehighbridge,
where said Lehighbridge road leads up from the county
town of Lehighbridge (or new) road to the north end of said of the state road.

This petition having been publicly read was laid over
until the next June session, according to the statute in
such cases provided.

Witnesses: R. Moore.

Damage caused by a new road,

The witness appointed at the last December session
advises and determines how much has valuable, the lands
belonging to Geo. P. Pateemore, for himself and the heirs
of Thomas Pateemore; William Newshirk, and David Post-
now for Matthias Ayres will be recorded, if said road shall
be established and opened. Reported by day as follows, having
December 1842.

In the county commissioners of Meshingino on the under-
ground in compliance with a notice issued at your offices
the 5th day of December 1842, directing at to meet at the house
William Newshirk on the 10th Inst. there to view and report certain
 damages claimed by Geo. P. Pateemore for himself and heirs
Thomas Pateemore, etc. William Newshirk and David Post-
now for Matthias Ayres in consequence of road damage through
his several lands. We met in obedience to said notice on the
The following bills were presented and ordered paid:

Mr. Wright for assessing damages caused by his horse $1.00
Matthew Alosen $1.00

James Brown for assessing damage to fence $2.00
David Scott for cutting wood $19.75

James Miller for repairs to boat house $2.00
James Harrison for putting in timbers at the bridge $3.00

Edwin Park, Sheriff, for advertising and posting up Proclamation for General election 1842 $35.00
also special election of State Delegates, as per bills $3.00

A. Peters for advertising bridge notice, mouth of Bowes Creek $3.00

C. White & Son for late both leading Duplicates 1842 $9.00

Dr. W. Moorehead for attending one prisoner in jail, as per bills $4.95

David Bagley for attending for sick—per mile $10.14
James Miller for entertain for lot, house, and—per mile $17.25

The Board then adjourned the to morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, March 7th A.O. 1843.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—

John Cohens,

William Duggis (county commissioners),

William Moore.

Woronoh Bagley's alteration of state road leading from this to Chandlerville in Muskingum county. The Dividers operated at the last December session, on the petition of last year, having failed to make report on or before the first Monday of March instant, as required by the order of this
Board, and the statute in such case provided, it was ordered that said petition be dismissed at the cost of the said Thomas Savage, petitioner as aforesaid.

Alterations of Roads Confirmed.

Joseph B. Adams, alterations of the county roads that now run between Thomas Roberts and James Hamilton, are ordered.

"Beginning said alteration at the East end of Mr. Hamilton's lane, and run due South to the South end of Mr. Hamilton's lane, thence East along said lane to intersect the road leading from Norwich to Dresden, at or near the Methodist Meeting house, on the road of said Mr. Hamilton in Henderson township, which said road will intersect the road that the old one now does."

The surveyors appointed at the last June session made a favorable report at the last December session, which report was laid over until the present March session, and there being no objections made to said alteration of roads, and the commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, and the surveyors having reported that the route in the road never been opened, do confirm the report of the surveyors and declare said new route to be a public highway and order the same to be recorded, opened, and worked according to law.

James Daniel, petition for a bridge over Jonathan's creek at or near James Hill's on the road leading from Dresden to Athol, was this day laid over to the next June session 1841.

James Morse, request for the alteration of roads as petitioned for at the June session 1841, was continued to the next June session, the consequence of the commissioners not being satisfied that said road will be of public utility, and the surveyor not having returned a correct survey of the survey of said road, and a plan of the same.

Frederick Prior, alteration of state road, commencing at Dresden, in Middlesex county, and running up Mount Tom over and terminating at West Results, to Middlesex township, is ordered.

"Commencing on Mr. Prior's farm, in the said county of Middlesex, where an alteration previously made in said road is terminated, thence passing through the lands of Edward and
The petition presented by Mr. McNeil, signed by himself, and others, at the December session 1842, asking for a new bridge over Tamaha creek, at McClinton's mill, was continued, and laid over to the next June session.

The following bids were presented and generally allowed to sit:

1. $1,500 for the bridge of log and brush work, by Mr. Crooks. Bids were also made by Mr. Jones, $1,875; Mr. Morgan, $1,750; Mr. Frazier, $1,700; Mr. Thompson, $1,800; Mr. Moore, $1,600.

The Board then adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, March 5th, A.D. 1843.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, at their office in the county house.

Present:

John Goff
Robert Bosque,
J. W. McNeil,
S. P. Springer

S. P. Springer's petition to vacate certain parts of state roads, as presented last December session, was taken up, and publicly read. The following action was then taken:

Whereas S. P. Springer presented a petition at the last December session, praying for the vacation of so much of the state road as lay between Gainsville and Draper, it is resolved:

"For the vacation of so much of the state road as lay between Gainsville and Draper, it is resolved:

And for the vacation of so much of the Jackson and Boone county line as lay between Draper and J. W. McNeil's farm, where it crosses the monument road."

And the commissioners appointed S. P. Springer, D. G. Crooks, John Goff, and others as follows to sit:

"For the vacation of so much of the state road as lay in Springfield township, between Putnam and Putnam county, where it crosses the Tamaha road near the 72 gate."

The petition was then referred to the commissioners appointed, to meet at 11 o'clock, in the county house, on the 29th day of this month, to view said part of the state road, and make report in writing, under oath, whether such part of the state road is useful, or whether it would be of public advantage to vacate it, which report is to be made and delivered to the court by one of the commissioners, or before the first Monday in June next.
John Godlew was appointed a committee to make arrangements with the Town Directors, to keep Mary How Cockrell and Sarah White insane persons, out of town in the county Town House, as soon as arrangement can hereafter be made for the same; and that upon notice being given to William McDonough by said committee, said McDonough is to receive said insane person or persons to the Town House at the expense of the county, which expense the Commissioners agree to pay at their next June session.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurers in favor of James Green, for the sum of six hundred dollars eighty-eight cents, for work done to bridge at mouth of Salt Branch, as per bill.

Adjourned.

Signed:
John Godlew
Thos. Rogers
Lithol. Moore
Saturday, April 22nd, A.D. 1843.

The commissioners met present:

John Goshen
Robert Boggs, county commissioner
Littleton Moore

The commissioners convened for the purpose of receiving the estimate of the cost of building the bridge over the Ohio River at Woodford, and certify the same to James Moore, superintendent of the canal, and also draw an order on said James Moore, superintendent, in favor of John Russell, treasurer of Woodford county, for one-third part of the estimated expense of building said bridge, and the same to be paid by W.H. Ashby, resident engineer, under date of October 5th, 1843, to John Russell for December 7th, 1842, for said bridge built according to contract by Hugh Maddox, the county commissioner, and received the same, and allow said Hugh Maddox, superintendent, and receiving the same, $22, making in all the sum of $633.09.

Ordered that the county auditor make out an order on the county treasurer in favor of the said Hugh Maddox for the sum of $633.09 for the bridge over the Ohio River, and the same to be paid by W.H. Ashby, resident engineer, under date of October 5th, 1843, to John Russell for December 7th, 1842, for said bridge built according to contract by Hugh Maddox, the county commissioner, and received the same, and allow said Hugh Maddox, superintendent, and receiving the same, $22, making in all the sum of $633.09.

Adjourned.

John Goshen, chairman
Robert Boggs, county commissioner
Littleton Moore, secretary.
Monday June 8th 1843.

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law — Present:

Robert Bogg

William Moore — county commissioner

John Godwin

Samuel Armstrong — Alteration of the county roads leading from Cambridge to Gainesville, and known as the Fox creek roads. A petition was this day presented by Samuel Armstrong, signed by himself and twelve other freeholders of the county praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, viz: —

"Commencing said alteration in Perry township, it shall be as follows; to begin at said road marked A, on the lands of the heirs of Nicholas Bowers deceased, thence southerly to a white oak tree marked B, thence southerly to a white oak tree marked C, thence southerly to a white oak tree marked D, thence southerly to the north leading to Simon Haines' Hill; on the lands of said John Bowers, in said township."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Isaac Black, Henry Bonar and David Hart viewers, with Joseph Fisher, surveyors, to meet at John Bowers' in Perry township, on the 8th day of August next, at eleven o'clock A.M. of said day; to view survey and lay out said alteration of road; and to make report of their proceedings to this board, on or before the first Monday in December next. Bond and security were given to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Adam D. Threag's Road. A petition was this day presented before the Board by Adam D. Threag, signed by himself and twelve other freeholders of the county, praying that a county road may be laid out and established as follows, viz: —

"Beginning at the south end of a street in the town of Prairieton (in Hopeville township in said county), near a corner between the lands of Joel G. Smith, thence south to a point opposite the west end of Benjamin Wilson's lane, thence to the end of said lane, thence along said lane to the west end thereof, thence north to the Threagville road, thence along said road to a particular point; thence south to a point nearly opposite the west end of Philip Davis lane, thence to the end of said lane at the Cooper's Mill road."

John Bowers the day appeared, and satisfied the Commissioners that he was endorsed by the Reesor of Washington township in the amount of money bands at interest; the Reesor having returned the same at the sum of $179.00, was reduced to the sum of $100.
Thereupon the commissioners appointed David Sping, John Morgan and John Smith viewers, and John Boyle surveyor, to meet at Martin Heevers' tavern in Batte on the 15th day of June next, at 8 o'clock A. M., of that day; to view survey and lay out said roads; and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next. Bond's security given to the acceptance of the commissioners.

The report of Amasa Van Hoone, John Slaughter, William Van Camp, viewers appointed at the last March Session, upon the said petition in writing, of Samuel Cathcart, of Kingsland & others, against the alteration of parts of certain State roads petitioned for by E. Van Camp; which at the last December Session, was taken up and publicly read.

The Board then adjourned to the ensuing morning at Boreh.

**Tuesday June 6th A.D. 1843**

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. - Present: -

*Robert Boggs*  
*William Allen*  
*John Goddard*

The new (what?) roads - No person having appeared agreeable to the new stated at the last March Session to present the damages assessed to Geo. B. Passemore for himself and the heirs of Thos. Passemore, & Mr. Newbark, and David Petten, agent for Melville Bynes, assessed by the viewers appointed at the last December Session, and the expenses incurred in the assessment of said damages; therefore the commissioners refuse to establish said roads as petitioned for at the last December Session 1840, and it is hereby declared vacated.

Ordered that the county Auditor issues an order on the treasurer, Washington county, in favor of Robert Taylor for the sum of thirty dollars fifty cents for helping Nancy Taylor assist in six months ending 6th of May last. — £37.50

This day the report of the Trustees of Washington township, on the alteration of the county road on the banks of the river from Southbridge's road down through the farm of John Henderswood (now occupied by Thomas Davis) filed in this Office April 15th 1843, was publicly read, which was in the words following to wit: -

"We, the undersigned Trustees of Washington township, Washington county, Ohio, upon the petition of six freeholders of said township; which petition is herewith returned, on the 1st day of March 1843, proceeded to examine into said road, agreeably to the prayer of said petition and upon said examination, being satisfied that said road had been so much injured by the washing of the Washington river, that the public good required an alteration of the said road, we therefore proceeded (with a surveyor whose plot accompanies this report) to alter and lay out so much of the new roads as do supply the several parts of the roads injured as aforesaid, for the reasons aforesaid, agreeably to the plans of the survey of said Boyle dated the said 1st day of March 1843.

Joseph Black  
Trustee Washington  
Thomas Little, Township."
The following bills were presented to the Board for examination and allowed.

Sevi Blackford's bill for work done to Blackford's bridge.

James Doyle for surveying and plotting an alteration of roads made by the Trustees of Washington Township.

Dr. C. D. Rose & Co., for seed for Public Offices & Court House & paper for Auditors Office.

Dr. C. D. Rose & Co., for laborer of time for work.

(And a few more bills presented to the Board for consideration and approval.)

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of each Poor House Director for the balance of $240.51, due as above, at any time on demand.

The Board then adjourned until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Wednesday, June 7th, A. D. 1843.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

Robert Boggs
Sullivan Masters, county commissioners.
John Gashway

The report of the Trustees of Washington township, on the alteration of the county roads or the banks of the rivers from any bridge made down through the farms of John Underwood, now occupied by Thomas Davis, filed in the office April 2, 1843, was publicly read the second time.

The report on the foregoing alterations of roads being favorable and no objections having been made against the same, any further proceedings thereon was laid over until the next December session for action, according to the statute in such cases provided.
County Treasurer's Settlement. This day John Russell, Treasurer of Monongahela county, presented his accounts for examination and settlement; and the commissioners find the accounts correct, and there remains in his hands on settlement the sum of two thousand two hundred and sixty eight dollars, fifty cents, seven mills. 

County Orders burned. After settlement with the Treasurer as aforesaid, all the orders that were redeemed on said settlement up to June 5th, 1843, the commissioners orders burned.

The commissioners entered into an agreement with Eli Howells to furnish materials for frames and put up a bruddled one under each end of the bridge across Big Bull creek near G. Breuning, and brace the same with one part of timbers at each end of each of eight or sixteen inch diameter, and well driven to the stumps with the other end reaching to the bank of the creek, and there to be tied to the stumps with the other end reaching to the bank of the creek, and there to be tied to the stumps with cord, cross timbers to be well secured by stakes driven into the ground, the said cross timbers to be well secured by stakes driven in the ground to hold them to their place, and places timbers in the ground against the ends of said brace timbers to keep them from giving and being held in said bridge until abutments can be built; and under the ends of said bridge, all to be done in a good and workmanlike manner, to the acceptance of the county commissioners on or before the 30th instant, for which they agree to pay.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of the Directors of the county poor house for any sum or sums not exceeding by hundreds dollar to be applied to the purpose of paying necessary expenses for said institutions and supporting the same; at any time on application.

Thursday June 8th 1843.

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present:—

Robert Boggs
Matthew Moore, county commissioners.
John Godwin

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer, in favor of the Directors of the county poor house for any sum or sums not exceeding by hundreds dollar to be applied to the purpose of paying necessary expenses for said institutions and supporting the same; at any time on application.

X $600.00
The following bills were presented to the Board and duly examined and allowed:

John Russell, Treasurer, bills for stationery and public printing for year ending June 1st 1843.

Washington, bill for blankets for sale.

R. Badger, bill for forming, repairing.

E. Ball, Sheriff, bill for building, repairing and painting.

E. Ball, Sheriff, bill for removing John Maple's

gown which was at New Haven.

E. Ball, Sheriff, bill for building price of price.

E. Ball, Sheriff, bill for building price of.

W. Moorehead, bill for attendance, made price for price in price, up to June 8th 1843.

And whereas "It is remonstrated by the 8th of March 1843 handed in by Samuel Colburn and others objecting to the section of a much of said Grandville roads as being dangerous by reason of its intersection with the brinks leading to Grandville."

And whereas the commissioners of Muskingum county at the time appointed the undersigned to view said part of said road and make report in writing whether such part of said road is useless or whether it would be of public advantage to vacate it.

The undersigned of the 1st day of May 1843.

Amasa (now B. H.)

S. Slaughter.

And the commissioners having considered said report and heard the objections of John Roberts and others who appointed thereof, said William Townsend, having agreed to vacate said part of said road as hereinbefore mentioned, do hereby order and direct said part of said road as hereinbefore mentioned.

John Burrell this day gave notice of an appeal to the decisions of the commissioners in the case above stated.

And whereas "A remonstrance was on the 8th of March 1843 handed in by Uriah Stephenson and others objecting to the section of said part of said roads as above described."
The following bills were presented to the Board and were examined and allowed:

John Russell, Treasurer, bill for stationery and public printing for year ending June 30, 1843.

W. D. Patterson, bill for blankets for jail.

W. D. Patterson, bill for pair of pails for washhouse prisoner.

W. D. Patterson, bill for new bailing for prisoners.

W. D. Patterson, bill for removing door hinges from Columbus to Zanesville.

W. D. Patterson, bill for bailing prisoners up to June 7, 1843.

W. D. Patterson, bill for two pairs of blankets for jail.

C[oe] Moorehead, bill for attendance medical and personal for prisoners in jail, up to June 7, 1843.

The report of Amasa D. Howe, Highway Superintendent, viewers, appointed at the last March election the objection, of Samuel Galtreath, of Cleopatra, against the vacating of parts of certain state roads for by J. S. Hargrave, and others at the last December election, is taken up as a second time & publicly read, when the report ensuing the vote:—

To the Commissioners of Muskingum county.

Whereas at a meeting of your boards on the 6th day of August, 1843, a petition was presented by Joseph Hargrave praying that certain parts of state roads may be vacated amongst others the following to wit:

For the vacation of so much of the Athens and Zanesville part of the state road as lies in Springfield's township between Plains and Athens, on his own land, as petitioned for at the time when it crosses the Zanesville road near the toll gate.

And whereas a remonstrance was on the 29th of March, 1843, by friends of Cleopatra, objecting to the vacation of so much of the state road as is embraced by this

Zanesville, Ohio, April 22, 1843.

To County Auditors and Railroad Officers:

You are hereby notified that the meeting of the Board of Appraisers and Assessors of the property of the several Railroad companies in this county for the year 1843, will be held at the office of the County Auditor of this county, as follows:

Bellaire, Zanesville and Cincinnati Railway, May 11, 2.00 p.m.

Cincinnati and Muskingum Valley Railway, May 13, 2.00 p.m.

Zanesville and Ohio River Railway, May 15, 10.00 a.m.

It is essential that the official reports of said Railroad Companies required by law be presented promptly at the time above specified.

It is hoped that all Auditors will be present that are interested in determining the value of the property of the foregoing named Railroad Companies.

Respectfully,

A. J. Patterson,
Auditor of Muskingum County, President of Board of Appraisers and Assessors.

And whereas a remonstrance was on the 29th of March, 1843, by friends of Cleopatra, objecting to the vacation of so much of the state road as lies in Springfield's township between Plains and Athens, on his own land, as petitioned for at the time

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The commissioners then adjourned until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Friday, June 9th A.D. 1843.

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

Robert Boggs
Littleton Moore, county clerk
John Cochran

Ordered that the Auditor publish an exhibit of the receipts and expenditures of Muskingum county for the year ending June 5th 1843, similar to the exhibit of last year, and also the report of the Directors of Muskingum county Poor House, in the Ohio Republican.

The commissioners agree to appropriate the sum of sixty dollars, to enable L. Brown to repair the Bridge over the mouth of Timber run in Falls township, by putting in a stone abutment and other necessary repairs, provided the same is done in a good substantial manner, to the acceptance of the county commissioners, to be paid upon the certificate of John Cochran, county commissioner.

$60.00

County Levy, year 1843. The commissioners proceeded to levy the per cents necessary for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the county, year 1843, and do hereby levy one mill and a half on each dollar of valuation of the aggregate amount of all property in said county, entered upon the general list for taxation, and orders the same to be sent out for collections. Also ordered that one half mills on the dollar be levied as a fund to be appropriated and applied to the county poor house, according to an act of the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, entitled, "An act to authorize the establishment of Poor Houses," passed March 8th 1831.

Road Tax, year 1843. It is hereby further ordered and determined by said commissioners, that one mill and a half upon the dollars be levied upon the aggregate amount of the value of all property entered upon the general list for taxation, for road purposes current year; and orders the same to be sent out for collections.

A. J. Bowblish, Clerk of the Supreme court, is authorized to purchase a book case No. for the use of his office, upon as good as possible, provided the price shall not exceed thirty dollars.

Resolved. That the accounts this day presented by J. A. McCall, Administrator of James Thompson deceased, as already presented to the action of the commissioners at the March sessions 1840, except the additional items since added, that the consideration of which I said additional items be postponed until the December (next) session.

The boards then adjourned until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.
Saturday, June 10th A.D. 1843.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

Robert Begg
Littleton Moore, Esq. Comm.
John Estes

John Burwell's petition of county road.

The petition of John Burwell and others, presented at the last March session, as follows, to wit:

"To have the county (or river) roads executed from its junction with Washington township, with the North road of John Burwell's alteration of state roads, thence down the river to Longbridge road, where same Longbridge road leads up from the county (or river) road to the south west of said alterations of this state road,"

Was this day taken up and publicly read, and no objections having been made by any person, the Commissioners do declare said roads vacated, as above described.

Repairs to Bridge over Big Salt Creek near B. Breaster's

The Commissioners agree to receive sealed proposals, to have the 14th day of July next, at 10 o'clock A.M. of that day, for building two stone abutments under the end of the Bridge over Big Salt Creek, near B. Breaster's Saltlick township, the contractor to find all the materials, and build them upon wood foundations, the abutments to be 14 ft. high, more or less as the county Commissioners may direct, 17 ft. long, 5 ft. thick at bottom and 2½ ft. thick at top, with two pieces of timber 6 by 12 inches, laid flat on top of each abutment for the stringers to rest upon. The wood foundations to be each 18 ft. by 12 ft. made of flat timbers 10 inches deep, laid side by side, with 5 in. pitch laid across the top of them, and well secured at the ends by pins, to the outside pieces of timber, to be laid so that the tops of the foundations shall be at least 1 ft. below the water when drawn off as low as it can be drawn through B. Breaster's mill gate, at low water. The abutments to be built in a good, substantial and workmanlike manner of large stone well bound and dressed all through, and laid in range rock work in good lime and sand mortar and well grouted.

Orders that notice of the above be published in the Ohio Republican.

Peace James' petition for a bridge over Daniel's brook, was continued to the next December session.

Henry Corns' petition for a bridge over Tomick's brook at Millin to Pomerake, was continued to the next December session.

The Commissioners then adjourned, to meet again on the 14th day of July next.

Robert Begg
Littleton Moore
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

Robert Boggs, Chairman
Butler Moore, County Commissioner
John Becher

Agreedly to a notice published in the Ohio Republican, a meeting of the commissioners was held to receive sealed proposals for building two stone abutments or supports foundations under the ends of the bridge over Big Salt Creek near J. Brevett in Salt Creek Township.

The commissioners proceeded to open these proposals for building said abutments, and upon an examination of the proposals find William Wright to be the lowest and most competent bidder, having proposed to do said work at the following rates:

- For each cubic foot of sixteen (16) to a half cubic foot of stonework, $1.00; for laying timber foundations for the stone abutments, $1.50.
- For building the abutments, $20.00; for laying timber foundations for the stone abutments, $30.00; for building the bridge, $75.00.

