

STATE OF IOWA, } SS.
 Blackhawk County, }

Do *Wm. Becker*

You are hereby notified that you have been appointed a Commissioner to view, and if expedient, to locate a county road, petitioned for by *Sackenburg* and others, and to be called the *Sackenburg* Road, described as follows:

Commencing at the *South West corner of the South East quarter of Sec 24 Twp 8 S Range 11, Chauce*
North on Sackburg to the North Road

You will, therefore, appear at the office of some Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, or Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, and qualify according to law; and on the *6* day of *July* 18*68*, you will proceed to commence the examination of the route above described, and if, in your judgment, the above road is needed, or one in the vicinity answering the same purpose, you will call to your assistance the necessary aid, and proceed to lay out and mark the same according to law and the following instructions, and report to the Board on or before the *7* day of *July* 18*68*.

1. In your survey of this road you will particularly describe the point of commencement, with reference to some monument record, which will be generally found to consist of corners in the public and private surveys; the exact course and distance from some one of which you must give in your field notes.
2. The point at which you terminate your survey must be ascertained and returned by reference to the same evidence as is herein required for the commencing point.
3. All letters and figures inscribed upon wood, must be cut with a "marking iron," similar to that used in the Government survey of lands.
4. Where bearing trees are taken, (and it is strongly enjoined that, if within ten chains of an angle, they should without fail be taken,) a smooth face fronting the angle of the road, should be made as near the ground as practicable, and in this face should be cut the initial letters of the points of beginning and ending of the road. For example--a road from Delhi to Colony--D. & C. R. When bearing trees cannot be had at angles, it is recommended the bearing and distance to a boulder, edifice, or corner of an enclosure be taken, and where this is impracticable, a large mound of earth should be raised at the point of the angle.
5. Marks in timber will consist of a smith's "blaze," with a notch in the centre, except the trees with the fine cuts, each of which must have three notches, both upon the side which the line strikes, and that upon which it leaves such trees. Mile posts must be set up at every mile, and the distance marked thereon.
6. After completing your survey of this road, you must carefully protect the same upon paper, with a view to the detection of all errors, either in your chaining or course.
7. These instructions in no way relieve you from each and every duty prescribed by the laws of Iowa Revision of 1860, pages 134 and 135.
8. All your assistants are required to be sworn by some person authorized to administer oaths.

Given under my hand and seal, this *19* day of *June* 18*68*.

Wm. Becker

Clerk Board of Supervisors.

By

Leopold

Deputy.

The State of Iowa, } SS.
 BLACKHAWK COUNTY, }

I do solemnly swear that I will, to the best of my ability, perform the duties of Commissioner on the within road, according to law and the foregoing instructions.

Wm. Becker

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this *6* day of *July* 18*68*.

(The following Fees should be Paid by Petitioner for the Road.)

Tees Commissioner, *Five* day, \$ *Five* dollar
 " Surveyor, " " \$
 " Chainmen, " " \$

260
~~Lennart Road~~
~~Sichtenberg~~
Road
Aff. of Posting
notices

Filed May 24th
H A Eberhart
Clerk
By J C Gates
Deputy

Notice
is hereby given that
a Petition will be
Presented to the Hon
Clerk of the Board of
Supervisors at the June
term or Session of the
Board of Supervisors
in 1867 asking for the
Appointment of a
Commissioner to Survey &
locate a Road commencing
at the South West corner
of the South East quarter
of Section 27 Twp 28 Range 11 -
thence North on said section
line to the Webster Road

I hereby certify that posted up
four notices of which the above is a true copy
one on the Court House door of Blackhawk Co
and three in public places along the line
of the proposed road in Fox Grove
at least four weeks before the 1st of June 1867
Subscribed & sworn to before me the 25th day of May 1867
J. S. J. Clerk A. Sonobrey

No. 260

Lichtenburg

Road.

For

Township.

COMMISSION.

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Subscribed

Deputy.

July 6th 1868 I went to view the
within mentioned road. When I came into
they surrounded Black Hawk County
on a road located on the line between Jackson
County, Iowa and City of Capital
the Iowa City who was the main in whose
behalf I interest the petition for said mentioned
road was got up. He stated that he did not want
the road located ~~where~~ the further stated that
the damages claimed by the owners of the land
where said road being petitioned for would be
too high for him to pay. The road would not be worth
half the damages to him. He stated that he had given
some for all early damages for locating said road
and he requested me not to give said road
the further stated that Perry Road and I have
there had been a petition to said road
previous to the time that I was appointed and
that he had told them that he did not want
the road located for the reasons above stated.
I also met Dr. Anthony & I think nearly all
men who had signed the petition for said road
and they gave the same state ment therefore I
did not view said road and further I could not
conveniently locate a road there because there is
already a country road located running parallel
with said petitioned for road which is only one half
mile east of said petitioned for road.
There under my hand the day and year
first above written J. J. Senter
Commissioner

Road 260

Letter from
A. G. Bannister,
Commissioner.

Filed Dec 1867

Glenny, Idaho Dec 15th 07
Mr. Clark

I recd a commission
from you appointing me