The said William Wright, contractor, is agreed to build the said two stone abutments under the ends of the bridge over Big Salt Creek near J. Brevett in Salt Creek Township and to furnish all the materials, and build them upon the foundations and abutments to be fourteen feet high, more or less, as the commissioners may direct; sixteen feet long, five feet thick at the bottom and ten and a half feet thick at the top, with two pieces of timbers 6 by 12 inches laid flat, on top of each abutment for the changes to rest upon. The footings, foundations, to be each eighteen feet by six feet, made of flat-timbers 10 inches deep, laid close side by side, with 5-inch planks laid across the top of them and well secured at the sides by five to the outside pieces of timber, to be laid so that the top of the foundations shall be at least one foot below the water, when drawn off as low as it can be drawn through J. Brevett's Alleghany, at low water. The abutments to be built in a good substantial and workmanlike manner, of large stone, well bound and secured as through.

The following bills were likewise examined and allowed:

- Thomas V. Realty bill for searching, preparing for abutments at Salt bank, Road Tax, county exhibit, $25.00.
- J. B. Maddox for assisting with wagons & horses in removing timbers from county to be used for bridge, by authority of sheriff, $125.
- E. Bell & Company's fees in the above cases, $100.
- Amares Davis for seeing B. Davis's railing of state roads, $100.
- John Slaughter do. do. do. $1.00.
- J. Williams Camp do. do. do. $1.00.
- Elle Camp do. do. do. $1.00.

The commissioners then adjourned.

Robert Boggs, Chairman.
Butler Moore, County Commissioner.
Monday, Sept. 14th 1843.
This day the Commissioners met.
Present:
John Goshen & J. Littleton Moore.
Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the Treasurer of Muskingum County for the sum of twenty-four dollars for working for repairing the bridge over Big Shell Creek near the mouth thereof, as per bill, and that said order be made payable to Levi Green.
+34.25
John Goshen
J. Littleton Moore

Saturday, November 18th A.D. 1843.
The Commissioners met in extra session. Present:
John Goshen
J. Littleton Moore

The Commissioners met for the purpose of receiving the two stone abutments under the bridge over Big Shell Creek near S. Brewster's in Salt Creek township, built by Miller Wright, under contract with said Commissioners of date July 14th 1843. They having yesterday (November 17th) examined said abutments, and being satisfied with the same, and also the said Miller Wright, as follows, to wit:
- For building stone abutments, 13163 pence - $30.17
- Wood foundations 32.14
Extras, to wit:
- For cleaning out channel, seven hands one day each 7.00
- Building foundations of ten abutments 10.00
- Treating bottom of abutments, six hands three days each 10.80

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of the said William Wright for the balance as aforesaid, being one hundred and ninety-four dollars and nine cents.

Adjourned.

John Goshen
J. Littleton Moore
Monday December 15th 1848

This day the commissioners met pursuant to law - Present -

Billevton Moore
John Corkey - County commissioners
John Bennett

The following reports on roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last June session were secordly made, taken up and read the first time, to wit -

1st James Armstrong's Alteration of the county road leading from Cambridge to Dauviseville, and then as the Fox creek road.
2d George Ebingle's road.
3d Adams N. Hendry's road.

The report of the viewers on each of the aforesaid roads and alteration of road, being favorable, they were ordered to be read again to morrow for a further presentation before the board, by Charles Roberts, signed alteration of road, references may be had to the local commissioners minutes of their last June session, and for an alteration of the Vrazesburgh road through his farm in Dieking township, as follows, to wit -

"Beginning on or near the East line of said farm in the Dresden road, said line crossed thence to due North course along said line on the land of said Roberts ship on the alteration of Henry Terrel's road, at the intersection of the present travelled Vrazesburgh road, in the office, October 1st 1843, was publicly read which was in the words following, to wit -

To the commissioners of Muskingum County, Ohio.

The undersigned trustees of Madison township in said John Roberts surveyor to meet at James George's county, make the following report of their doing in regard to the 29th day of December instant, at 9 o'clock, to an alteration in Henry Terrell's road, in said town, No. of said day, to view survey and lay out said alteration of roads; and to make report of their proceedings.

We called to our assistance Joseph Fisher, as surveyors to the Boards on or before the first Monday in March on the 7th day of June in the year 1843, proceeded to view, and make said report of aforesaid line, the part of said roads, complained of, and for the commissioners.
Petition for Damages on the alteration of county roads on the bank of the river from Baughbridge road south down through the farm of John Underwood, laid out by the Trustees of Washington township, reporter at the last June session of the Commissioners.

Peterson, as the agent of John Underwood, personally appears and made complaint to the Commissioners stating that the late location of an alteration of county roads on the bank of the river from Baughbridge road south through the farm of John Underwood by the Trustees of Washington township, runs through the land of said John Underwood to his great injury, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to assess the damages he has sustained or may sustain if said alteration of road that's should be established and opened a public high-way.

Accordingly the Commissioners appointed, John Slaught and Martin Bishop, viewers, to view the same and determine how much less valuable the land or premises of said complainant will be rendered if said roads should be established and opened as a public highway, and to make report thereof in writing to the board on or before the first Monday in March next; to meet at the Office of Peter Mills on the 27th day December 1843 at 9 o'clock A.M. of that day. Bond and security given by said complainant on the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the Treasurer of King County in favor of Abraham Wtihall for the sum of one dollar and forty four cents for timber cut by Solomon S. Power, in Perry township, to build a bridge, as he certifies.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of Robert Taylor for keeping Nancy Taylor insane persons six months ending 24th of November last, for the sums of Thirty dollars and fifty cents.

The proceedings of the Trustees of Washington township on the alteration of county roads on the bank of the river from Baughbridge road south down through the farm of John Underwood, was continued to the next March session in consequence of John Underwood by his agent Peterson Mills having this day laid in for damages.

The Commissioners then adjourned to to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Tuesday, December 5th A.D. 1843.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present: -

W. S. Moore, 

John Check, 3d county Commissioner,

John Bennett.

The following reports on roads and alterations of said, as petitioned for at the last June session, were read:

1st. James Armstrong's alteration of county roads leading from Baughbridge, Danville, to known as the Vix creek road.

2nd. George Swoope & road.

3rd. Adam L. Wuehler's road.

For a particular description of the boundaries of said roads and alterations of roads reference may be had to the Commissioners' minutes of their last June session as recorded.
The reports on the foregoing alterations of roads, &c., being favorable, and no objections having been made against the same, any further proceedings thereon were laid over until the next March session for further action, according to the statute in such cases provided.

The report of the Trustees of Madison township, on the alterations of Henry Swell’s road, filed in this office, October 22d, 1843, was publicly read the second time.

The report on the foregoing alterations of roads being favorable, and no objections having been made against the same, any further proceedings thereon were laid over until the next March session for further action, according to the statute in such cases provided.

The following bills were presented to the Board, and severally examined and allowed.

John Stewart’s bill for making ballot box for Madison township, by one of the sheriffs.

Thomas H. Whitley for publishing delinquent list of debts due the township, for 1839, $32 00.

Edward Ball’s bill for sundries furnished court house & jail, making for prisoners &c.

James Miller’s bill for making four tables for jail.

Dr. Baltimore’s bill for sundries articles of clothing for Judge &c.

Sidney’s bill for book case, for use of clerk of Supreme Court.

N. A. Girard’s bill for services as county auditor, for providing for the security of bonds given by county officers, passed March 21st, 1840.

W. H. Bennett’s bill for printing 50 copies of jail rules as revised by Judge Cranes.

This day the commissioners proceeded to settle with the 1st May for services as county auditor from the 1st day of June to the 1st of December 1843, and do now draw from the sums of Eight hundred and thirty seven dollars & forty seven cents, as two bills.

In the above account there is no charge for recording orders, official bonds, delinquent list, inspected list, death duties, &c., for which items are yet to be allowed.

We therefore order and authorize the county auditor to draw an order on the Treasurer of Madison county, and he is hereby authorized to pay the sums of Eight hundred and thirty seven dollars and forty seven cents at any time or period not exceeding five years, for which purpose the same are to be paid out of any moneys in the Treasurer’s office, or in the county treasury, or in the hands of the county auditor, and to be charged to the Auditor’s charge.

The commissioners then adjourned to 1 o’clock.
Wednesday, Dec 6th A.D. 1843

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. 

-Present:-

W. L. nestor, Moore
John Cothran; County Commissioners.
Joshua Bennett.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer, in favor of the Director of the county poor House for any sum or sums not exceeding five hundred dollars, to be applied to the purpose of paying necessary expenses of said institution at supporting the same at any times on application.

The state road from Morgan county lines to campbell in Huntingdon county, laid over from the last June session, was continued for further considerations to the next March session.

Isaac James' petition for a bridge over Jonathan's creek, was continued to the next March session.

Henry Harris' petition for a bridge over Comick's Mill at Nobletown's mill, was continued to the next March session.

Sunday petition for a bridge at Bladen, were received and taken over to the next March session.

Resolved that the sheriffs of this county proceed suitably to secure the hydrant in jail yard, as advised by the commissioners, and that the expense thereof be paid out of the county treasury on the order of the county auditor, who is hereby authorized to allow said bills.

Resolved that the account this day presented by the attorney's of James Thompson deceased, has already received the action of the commissioners at the March session 1840, except the additional item, which was added since the last session, was continued for further considerations to the next March session.

This day the consideration of the above received additional item, was taken up, and continued until the next March session.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer, in favor of James Brown supervisor in Morgan township, for the sum of twenty dollars, at any time on demand, to aid in the construction of a bridge over the mouth of that river.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of Dr. W. Hooper, for the sum of one hundred dollars, to enable him to purchase medicine and attend the insane in jail, as per bill presented.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer, in favor of the city of Philadelphia, for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, to be paid for materials and labor in the construction of a well for fire services in said city, as per bill submitted.
Agreed to on the premises of the 18th section of an act passed March 13, 1843, entitled "An act for the reuniting of county roads," the commissioners proceeded to appoint Edw. A. Bell, Physician to the jail, and agree to pay him an annual salary of Forty dollars, for medical attendance, which salary shall be drawn out of the county treasury, on the order of the county Auditor. Done this 6th day of June, 1843.

No further business. Adjourned.

Joshua Bennett

Petition for damages on James Armstrong's alteration of the county road leading from Cambridge to Gainesville, and known as the Vaw Creek road, as petitioned for at the June session 1843.

John Bowers personally appeared and made complaint of a writing stating that the late location of an alteration of the county road leading from Cambridge to Gainesville, and known as the Vaw Creek road, known by the name of James Armstrong's alteration, runs through his land, to his injury and damage, and praying that said alteration may be appointed to assess the damages he has sustain.

Accordingly the commissioners appointed Alexander Bell, George Givens and John Boneaury surveyor, to view, and determine how much land valuable to the lands or premises of said complainant will be rendered if said alteration of road should be established and what said alteration of road should be established and hence as a public highway.

According to the above, the commissioners arrived, Alexander Bell, George Givens and John Boneaury surveyor, to view, and determine how much land valuable to the lands or premises of said complainant will be rendered if said alteration of road should be established and hence as a public highway, and to make report thereof in writing to this Board on or before the first Monday in June next, to meet at John Bowers' house, on the 21st day of March, instant at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day. Bower and security given by said John Bowers is the acceptance of the commissioners.

James Armstrong's Alteration of the above road, into the Vaw Creek road, as petitioned for at the last June session, was continued to the next June ses-
Abandoned, in consequence of John Bowers applying for the same, on account of said alteration of roads being laid out through his land.

The following report on an alteration of road as petitioned for at the last December session was made, taken, and read the first time to wit:

Charles Robberts alterations of the Tazaugub road through his farm in Riching township.

The report of the view on the aforementioned alteration of roads being favorable, it was ordered to be read again tomorrow for a particular description of the boundary line alterations of roads, reference may be had to the Commissioners minutes of their last December session as recorded.

Petition for damages on Adam St. Hersey's road, as petitioned for at the June session 1873.

Tornadoes on July personally appeared and made complaint in writing, stating that the late alterations of county roads, known by the name of Adam St. Hersey's road, runs through his land to his injury and damage and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to assess the damage he has sustained or may sustain of said road should be established and opened a public highway.

Accordingly, the Commissioners appointed John Coffin, James S. Hardy, and John Potter viewers, to view, assess, and determine how much less valuable the lands or premises of said complainant will be rendered if said road should be established and opened a public highway, and to make report thereof in writing to the Boards on or before the first Monday in June next, to meet at Townends of jury house on the 31st day of May at instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day. Bond be given by said A. J. Jury to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Petition of the view, that the said road be not continued in the same form as it now is.

John Winderood by his agent Peter Hill, presented petition to the Board signed by said agent, and declarers his right and desire having the vacation of so much of the said road laid out in Washington township, in the county and known as Charles Robberts road, as to lands of said Township No. 1, in Bangor R. 7, United States Military District, being lands of John Winderood, commencing at the North boundary line of said land and running thence down straightly along the river to the South boundary line of said land; and all other roads which may have been laid upon the same ground known or designated as the river road; through the premises of said John Winderood as aforesaid.

The said petition having been publicly read, and Peter Hill having as the agent of John Winderood entered into bond with security in the amount of the said Commissioners' costs as is required by law, said petition was laid over until the next June Session, according to the statute in such cases provided.

Viewers Report of Damages caused by the alteration of county road on the banks of the river known as Tazaugub road, known through the farms of John Winderood, made by the viewers of Washington township, as reported to this Board at their last June Session.

The viewers appointed at the last December Session to assess and determine how much less valuable the land or premises of John Winderood will be rendered if said road shall be established and opened, made report in the words, and figures following, to wit:—
Danville, December 27th A.D. 1833.

To the Commissioners of Muskingum county, Ohio:

The undersigned viewers appointed by your Board at its last December session, to view and determine how much loss was sustained by the farms of John Underwood in Washington township, will rende the alterations of county roads lately laid out by the Trustees of said township, on the bank of the river from Danville to Marietta, in said township, petitioned for by the said Underwood, in his said township, and in the premises of said John Underwood, are of opinion that the farm of said John Underwood will be rendered unsalable and the said damages assessed as aforesaid to be paid by the county. They therefore request to establish said roads as public highways unless said damages and expenses are paid by the petitioners, or those interested in said roads, or in default thereof, said roads shall stand vacated.

This day the report of the Trustees of Wayne township on the alterations of the State Road from Danville to Marietta, filed in this Office February 10th 1844, was publicly read, which was in the words following, to wit:

"To the Commissioners of Muskingum county, Ohio:

The undersigned Trustees of Wayne township in said county make the following report of the same:

In respect to an alteration in the State road leading from Danville to Marietta, in said township, petitioned for by the six freeholders of the township. We stated to our assistance the County Surveyor, and on the 10th day of February in the year 1844, proceeded to examine the state of said road, and found that the public good requires an alteration of the same, we proceeded to alter and lay out to much new road as may supply the several parts of the roads thus injured. For further information we refer you to the plats and returns of the

(Signed)

N. B. Reed

The aforesaid report was ordered to be read again to-morrow.

When the application of James Winn, it is ordered that the fine of Forty dollars be laid upon him by William Elam, as a fine of the peace for the township, and as a fine of one hundred, on the eighth day of December 1840, for an alleged assault and battery upon the body of Thomas Roe, he and the same is hereby remitted and the whole of said fine.

The Commissiones being satisfied that said Winn pleaded "not guilty" and has never had an opportunity of presenting this case to the court of Common Pleas for trial.

The Board then adjourned to to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

(Signed)

W. Reed
Tuesday, March 5th, A.D. 1844.

The commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

Littleton Moore
John Godwin, County Commissioner
Joshua Bennett

The following report on an alteration of roads presented at the last December session was taken up and read the second time to wit:

Charles Roberts' alteration of the Frogtown road through his farm in Rossville township.

The report of the viewers on the foregoing alteration of roads being favorable and no objections having been made against the same, any further proceedings thereto were laid over until the next hand session for further action, according to the statute in such case provided.

The report of the Trustees of Wayne township on the alteration of the State Road from Greenville to Marietta, filed in the Office February 14th, 1844, was publicly read the second time.

The report on the foregoing alterations of State Road being favorable and no objections having been made against the same, any further proceedings thereto were laid over until the next June session for further action, according to the statute in such case provided.

Altered and alterations of roads confirmed.

George Swingle's 3d Road, as petitioned for at the June session 1843.

Commencing at or near Frederick Alwinder's stable at George Dyer's county road in Brush Creek township, thence to run an eastward direction, following George Swingle's private road, thence south of lot of interest thence Swingle's county road at or near Ethan Thrum's now field in Harrison township.

The viewers appointed at the last June session made favorable report at the last December session, which report was laid over until the present March session, and there being no objections made to said roads, and the commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, hereby confirm the report of the viewers and declare said route to be a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened and westerly according to law.

Alteration of Henry Severell's road made by the Trustees of Madison township, as reported at the last December session, which has been presented again at the December session, which agrees to the survey as follows:

"Beginning at a point 4 chains south of Wyoming Creek, in the old road—Thence N. 13° W., 1 chain 10 links, E. 87° 5', 1 chain, N. 35' W., 1 chain 62 links to Wyoming Creek, N. 82' W., 1 chain, S. 53' W., 3 chains 25 links to termination of old roads. 10 chains distance of alteration, 10 chains 25 links distance of old roads."

Whereas the the Trustees of Madison township, made a report favorable to said alteration, which report was publicly read at the last December session, entered of record on the minutes and again read at the second session of said December session, and laid over to the present March session for further action, according to law, and there being no objections made to said alteration of roads, and the commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, do hereby confirm the report of said trustees, and declare said route to be a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened and westerly according to law.
The following bills for services rendered in laying out roads and altering & vacating of roads were allowed as follows:

James Amberson &c. of 3rd Creek Road.
Joseph Fisher, surveying and platting
Henry Lovett, viewing & returning plat & report
Jabez Black, viewing
Philip Morgan, chaining
Hiram Stragg, do.
Lewis Williams, masking

George Swingles for roads.
William Anderson, surveying and platting
David Brito, viewing
Nicholas Deitrich, do.
Jacob Deitrich, do.
Danniel Boyer, chaining
Moises Suman, do.
Shemoy Williams, masking

Adam S. Hersey’s road.
James Boyle, Surveying & Platting
David Tatum, viewing & making return
John Morgan, viewing
John Shutt, do.
John Willey, chaining
John Weizenger, do.
Walter Willey, masking

Alteration of Henry Terrell’s road, by Trustees of Madison township.
Joseph Fisher, for surveying & platting

Bills for assisting damages caused by alterations of county roads made by Trustees of Washington township:

George M. Labbonte, for assisting
John Lafferty, do.
Martin Bishop, do.

Alteration of State Roads, from Gainesville to Marott by the Trustees of Marion township.
James Doyle, for surveying & platting

Charles Roberts, alteration of the Wragges Road, through his farm, in Lee King township.

Charles Green, for viewing (Scripture provides for) x 1.00
Joseph Thayer, do.
Terryman Spencer, do.

The following bills were severally presented and allowed as the Auditor ordered to issue orders for the same, as follows:

Dexie Saltrell, tenders for bent & spied as per issue x 17.60
H. Cox & Co., tenders for jail as per issue
W. D. Bennett, for printing 842 blank certificates of lots of 1,000,000 as per issue
H. Thomas & Britton, for printing 842 blank certificates as per issue

J. M. Kennon’s medicine for sale as per issue x 20.00
O. White & Co., for binding Duplicate 100,000, as per issue

J. P. Kerstetter, for bent homes & spied as per issue
M. B. Barratt, bill for pair of pants for prisoners
John Dillon & Co., for making bent homes & joists, do.

Ordered that the county Auditor issues an order on the county treasurer in favor of the Director of the County Poor Farm, in any sums or sums not exceeding seven hundred and
In alteration of the graded road leading from Dresden to Cambridge, or to such part of it as lies between Dresden and Falmouth's School house... commencing at Bryant's and coming on Main Street, Dresden, then North to Dr. Crow's line, which is the station line, then along said station lines to said school house, a distance of two miles.

The Commissioners having been satisfied that legal notice was given, and the said Frederick Sugis giving, and the acceptance of the Commissioners, they then appointed Thomas Stringer, James Hults and James Boyle surveyors, and James Boyle surveyors, to meet at the office of Benjamin Adams Bay in Dresden on the 27th day of March instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, to begin survey, and lay out said alterations of roads, and make report of their proceedings to this Board or to before the first Monday of June next.

The Board then adjourned to tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, March 5, A.D. 1874.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:—

Littleton Moore
John Lathone, county surveyor
Joshua Bennett

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of W. Tomlinson for the sum of $50.00, for repairing two sandy bridges at Dresden, one at the North end, and the other at the East side of said town.
Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of E.B. Oph, Clerk of the Supreme Court, for the sum of Twenty seven dollars, eighty four cents, due in the case of the State of Ohio against Solomon Sheakes, tried at October Term 1843, of said Court.

Whereas at the December Session 1846, the Plut & first rate of a graded State Road, Commencing at the corner of Ro in county line, on the graded road between William Reynolds and Ed Bingham; thence to the south end of firsttown Streets in the town of Cumberland; thence to Ford Barn; on Stone mill; thence to the East end of Abraham Pollock's meadow; thence to Borland in Westminster county; and afterwards, to site, at the March Session 1847, Solomon Pleasure and Thomas Spear by his agent George McKinstry appeared and made complaint to the Commissioners stating that the location of said State road, runs through their lands to their great injury, and praying that equitable persons might be appointed to assess the damages they have or may sustain if said road should be established and opened; whereas the Commissioners appointed John Jeffers, Isaiah Harms and Joseph Long to view, assess and determine how much less valuable the lands a premium of each of said complainants will be rendered if said road shall be established and opened, and make reports in writing to this board on or before the first Monday of June (next) meet; and whereas the said persons made report to the June Session 1847, that the lands of Thomas Spear will be rendered less valuable the sum of Fifteen dollars, and the land of Solomon Pleasure Eighty dollars less valuable, if said State road be established, and the Commissioners not being satisfied that the road is of sufficient importance to require the county to pay the damages assessed as above stated, have over any further proceedings therein until the (then) next December Session, and afterward continued from session to session, until the present Session. Whereas Samuel Pollock having produced to the Board the county Auditor receipt for the sum of Thirty Three dollars, being the amount of damages assessed to the said Thomas Spear and Solomon Pleasure as aforesaid: Therefore, there being no other or further objection to the establishment of said State road, the Commissioners established said route a public highway, and order the laws to be recorded, printed and worked according to law.

[Signatures]

Whereas at the last June Session, the Commissioners made the following resolution:

"Resolved, That the account this day presented by John Hall, administrator of James Pollock deceased, has already received the action of the Commissioners at the March Session 1840, except the additional item herein added thereto, the consideration of which said additional item be postponed until the December (next) Session."

And whereas, the consideration of the above stated additional item, was taken up, at the last December Session, and continued until the present March Session; This day, the consideration of said above stated additional item, was continued at the last December Session, was taken up, and continued until the next June Session.

Adjourned.

John Goshen
William Moore
Joshua Bennett
Monday June 3d A.D. 1844.

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law. Present:

Belleto Moore
John Coghill, county commissioner
Joshua Bennett

J. D. Hamblin:

Alteration of State road leading from Gainesville to Ashburn through his own lands in Gainesville township. A petition was this day presented before the Board by J. D. Hamblin, by his agent, Daniel Walsh, signed by himself, by his agent, Daniel Walsh, and twelve other freeholders of the county, praying for an alteration of the State road leading from Gainesville to Ashburn, through his own lands in Gainesville township, as follows to wit:

"So much of the State Road leading from Gainesville to Ashburn, as lies between Underwood streets and the South East corner of Lot Number four in the first part of Hamblin's Third Addition to the town of Gainesville, so that said road shall run at right angles with Underwood streets."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed Daniel Smith, James Raguet, and Alexander Sullivan, Esq., and James Byrge, Esq., to meet the officers of Andrew Beacher, Esq., on the 16th day of June next, at the brick, No. 40 of said day, to view survey and lay out said alteration of roads; and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next. Done given with security to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

John Bird's Roads. A petition was this day presented before the Board by John Bird, signed by himself and twelve other freeholders of this county, praying that said roads may be laid out and established as follows, to wit:

"On Blue Brash township, in said county, commencing at the state road at or near where the section line between Amos Shilling and John Bird crosses said roads, thence East along said section line through lands of Amos Shilling, John Bird, Samuel Hartman, a lot belonging to School District No. 5, David Docter, Nathan Barr and William Sally to intersect the county road.

Now Elliott's Alteration of county roads. A petition was this day presented before the Board by William Elliott, signed by himself and twelve other freeholders of the county.
on the land of Williams Sally and Jonathan Bahr.

Thereupon the commissioners appointed Richard
H. Bach, Matthias Adcock, and William Newkirk
viewers, and James Boyle Surrogate, to meet at
David Rodger in Blue Rock Township, on the 
1st day of August next, at 8 o'clock A. M. of said day,
to view, survey, and lay out said roads, and to make
report of their proceedings to this Board on or before
the first Monday of December next. Bond given with
security to the acceptance of the commissioners.

The report on the following alterations of roads as
petitioned for at the last March session, were heard,
taken up and read the first time, to wit:

1. John Goad's Alteration of the Tarbie or Tick road.
2. Frederick Sinyard's Alteration of James McClin's
tick road.

The report of the viewers on each of the aforesaid
alterations of roads being unfavorable, they were voted
to be read again to morrow; for a particular description
of the boundaries of said alterations of roads, reference
may be had to the commissioners minutes of the
last March session, as recorded.

The County Auditor, County Recorder, Sheriff and
Barker of Common Pleas, this day presents their blank
Books, verified by their respective written affidavits to
the commissioners for the purpose of being audit
and settled; and the Board having carefully examined
the blank Books to present, are satisfied, that the panes
are correct in every particular, and that no balance
remains in the hands of any of the Officers above
mentioned.

Samuel Drum this day applied for the keeping of thirty
dollars an insane person, now in his custody, pursuant to
his order of May last, and agrees to keep, maintain, and
furnish said insane person with all things necessary to
his safety, at the rate of twenty-five dollars per year—all of
which the commissioners agree, reserving to themselves the right of
making any other arrangement, or disposition of how at any times they may think proper; and order the county
auditor to draw orders on the county Treasurer, semi-
annually for the sum of Thirty dollars and fifty
cents, in favor of said Samuel Drum, for
the purpose aforesaid, to be used by the said Drum
Tayor shall live or remain in his custody under the
arrangement.

Viewers' Report of Damages pursuant to James Armstong
alteration of county roads, as petitioned for at the last
March session.

The viewers appointed at the last March session to
make and determine how much hasabalnit the
route or premises of John Doerfling, claimant, will be assessed
at said road shall be established and opened, reported
therein as follows, to wit:

"Perry Township, Mar. 21st. 1844.

The undersigned, having been appointed to view
and report to our commissioners the damages John
Doe of Perry township would sustain in altering
the road going thru his farm.

After being duly sworn & viewing the alterations
previously visited, John Doe's would be injured to the amount
of Twenty five dollars.

Alec Miller
Geo. F. Collins
John Conaway.
Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of Henry Taylor, for the sum of Thirty seven dollars and Fifty cents, for laying Stanley Taylor invoices for gas, on the 11th day of May 1874.

+ $37.50

The Commissioners then adjourned to tomorrow morning at 8½ o'clock.

Tuesday, June 4th A.D. 1874.

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to Government. Present

Littlefield Moore
John Cothran, County Comm.

John Bennett

The reports on the following alterations of roads as follows for at the last March Session, were read: up, and read the second time, to wit:

1st: John Goodwin's Alteration of the Turbot Fishes road.

2nd: Frederick Singler's Alteration of James Hickey's road.

The reports of the viewers on each of the abovealterations of roads being against their establishment no further proceedings shall be had thereon before the Board, and it is ordered that the petitioners pay all the costs and expenses of the viewers and survey on each of the foregoing alterations of roads.

The petition of John Underwood by his agent Peter Mill, for a vacation of so much of Charles Hobson's county road as
is laid upon the lands of the said John Underwood, prior to this Board at its last March session was again taken up, and publicly read this day, which reading is described in said petition in the words and figures following, to wit:

"So much of said roads laid out in Washington township, in said Muskingum county, as is laid upon the East Fraction of Lot No. 16, in Quarter Township No. 5, Township No. 7, Range No. 7, United States Military District, being lands of John Underwood, commenced running at the North boundary line of said land, and running thence down Southwardly along the road to the North boundary lines of said land, and all other roads which have been laid upon the same ground, known or designated at the rice road through the premises of John Underwood as aforesaid;"

Objections being made to the said vacation by Amos Woodruff, I write to the member residing North from the town limits of Washington township, to say that he is residing in the neighborhhood of the road proposed to be vacated.

Therefore the commissioners appoint Julia Firth, Levi Hotly, and Francis B. Pole, voters to view said proposed vacation of road, to meet at the house of Charles Roberts on the 14th day of June instant, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to the Board on or before the first Monday in December next, 1844.

**Alteration of the State road leading from Gadsden to Marietta made by the Trustees of Wayne township as reported at the last March session and laid before the present June session, which was in the words and figures following, to wit:**

"To the commissioners of Muskingum county, Ohio:
The undersigned trustees of Wayne township in said county make the following report of their doings in regard to an alteration in the state road leading from Gadsden to Marietta in said township, petitioned for by six freeholders of the township. We called to our assistance the county surveyor and on the 16th day of January, in the year 1844, proceeded to examine this part of said road complained of, and found that an account of the washing of the Muskingum river to travel along said road was rendered impassable, being therefore satisfied that said road had been much injured that the public good requires an alteration of the same we proceed to alter and lay out to much new road as may be necessary to the several parts of the road that is injured. For further information respecting the said road and returning the survey of the above said, W.H. Bole, John Roberts, Lewis Dumont, W. Head.

**Alterations of Roads, Confirmed.**

Charles Roberts. Alteration of the Frayserburgh road through his farm in Licking township, as petitioned for at the last December session 1843.

"Beginning on or near the East line of said Gadsden road where said line crosses the North course along said line on the said Charles Roberts' land to the intersection of the present travel Frayserburgh road."

Signed,

[Signatures]
Whereas said report of the Trustees of Wayne town, is favorable to said alteration, which report was made in public at a meeting of the said Trustees, and was read at the March meeting, and again read on the first day of March last, and laid over to the present June meeting for further action according to law, and there being no objections made to said alteration, and the said Commissioners being satisfied of the same to be of public utility, do hereby confirm the report of said Trustees and declare said route to be a public highway, and order the same to be recorded, opened and worked according to law.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, for the sum of Thirty two dollars forty cents, in favor of Lewis H. Parker for bill for furnishing canal bridge at Point and Booth.

x 32.40

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, for the sum of Eighteen dollars and Twenty five cents, in favor of Joseph Rose for helping Marshall Bodell Dunlop one quarter ending 5th instant.

x 18.75

The following bills for services rendered in laying out alterations of roads, and as paving damages caused by said alteration of roads, were severally allowed as follow:

As paving damages on Adams & Berry's road.

x John Porter for paving damages.

x 100

John Huffman do. do.

x 100

Benjamin J. Stogler, who was elected to the office of Treasurer of Muskingum county on the second Tuesday of October last, at the regular annual election, having given bonds, and taken the oath or affirmation required by law, and his said office thereby became vacant, the Commissioners of said county forthwith on the day in regular session and appointed the said Benjamin J. Stogler to fill such vacancy, and to hold the office of Treasurer of said county for the term of two.
Wednesday, June 5th, A.D. 1844.

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

William R. Moore
John W. Brown
Joshua Bennett

County Clerk of County Auditor examined. The

by the Commissioners examined the vouchers of this
County Auditor, for issuing orders on the County Treasurer
and compared the same with the checks, and find the

vouchers to be correct.

The Poor House Director appeared and presented a

report of the State of the Institution, and an account of

the preceding months and expenditures, and the

sum of supporting said Institution from the First

June 1843, to the first of June 1844 which report was

read and received.

The Commissioners then proceeded to settle with

the Poor House Director, and find that they have

received from the County Commissioners $1,915.00,

and from other sources $373.87, amounting in all to

the sum of $2,288.87, and they have expended the

vouchers of $1,955.79, by which it appears that there is

a balance of $333.00 due to them which accounts and

vouchers are received and ordered to be placed on file.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the

County Treasurer in favor of said Poor House Director for

the balance of $333.00 due as above, at any time on

Demand.

+ $333.00

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order on the

County Treasurer in favor of the Directors of the county.
The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. -

Present:

William Moore

John Chen

Sebas Bumet

The Board having on yesterday examined the bridge at Taughtonville, entered into arrangements with Messrs. Turner to furnish plank and lumber to repair said bridge, and with Joseph Burt to put in plank 70.

The Commissioners appoint William Moore a committee of three to attend to said repairs, and order the county Auditor to issue a note on the county treasurer in favor of the John Russell the last for 70 of said note.

Whereas the officers of the judges & justices of the peace generally certified to be due them by the said Commissioners of this county has become necessary by the said Joseph Burt, after said materials are furnished and the settlement of said bills is due to his satisfaction.

The Commissioners appoint John Bumet a committee of three to examine and settle the said J. Russell and the said Joseph Burt, and order the county Auditor to issue a note on the county treasurer in favor of the said Commissioners of this county has become necessary by the said Joseph Burt, after said materials are furnished and the settlement of said bills is due to his satisfaction.

The Board then adjourned to go to Taughtonville to make arrangements for repairing said bridge.
(Viewers Report of Damages caused by Marks & Merry's Road, as petitioned for at the last session.

The viewers appointed at the last March being to assess and determine how much is due for the lands or premises of Trustees of Jury will be remitted if said road shall be established and opened as follows, to wit:

The State of Ohio, in the County of Muskingum,

To the Commissioners of said County of Muskingum, you are respectfully notified to meet at the house of Trustees of Jury in the county on the 21st day of March 1846, to view and determine how much is due for the lands or premises of the said Trustees of Jury will be made by the opening of a county road described in the aforesaid notice. The being duly qualified as hereby required, to open the road at the time and place described in the said notice, and determine and report that the premises of the said Trustees of Jury will be made twenty-five dollars and fifty cents, and the lands or premises by the opening of the aforesaid road March 21st. A.D. 1846.

John Porter
Jesse D. Hardy (Vice President)

The Commissioners are of opinion that said road is not of sufficient importance to the public to cause the same funds (as above described) paid into the Treasury to be assessed as aforesaid to be paid by the county and by the county, which receipt is filed in this office.

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The Commissioners, after settlement with the late Treasurer as aforesaid, all the orders that were demanded under said settlement, up to June 1st, 1846, the Commissioners burned.

The additional item of an account presented by H. R. Hall, Administrator of James Thompson, was presented to the court for examination and settlement, and the Commissioners find the account correct.

County Orders Burned.

Settlement with the County Treasurer.

This day John Russell, late Treasurer of this county, presented his accounts for examination and settlement, and the Commissioners find the accounts correct.

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The commissioners refuse to allow said additional items, which are in the appended figures following, to wit:

"To Sheriff's estate, cause Howard being then sheriff of said county, in court of Common Pleas, in suit of

'Atchison versus the Pottawatomie Indians," on the 20th day of April, 1865.


Interest on same 19 years

The Board of Commissioners then adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Saturday, June 8th A.D. 1840.

The Board of Commissioners met agreeably to adjourned notice.

Present:

William Moore
John Godden
John Showman

County Levy, year 1840. The commissioners provided to levy the same amount necessary for the proper purposes and objects of the county, and to pay the same out of the proceeds of such levy. The commissioners then proceeded to discuss the matters concerning the levy of the said levy and the collection of the same.

The aggregate amounts of the sales of all property under the general list for taxation, for road purposes current year, and order the same to be sent out for collection.

Ordered that the county auditor publish an exhibit of the receipts and expenditures of Muskingum county for the year ending June 1st, 1840, similar to the exhibit of last year, on the Zanesville Gazette, and the Agent of the Directors of Muskingum county Poor House in the Ohio Re-publican, at any time after July 1st, next.

This day the commissioners proceeded to settle with John H. Gray, for services as county auditor, from 1st of December 1839 to May 31st, 1840, (except charges for recording the county orders, paying receipts for money paid treasurer, and paying Poor House vouchers, which ended from June 1st, 1839 to May 31st, 1840, which sums have not entered into any other account) and also allowed him the sum of Six hundred and fifty one dollars, and fifteen cents.

We therefore order and authorize said auditor to draw his order or order on the treasurer of Muskingum county for the sum of Six hundred and fifty one dollars, and fifteen cents.

The auditor is hereby authorized to issue such orders as may be necessary to the treasurer for the purpose of preparing and executing the levy of the county.

The audit of the said amount for services as county auditor is hereby ordered to be made and entered upon the general list for taxation, and the same to be sent out for collections.

Ordered that the county auditor cause the entries in the public office to be made, and all the accounts to be kept and entered in the proper books, and all the accounts and papers to be kept in the office, and the said auditor to be responsible for the same.

The commissioners appointed John Godden, Esq., a committee of their body to ascertain the expediency of procuring the services of some other persons to prevent the necessity of the book of the clerk's office, and if the same does not become necessary, they shall order the same to be kept in the office. The said committee shall make the necessary arrangements for the same.
Mr.

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Orleans County

The Commissioners met. Present,
John Goshen
Joshua Bennett

August 17th, 1811

The following bills were presented & severally allowed:
John J. James, for repairing pavement
in front of Court House, $1.50
John J. Beatty, for advertising deputy
& Expenses to
V. Nest for butter, butternut seeds
in front of Court House

John Goshen
Joshua Bennett

November 7th, 1811

The day the county commissioners met pursuant
notice, given them, in the case of John Price, an insane
person confined in the county jail, in which case, the fol-
lowing written report was submitted to them by the attend-
ing physicians:
I hereby certify that in the case of John Price,
committed to the jail of Orleans County as insane,
he has entirely recovered his mental fac-
ulty and I consider it perfectly safe to release him.

Attending Physician

Nov. 7th, 1811

Whereupon the commissioners deem it most advisable to
have the said John Price from confinement, and do
therefore order the Sheriff to discharge him from custody.
It is ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of such person upon the certificate of said John Goshen that said shelving or fixtures are finished to his satisfaction: for such sum as he shall certify.

Adjourned

John Goshen, Commissioner
William Moore, Commissioner
Joshua Bennett, Commissioner

August 15th, D. 1844.
The Commissioners met. Present:

John Goshen
Joshua Bennett

The following bills were presented and severally allowed by the Auditor ordered to issue orders therefor, to wit:

John S. James, for repairing pavement in front of Court House, in 1843.

John A. Beatty, for advertising County Expenditres, 1843.

W. West, for bullet, castern heads shot in front of Court House.

John Goshen
Joshua Bennett, Commissioners

November 7th, A. D. 1844.

This day the county commissioners met pursuant to notice given them, in the case of John Price, an insane man committed to the jail of Muskingum county, in which case the following written report was submitted to them by the attending physician:

"I hereby certify that in the case of John Price committed to the jail of Muskingum County as insane, that he is in a sound mind, and I consider it perfectly safe to release him.

S. J. Wells, Attending Phys.

Nov. 7th, 1844."
Monday, December 3d, 1844.

This day the Commissioners met pursuant to law. Present—

John Cohen

Joshua Bennett, County Commis.
Henry Wheeler.

The reports on the following roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last June Session, were severally made taken up, and read the first time, viz.

1st. L. H. Hammond's alteration of State road leading from Santerville to Goldsborow through his own land in Santerville township.

2d. Mr. Elliott's alteration of the county road leading from the mouth of Salt creek to the Marietta road atfbebsite.

3d. John Adams' road.

The reports of the viewers on each of the aforesaid roads and alterations of roads being favorable, they were voted to be read again tomorrow;—for a particular description of the boundaries of said roads and alterations of roads, reference may be had to the Commissioners' Acts of their last June Session, as recorded.

This day the reports of the Trustees of Newton township on the alteration of the "Rehoboth (State) road, leading up Buckeye creek or run," filed in this Office, November 20th, 1844, was publicly read, which was in the words and figures following, to wit:

To the Commissioners of Mahoning county, this

We the undersigned, Trustees of Newton township, in said county, do hereby report, that on petition made to us by certain freemen, residents of said township, telling forth that the "Rehoboth (State) road, leading up Buckeye creek or run," is much injured and unusable in consequence of said creek overflowing and washing away a part of said road passing through the vicinity of the widow Schofield, as to render that part of the same, at times, quite impassable, and requesting us to adopt such means as are provided by law in making an alteration on said road so far as it is rendered impassable by the overflowing of said creek: thereupon the said Trustees in pursuance of the eleventh section of the law prescribing the duties of supervisors and relating to roads and highways, passed March the 30th, 1837, with William Anderson to our aid as surveyor, all being jointly appointed by said Trustees, by lot, we, the undersigned, proceeded on the 9th day of December last, to view and examine the part of said road complained of, as above, and we, finding and being satisfied on such examination, that the part of said road complained of is so much injured and washed away by said creek, that the public good & convenience required an alteration on the same, we therefore proceeded to make an alteration of the same by laying out so much new route or road as we deemed necessary to supply the parts of said roads or washes away & destitute as will appear by the survey and plat of said road, passed at said Newton, September 30th, 1844, and presented.

Given under our hands this 17th day of December 1844.

Samuel Wood

John Graves

Trustees of Newton to

Thos. James

The aforesaid report was ordered to be read again to

Richard Johnson's alteration of the county road leading from Cambridge to Santerville, and known as the Town road. A petition was this day presented before the Board, by Richard Johnson, signed by himself and twelve freeholders of said county, praying for an alteration
of the county roads leading from Cambridge to Gainesville, and known as the Four creek roads, between the following points, viz.,

"Commencing said alteration at a stone in said road marked by the said Richard Johnson in said road, and thence W. N. W. by N. on the line between said road and said road leading from Mount Airy to Gainesville, thence S. W. W. by West to a stone marked E." The commissioners having been satisfied that legal notice was given, and the said Richard Johnson giving bond to the acceptance of the commissioners, they thereupon appointed James Smith, Jesse Williams, and William Armstrong viewers, and Joseph Fisher surveyor to meet at Richard Johnson's in said township, on the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A. M. of said day, to view, survey and lay out said alteration of road, and make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday of March next.

Richard Johnson's road. A petition was this day presented before the Board by Richard Johnson signed by himself and twelve other freeholders of said county, praying for a county road, as follows:

"From the north end of Richard Johnson's lane along the line between said Richard Johnson and Joseph Johnson's land, to where it intersects a proposed alteration of the Four creek roads, in said township."

The commissioners having been satisfied that legal notice was given, and the said Richard Johnson giving bond to the acceptance of the commissioners, they thereupon appointed James Smith, Jesse Williams, and William Armstrong viewers, and Joseph Fisher surveyor to meet at Richard Johnson's in said township, on the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A. M. of said day, to view, survey and lay out said alteration of road, and make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday of March next.

Daniel Street's alteration of Stelt Ridge road in Springfield township. A petition was this day presented before the Board by Daniel Street, signed by himself and twelve other freeholders of said county, praying for an alteration of the road leading from Mount Airy to Gainesville, better known by the name of the Stelt Ridge road, "Commencing at a point in said road a few rods east of the dwelling house of Daniel Street in Springfield township, thence running East along the line between the lands of Daniel Streets and Gardner Dennis so as to intersect the original roads at or near the East boundary line of the aforesaid lands."

The commissioners having been satisfied that legal notice was given, and the said Daniel Street giving bond to the acceptance of the commissioners, they thereupon appointed James Smith, Franklin Dennis, and Richard Cowans viewers, and Charles Roberts surveyor to meet at Daniel Street's on the 15th instant, at 9 o'clock A. M. of said day, to view, survey and lay out said alteration of road, and make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday of March next.

John C. Donnell's alteration of the county road leading from Gainesville by way of Samuel's station and Chilley Millington's to Smith. A petition was this day presented before the Board by John Donnell signed by himself and twelve other freeholders of said county, praying for an alteration in that part of the county road leading from Gainesville by way of Samuel's station and Chilley Millington's to Smith, lying between said Millington's land and the intersection of said county roads with the state road leading from Gainesville to Nework, so as to have the same
The foregoing report was received and publicly read in open session this day.

Adam H. Horsey, Esq.

This day a certified return of the survey and plat of the state road from Dunmore in Woodsgrove county to the intersection of said state road with the state road (formerly called the Pleasantdale in Fairfayt county, was returned to this Board for the consideration of the same to be from any distinction from the river, when high, being placed on file.

June 21st, 1844.

S. C. Guthrie

Rev. J. Hartley

The R. Potto
Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of Joseph Smith for the sum of Ten dollars and thirty seven and a half cents for the sum of Ten dollars and thirty seven and a half cents for the sum of Ten dollars and thirty seven and a half cents for the sum of Ten dollars and thirty seven and a half cents for the sum of Ten dollars and thirty seven and a half cents in full for keeping Martha Bodell insane patient the 5th of September to the 26th of September 1844 including general expenses.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of N. D. Cullis, Prosecuting Attorney, for the sum of Ten dollars for writing and attending to the execution of official business for the year ending December 31, A.D. 1844.

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The following bills for services rendered for laying out roads and alterations of roads were properly passed and allowed, as follows, to wit:

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The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present -
John Richan
Joshua Bennett, Co. Comm.
Henry Wheeler

The reports on the following roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last June session were laid on the table and read the second time to act -
1st. Dr. Hamlin's alteration of the State road leading from Gainesville to Uchumuck through his own land in Grenville township.
2nd. Mr. Eliott's alteration of the county road leading from the mouth of Salt creek to the Marietta road at Struan.
3rd. John Bird's road.

For a particular description of the boundaries of said roads and alterations of roads reference may be had to the Commissioners' minutes at their last June session as recorded.

The reports on the foregoing road and alterations of roads being favorable and no objections having been made, the same any further proceedings thereon was laid over until the next March session for further action, according to the statutes in such cases provided.

The report of the Trustees of Newton township - Alteration of the road leading from Rochester through his farm in Licking township, as petitioned for at the last December session 1843, this day the Trustees produced satisfactory evidence that his alteration of said road is made in all respects equal to the other roads for the convenience of travellers, and as being necessary, said alteration a public highway, and order the same to be approved and settled according to law and that it be enacted.

The following bills were presented to the Board and generally concurred in and allowed, and the county Auditor ordered issue of orders on the county treasurer for the same, to the several persons entitled to receive them.

D. Maginnis bill, for arrears furnished necessary for the prosecution of the State vs John Davis $115.
D. D. Roe bill for work for court House and public offices, and quills and paper for Sheriff, and paper for Register Office.

John Hopkins bill for work for 1st, for binding of fine $72.00, and for books 1st binding for Auditor Office.

John Diller, Sheriff, bill for washing for prisoners and for bail, summoning boards & rate fines & hundreds for jail $14.75.

John Diller, Sheriff, bill for binding prison suits to 31st of December, 1843.

Adams & Wilkes bill for Quicks and foundry in front of Court House.

Thomas & Baisden bill for public printing for Poor House Director & Auditor and Treasurer's Office $1875.

John Holders' orders, bills for printing, et cetera, both for $5.80, and retail $3.90.

Wamp and Darnell for public printing for Treasurer and Auditor.

Jesse John bill for ironing prisoners lying ill, bricks, bells and irons in jail.

The Board of Commissioners then adjourned this morning at 9 o'clock.
Wednesday Dec. 11th A.D. 1844.

The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

John Godwin
Joshua Bennett
Henry Wheeler

John Underwood's petition, a part of Charlestown road, 96.

At the March session 1844, John Underwood by his agent, Peter Mills, presented a petition praying for the road to be extended to a part of the county road known as Charles Underwood road No. 96, described in said petition in the words and figures following, to wit:

"No much of said road laid out in Washington township, in said Muskingum county, as is laid upon the 1st day of March, 1844, in Township No. 1, in Range 10, in the United States Military District, beginning at the North boundary line of said land and running thence east, southerly, along the river to the South boundary line of said lands, and all other roads which have been laid upon the same ground, known or designated as the river road, through the premises of John Underwood as aforesaid."

Which was publicly read at that session, and to which proceedings were taken until the next January session when it was again read, and objections being made in writing, the commissioners appointed three disinterested persons to view said petition, as will appear by the minutes, to report by the 22nd of December 1844, the commissioners finding it reasonable and just, to declare said road road supposed, agreed to the report of the surveyors, being satisfied that the State road referred to in said report, has been opened according to law.

Resolved that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of the directors of the county asylum for any sum or sums not exceeding $200, to be applied to the purpose of paying necessary expenses for said institution and supporting the same, at any time on application for the same.

Accordingly, the provisions of the 1st section of an act passed March 12th, 1843, entitled "An act for the regulation and maintenance of county fairs," the commissioners proceeded to appoint Isaac Ogilby, physician to the fair, and agree to pay him an annual salary of twenty-five dollars, for attending on the days of the fair, and attending on the orders of the county auditor, semi-annually.

Adjourned.

John Godwin
Joshua Bennett
Henry Wheeler
January 10th A.D. 1848.

The commissioners met in extra session.

Present:

John Cooker
Joshua Barrett
Henry Wheeler

To take into consideration the propriety of building a new jail, as soon as they may deem practicable or expedient. Whereupon the following resolution was proposed and adopted:

Resolved, That John Cooker & Henry Wheeler be a committee to examine the most approved jail in this state or elsewhere, and to prepare a plan and specifications of said jail, and also to make the probable estimates of the expenses of such a building, to locate upon the public square in the town of Greenville, and make report at the next regular session.

Adjourned.

John Cooker
Joshua Barrett
Henry Wheeler

Monday, March 9th A.D. 1848.

This day the commissioners met pursuant to law.

Present:

John Cooker
Joshua Barrett & County Com\nHenry Wheeler

The Board of Proven's Point. A petition was this day presented to the Board of Commissioners by Hugh Brown, signed by himself and eleven other inhabitants of said county, praying for a county road as follows:

"To commence on the county road running on the south side of Shesig's creek, thence on the south side of the dwelling house of Brown's Creek, thence to the nearest and best way to a house occupied by Adolphus Bingley, thence in a southerly direction to a gate on the south side of the dwelling house of Brown, thence on the south side of said road to a white oak tree near said gate, thence west to intersect a county road in front of said Hugh Brown's dwelling house, thence on the said road back to Greenville."

Hereupon the commissioners appointed John Morgan, Isaac Lundy and John Goffman surveyors, to meet at the house of Hugh Brown on the 1st day of April next, at 9 o'clock A.M., to make a survey of the line, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board as soon before the first Monday in June next. Bonded with security to the acceptance of this commission.

The Spencer's roads. A petition was this day presented to the Board of Commissioners by Miss Spencer, signed by herself and twelve other inhabitants of said county, praying for a county road as follows:

"To commence at the place where the lines between Falls and Hopewell townships crosses a county road leading from Dillingham's brook, by way of Mr. Darby, and lead..."
David Allen, W. toward Newark; thence South along said township line centrally to that said township line shall be in the midst of the road, to the place where said township line intersects a county road leading from S. Starting on the township line of Frederick Reemy, Alexander Ramsey's W. into the township again a short distance East of Edward Smith's tavern, the foregoing description is subject however to the following exceptions of in the judgment of the viewers a better road may be obtained. By 1st a place where said township line crosses a row between lands owned by Daniel B. Morris and Isaac Spencer where it may be necessary to deviate a little from said line and run a few rods around the steep part of the hollow of said road and back again to said line; 2nd at the place between lands owned by John H. Spence and Alexander Ramsey where said line again crosses a row at which place it may be necessary to deviate a little from said line in order to obtain a good road in ascending and descending the banks of said road.

Therefore the Commissioners appointed John Morgan, Isaac S. Hanks and John Coffman and William Anderson survey to meet at Johnson's ferry on the 29th day of April next, at the hour of twelve o'clock, P.M. of that day, to view, survey and lay out the said lands road, and to make report of their proceedings to the Board on or before the first Monday in June next. And given with bounty to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Richard S. Beach appeared, produced from the book of the court of Common pleas, a certificate of his election to the office of county auditor, at the usual election held on the second Tuesday of October 1844, gave bonds with Absalom Ayres and Christian Keff, deputies to said office, in the sum of Two thousand dollars and five hundred dollars, for the faithful and impartial discharge the duties of said office to the best of his skill and ability; which bond was deposited with the County Treasurers.

Thereupon John W. Spence former auditor of said Richard Beach, Auditor of the county of Madison, having been duly qualified as above stated, all the books, keys, maps, documents, papers, books, and other property in his hands, belonging to his county, promising to a county road as follows:

"Commencing at the national Pike at the west end of the widow Spencer's lot thence a southeasterly direction to the line between James Doss' and George C. Brown three hundred on said line to the corner of said line thence on the line of Samuel Gray's fence in front of the barn till the upper end of his meadow, thence a southeasterly direction to the front of the Springfield church, thence on the line to Logate Gray and then thence to the intersection the flint ridge road."

Whereupon the Commissioners appointed John Morgan, Isaac S. Hanks and John Coffman and William Anderson, to meet at James Doss's on the 29th day of April next, at the hour of twelve o'clock, to view, survey and lay out said road, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in June next. And given with bounty to the acceptance of the Commissioners.
Elizabeth Gray presented a petition to the Board, signed by herself and eleven other freeholders, praying for the

Invention of

3d. of the road leading from Jonathan Cross bridge to the falls of the White, viz., between the Fall River

The said petition having been publicly read, and

The following reports on roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last December session, were

desirously made, taken up, and publicly read the

1st. Richard Johnson's Alteration of the county road leading from Cambridge and Gansett, known as the Taunton road.

2nd. Richard Johnson's Road.

3d. Daniel Street's Alteration of the Fall River road.

4th. John B. Barnum alteration of county road.

The report of the surveyors on each of the aforesaid roads and alterations of roads being favorable, they were asked to be read again tomorrow, for a particular description of the boundaries of said roads and alterations of road reference may be had to the Commissioners' Minutes of their last December session, as recorded.

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of James Gray for repairing

Daniel bridge at Haywood, for the sum of $50

more dollars, agreed to by his tise.

$82.60

Damage caused by Trustees of Newton township altering the Rehoboth State road leading up the high road;

Elizabeth Spring by her agents John Smith made complaints to the Commissioners stating that the late

alteration of an alteration of the Rehoboth State road leading up Pleasant run by the Trustees of Newton

township, runs through her land to his great injury, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed

to assess the damages he has sustained or may be

If said alteration of road shall be established

and opened a public high-way.

Accordingly the Commissioners appointed Andrew Bushing, James Collins and Anthony Marsh, surveyors,

view, assess and determine how much he has suffered to the lands or premises of said complainant will be paid.

If said road should be established and opened as a public high-way; and to make report thereof.

Writing to this Board on or before the first Monday in June next, to meet at Broad Hill Mills, on the

Friday of April next, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day.

The proceedings of the Trustees of Newton township on the

alteration of the Rehoboth State road leading up Pleasant run, as reported to the last December session, was

attached to the next Jones session, in consequence of Elizabeth Spring by her agents John Smith having

paid in $10 damages, as above stated.

The Board then adjourned to tomorrow morning

at 8 o'clock.
The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment - Present -

John Cobb, Esq.,

Joshua Burnett, County Clerk,

Henry Wheeler, Esq.

The following report on roads and alterations of the same, as petitioned for at the last December session was read and read the second time, public notice taken, and ordered to be published:

1st. Richard Johnson's alteration of the county road leading from Cambridge to Gainesville, known as the Berkshire road.

2nd. Richard Johnson's Road.

3d. Daniel Scott's alteration of Mill Ridge Road.

4th. John B. Bent's alteration of county road.

In a particular description of the boundaries of said roads and alterations of roads, references may be had to the Commissioners' minutes at their last December session as recorded.

The report on the foregoing roads and alterations of the same, as petitioned for at the last December session, was ordered to be published, and on said public notice taken, as directed, the Commissioners ordered the same to be submitted for further action, according to the statutes in such cases provided.

Roads and alterations of roads confirmed.

As Hamilton's alteration of state road leading from Gainesville to Esthoxton, through his own lands in Gainesville township, as petitioned for at the last June session 1843; as follows to wit:

"As much of the state road leading from Gainesville to Esthoxton, as lies between Underwood Streets and the north west corner of Lot No. 1, in the first division, in Hamilton's land, addition to the town of Gainesville, is that said road shall run at right angles with Underwood Streets."

The views of roadmasters at the last June session made favorable report at the last December session, and the report was laid over until the present March session, and there being no objection made to the said alteration of roads; and the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, and having received satisfactory evidence that the new road has been an avenue of legal width, and in all respects made usual to the old road for the convenience of travelers, to declare said new road a public highway, and that vacate as much of the old road as is embraced by the new.

William Elliott's alteration of county road, leading from the mouth of Salt Creek to the Gunters road, to be called as petitioned for at the last June session 1843; as follows to wit:

"The commencement of the new road to be a half from the mouth of Salt Creek, as marked on the plan of Elizabeth Thompson, at a willow along the same, with the letter W marked on it; thence running a north west direction about twenty rods to a white oak, with the letter E marked on it, thence running northward about twenty rods to a white oak, with the letter H marked on it; thence running eastward about twenty rods to intersect the above said roads at a red bough tree, with the letter X marked on it."
The following bills for services rendered for laying out, and alterations of roads, were by the county auditor and allowed, as follows, to wit:

Richard Johnson's alteration of the county road leading from Cambridge to Gowerville, known as the Top Brook Road... (Per order by the petitioners)

Richard Johnson's Road
Jacob Gushy survey 1 day
George Williams
7.00
W. Armstrong
7.00
Philip Morris, chairmain
7.00
Thomas Green
7.00
Joseph Brice, marker
7.00
Joseph Fisher, surveyor & plating
100

Daniel Street's alteration of Flintridge Road
Jeremiah Springer survey 1 day returning
2.00
Franklin Blassett
1.00
W. Bissel, chairman
0.75
Jonathan Street
0.75
Charles Roberts, surveyor
3.12

John & Bonner's alteration of county roads.
Davy Green, survey (Writhe produced for pay bond) 1.00
David Rendlebank (Receipt produced for pay bond) 1.00
John Little, (marking sections for pay bond) 2.00
Lingston Roberts, chairman (receipt produced for pay bond) 0.75
Charles Roberts, surveyor (receipt produced for pay bond) 3.00

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of the directors of the county road fund for any sum or doing not exceeding one hundred dollars, to be applied to the payment of necessary expenses of said institutions and supporting the same, at any time on application of the county road fund directors.

$400.00

Ordered also that the county auditor issue orders on the county treasurer in favor of the above persons entitled to the above amounts in the above bills, at any time on demand.
The day the commissioners proceeded to settle with John W. Fry for services as county auditor, from January 1, 1874, to March 31, 1875, and do allow him the following, and

For grade services as county auditor as above, at the rate of $733 per annum.

Deduct interest on cash, $75.

$733

491.35

Add small item of stationary expense, $1.75

Balance due $744.60

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of John W. Fry for the services as county auditor as above stated, for the sum of $744.60.

$744.60

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of George W. Blodgett for repairing Concord bridge at Buttle, and building bridge at Stores, as per contract with said commissioners, for the sum of $1,080.00.

$1,080.00

Mr. W. Blodgett's alteration of George Bracey's county road. A petition was this day presented before the Board of Commissioners by W. W. Bucey, signed by himself and eleven other inhabitants of said county, praying for an alteration of George Bracey's county road as follows, to wit:

"Commencing at the town of New York, Falls and the said road, makes Main Street running north and straight with Mill Street until it strikes the said corner, and proceed west on said road.

Thence, the commissioners appointed, Stephen Reed, John Nichols, and Joseph Peters, surveyors, and having surveyed the same at Karl Reade's store on the
Wednesday, March 5th A.D. 1848.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present -

John Godshull, County Commissioner
John Godshull & Henry Wheeler, the committee appointed at the last session on January 10th, 1845, for that purpose, report that they have examined the bridge and have reported their instructions given them by the Board of Commissioners that have adopted a plan of specifications and an estimate of costs for a new jail for the county of Muskingum, which was accepted.

A. B. Gobin Esq. made a report to the Commissioners as requested by the Grand Jury in reference to a new jail for the county of Muskingum.

The Commissioners ordered, in the case of the petition for a bridge across Big Snake Creek on the 3rd bank west of Rt. 38, that the county Auditor shall draw in favor of any person presenting a certificate from either of the commissioners that said bridge is finished and accepted.

Resolutions that the Commissioners meet at New Philadelphia on Tuesday the first day of April next in order to receive into contract to build two bridges across the Ohio Canal, one at New Philadelphia and the other where the state road from Dover to West Carleton crosses the canal, and that the said two bridges be built in the Ohio Republican for three weeks previous to that time.

The following bills were similarly presented to the court, and allowed, and the county Auditor authorized and requested to issue orders on the county treasurer for the same to the several persons entitled to law, or demand.

- John Hilliard, Recorder, bill for salaries, born 2, $1062
- Wm. Langston, bill for maintaining gable on public building, 1, $30
- John Hilliard, Sheriff, for working articles for jail
- County Court House, for carpenter's pay in case of John Davy, as per bill.
- Wm. B. Peters, bill for advertising delinquent lands and town lots.
- J. H. Wadman, bill for several purposes in jail, 1, $100
- John A. Bratty, bill for advertising town lots for town and printing ten years of blanks for Auditor.
- J. H. Peters, bill for costs for public offices & courts, 1, $100
- Sheriff.

James Commins made application to the Commissioners for compensation for helping Thomas Commins in what he termed or indoor puddler, which was laid over to be met from fees collected for further consideration.

The Board then adjourned till tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.
Thursday, March 8th A.D. 1845.

The Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment - Present:

John Godwin
Joshua Bennett
Henry Wheeler

The Commissioners having taken into consideration the propriety of building a new jail for the county of Middlesex, agree that they will receive at the sheriff's office, sealed proposals, for building a new jail, up to 10 o'clock A.M. Tuesday, April 15th next, to be opened on or before the first of October 1846, according to a plan and specifications left in the Auditor's Office, said building to be given to the lowest and best bidder by his giving bond and security to the satisfaction of said Commissioners, who will agree to pay the contractor as follows: In an advance on the county treasurer for twenty-five hundred dollars to be issued on the first Wednesday in June 1845, payable December 15th 1845, and the balance to be paid in two equal annual payments in conformity with the plans, interest at 6% per annum, one half to be paid the first Wednesday in June 1846, payable December 15th 1846 and the other to be issued upon the completion and the receiving of said building as contracted for with said bond in the sum of sixty dollars and sixty cent.

Ordered that the Auditor cause notice of the foregoing agreement to be published for three weeks consecutively before the 15th day of April next, in the Granville Gazette, Granville Journal, and Ohio Republican.

The following bills were generally presented and allowed to wit:

John Godwin for service as br. commit. as per bill $54.00
Joshua Bennett .......................... $34.00
Henry Wheeler .......................... $20.00

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order in favor of W.W. Johnson, on the county treasurer, for building lower bridge at Drexel at 60 cents per foot, for the sum of thirty dollars and sixty cents, or with less.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order in favor of George W. Hepp, on the county treasurer, for superintending Bennett lower bridge, at 60 cents per foot, and an allowance for strings and attachment of railing, for the sum of fifty two dollars.

Adjourned.

Thursday April 15th A.D. 1846.

This Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment - Present:

John Godwin
Joshua Bennett
Henry Wheeler

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Adjourned.
Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Charles Morrow for $13.70 for rails for a bridge, to be placed in the county officer, as per bill, for the sum of $37.70.

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of James W. Davis for rails for a bridge, to be placed in the county officer, as per bill, for the sum of $37.70.

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Resolved, That the County Auditor cause the foregoing
proceedings and resolutions to be published in the full
papers of Gainesville.

A resolution to notice given in council papers of the town of
Gainesville, that the County Commissioners met at
the time and place mentioned in same shall, in
order to receive and open various proposals that
might be had, to build a jail in the town of
Gainesville and after receiving proposals from various persons
and examining the same, it was decided by said
commissioners that the building of a Ga"al be given
to Hugh Macauley for the sum of seven thousand
nine hundred and twenty five dollars the
amount of the proposal as handed in by
him "marched for", which states that he would
agree to build the jail for twenty five dollars less
than any other and competent builder who
would accept any bond to the value of five thousand dollars.
And the lowest bid except
to
dar Macauley being $8000 the said building was
given to the said Hugh Macauley at his offer which
was twenty dollars less than $8000.

Whereupon the specifications and plans were
 agreed by the parties as also a contract entered
into just between said Hugh Macauley and said
commissioners and the same Hugh Macauley
with his security to Adam was entered into bond
for the faithful performance of said contract
to the acceptance of said commissioners.

John Goshen one of the commissioners was appoin
ted by the board of commissioners to superintend said

Ordered That the County Auditor draw an order
on the County Treasurer in favor of said
Hugh Macauley for the sum of ninety five dollars for services.
This day the Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law.

Present:

John Coker
Joshua Fennett, Esq., Com.
Henry Williams

John Brannon's Alteration of the Margarett road in Monroe township, near John Brannon. A petition this day presented before the Board of Commissioners by John Brannon, signed by himself and eleven other proprietors of said county, praying for an alteration of said road as follows:

"Commencing as follows viz: A few rods North of the small bridge south of John Brannon, thence to run North on the line between John Brannon and Samuel Holmes, to the corner thence East on the line between John Brannon and said Holmes, to the East of said Brannon's improvements, thence a little East of North to intersect the Margarett road on the left of the said Margarett road."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed James Hunter, Geo. Owen and Martin Richardson, and Joseph Fisher, surveyors, to meet at the house of John Brannon on the 21st day of June instant at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, to view Brannon's and lay out said alteration of road, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next. Bond given with security to the acceptance of this Commissioner.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the treasurer of said county in favor of Nicholas Ormsby for the sum of one dollar for timber cut by Dennis McCarthey, supervisor in Wayne township.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the treasurer of said county in favor of Benjamin and Thomas Johnson for the sum of one dollar and twenty-five cents, for timber cut by Dennis McCarthey, supervisor in Wayne township.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the treasurer of said county in favor of David Doster for the sum of Two dollars and fifty cents, for timber cut by Geo. White, supervisor in Blue Rock township.

Henry Harris' Alteration of the State road leading from opposite the falls of Caw Creek to Gainesville. A petition was this day presented before the Board of Commissioners by Henry Harris, signed by himself and meting the freeholders of Washington county, praying for an alteration (in Washington township) of the West end of Henry Harris' alteration of the West end of the State road leading from opposite the State of Caw Creek to Gainesville.

Washington county agreeably to the foregoing boundaries to wit:

"Commencing at, or near James Smith's residence on the middle of said State road or blazed pike and running a Northwardly direction through said Smith's land to the corner between Jacob Styer and Henry Harris, thence on the line North to the United Valley branch, intersecting therewith at or near the point where the Cocked horn branch off, at or near Thomas Runyon's house."

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed this third day of their next December session, being the 5th day of...
December A.D. 1843, on which they will attend for the purpose of hearing remonstrances, or granting an extension at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day; to view survey and a review, agreeably to the prayer of said petitioners. And to lay out said roads, and to make report of their proceedings with the field-taxes as securities given to the acceptance of this Board, or before the first Monday in December next. Bond and security given to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

The Reports on the following Roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last March Session, were several times made, taken up, and read the first time, to wit:--

1st Hugh Brown's road.
2d The Fenners' road.
3d Logget Craig's road.

The reports of the viewing on each of the aforesaid roads and alterations of roads being favorable, they were ordered to be read again tomorrow for a particular description of the boundaries of said roads and alterations of roads, reference may be had to the Commissioners Minutes of their last March Session, as recorded.

Josiah Campbell's road. A petition was the day presented before the Board of Commissioners by Josiah Campbell signed by himself and eleven other inhabitants of said county, praying for the location and establishment of a county road as follows, to wit:

"Commencing at the canal bridge in the town of Eaglesugh and running northwardly direction, and run the county line in Costhoteo county. The said road is next on the identical survey made by order of the Legislature of Ohio for a graded state roads from Eaglesugh to Fergus county by way of Med. towards the East Union in Costhoteo county."

Therefore the Commissioners appointed Foeman, Pears, Beverly Bennett and James Elliott viewers and Charles.
The Board of County Commissioners met 
agreably to adjournment.

Present:

John Coakes
Joshua Bennett & Co. -
Henry Muller

The following report on roads and alteration of 
roads was read at the last March session; 
was declared to be read the second time, 
publicly, to wit:-

1st Hugh Brown's road
2nd Isaac Spencer's roads
3rd Biggs Grage road
4th Mr. B. J. Dean's alteration of Dr. Brown's road.

For a particular description of the boundaries of said 
roads and alterations of roads, reference may be had 
to the Commissioners' Minutes at the last March 
session as recorded.

The reports on the foregoing roads and alterations of 
roads being favorable and no objections having been 
made against the same, any further proceedings 
thereon were laid over until the next December 
session for further action, according to the statute in such cases provided.

Viewers' Report of Damages caused by 
Trustees of Methodist township altering the State road 
leading up Beecheye run.

The viewers appointed at the last March session 
to assess and determine how much the lands or 
premises of Elizabeth Spring will be rendered of said road, shall be established, & report as follows to wit:

"To the Commissioners of Shiawassee county.

We the undersigned report, that in pursuance of the 
within order we met at the time and place directed, 
and being sworn or qualified as enjoined by law, 
proceeded to view the within mentioned alteration of 
State road, the whole distance the same has been 
made through the lands of said Elizabeth Spring agree-
ably to the route marked out by said viewers, and 
it is our opinion that the lands or premises of said 
Elizabeth Spring will be determined or rendered less 
valuable in said said alteration of road shall be 
ofpanied, to the amount of Forty five dollars.

Given under our hands the 28th day of April 1845.

Andrew Cunningham
James E. Himes
Jesse Gooding &

The Commissioners are of opinion that said road is not 
of sufficient importance to the public to cause the damages 
assessed as aforesaid to be paid by the county. They 
therefore refuse to establish said roads as public highways 
unless said damages and expenses are paid by those 
interested in said road on or before the first Monday 
of December next; and in default thereof to stand 
vacated.

Roads & Alterations of roads confirmed.

Richard Johnston's alteration of the county road 
leading from Farmington to Zanesville and known as 
the Foss Creek roads, as petitioned for at the last 
December session, as follows to wit:-

"Commencing said alteration at a stone in said road 
marked X; thence West along the south line of 
section No. 19, to the North West corner of said sec-
tion; thence West on the line between Goodhart House 
and Benjiah Gragg, do as to intersect the same 
road at a stake marked E."

The viewers appointed at the last December session made 
favorable report, which report was laid over until the present 
month session, and there being no objections made to the
Richards's road; as petitioned for at the last December session, as follows: to wit:

"From the North end of Richards's lane, along the line between said Richards's estate and Joseph Johnson's land, where it intersects a proposed alteration of the Fox Creek road, in alliance township."

The viewers appointed at the last December session made a favorable report, at the last March session, which report was laid over until the present June session, and then being no objection made to said road, and the commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, do hereby confirm the report of the viewers and declare said road to be a public highway; and order the same to be recorded, opened and worked according to law, forty feet in width, agreeably to the report of the viewers. 

Daniel Street's alteration of the Stoltz Ridge road, is petitioned for at the last December session; as follows: to wit:

"Commencing at a point in said road, a few rods east of the dwelling house of Daniel Street, in Springfields township, from thence running east along the line between lands of Daniel Street and Linwood; and so as to intersect the original road at or near the east boundary line of the aforesaid lands."

The viewers appointed at the last December session made a favorable report, at the last March session; and there being no objection made to said alteration of road, and the commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, do hereby confirm the report of the viewers in favor of said alteration of road, and declare said route a public highway, to be recorded, opened; and worked according to law—provided said petitioners shall produce to the county auditor the receipt of the county treasurer for all costs and expenses incurred on said petition on or before the first Monday in December next."

John E. Bonner's alteration of the county road leading from Gainesville by way of Samuel Barlow and Edmond Nuntingley to Ovillo, is petitioned for at the last December session; as follows: to wit:

"An alteration of that part of the road leading from Gainesville by way of Samuel Barlow and Edmond Nuntingley to Ovillo, lying between said Nuntingley's house, and the intersection of said county road with the state road leading from Gainesville to Newbern, so as to have the same run from a point on said county road near said Nuntingley's house on the nearest and best route to the north east corner of a tract of land owned by Samuel Barlow, then on the line of said tract of land between said Barlow and Bonner to the intersection of said line with the said state road leading from Gainesville to Newbern."
The following bills for services rendered for laying out roads and alterations of roads, were severally presented and allowed, as follows to wit:

Hugh Brown's road:  
Jesse L. McNeal for surveying x $1.00  
John Morgan  
John Coffman  
Mr. Anderson for surveying  
Dawson Salmon for reclaiming  
Harmon Brown  
Hugh Brown for marking  

Seth Sherman's road:  
Jesse L. McNeal for surveying x $1.00  
John Morgan  
John Coffman  
Mr. Anderson for surveying and platting  
Smith Salmon for surveying  
Seth Salmon for marking  
Mr. Salmon for marking  

Biggs' Bridge roads:  
Jesse L. McNeal for surveying returning x $2.00  
John Morgan  
John Coffman  
Mr. Anderson for surveying and platting  
Biggs Brown for surveying  
Seth Brown for surveying  
Mr. Brown for marking  

Mr. J. B. Brown's Alteration of Co. Roads:  
Stephens Reece for surveying returning x $2.00  
Joseph P. J. Pate for surveying  
J. E. Milburn  

Samuel Harlow for surveying x $1.50

Elizabeth Spring's application for damages caused by an alteration of Elizabeth's State road by Trustees of Newton township:
Andrew Drumming for surveying returning x $2.00  
James C. Moore for surveying x $1.00  
Anthony Mack Jr.  

Ordered that the County Auditor issue orders to the county treasurers in favor of the several persons entitled to the same, as allowed in the above bills, at any times on demand.

Ordered that the County Auditor issue an order to the county treasurer in favor of Hugh Madden for the sum of Two hundred and eighty-one dollars and seventy-five cents, being for building andbridging the bridge at Meeks' Mill, as per contract. Two hundred and fifty three dollars and forty cents, and for extra work allowed Eight dollars and fifty cents, x $261.50

William Elliott produced evidence satisfactory to the commissioners that his alteration of county road as confirmed at the last March Session is open, and made equal to the old road in every respect for the convenience of travel. They therefore order that the Auditor issue an order that said alteration be recorded, opened, and worked according to law.

The Board then adjourned until tomorrow at 8 o'clock A.M.
Wednesday, June 14th A.D. 1818.

The Board of County Commissioners met to adjournment.


The application of Daniel Dammon for compensation for keeping Thomas Dammon's mill over from March last, was taken up, and Thomas Dammon being an insane, and the Commissioners agree to pay Daniel Dammon at the rate of fifty dollars per annum for keeping said Thomas Dammon to be paid quarterly, and in case of his death or removal from the county, for less time at the same rate, on the order of the county auditor who is hereby empowered and authorized to issue said notes, from time to time, on demand.

The state road from Patrons in Washington county to Medaville in Fairfield county. Notice having been given by the county auditor in the Granville case, is ordered paid for in the Granville case.

The parties interested in the location of said state road not appearing to enter into bond for the payment of all expenses which have accrued or may accrue in the commission of said road, it is ordered that the said state road be established as a public highway, according to the orders of the Commissioners at the last meeting, May 26th, 1818.

The parties interested in the location of said state road not appearing to enter into bond for the payment of all expenses which have accrued or may accrue in the commission of said road, it is ordered that the said state road be established as a public highway, according to the orders of the Commissioners at the last meeting, May 26th, 1818.

The party interested in the location of said state road not appearing to enter into bond for the payment of all expenses which have accrued or may accrue in the commission of said road, it is ordered that the said state road be established as a public highway, according to the orders of the Commissioners at the last meeting, May 26th, 1818.

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Thursday, June 15th A.D. 1818.

The Board of County Commissioners met again to adjournment.


The party interested in the location of said state road not appearing to enter into bond for the payment of all expenses which have accrued or may accrue in the commission of said road, it is ordered that the said state road be established as a public highway, according to the orders of the Commissioners at the last meeting, May 26th, 1818.

The commissioner proceed to talk with said party interested in the location of said state road, and find that they have received from the county commissioners $1250, and from other sources the amount of $516.76, by which they have expended the sum of $1816.75, which appears that there is a balance of $138.33 due to them, which accounts are hereafter paid as soon as possible.
Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Peet House Davis for the balance of one hundred and twenty eight dollars and twenty two cents, due as above at any time on demand.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer for the sum of Twenty-nine hundred and twenty five dollars payable on the first day of December 1842, to Peet House Davis, to enter it as a bill in his books, to be paid not later than the first day of December 1842, as the same is due, and as will appear by the minutes of that date.

Bills of County Auditor examined. The bills of the commissioners examined the vouchers of the county Auditor for issuing orders on the county treasurer for the past year, and compared the bills with the vouchers, and find them to be correct.

The following bills were severally presented, examined, and allowed, and the Auditor ordered to draw orders on the treasurer therefor to the proper parties, as follows:

Franklin Gage, Clerk of the Board. &c., on order for the county Treasurer, for 1842, $16.00.

John Dillon, Sheriff, bill for breeding 1842, $17.50.

We hereby authorize and empower the Sheriff to pay out two men one night in each week to watch the parole, until otherwise directed by one of the commissioners, and also order the county Auditor to draw orders on the county treasurer to defray the expense, for a sum not exceeding $40.00. Two dollars each week so long as it is not otherwise directed, or the demand of John Dillon Sheriff.

The exact balance of the stock of Common Stock, sheep, horses, and Auditor which was presented to the county at the first day of this session, was delivered, taken up, and examined, and the commissioners did and do undertake that the same amount, and have ascertained by the records that there is no balance remaining in the hands of the Clerk of the county, nor in the hands of the county Auditors, and that the balance remaining in the hands of the County of Mushings county is $3,178, and the amount received by the Sheriff of Mushings county is $3,410.

The Board then adjourned to Business morning at 9 o'clock.

FRIDAY, JUNE 6TH, A.D. 1842.

The Board of county commissioners met agreeably to adjournment.

Prentis,

John Stillman
John Bennett, County Com't
Henry Muller.

The commissioners examined and compared the receipts and disbursements of the county treasurer and the county Treasurer, in favor of Peet House Davis, county Treasurer, in the sum of $1,265, being two per cent on the amounts of money in the hands of the treasurer at the time.

The commissioners hereby set apart and appropriate this amount of $1,265, leaving the same to pay the least expenses of the county, and to the above receipts. 

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The Commissioners proceeded to act with W. A. Roach for services as county Auditor from March 3rd to June 7th, 1846, and allow him as follows, to wit:

- 97 days services at $7.00 per annum $69.18
- 87 days allowance for clerk at $3.00 per annum 25.80
- Public letter postage, stationery &c. 3.90

Total $109.08

No therefore order and authorize said Auditor to draw a note or order on the Treasurer of Muskingum County for the sum of Fifty dollars at any period or periods as may be necessary,

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of Benjamin F. Baker, Treasurer of Muskingum county for the sum of Fifty one dollars and sixty cents, payable, as per bills allowed.

The Board then adjourned until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Saturday, June 7th, A.D. 1846.

The Board of County Commissioners met agreeably to government:

Present:


Ordered that the county Auditor publish an exhibit of receipts and expenditures of Muskingum county for the year ending June 1st, 1846, similar to the exhibit of the year in the Ohio Republican and the Report of Muskingum county Poor House Directors in the
Gazetteer Gazette, as soon after the close of the present issue as it can conveniently be done.

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of A. B. Mitchell for the sum of Two dollars, for money made on order of the county auditor for John Harms, as directed by the commissioners April 14th A.D. 1875.

On motion the Board adjourned to meet on Tuesday June 10th, 1846 at 8 o'clock A.M.

Tuesday, June 10th, A.D. 1846.

The Board of County Commissioners met agreeably to adjournment.

Present:

John Eskew
Joseph Bennett
Henry Wheller

Settlement with County Treasurer. The day before the above examination and settlement, the commissioners made the accounts correct and there remaining in his hands on settlement, the sum of Three thousand four hundred and sixty dollars fifty dollars five cents five mills, consisting of the following funds, to wit:

Certificates of deposit in Farmers & Mechanics Banks, $100.00
Bank of Cincinnati, $10.00
Bank of Columbia, $2.00
Bank of Greensville, $5.00
Bank of Illinois, $10.00
Bank of Urbana, $2.00
Bank of Washington, $2.00
Commercial Bank of Cities, $2.00
Hamilton & Batesville Manufacturing company, $0.00

Gazetteer Bills

Bank of St. Clair

Cash

Being the balance on hand up to and on the last day of June, instant, being the 6th day of said month, 1846.

In the settlement with the treasurer above, all sums being remitted on said settlement up to the 6th of June 1846, the commissioners burned.

Benjamin F. Ledlie Treasurer of Madison county, writes to the commissioners that he will be unable to perform all the duties of his office without assistance. Therefore the commissioners requested into the facts and are of opinion that such is the case and authorize said county Treasurer to employ one clerk for six months during the present year agreeably to the provisions of an act entitled "An act to provide one act prescribing the duties of county auditors," passed March 12th, 1845.

Money agreed to the provisions of the act to provide the act to provide for the more efficacious punishment of certain offenses" passed March 12th, 1845. The court of common pleas at their May term 1845 on the 1st day of June next, sentenced James Rees to three months hard labor and 25¢ payable to the county at the end of said three months, which sentence the commissioners directed to be served by the county to place the said Rees in the county workhouse to work under the direction of the town board, the said board being composed of a chair and hall and every horse within the corporations of the town of Greensville.
Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of John W. R. Reed, for the sum of five dollars, as far bilt for each paid out by him for assistance, at any time on demand.

 digest. Carry resolution of county road as petition for at the last March session, was properly read, and no objection having been made, the commissioners declare said road vacated, as follows, etc.-

"to much of the road leading from Matthew's Cross bridge to the Falls of driving, as lies between the Flint road and the National Pike."

Adjourned.

John Gethers
John Bennett
Henry Mueller

Wednesday, June 18th, A.D. 1845.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Joseph Bennett for the sum of three dollars, being for one half of the cost of a fallen tree removed from the Public Square.

John Gethers
Joseph Bennett
Henry Mueller

Saturday, July 18th, A.D. 1845.

The Board of County Commissioners met present:

Joshua Bennett
Henry Mueller

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of John Diller, for the sum of thirty-nine dollars and fifty cents, being the amount of his bill for burning prisoners in jail, and issuing papers of June 18th, 1845.

The commissioners agree to appropriate the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars toward the erection of a bridge across the road on the line north leading from Tunis to Trogleytown, to be paid in a county order on the completion and acceptance of the bridge, drawn in favor of J. C. Campbell or order payable at the first day of December next, provided that is a bridge erected by said Campbell before his time at the time designated under the same plan of the present bridge at that place, to the satisfaction of said commissioners.

The Board appoints John Gethers and Henry Mueller a committee to examine the bridge across the mouth of Salt Creek, on or before this 25th instant, and report what is necessary to be done and to take measures to preserve the bridge from falling.

John Gethers
Joshua Bennett
Henry Mueller
Friday, August 29th, A.D. 1845

The county commissioners met, present:

John Godshar
Henry Wheeler (county comm.)

C.P. Goddard presented his account to this Board of Commissioners for defending Theodore N. Smith, charged with perjury for Twenty dollars, and for defending the same person charged with illegal voting for Twenty dollars, May terms 1845, which was examined and allowed, according to the act, to regulate the fees of Attorney and counsel, filed at law, passed March 4th, 1841.

The commissioners enacted with P.S. Peach for services as county auditor, and find there will be due to him on the 1st September next Five hundred and Fifty dollars and Twenty four cents, and also allow the bill of One hundred and twelve dollars and Ten cents for duties and public letter postage up to this state.

We therefore order and authorize the county auditor to issue an order on the county Treasurer of Muskingum county on or after the 1st of September next in favor of P.S. Peach, said auditor, for the sum of One hundred and sixty dollars and Sixteen cents, as above stated.

Adjourned

John Godshar
Henry Wheeler (county comm.)

Wednesday, September 10th, A.D. 1845

The county commissioners met, present:

John Godshar
Henry Wheeler (county comm.)

The commissioners agree to appropriate the sum of Fifty dollars towards the erection of a bridge at that point on the line road, to be expended under the supervision of Williams B. Bullard, to be paid on or after the first Monday of December next, upon the certificate of the said W. B. Bullard.

The commissioners agree to appropriate a sum not exceeding Fifty dollars for the purpose of repairing the first abutment of the bridge across the mouth of Ott Creek, to be expended under the supervision of James Taylor, and to be paid on or after the first Monday of December next, upon the certificate of the said James Taylor.

The commissioners agree to appropriate the sum of Fifty dollars towards the erection of a bridge across the road on the Rootstown roads, to be expended under the supervision of John Peters, and to be paid on or after the first Monday of December next, upon the certificate of the said John Peters.

Ordered that the auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of John Godshar for his services as county commissioner, up to and including the 6th of next instant, for the sum of Sixty three dollars, as per bill.

Adjourned.

John Godshar
Henry Wheeler (county comm.)
Thursday, Sept. 11st A.D. 1845  

The county Commissioners met, present  

John Gohm  
Joshua Bennett Co. Comm.  

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Edwards Jordan for the sum of Eleven dollars, eighty five and one half cents, for repairs to the bridge across the mouth of Salt Creek, as per bill, allowed $11.71.  

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of James W. Davis for the sum of Sixteen dollars, eighty five and three fourths cents, for additional work and materials on the Walnut corn bridge, as per bill, allowed $16.88.  

Appendix  

John Gohm  
Joshua Bennett Co. Comm.  

Friday, Sept. 14th A.D. 1845  

The county Commissioners met, present  

John Gohm  

Whereas agreeably to the provisions of an Act to amend the Act to provide for the more effectual punishment of certain offences, passed March 19th, 1845, the court of commissioners at their September term 1845 on the 26th instant, sentenced John Powell to one month hard labour and John Hawthens to three months hard labour and Walter Shelton to fifteen days hard labour; the commissioners directed the Sheriff of the county to place the said John Powell, John Hawthens and Walter Shelton under the direction of the town council confined by a chain and ball and safely within the jurisdiction of the Town of Jemimah, and in case the town council do not employ them shall be freely employed to employ them in the manner deemed best in accordance with the law and sentence of the court.  

John Gohm Co. Comm.  
Matthew King  

Monday, December 1st A.D. 1845  

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law—Present:  

Joshua Bennett  
Matthew King  

The following bills for services rendered the county, were generally presented, opened and allowed:  

1. J. B. Hopkins bill for public printing $10.75  
2. N. V. H. Peters for record book (for revenue) $10.50  
3. W. W. Peters for public printing 6.73  
4. J. B. Jordan bill for repairing salt box bridge $29.00  
5. James Miller bill for repairing brant house roof 1.60  
6. John Meeches bill for snow fence 97  
7. Adams Wheeler bill for snow fence 94  
8. L. J. Bassett bill for advertising in newspaper $24.80  

Samuel Drummon this day applied for the keeping of Nancy Taylor in said detention, now in his custody, from and after the 6th day of November last, and agrees to keep, maintain and furnish said insane with all things necessary for one year from and after the 6th of November for the time of fifty dollars, all of which the commissioners agree to, and under the county Auditor to draw orders on the county treasurer semi-annually for the sum of twenty five dollars in favor of the said Samuel Drummon for the purposes aforesaid.
of the road leading from Gainesville to Tampa, as lies between the two points above described; and for the vacation of the

said road, leading to Gainesville as lies between the
two points above described, and for the vacation of the
commissions made at that place, in compliance with
said points above described; and for the vacation with
the terms of the donation made by the

July 13th, A.D. 1875, we therefore authorize the

executor of the county auditor to draw an

order on the county treasurer in favor of

Said petition having been publicly read, was

bills for the sum of One hundred and one

until the next March Session according

five dollars, the amount of said donation to the

state in such cases provided.

X of 17th.

The reports on the following roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last June Session of the

were severally made, taken up, and read the first
times to wit:

1st. John Brannin's Alteration of Marymound road.
2nd. Josiah Womphill's road.
3rd. Giles Hardy's road.

For a particular description of the boundaries

said roads and alterations of road, reference may

be had to the Minutes of the last June Session as

recorded.

The reports on the foregoing roads and alterations of road being favorable, they were ordered to be read
again tomorrow.

Capt. Meriam presents a petition to the Board,

praying for the vacation of the following State

roads, to wit:

For a vacation of so much of the State road be

ning from Gainesville to Lancaster, as lies between the two

gates on the Gainesville and Mayesville turnpike near

Putnam, and where the said State road intersects the

same, in Springfield's township, and for

vacation of so much of the Jackson and Pasco

Road.

Cyren Meriam's alteration of the Athens and

of roads as petitioned for at the last June Session of Creek roads - State roads.

A petition was this day presented before the Board

commissions by John Meriams, signed by himself

and petitioners above freeholders of •

Pray, for an alteration of the Athens and

Wolf Creek roads - State road - in Springfield's town-ship, as follows, to wit:

To commence at the junction of said Athens

and Wolf Creek roads with the Gainesville and

Mayesville turnpike, in Springfield's township, then

northwardly on said turnpike to the line between

land owned by J. P. Springer and Jacob Smith,

thence southerly to the corner of lands owned

of J. Jeffries and William Miller, and with their

line and it connects to the said Athens road.

Thereupon the commissioners appointed the third

day of their next session in March, on which

they will attend for the purpose of hearing

monuments, or granting an order for a review

voluntarily to the prayer of said petition.

The Board then adjourned to-morrow

morning at 8½ o'clock.
For a particular description of the boundaries of the roads and alteration of roads, being favorable and no objection having been made against the same, or either of them, the further proceedings thereon was laid over until the next March session for further action, according to the statute in such cases provided.

Roads and alteration of roads confirmed.

"Beginning at George Dozer's county line, through Brown's road as petitioned for at the one end of the farm, thence running a south east line to the South East corner of said farm, thence to commence on the county road running on the south side of the farm, then to the South East corner of said farm, then to the South East corner of the dwelling house of said Brown, to so to run direct to the south part of the dwelling house of Brown," 1823/1824

The following reports on roads and alteration of roads as petitioned for at the last June session were read and referred to the deceased委员s for their report: 1823/1824

- John Dozer's alteration of county road
- Joseph Campbell's road
- Peter Brown's road

The view of the commissioners so appointed to make report of their proceedings on or before the first Monday in March next, and the petition given to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

The following reports on roads and alteration of roads as petitioned for at the last June session were read and referred to the deceased Commissioner: 1823/1824

- John Dozer's alteration of county road
- Joseph Campbell's road
- Peter Brown's road
Ala Spencer's road, as petitioned for at the last March session, as follows to wit:

To commence at the place where the line between Falls and Hopewell townships crosses a county road leading from Dillon's Iron Works to Falls, thence south along said township line, centrally, so that said township line shall be the center of the road. In direction to the line between James Breck & Spencer, thence south by said line to the county road leading from Mt. Sterling to the line of said townships until it intersects the Flint Ridge road.

The viewers appointed at the last March session made a favorable report at the June session which report was laid over until the present December session, and there being no objection made to said roads, and the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, do declare said roads a public highway; and order it to be recorded, opened, and worked, according to law, forty feet in width, according to the report of the viewers.

H. B. Breck's alteration of George Brances county road, as petitioned for at the last March session as follows to wit:

"Commencing at the town of Duncansville, the same road strikes main street running northeasterly, straight with Mill Street until it strikes a formerly road on the hill."

The viewers appointed at the last March session made a favorable report at the June session which road was laid over until this present December
designed, and then being no objection to the said alteration of roads, and the commissioners hearing the same to be of public utility, do declare said alteration of road a public highway; and order it to be recorded, opened, and worked according to law.

The following bills for services rendered, were respectfully examined and allowed:

- Amos Gill for writing official bonds for preceding year $64.00
- Same John bill for writing premises $30.00
- John Deaton bill for writing premises $17.00
- Mark Harris bill for timber out $187.97
- Samuel Harrick bill $26.00

A. Wilson evening presented his bill to the Board of county commissioners for defending John K. He has charged with attempt at rape, and for defending William Brown on an indictment for larceny, left June 1845, bit now, Pleas 3rd 1846, and said accounts were examined, and we allow him the sum of Twenty dollars in each case, amounting in all to Twenty dollars, agreeable to the act to regulate the fees of attorneys and counselors at law passed March 4th 1845.

$20.00

The Board of Commissioners met pursuant adjournment present:
- Joshua Bennett
- Henry Mueller

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of John Ballard, for the sum of Thirty eight dollars for registering the records books No. 1 to No. 7.

$38.00

The Auditor of Munising county is hereby authorized and empowered to employ some suitable person to fit up such shelves and drawers for the purpose of keeping the books and papers of his office, and be may claim necessary and said auditor here authorized to draw on the auditor for the amount necessary in favor of such person as may be necessary to pay him a reasonable compensation.

Wednesday, December 3rd 1845

The Board of Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, present:
- Joshua Bennett
- Henry Mueller

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of John Ballard, for the sum of Thirty eight dollars for registering the records books No. 1 to No. 7.

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Henry Davis alteration of the West end of
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cast leading from opposite the Falls of
Grace Creek to Zanesville. The Commissi-
on made the last June session having ap-
pointed this day for the purpose of hearing remon-
Drug and of granting a review—agreeable to the
prayer of the petition as presented at the last
June session, and all the same into consideration
and these being no objections made in against
the same, the Commissioners think it proper to
grant an order for a view. Therefore having
agreed, Henry Conrad and John Robertson,
J. B. and Joseph Fisher surveyed, to view and
survey said alteration of road, to meet at
Zanesville Zanesville on the 23rd day of December
instant at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to
make report of their proceedings on or before the
first Monday of March next.

Cyrus Meriam appeared and entered into
bonds conditioned for the payment of all costs
and expenses incurred in case of the alteration
of the State and Wolf creek roads as petitioned
for on the first day of present session in case
that upon final hearing, the change or altera-
tion prayed for shall not be granted.

The Board appointed William S. Shy to go to
Columbus, and examine the plan of the draft
of the cells of the Penitentiary, in order to ac-
quire facts in what manner the same are being
or are to be altered, that the same plan may be 
attached to the door of the jail of Washington county.
And the Auditor is hereby required to give the
said Mr. Shy a letter of introduction to the

The following bills for services rendered for 
laying out roads and alterations of roads were 
recently rendered, and allowed, as follows, to wit:

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(Turn over)
John H. Parke's road

x William Dennis, for cleaning $1.00
x John M. Barrett x returning 2.00
x John T. Stack
x John H. Stack, for chaining 0.75
x Phillips Lasson for marking 0.75
x Joseph Fisher for surveying & platting 2.50

Ordered that the county Auditor issue orders to the several persons above named to the county Treasurers for the sums severally affixed to the respective names.

The Board then adjourned to tomorrow at 8 o'clock A.M.

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Thursday Dec 4th A.D. 1845.

The Board of county Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present.

Joshua Bennett
Henry Wheeler 2d. comm't
Mathew Lucas.

Peace Hazlett, Jr. was appointed by the board of jail physicians for the year commencing December 4th 1845. And the Auditor is hereby authorized to draw orders on the county Treasurer in favor of said Peace Hazlett, Jr. for the sum of Twenty dollars and thirty one cents for the amount of a bill presented by him $29.01.

The following bills were severally presented and allowed to said Joshua Bennett, for services as 2d. comm't $22.00
x Henry Wheeler do. do. 23.00
x Mathew Lucas do. do. 8.00

The persons interested in the establishment of the extension of the Wabash state road leading up back of said township, have failed in their part to pay the damages assessed to Elizabeth Spring in consequence of said alterations running through her lands and the expenses which have accrued on said alteration; as they were required to do by an order made at the last June session, the Auditor is hereby ordered to issue an order for said sum in favor of John Chambers after the expiration of said time on the representation of Joshua Bennett, that said John Chambers has fulfilled the agreement on his part. June 1, 1846. Joshua Bennett.

The office of Superintendent for the building of the rail of Muskingum county is hereby lost with until March session 1846.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurers of Muskingum county for the amount ordered by the J.P. laboratory agreed to by the minutes of September 16th 1845.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of John Ellsworth for the sum of one hundred dollars and thirty one cents for the amount of a bill presented by him $100.31.

The persons interested in the establishment of the alteration of the Wabash state road leading up back of said township, have failed in their part to pay the damages assessed to Elizabeth Spring in consequence of said alterations running through her lands and the expenses which have accrued on said alteration; as they were required to do by an order made at the last June session, the Auditor is hereby ordered to issue an order for said sum in favor of John Chambers after the expiration of said time on the representation of Joshua Bennett, that said John Chambers has fulfilled the agreement on his part. June 1, 1846. Joshua Bennett.
The Commissioners met. Present—

Joshua Bennett

Markham Jones

The Commissioners took into consideration the propriety of altering the plan and specifications, so far as the cell doors are concerned, in the building of Muskingum county jail, to extend said doors to the

an allowance of one dollar and eighty-nine cents, including seven inches. And authorize and empower Philip Henderson, contractor, to cause said

postage. We therefore order and authorize the auditor to be issued an order on the county treasurer, to divide the additional space thus created among the area of Muskingum county, in favor of R. S. Reck, to receive said doors; and to cause a rabbit to be cut one and a half inches, fifty dollars and twenty-one cents as above

stated. Adjourned.

Joshua Bennett

Henry Millers

McKlon Jones

Ordered that the auditor issues an order on the treasurer of Muskingum county, Ohio, in favor of Mr.

Daughton, for the sum of four dollars, twenty-three

and a half cents, the amount of his bill for repairs

to jail & public buildings, at any time on demand.

Adjourned.

Joshua Bennett

McKlon Jones
Orderd that the Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of James L. Dunn, for the sum of Eleven dollars and thirty five cents for materials furnished and work done to the Wellsport bridge across the canal. 4/11.35.

The Commissioners set apart and appropriated four hundred dollars, or any sum not exceeding that amount, of any monies in the hands of the Treasurer not otherwise appropriated, to be expended in supporting the Westchester county Poor Houses.

And the county Auditor is hereby authorized, empowered and ordered to issue orders on the county Treasurer to any person or persons for labor performed, medical attendances, a supplies of any kind furnished for the county Poor Houses, in any order a order given by the Directors of said institution, not exceeding four hundred dollars on or before the first Monday of March next.

Adjourned.

Monday, March 27, A.D. 1846.

The Board of county Commissioners, met pursuant law—Present—Joshua Bennett, Henry Mueller, Mahlon King, Mahlon King.

The following reports on roads and alterations of land, as petitioned for at the last December session, were severally made, taken up, and read the first and last time:

1. John Harlends road.
2. Henry Harlends alteration of the West end of Henry Harlends alteration of the West end of the State road leading from opposite the State of New York to Woodville.

For a particular description of the boundaries of said roads and alterations of roads reference may be had to the Minutes of the June and December sessions, as ordered.

The report on the foregoing roads and alterations of road being favorable they were ordered to be read again to-morrow.

Gibbon's Harlends road. A petition was the foregoing presented, before the Board of Commissioners of Gibbon's Harlends signed by himself and eleven freeholders of this county praying for the establishment and location of a county road in the following, to wit:—

Beginning in the county road leading from the junction of the river to Nashville near a house on the land of Moses Reave and to run a South direction of a small curve to the point of a ridge thence to crop said curve and winds up the point of said ridge on the best grounds for a road, thence a
South direction on the nearest and last ground, at the top of a dividing ridge East of School Lot S., in Blue Rock township, there is a south direction to pass the point of a ridge, then a south direction on the east side of said ridge, from thence to the bridge on Safford road. Thence the Commissioner appointed Alexander Gillett, Henryאם, and John Armstrong viewers and Joseph Fiske viewer, to meet at Joseph Ho Bowery in Washington township on the above Dividing ridge at the hour of 9 o'clock A.M. of each day, and survey the line and lay out said road and make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in June next.

Done given with sealing to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Thence the Commissioners appointed John Fow, Stephen Rose & William Rose viewers and the Harlow viewers to meet at Benjamin Garrels in Blue Rock township, on the 17th day of March next, at 9 o'clock A.M. of each day, to survey and lay out said road and make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in June next.

Done given with sealing to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

Joseph Ho Bowery road. A petition was this day presented before the Board of Commissioners by Joseph Ho Bowery requesting of himself and electors of the freeholders of said county, praying for the location and location of a county road as follows:

Beginning at the County House (leading gate) on the North side of the road, to the Corporation Road; thence to meet at Isaac Davis house on the 17th inst. at no. 9 o'clock A.M. of said day. thence southerly through land of Samuel Bowery and Thomas Putnam, thence southerly with said former and Joseph Bowery's line to the head of the lake; thence southeasterly through the said Bowery and Samuel Caughfield to the Bowery line, thence southeasterly through land of Samuel Bowery and Bernard Van Horn to the State (or other) road;
D. Fleming's petition of that part of the county road leading North of Backport, by way of Daniel Fleming line, as this day presented before the Board of Commissioners of the county, Daniel Fleming signed by himself, and eleven other inhabitants of said county, praying for an alteration of said road as follows:—

"Commencing at the first stop of the line North of Backport House, to a point North of James Grimes' cabin, thence the same straight north to the pointings North of Fleming's cabin, thence North line of lands owned by Phineas Troske, until it intersects the road leading from Gaineville to Dresden."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed James McLean, Samuel McManus, and James Morgan to be surveyors and Joseph Fisher to be surveyor thereon, on the first day of April next, 1808, to view, survey, and lay out said alterations, and make report of their proceedings.

"An alteration in the county road in Jefferson township common called the Mushigum road—Beginning in the middle of said road about the only point west of the south east corner of said township of the fourth quarter of the third township of the eighth Range and running thence east along the North line of lands owned by Phineas Troske, until it intersects the road leading from Gaineville to Dresden."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed James McLean, Samuel McManus, and James Morgan to be surveyors and Joseph Fisher to be surveyor thereon, on the first day of April next, 1808, to view, survey, and lay out said alterations, and make report of their proceedings.

"An alteration of roads. A petition was this day presented before the Board of Commissioners by Thos. Marrett, signed by himself, and eleven other inhabitants of said county, praying for the establishment and location of a county road as follows:—

"Beginning on the east side of said Gaineville and Dresden road, on the line of said alterations and running east, until it intersects the Mushigum river."

Thereupon the commissioners appointed James McLean, Samuel McManus, and James Morgan to be surveyors and Joseph Fisher to be surveyor thereon, on the first day of April next, 1808, to view, survey, and lay out said alterations, and make report of their proceedings.
James Wesley's alteration of roads. A petition was presented before the board of commissioners by James Wesley, signed by himself and eleven other inhabitants of said county, praying for an alteration of the road leading from Martin's Mills to Wabash, which is commonly called the Martin's Mills road.

"Beginning at an elm tree standing in said road east of the widow Hoffman's dwelling house, thence south to the foot of the hill, thence to where said road crosses the Hamilton run at the upper fork, thence with said road to the lower fork of said run, thence down the East side of the run to the county line at the East end of the bridge across the Tulip run."

Therefore the commissioners appointed John Morgan, John Porter, and John Shutt, treasurers, and William Anderson, surveyor, to meet at James Wesley on the 19th day of March next, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day, to view the said tree and lay out said alterations of roads, and make report of their proceedings to the board on or before the first Monday of June next. Done with due caution to the acceptances of the commissioners.

The following bills were severally presented, examined, and allowed, to wit:

- Application & payroll for 276 days work in 1764, 276.00
- John Deets, laborer, for sundry bills, 21.00
- J.D. Parks & R. Deets, for painting and erecting, 21.00
- J.D. Parks & R. Deets, for erecting and building, 21.00

And the audit is hereby authorized and required to make report of said work on the county treasurer in favor of said persons, payable at any time on demand for said work.

The Board then adjourned to tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Tuesday, Mar 3rd, 1816.

The Board of county commissioners, after due adjournment—present:

- David Bennett, county judge
- John Wheelers, county councilman
- John King

The following report on a road near a residence of the 4th day of March last, was taken up and read:

"St. John's Carolina road.

Mr. Henry Harris' alteration of the West end of St. John's Carolina road, leading from opposite the State of Scarce Bank, to Goshen.

For a particular description of the boundary of said road, the alteration herein reported may be had to the boards of the commissioners at their last June and December meetings as recorded."

The report on the foregoing road and alteration of road, being favorable and no objections having been made against the same, or either of them, any further proceedings therein were laid over until the next June meeting, for further action, according to the statutes which were provided.

Petition for damages on Jewish Cnaples road, as follows for at the first session, 1765.

Thomas Norris, aged 22, having made application in writing for damages, at the last December session, stating that a late location of a county road, known by the name of Jewish Cnaples road, being through his land, to his injury and damages, and praying that the said road be altered and that he be paid for the damages he has sustained, or may sustain, if said road shall be established and opened as a public highway. Accordingly,
the Commissioners appointed Thomas Morgan, Lewis Claypool and John H. Thompson to view and assess and determine how much less valuable the land or premises of said complainant will be rendered, if said road should be established and form a public highway, and make report thereof in writing to this Board on or before the first Monday in June next, to meet at Rance Dove's house on this 10th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M., at 9 o'clock A.M., and security given to the acceptance of the Board.

Petition for damages on Josiah Campbell's road, as petitioned for at the June session 1848.

Benjamin Browne opposite, the having made application in writing at the last December session stating that the late location of a county road, known by the name of Josiah Campbell's road runs through his land, he is injured in damage and praying that suitable person may be appointed to assess the damage he has sustained or may sustain if said road should be established and form a public highway. Accordingly the Commissioners appointed Thomas Morgan, Lewis Claypool, and John H. Thompson to view and assess and determine how much less valuable the land or premises of said complainant will be rendered, if said road should be established and form a public highway, and make report thereof in writing to this Board on or before the first Monday in June next, to meet at Rance Dove's house on the 10th instant, at 9 o'clock A.M., at 9 o'clock A.M., and security given to the acceptance of the Board.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer, in favor of Rance Dove, for the sum of Twenty-four dollars, for making such essay for Auditor's office, as per bill, on demand.

Road and alteration of road confirmed.

John Brannon's alteration of the Mary born road petitioned for at the last June session, as follows:

"Commencing as follows; viz. A few rods North of a small bridge south of John Brannon, thence south on the line between John Brannon and Thomas Strongly to the corner, thence East on the line between John Brannon and said Hunterly to the East end of said Brannon improvements, thence a little East of South to intersect the Mary born road on the top of the said Mary born hills."

The viewers appointed at the last June session made a favorable report, which report was laid out and set in the present March session, and there being no objections made to the said alteration of roads, and the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, therefore said alteration a public highway, and order it to be recorded, opened and worked according to law.

Stiles Hancock's road, as petitioned for at the last June session, as follows:

"Beginning where the Adamsville and Ducktown road intersects George Stevens' North line thence West along the said section line, also West and North West through lands belonging to William Ford, John Talbird, Stiles Hancock, and Philip Beck and terminating at the county road leading from the Ducktown road to Tomlinson's meeting house; all in Adamsville."

The viewers appointed at the last June session made a favorable report, which report was laid out, and set in the present March session, and there being no objections made to said alteration of roads, and the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, therefore said alteration a public highway, and order it to be recorded, opened and worked according to law, forty feet wide, equally to said report.
Mr. Robins presented a petition to the Board praying for the vacation of John Bird's road, to wit: For the vacation of all that part of the said road lying from the corner of the county road on the south side of the said road as John Bird's road in said township, so that we may have a better and safer road for a township road.

said petition having been publicly read was laid over until the next June session according to the statute in such cases provided.

The Board then adjourned to tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Wednesday, March 21st, 1846

The Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

Joshua Bennett, President.

Henry Wheeler, County Clerk.

Malcolm King.

G. Nelson, Clerk, presented the bill to the Board of county commissioners for defending criminal action against Charles McNeely and Robert D. Stirling, $200; Mr. Craig for farm $150; Jacob Miller, Abraham Brown, $125; and Jacob L. Brown for farm $150, which said accounts were examined, and we allow him the sum of $125, which was paid.

I declare by the statutes in such cases provided, that said part of said road vacated as aforesaid is declared to be public property.

John Roberts presented a remonstrance signed by himself and twelve other freeholders residing in the
neighborhood of the road proposed to be vacated, directing to the vacation of the State roads as prayed for by Cyrus Meriam and others as follows, to wit:

"For the vacation of so much of the Atheno-Jonesville State roads as lies between the toll gate on the Jonesville and Mayville turnpike near Pittman and where the said State road intersects the said line in Springfield township."

Therefore the Commissioners appointed viz. Barlow, Stephen Peace, and John Porter to view the same, to meet at Cyrus Meriam's on the 16th day of April next, at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, to view said part of State road and make report in writing, whether such part of State road is needed or whether it would be of public utility or advantage to vacate it; which report is to be returned, and delivered to the county auditor by one of the viewers, or before the first Monday in June next.

Cyrus Meriam's alteration of the Atheno State road. The Commissioners in their last December session having appointed this day for the purpose of hearing remonstrances of the taking into consideration the propriety of granting a remonstrance to the petitioners as presented at the last December session, took the same into consideration, and after a remonstrance signed by John Roberts and Sunday others, against granting a view the Commissioners deemed it improper to grant a view upon said application.

Cyrus Meriam enters into bond for the payment of all costs upon his applications for vacations of State roads, provided the same shall not be granted, subject to the acceptance of the Commissioners.

The following bills for services rendered for laying out roads and alterations of roads, were severally allowed, as follows, to wit:

Mr. Harris' Act of Mr. Thomas' all. of Mt end of way jakes.

Francis Caddo for viewing $1.00
Henry Stonebaker x 1.00
John Robertson x 1.00
James Smith for surveying - No charge
Thomas Little

Vance Holmstrom for marking - No charge
Joseph Lisk for surveying and filing x 2.00

John Marshall's road

Helmer Rowe for viewing in making a taw $1.00

Mr. Frasier x 1.00

Joseph House x 1.00

Adam Barger for surveying 10.00

Mr. Stogerman 5.75

John Mace for marking 5.75

Mr. Anderson for surveying and filing 8.00

And order the county auditor to issue orders on the county treasurer in favor of the several persons above named for the sums attached to their names respectively on demands.

The county auditor is hereby authorized to cause the same of the Recorder's Office to be made by a plain partition with one sliding window in it, and some doors to be placed at the south end of the passage into the north room, and the banister to be repaired, all to be done in the best and most substantial way as small cost as it can be, to be done, and issue an order or order on
the county Treasurer in favor of the person or party performing such work for any sum or sums for which they agree.

The Board took up the appointment of superintendents of the jails, and directed it to be held Tuesday of March instant.

The Board ordered the auditor to cause a notice to be inserted in the Gainesville banner that they will meet at the place where the state road from Dixon to Mount Carroll passes the Ohio river for the purpose of letting contracts for the building of a bridge across the canal at that place, on the 8th day of March instant.

The Board then adjourned to tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Thursday March 5th A.D. 1846.

The Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment present

Joshua Bennett, Chair.
Mahlon King, 2nd. Committe.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of John Diller, Shirl, for the sum of one hundred and forty-eight dollars for work done on material furnished for said 1st. Bridge as per bill.

The commissioners proceeded to settle with Dr. Bach, for his services as county Auditor from 1st of December 1845, up to March 31st 1846, eluding all

and that there is due him the sum of two hundred and forty-eight dollars thirty three cents, and also an allowance of one dollar and ninety four cents for postage, county book, stationery &c. We therefore order and authorize the county Auditor to issue an order on the county Treasurer of McArthur county, in favor of Dr. D. Bach said Auditor for the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars twenty seven cents, as above stated.

Adjourned

Joshua Bennett, Chair.
Mahlon King, 2nd. Committe.

Monday March 16th A.D. 1846.

The Board of county commissioners met pursuant to the 90th section of the act to lay taxes on all property in this state according to its true value.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of John Diller, Shirl, for the sum of one hundred and forty-eight dollars for work done on material furnished for said 1st. Bridge as per bill.

The Board then proceeded to districts Madison county under the provisions of the above named act, as follows, to wit:


District No. 2. Consists of Jefferson, Jackson and Madison counties.

District No. 3. Consists of Defiance, Horseshoe, Newton & Clay townships.

District No. 4. Consists of Brook, Rock, Harrison, Blue Ridge, Meigs, Rich Hill, Salt Creek &c.

Tarrant townships.
The matter of superintendents for the building of the county jail was taken up again by adjournment, and the Board resolve that they will continue the other as superintendents of said work, to employ not more than two days per week on average of the whole time he shall be so continued, to be distributed as he may think most expedient for the proper regulation and execution of the work, and to cause the same to be done agreeably to the plans and specifications and the direction of the Board, for which he is to receive of two dollars per day for the times by him thus employed.

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of D. P. Looman for the sum of fifty-four dollars, thirty-two and a half cents, being the amount of his bill for advertising delinquent heirs, and not served, to build a building on the Gainesville square, at any time on demand.

Ordered that the county auditor make and issue certificates to the commissioners that he will need an additional clerk, in consequence of the additional duties devolving on him by the new tax law. Therefore, county commissioners in favor of H. P.ow and Company, the commissioners authorize him to employ such for the sum of sixty-five dollars and twenty-five dollars, and additional assistance as will enables him to perform the duties of his office within the times prescribed by law.

The Board then adjourned to tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

March 17th A.D. 1846.

The Board of county commissioners met at adjournment.

Present:

Joshua Bennett
Henry Wheeler
Mahlon Davis

Adjourned.

Joshua Bennett
Henry Wheeler
Mahlon Brown
Thursday, May 14th, A.D. 1846.

The Commissioners met at a regular session.

Present:

Joshua Bennett
Mahlon Lines (Secretary)

The Commissioners took into consideration the propriety of altering the plan and specifications for building the county jail, so as to have it finished with a tin roof, and stone cornice, and do authorize and empower David Madelin, contractor, for building the county jail, and require him to cause said jail to be so finished.

Joshua Bennett
Mahlon Lines

The Board of Equalization Commissioners met, pursuant to law.

Present:

Joshua Bennett
Henry Wheeler
Mahlon Lines

The Commissioners set apart and appropriated the sum of five hundred dollars, or any sum not exceeding that amount, of any money in the hands of the Treasurer, and otherwise appropriated, to be expended in purchasing the Muskingum county Poor House, and the County Auditor is hereby authorized and empowered to issue orders on the county Treasurer to any person or persons for labor, materials, medical attendance, or supplies of any kind furnished, for the county Poor House, on any order or orders given by the Director of said institution, not exceeding the sum of five hundred dollars, for any liability that may be incurred under the provisions of the law in such case provided.

The following reports on roads and alterations of roads, as presented at the last March session, were generally endorsed, taken up and read the first time, to wit:

Ebling's Harland road
Joseph H. Bower road
H. Fleming's 1st of county road
Thomas Begg's 2nd of county road
John Begg's 3rd of county road

For a particular description of the boundaries of said roads and alterations of roads, references may be had to the Minutes of the last March session, as recorded, these reports being favorable, they were ordered to be read again tomorrow.
Alexander Brumbaugh's Alteration of the present road leading from Dresden to Tragesburg.

A petition was the day presented before the Board of Commissioners by Alexander Brumbaugh signed by himself and eleven other freeholders of said county praying for an alteration of the graded state road leading from Dresden to Tragesburg, commencing at the west end of James Morgan's lane running north of the present road to intersect it at the head of September, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day, top of the hill. West of William Darlington's house as per contract with said Darlington. 24th 1845.

Hereupon the commissioners appointed William Burch, David Morgan, and Richard Morgan, surveyors, and George Shurtlef surveyors, to meet at the house of Alex. Brumbaugh on the 13th day of January, instant, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day to view, lay out, and make said alteration of road, and make report of their proceedings to the boards on or before the first Monday of December next. Bonds given with security to the acceptance of the commissioners.

Ordered that the Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of Hazel Clear for the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars and fifty cents, as per contract with said Clear.

Patrick King's road. A petition was the day presented before the Board of Commissioners by Patrick King signed by himself and eleven other freeholders of said county praying for the location and establishment of a county road, as follows: (omitted)

Their road, which is the state graded road running from Genesee to Lookout, crossed the line by the west of Patrick King and Alfred White running due west line to the lands of Harvey Darlington and others as near the said line as a good road could be made thence west on the line between said Darlington and Patrick King and Michael Dow. Thereon the commissioners appointed Joshua Jacob, Shurtlef and William Armstrong and Joseph Fisher, surveyors, to meet at the house of Patrick King in Madison township, on the 14th day of September, to view, survey, and lay out said road, and make a report of their proceedings to the boards on or before the first Monday of December, next.

Orders that the Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer in favor of Hazel Clear and the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars and fifty cents, as per contract with said Clear.

Viewers' Reports of Damages caused by Joseph Campbell's roads.

The viewers appointed at the last March term and determined how much has been valued the lands or premises of Isaac Doe, Isaac North, and Benjamin Brown, severally, will be rendered if said roads shall be established and opened. Report as follows: (omitted)

The undersigned appointed by the commissioners of McKeesport county to view and assess the damages done to the premises of Isaac Doe by the location of a county road through the same, have attended to the duty and report that the said Doe is not injured.
in any respect by the location of said road through said premises.

March 16, 1876

John W. Thompson

Thomas Morgan

The undersigned appointed by the Commissioners of Muskogee county to view and assess the damage done to the premises of James Brown by the location of a county road through the same, have attended to the duty and report that the said Brown is injured by a defacement in the value of his premises, by the location of said road on the ground pointed out to them to the amount of five dollars.

March 16, 1876

John W. Thompson

Thomas Morgan

The Commissioners are of opinion that said road is not of sufficient importance to the public to warrant the damage assessed at above to be paid by the county. They therefore refuse to establish and warn a public highway unless said damages are paid by those interested in said road, or on the first Monday of December next, and in default thereof to stand vacated.

The Commissioner received and read the report of John Porter, William Camp and John Darlington, Directors of Muskogee county for the same, designed to be held and form into the same settlement.

The report of John Porter, Samuel Baxter and Stephen Rees, appointed at the last March Assizes, 1876, upon the objection of John Roberts and others against the location of the roads as prayed for by Cyrus Herian and others, as follows, to wit:

For the vacating of so much of the Bluff and Yanceville State road as lies between the Willow gate on the Yanceville and Muskogee turnpike near Putnam and where the said state road intersects the said road in Springfield township.

Was taken up and publicly read, in the words and figures following, to wit:

We the undersigned having been appointed to view a certain road wherein Cyrus Herian and others are petitioners, met at the house of the said Cyrus Herian on the tenth day of April 1876 at the time appointed in said Notice and have thereupon proceeded to view said road, and are of opinion and report that said road is of public advantage and ought not to be vacated. Given under our hands this 21st day of April 1876.

John Porter

Samuel Baxter

Stephen Rees
The Commissioners, in consequence of the report being against vacating said road, order that no further proceedings shall be had thereon agreeably to the statute in such cases provided.

Cyrus Merwin this day gave notice of an appeal from the decision of the Commissioners in the above cited case.

The following bills were severally presented, examined, and allowed, to wit:

x Joseph Evans bill for timber cut 3
  by Dennis Murray, laborer, Washington 30.00
x Stephen Starkey for coffee m ended 3
  for dimensions, a fender 3x1.00
x Franklin Gale for defending John Powell
  for assault with intent to kill 3x10.00
x Franklin Gale for clerk of Board of
  School Examining up to June 1876 3x10.00
x Wilkes Harlow bill for stone pipe, selling
  stone, &c., in office of steward 3x11.88
x A. Whitney bill for Rock building, roofing,
  laying and stitching 3x5.88
x D. Ho. Lynam bill for printing blank
  printing for township 36.75

Treasurer's Bonds—This day Adam Peters, Treasurer of Madison County, appeared and presented his bond, with Geo. A. Young, John Pitts, Mr. Peters, Mr. Dalty, Mr. Dally, Mr. B. Wheeler, Joseph Gaffiges, and John A. Adang, his associates, in the penal sum of Eighty thousand dollars, conditioned for the faithful performance of the duties of the office of Treasurer of said county, according to law, and also took the oath of Office, as required by the statute. Which bond and security is accepted, and approved, and on file in this Office.

The Board then adjourned to tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Tuesday, June 26th A.D. 1876.

The Board of civil commissioners met agreeably to adjournment. Present:

Joshua Bennett
Hezekiah Wheeler
Barlow Young

The following reports on roads and alterations of roads, as published, for the last March session, were generally read, taken up and read the second time, as follows:

Gibbons Harlan's roads
Joseph Ho. Poeer's road
W. Hening's all of county roads,
Mr. Peters Mr. Dalty, Mr. Dally Mr. B. Wheeler,
Joseph Gaffiges and John A. Adang, his associates, in the penal sum of Eighty thousand
Settlement with County Treasurer.

This day Benjamin T. Leslie, late Treasurer of this county, presented his accounts for examination and settlement, and the commissioners find the accounts correct, and that there remains in his hands on settlement, the sum of Three thousand eight hundred and twenty seven dollars, eight thousand eight hundred and forty six cents, eight and forty six, consisting of the following funds, to wit:—

Certificate of Deposit in Farmers' Bank of... 300.00
Bank of Columbia... 1.00
...of Farmersville... 3.00
...of Allegheny... 9.00
...of Allegheny... 40.00
...of Washington... 30.00
...of Pennsylvania... 332.00
...of Lancaster... 50.00
...of Delaware Manufacturing Company... 6.00
...of Hamilton... 8.00
...of Hamilton... 30.00
...of St. Cloud... 437.00
...of St. Cloud... 37,40,72
Total... 8,77,852.

Orders the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer's account, for the sum of Five hundred and twenty seven dollars, eight and forty six, being amounts of Road Tax over-paid the several townships for the year 1874, and it is further ordered that the county Auditor in his settlements with said townships for Road purposes year 1876 shall retain in the county Treasury the sum above allowed, applicable to said Leslie's account, adjusted as above.

Amounts of other accounts... 9,71,67 4
Amounts of funds belonging to estates... 14.40 7

And after the settlement as above stated, the said Benjamin T. Leslie, late Treasurer as aforesaid presents the receipt of Andrew Ellis, county Treasurer, for the amount of said county Treasurer for the amount of the above fund, (as above described) paid into the Treasury, of said county, which receipt is filed in this office.
The commissioners set apart and appropriated the

amount, set of any money in Bounty

bonds of the county Treasurer, or otherwise, for

purposes, to be expended in supporting the Wabash 

pump, which report was laid over until the pre-

sent, given by the Director of said institution, to 

be submitted to the report of the commis-

sioners on, or before the first Monday in December next.

The commissioners, on the settlement with 

Henry Harris, alteration of the West end of 

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being redeemed on said settlement, the commis-

sioners believe the same to be of public utility, as 

described in the report of the Director of said 

institution, to be presented to the report of the 

commissioners on, or before the first Monday in December next.

The viewers appointed at the last December 

session, made a favorable report, at the Marshal 

session, which report was laid over until the pre-

sent, given by the Director of said institution, to 

be submitted to the report of the commis-

sioners on, or before the first Monday in December next.

The commissioners, in concurrence with the 

viewers, determine to alter the West end of 

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being redeemed on said settlement, the commis-

sioners believe the same to be of public utility, as 

described in the report of the Director of said 

institution, to be presented to the report of the 

commissioners on, or before the first Monday in December next.
John Campbell's road, as petitioned for on the 22nd December 1875, as follows, to wit:

Commencing at the bridge built in the town of Trumansburg and running a northwesterly direction and ending at the county line in the Northampton county. The said road to run on the identical path made by order of the Legislature of Ohio for graded state road from Trumansburg through our county by way of Westville to East Union in Southampton county.

The survey appointed at the last March term to survey and determine damages to the lands of Jesse Davis, Jesse Morris and Benj. Brown. Said road should be established and opened as a public highway, made report that the lands of Jesse Davis "are not injured in any respect by the location of said road through said premises," and the lands of Jesse Morris "are injured in the amount of fifteen dollars," and that the damages to the lands of Benj. Brown are "to the amount of five dollars," as will appear by the records of yesterday proceeding.

The commissioners believing said road to be of public utility do confirm the report of the surveyor made at the last December session, in favor of said road, and declare paid and recorded, under the laws of the State of New York, to the extent of twenty dollars.

The following bills were previously presented, examined, and allowed as follows, viz.:
- John Willard's bill for labor $25.77
- John Willard's bill for labor $21.14
- John Willard's bill for labor $28.34
- John Willard's bill for labor $24.58
- John Willard's bill for labor $24.58

The commissioners, therefore, paid to the order of the said Willard the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars.

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of the claimants, John Willard, for the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, for the amounts mentioned above.
being two percentums on his receipts and disbursements of Military funds agreeably to the above act.

Appointment of Poor House Directors. — The Board of Directors of the Muskingum poor House having tendered to the Commission their resignations which was received and read on Monday last, and having accepted said resignations, proceeded to appoint a Board of Directors to take charge of and manage the affairs of the Muskingum county Poor Houses, to consist of the following persons — Austin Perry to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of John Scott; — Davidson Miles to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of William Camp; — John Bender to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of John D. Dorsey.

Ordered, that the Auditor issue orders on the county funds in favor of the late Poor House Directors for the following sums, for services, to wit:—

- John Scott for 10 days service $15.00
- Wm. Camp for 12 days service 18.00
- John Bender for 12 days service 18.00

The Board then adjourned to tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Joshua Bennett
Henry Miller, Sr. Comit
Mahlon Simms
The commissioners agree that the Water Works committee of the town of Janesville shall erect a hydrant, connected with the water works of said town, inside of the jail of the county, under the direction of the superintendent of the jail of said county, to present their account at the next session of the board.

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer, in favor of Hugh Madden, contractor for building new county jail, for any sum or sums not exceeding the amount of two thousand seven hundred and thirty seven dollars and fifty cents upon said contract for building new county jail, at any time on demand of said Hugh Madden.

The Board of county commissioners then adjourned to Friday June the 12th next, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day.

Joshua Bennett, Chairman, County Committee

Henry Muhlen, County Auditor

Madden Joint

Friday, June 13th A.D. 1826.

The Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment, present

Joshua Bennett

Henry Muhlen, County Auditor

Madden Joint

The commissioners appropriated the sum of fifteen dollars from the county treasury, toward making the embankment to the canal bridge on the state road from Davidson to West Endville, and ordered the auditor to issue an order for the same to any person producing to him the certificate of the township trustees that said embankments are complete and the roads thereby rendered passable for the convenience of travel.

Ordered that the auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of George Smith, for the supply of five dollars, for services rendered by David Richardson, supervisor, Madison township.

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of John Dillon, Sheriff, for the sum of five dollars and fifty-four cents, for retaining platform at pump and plate washing, and for fire hose allowed.

Ordered that the county auditor allow the several township assessors where they have made full returns as required by law, the sum of three dollars per day, agreeable to their several bills, and issue notes to the county treasurer therefor.
The Board of county Commissioners, at their meeting held this 3d day of June, A.D. 1846, ordered that the County Treasurer publish an exhibit of the receipts and expenditures of Middling county for the year ending June 24, 1846, out of the Middling fund in the Greensville County, and the post of the House Directors of Middling county in the Greensville Gazette, to be read by the convenient day.

The Board then adjourned to tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock.

Saturday, June 17th, A.D. 1846.
The Board of county Commissioners met as usual to adjournments.

Joshua Bennett
Thomas Wheeler
Matthew Jones

The following bills for necessary expenses in laying out roads and alternations of roads, and repairing damages on roads, and vexations of roads.

Gibbons's Harlan's road.

* Stephen Price for mowing consisting $2.00
* Willard Reed $1.00
* John Davis $1.00
* James Dugle for chaining 100' by 10' 75c
* Robert Burns paid by B. Price $10.75
* Charles Willis for marking baths 10.75
* Charley Harlan for cutting and splitting
Joseph H. Daniels' Road.

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Damage on Joseph Campbell's road.

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Ordered that the Surveyor issue a receipt to the Surveyor's Warrant, resident in the Township of Warren, for the surveying and tanning, for the sum of two dollars and seventy-five cents, on the twenty-first day of October, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six.
The petition of John Harden for the vacation of the New River road in Oglethorpe Township, presented to this Board at its last March session was again taken up, and publicly read this day, which petition is referred to in said petition in the words following to wit:

For a renewal to vacate all that county road known as John Bird's road in said township, so that we may have a main or main line for a township road.

Objections being made to the said vacation by Job Jordan, in writing signed by more than twenty-five holders residing in the neighborhood of the road proposed to be vacated; and Council having entered into hand with security to the acceptance of the Board, conditioned for the payment of all cost and expenses accruing in said petition for vacation in case the same shall not be granted, the proceedings have been finally confirmed and established.

Thereupon the Commissioners appointed John W. Whittington, Nathaniel Chapman and Joseph Horning desired to issue said proposed vacation of said road, to meet at the house of Samuel Harden on the 1st day of September next at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday in December next, 1840.

Adjourned.

Joshua Bennett
Henry Muller
Mahlon Sims

This day the County Commissioners met.

Present: Joshua Bennett
Henry Muller
Mahlon Sims

And took into consideration the Communon to be paid to the District Assessors for the services rendered by them at such and have determined to allow to each district assessor and each assistant district assessor, the sum of two dollars each, for each day they have been or may be employed in the discharge of the duties of their said office.

And ordered the Auditor to issue an order on the treasury of the county for the same, whenever the said Assessors and Assistant Assessors shall make their returns verified according to law.

July 18th, 1846
Joshua Bennett
Henry Muller
Mahlon Sims

Thursday, August 15th, A.D. 1846.

Commissioners met. Present.

Joshua Bennett
Henry Muller
Mahlon Sims

We hereby authorize the County Auditor to cause two doors to be set out of the old jail wall to afford a passage from it into the new jail, in a good and workmanlike manner, and authorize said Auditor to contract with any person
for the performance of said work, and pay for the same by an order drawn on the county treasure for each time as may be contracted for in favor of such contractor.

Ordered that the county auditor issue orders on the county treasurer in favor of the several members of the county Board of Egalization for the sum of Eighteen dollars each—being compensation for Nine days service as a county Board of Egalization, at the rate of Two dollars per day; the term commencing Aug. 5th 1876 and ending this day, excepting Josephites during eight days.

Joshua Bennett
Henry Wheeler
Mahlon Lewis

Friday, August 28th A.D. 1876.

The Commissioners met to receive proposals for stones and pipe for the new jail, agreeable to public notice given in the Gainesville Gazette, Present:

Joshua Bennett
Henry Wheeler
Mahlon Lewis

After having received and opened the several proposals handed in, the Boards agreed to take the proposal of Adams and Wheeler for stones, to wit: Four large size stones at Eleven dollars and Fifty cents each and Four middle size at Twelve dollars and Fifty cents; which the paid Adams and Wheeler are to furnish and set up in the new jail; for which the Board agree to cause an order to be issued in favor of said Adams & Wheeler, to the county treasurer, at any time after the December session 1876, for the amount as above specified. The Board agree to take the proposals of John Dulitz for stone pipe to wit: For all the stone pipe necessary for the stones in the new jail together with circular elbows, union joints and setting up the same at the rate of Eleven cents per pound; said pipe to be put up to the acceptance of the Superintendent of said jail, as soon as practicable after the stones are placed in said jail; for which the Board agree to cause an order to be issued in favor of said Dulitz at the county treasurer at any time after the December session 1876, for the amounts of said pipe at the above specified rates.

Joshua Bennett
Henry Wheeler
Mahlon Lewis
Wednesday, September 2d A.D. 1876.

The Board of County Commissioners met for the purpose of examining and receiving the new county jail – present:

Johns Bennett
J. H. Member
Henry Mueller 3rd Com.
Mallon Lines 3

The Board proceed to examine the new county jail, built by Hugh Madden as per contract made and entered into April 10th 1876.

The Board adjourned to tomorrow morning at 8 o’clock.

Thursday, September 3d A.D. 1876.

The Board met instant to adjournment.

Present:

Johns Bennett
J. H. Member
Henry Mueller 3rd Com.
Mallon Lines 3

The Board continued the examination of the new jail, and find the same completed according to contract.

The said Hugh Madden contractor as agreed to present his bill for extra work done to said jail according to Three hundred and Thirteen hundred and twenty-five cents, which after deducting Seven hundred and Thirty dollars and twenty-five cents, the amount of deducting from said contract, leaving the sum of Twelve hundred dollars and said Hugh Madden owes and owes the said contract.

Ordered that the Auditor draw an order on the county treasurer in favor of Hugh Madden for one thousand dollars and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents, payable to said Hugh Madden with interest from this date, on the last day of December A.D. one thousand Eight hundred and forty seven.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Mr. Madden for One thousand dollars, payable with interest from this date, on the last day of December A.D. One thousand Eight hundred and forty six.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of John Foster, Superintendent of new county jail for the sum of Thirty dollars for his services as such Superintendent, at any time or demand.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of Carl Borch, county Auditor, for his services and extra work done for the sum of Four hundred and twenty dollars.

Adjourned –
Johns Bennett
J. H. Member
Henry Mueller 3rd Com.
Mallon Lines
Friday September 26th A.D. 1846

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to notice in the Gazette, to consider the matter of selling the timber iron 20 that was taken from the new gate and for selling out to the best bidder the residue of it as advertised. Present—Joseph Bennett, Henry Wheeler, and Hiram Simms.

The Board then proceeded to sell at public auction the following articles to wit:

- P. Wheeler 200 ft. #1 choice long timbers at 1st bid $8.00
- Brush Porter 200 ft. short white pine at $2.50
- P. Wheeler 200 ft. yellow pine at $2.00
- A. Mayes 120 ft. of oak boards at $1.00
- J. Bruce 160 ft. of beams at $0.75
- H. Wheeler 200 ft. of
- J. Bruce 200 ft. of
- G. Porter 174 ft. of flooring boards at 100 per hundred
- A. Wilke’s 125 ft. of flooring boards at 100 per hundred
- J. Bruce 100 lbs. 9 yrs. long fir pine at 25c per lb. 23.50
- H. Maddox 266 lbs. 1 window plate at 80c per lb. 208.80
- H. Maddox 210 lbs. 2 window plates at 12c per lb. 25.20
- J. Richards 1689 lbs. castings at 4c per lb. 67.56
- J. Richards 404 lbs. 5 old turnings at 2c 15.16
- J. Richards 500 ft. being 80 ft. beams at 100c for foot 12.80

Ordered that the county auditor issue an order on the county treasurer in favor of J. H. Beaton to pay the sum of $700 for completing the Court Bridge on the State road leading from Dresden to Wetzel Coates.

Saturday, September 26th A.D. 1846

The Board met agreeably to adjournment.

Present—Justus Bennett, Henry Wheeler, and Hiram Simms.

The Board proceeded to enter into an agreement with George W. Clark for the re-fitting of the old gate, for the sum of Two hundred and seventy-six dollars, the payment to be made by an order on the county treasurer drawn on the first Monday of December next, and the balance to be paid in an order drawn on the county treasurer.
October 7, A.D. 1846
This day the Commissioners for the County of Huntingdon, met pursuant to notice given them in the case of an insane person confined in the County jail, in which case the following written report was submitted to them by the attending Physician:

To certify that in the case of John Brown committed to the jail of Huntingdon County as insane, that he said Brown has fully recovered as to reason or his senses, and is safe to society, and himself, when at liberty and recommend his dismissal, October 7, 1846.


Whereupon the Commissioners depose it is most expedient to release the said John Brown from confinement, and to hereby order the Sheriff to discharge him from custody.

Henry Muller, County Com. Marlin Ding.
Monday, December 7th, 1846.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law. Present:

Henry Wheeler
Maltese Lines
Stephen Jones

The following report on roads and alterations of roads, as petitioned for at the last June session, were severally made, taken up, and read the first time:

Alexander Stithers' alteration of Graded road.

Patrick King's road.

Perry township: Stithers alteration of roads.

For a particular description of the two first mentioned roads reference may be had to the Minute of the last June Session, the alteration of the Trustees of Perry township is described in their report as follows: Alteration of the county road leading from Martindale Mills to the creek, the road at Martin's time: "Commencing in the center of Graded road near old Mr. Martindale's spring house, thence 3/4 chains e. 1/4 N. near to Mr. Evans' road, the place of termination."

Said report as Gibbons, Harris's, alteration of John Bird's road, agreeably to an order made at the June Session, 1846.

September 11th, 1846.

To the Commissioners of Muskingum county, Ohio.

We the undersigned viewers, on this day met at the

Harris's house, and after being duly qualified

according to law to view all that county roads known as John Bird's road, in Blue Rock township. We then proceeded to view said road, and do therefore consider that said road as laid out of little use to the neighborhood, and that it would be a public advantage to have it warranted.

J. W. Wilson
J. Chapman
Joseph Parks

The foregoing report was received and publicly read in open session this day.

John Mykle's road. A petition was this day presented before the Board by John Mykle signed by himself and twelve others, holding of said county, praying for a county road, as follows: "Commencing in the creek road which leads from Dresden to Carters mile, where the line running north and south between John Butler and John McFarland, crosses each road, and to run south on the line as near as practicable, between the following farm lots: James Morgan and Alexander Stithers, then Richard Morgan and Lot No. 37, thence Lots No. thirtieth (13) and fortythird (43) then John Whitehead and Lot No. 24, then Alexander McEllin and John Mykle to the township line, thence on the nearest and safest ground south to intersect the hills road near William Gaines, lying in Jefferson and Muskingum townships."

The Commissioners having been satisfied that

legal notice was given, and the said John Mykle having been to the acceptance of the Commissioners, they therefore appointed Samuel Bixby, Edward...
Petition for damages on Elijah Harlan's road, petitioned for at the last March session.

Joseph Early personally appeared and made complaint, stating that the late location of a county road known as Elijah Harlan's road, runs through the lands or premises of him of James Early (he being one of them) and that these lands or premises are to great injury and damage, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to assess the damage he has sustained, or may sustain if said road shall be established and open as a public highway.

Therupon the Commissioners appointed, John Parkinson, Daniel Brown, and Joseph Early, to view, assess, and determine, how much loss or injury the said lands or premises of said complainant will be rendered if said road shall be established and open as a public highway, and to make report thereof in writing to this Board in or before the first Monday of each next to meet at Elijah Harlan's house in Washington township on Tuesday the 7th day of December, instant, at 10 o'clock A.M., to said date. Sufficient bond with security given.

Petition for damages on Elijah Harlan's road, petitioned for at the last March session.

John Bird (by his agent David Proctor) and David Bird, personally appeared and made complaint, stating that the late location of a county road known as Elijah Harlan's road, runs through the lands or premises of said complainants therein was previously determined, and praying that suitable persons may be appointed to assess the damage sustained or may sustain of said road.
Would be established and opened a public highway.

Hereupon the Commissioners appointed James Everly, Robert Roggs and Isaac McMillen, viewers to view, assess and determine how much, if any, the lands or premises of said complainants will be rendered if said road be established and opened a public highway, and to make report thereof in writing to this Board on or before the first Monday of March next, to meet at Joshua Carlyle on the 30th day of December, instant, at 10 o'clock A.M. of said day.

Peter with security given by John Bradly (by his agent B. Doxter) and David Doxter to the satisfaction of the Commissioners.

John Handley presented a petition to the Board, praying for the vacation of a certain piece of a county road in Salem Township. Beginning at a stone near the county road leading from Thomas Williams to Isaac Whitecraft running a north west course to a township road leading from Amos Barnum to said county road been made against the same, or either of them.

Had the petition having been publicly read the next March meeting, according to the statutes in such cases provided.

The Board adjourned to to-morrow morning.

Tuesday, December 8th, A.D. 1846.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present:

Henry Wheeler
Mathew Denny (Chairman)
Stephen Reeves

The following report on roads and alterations of roads as petitioned for at the last June session, and also a report of the alterations made by the Trustees of Perry Township, first according to law, were severally taken up, and publicly read the second time.

Alexander Atchley's lot of Graeder road.
Patrick Flipp's road.

Perry Township Trustees alterations of roads.

For a particular description of the boundaries of said roads and alterations of roads reference may be made to the Commissioners' minutes of their last June session, and also the record of yesterday's proceedings.

The report on the foregoing roads and alterations of roads being favorable, and no objection having been made against the same, or either of them, my further proceedings therefore were laid over until the next March session, according to the statutes in such cases provided.

The Commissioners proceeded to settle with J. M. Clark for refitting the old jail, and order that the county auditor issue orders on the county Treasurer in favor of said J. M. Clark for one hundred dollars on demand payable to contract with said J. M. Clark and also to issue an order on the county Treasurer agreeably to the provisions of said contract.
in favor of said J. W. Clark for the sum of one hundred and twenty six dollars payable on the first day of December 1847, with interest.

Job Proctor's review of Lieberon Harlan's petition is for the last March session, and to the following boundaries, to wit:

"Beginning on the county road leading from the Muskingum river to Rockville near a house on the land of Moses Steele and to run a south direction up a small run to the point of a ridge thence to cross said run and winds up the point of said ridge on the best grounds for a road thence a south direction on the nearest lay ground to the top of a dividing ridge East of school lot No. 5 in Blue Rock township, thence a South West direction to pass the point of a ridge thence a south direction on the East side of said ridge on through the land of Daniel Proctor, James Early and other to intersect a county road leading to McConnells Ferry a little North of the line dividing the counties of Muskingum and Morgan."

The viewers appointed at the last March section made a report at the last June section in favor of establishing said route as a public highway, which report was laid over until the present December session. Whereupon a petition was presented this day by Daniel Proctor agent of John Proctor signed by said Job Proctor and others petitioning that suitable persons may be appointed for said route; therefore it is ordered by the Commissioners that Henry Ballou, Francis Hardesty, Swelllow Price and Jacob Burnhake be and they are hereby appointed viewers, to review said route, to meet at the house of David Proctor in Blue Rock township, on the 7th day of January 1847, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report on or before the first Monday of March next, as required by law.

Roads and alterations of roads confirmed.

Daniel Fleming's Alteration of that part of the county road leading North of Ashport, by way of Daniel Fleming lane," as petitioned for at the last March session, as follows:

"Commencing at the foot of the hill North of Ashport, thence to a point North of James Moody's stable thence by the best and nearest route to the pointers North of Walker's shop on this road thence a North West direction to the entrance to Mr. Chrisman and thence North to the 2d of ridge on through the land of David Proctor, James Early and other to intersect a county road leading to McConnells Ferry a little North of the line dividing the counties of Muskingum and Morgan."

The viewers appointed at the last March section made a report at the last June section in favor of establishing said route as a public highway, which report was laid over until the present December session. Whereupon a petition was presented this day by Daniel Proctor agent of John Proctor signed by said Job Proctor and others petitioning that suitable persons may be appointed for said road; therefore it is ordered by the Commissioners that Henry Ballou, Francis Hardesty, Swelllow Price and Jacob Burnhake be and they are hereby appointed viewers, to review said route, to meet at the house of David Proctor in Blue Rock township, on the 7th day of January 1847, at 8 o'clock A.M. of said day, and to make report on or before the first Monday of March next, as required by law.
said alterations of road; and the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, do declare said alterations of road a public highway, and order the same to be recorded of record to

Francis Cassidy's alteration of county road, as petitioned for at the last March session as follows:

The alterations in the county roads in Jefferson township, commonly called the Muskingum road, beginning in the middle of said road about three rods west of the south east corner of the number 11 acres of the quarter section of the third township of the eighth range and running thence east along the north line of land owned by Thompson Terrell until it intersects the road leading from Gainesville to Dresden.

The viewers appointed at the last March session made a favorable report at the June session which report was laid over to the present December session, and there being no objections made to the said alteration of road, the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, do declare said alteration a public highway, and order the same to be recorded and reduce according to law.

Francis Cassidy's road, as petitioned for at the last March session as follows:

"Beginning on the east side of said Gainesville and Dresden road on the line of said alterations and running east until it intersects the Muskingum road."

The viewers appointed at the last March session made a favorable report at the last June session which report was laid over to the present December session, and there being no objections made to the said road; and the Commissioners believing the same to be of public utility, do declare said road a public highway and order the same to be recorded, opened and widened forty feet in width (according to the report of the viewers) according to law.

James King's alteration of road, leading from Mountains to Great-t at or what is commonly called the Martin's Mill road, as petitioned for at the last March session as follows:

"Beginning at an oak tree standing in said road, thence East of the public Hoffman's dwelling house thence Southwardly to the North East corner of James King's 10 acres, thence South to the foot of the hills thence to where said road crosses the Helling's road at the upper foot thence with said road to the lower foot of said road thence along the west side of said road to the county road, thence the lower foot of said said road to the east end of the bridge across said road."
a public highway and order the same to be recorded, opened, used where according to law, so soon as the petitioners produce to the court either the treasurer’s receipt for all costs, which have accrued, or paid taxation greater.

The report of J. B. Wilhelm, N. Chapman, and Joseph Reid, viewers appointed at the last June session upon the objections of Job Proctor and others against the vacation of the John Bird road as prayed for by Ebenezer Earland and others, as follow to wit:

"For a reason to warrant all that county road known as John Bird’s road in said township, so that we can have a view on said tract for a township road."

Was taken up and publicly read in the words and figures following, to wit:

"September 11th, 1874.

The Commissioners of Mahoning county, Ohio,

We the undersigned viewers, on this day met at Ebenezer Earland’s house, and after being duly qualified according to law to view all but county road known as John Bird’s road, in Blue Rock township, we then proceeded to view said road and do therefore consider that said road as laid out of little use to the neighborhood, and that it would be a public advantage to have it vacated.

J. B. Wilhelm
N. Chapman
Joseph Reid.

The Commissioners having considered said report and heard the objections of Job Proctor and others,

against the vacation of said road, they do not deem it reasonable and just to declare said road vacated; consequently do not confirm said report:

as for the view for vacation see accompanying, date 1874.

The Commissioners set apart and appropriated the sum of Eight hundred dollars or any sum or sums not exceeding that amount, out of any money in the hands of the county treasurer out otherwise appropriated, to be expended in supplanting the Mahoning county Poor House.

And the county auditor is hereby authorized, empowered, and ordered to issue orders on the county treasurer to any person or persons for labor, provisions, medical attendance, or supplies of any kind furnished for the county Poor House, or any order or orders given by the Director of these institutions, not exceeding the sum of Eight hundred dollars, or on before the first Monday in June next.

The Board adjourned to 8 o’clock tomorrow morning."
Wednesday Dec. 9th A.D. 1816

The Board of county commissioners met pursuant to adjournment. Present

Wm. Wheeler
Mallow Lewis B. Comyn
Stephen Reece

The Board took into consideration the notice from the Justice of Jefferson township, in reference to the Canal bridge at Dresden, and do appoint and authorize Wm. Wheeler Esq. to have said bridge repaired.

And order the county Auditor to issue orders on the county Treasurers, in favor of the person making the repairs, for such sum as said Wm. Wheeler shall certify he is entitled to under the appointment above stated.

Edward J. Bell, Esq., was this day appointed by the Board Jail Physician for the year commencing Dec. 4th 1816, with the condition annexed that said E. J. Bell shall attend upon insane persons confined in said jail, if appointed by the judge or judges committing such insane persons for the additional compensation herein after mentioned. And the Auditor is hereby authorized to draw orders on the county Treasurers in favor of said Edward J. Bell, for the sum of twenty dollars as his annual salary, to be drawn in two orders of one hundred dollars each semi-annually on demand; and also for the additional sum of ten dollars to be drawn in two orders of five dollars each semi-annually.

In case the said E. J. Bell shall under the appointment of a judge or judges attend on Physicists to any insane persons or insane committed to said jail.

The following bills for laying out roads and alterations of roads were severally presented and allowed, to wit:

Patrick King's road.

1 Stephen Starkey for pointing $1.00
   James Shively, 1.00
   Mr. Armstrong, 2.00
   Jabez Dickey, for surveying & planting 2.25
   Michael Ellis, for chaubly 0.75
   Leonard Burdell 10.75
   William King for marking 0.75

Mary Ellis's Trustee, Alteration
George Smith for surveying, planting and making return 23.00

Alex. Struther's Alt. of Roads.
W. Beach for making return 1.00

Ordered that the said County Auditor issue orders to the several persons above named, to the county Treasurers for the moneys severally to their respective names.

Wm. Reece's road. A petition was this day presented before the Board of Commissioners by Wm. Reece, signed by himself and twelve other freeholders of said county praying for the
The location and establishment of a county road as follows, to wit:—

"Commencing (as follows, viz.) at the State line in front of Moses Reeve's house, in said county and township of Cherokee; thence running an Eas'tly direction past the south side line of a school house on William Davy land, thence South of said Davy's barn, thence Eas'tly past the Presbyterian Stone Church on William Wallace's land, thence on the lines between said Wallace and Dommor, or as near as as a good road can be had, to intersect the State road leading from the Moravian river to Henry Garrett, at or near the southwest corner of John Wallace's field, west of said Wallace's house."

The Commissioners having been satisfied that legal notice was given, and the said Moses Reeve giving bond to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, they thereupon appointed, William Reed, David McEwan, and Nathaniel Chipman to be divers and James Horan chosen to meet at the house of Moses Reeve on the 29th day of December, instant, at 10 o'clock A.M. of that day, to view, survey, and lay out said road, and make report of their proceedings to this Board on or before the first Monday of March 1847.

The following bills were severally presented, examined and allowed, to wit:—

Hugh Madden, bill for filling boxes on said road $3.00
William Williams, Account for work done on said road $48.00
John Williams, Account for work done on said road $48.00
John Dolly, bill for stone pipe for jail $25.60

Total: $105.60

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Monday, March 11th A.D. 1847.

The Board of County Commissioners met pursuant to law. Present:

Mullins King J.C. comm'r
Stephen King J.C. comm'r

Auditor gave bond & took oath of office.
This day Richard S. Pauk gave bonds with James A. F. Walsworth & Nathaniel Abbott, security, all to acceptance of the commissioners for the faithful performance of his duties as county auditor and after this day. And the bondsters both and subscribed the oath of office as required by law. Which bond and oath the commissioners filed with the Treasurer of Mitchell county.

The reviewers appointed at the last December session to review the road as petitioned by Eliezer S. Starr & others at the March session 1846, made report the day as follows:

January 7th 1847.

We the reviewers met according to order, & laid 3d piece which could not yet across the river, the adjournments to the 8th at 10 o'clock.

January 8th at 10 o'clock A.M. the pursuance of the proceedings of the commissioners after being duly qualified according to law proceeded to review said road and that as following we believe the road not to be of public utility as we think it would not prove to make a public road than would benefit the neighborhood.

Henry Wadsworth
Stephen King
William Wadsworth
Squire Dyer
John Bramblett
1847
The above report being received and read the Board, madeness, according to law determines that no further proceedings can be had before this Board.

Remark:

Damage caused by Ebbonsc Harlan's road.

The Board appointed at the last December session to assess and determine the damage, caused by Ebbonsc Harlan's road to the lands or premises of John Early and John Poore, will hereby be rendered. If said road shall be established and opened, the Board will report as follows, to wit:

"The undersigned appointed viewers to assess the damage, caused by Ebbonsc Harlan's road to the lands or premises of John Early and John Poore, have met on the day and at the place appointed, took a view of the said road and assessed the damage caused thereby to the said lands or premises, and find it to amount to $20.00.

The Board will now adjourn.

John Poore

Ebbonsc Harlan"
holders of said county, praying for the establishment of a county road as follows, to wit:

To commence at the forks of Meigs Creek near William Dunlap's saw mill in Meigs township, thence a direct course as near as a good road can be made to Robert Thompson's house south west of said house, from thence to Hamilton House's house, and from thence to George W. White's house in Blue Rock township, to be done with as little damage to individuals as possible.

Thence for the Commissioners appointed Aaron Robinson, Jesse Thomas and John D. Miller surveyors, to meet at John B. Taylor's in Meigs township, in the 15th of April next at 9 o'clock A.M. of said day, to view, survey and lay out said roads and make report of these proceedings to the boards on or before the first Monday of June next.

And given with security to the acceptances of the Commissioners.

Robert Thompson Jr.'s road. A petition was this day presented before the Board of Commissioners by Robert Thompson Jr. signed by himself and others inhabitants of said county, praying for the establishment and location of a county road as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point in the Cooper Hill road in Springfield township, where the West line of Edward Wolman's lands crosses the said Cooper Hill road, thence running in a Northwesterly direction through the lands of Edward Wolman and William Kennedy to the South East corner of said William Kennedy's field (known as the middle meadow) — thence a Northwesterly course to the North West corner of John Kennedy's young orchard, thence in a Northwesterly direction through the lands of John Kennedy and James Kennedy's lands to an to intersect the flat ridge road, near the West end of cornfield thereon, all in Springfield township.

Therefore the Commissioners appointed John Morgan, Dennis Speare and John D. Miller surveyors.
to John Woolf.

An act was accomplished before the Board of Commissioners, by Charles Young, of the line, in the line between the lands of William Anderson and the said county, praying for the location and establishment of a county road, as follows:

"Commencing at the southeast corner of the town of Springfield, thence north 1/4 mile, thence east 1/4 mile, thence south 1/4 mile, thence west 1/4 mile, thence north 1/4 mile, thence east to the beginning, all in Springfield township."
Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer for the sum of one dollar and sixty cents for labor, to be paid to the undersigned, Shadrack Wheeler, for labor and work done in repairing the road District No. 3, Monroe Township, x d. 1.00.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer for the sum of fifty-six dollars and thirteen cents in favor of D. W. Eyman, for advertising Delinquent tax lists for four weeks at the Galesville lottery.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer for the sum of fifty-six dollars and seventeen cents for labor and work done in repairing the road District No. 3, Monroe Township, x d. 67.76.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer for the sum of forty-five dollars and eighty cents for labor and work done in repairing the road District No. 3, Monroe Township, x d. 45.00.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer for the sum of forty-five dollars and eighty cents for labor and work done in repairing the road District No. 3, Monroe Township, x d. 48.00.

Ordered that the county Auditor issue an order on the county Treasurer for the sum of forty-five dollars and eighty cents for labor and work done in repairing the road District No. 3, Monroe Township, x d. 48.00.

The Board of Commissioners adjourned until to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock.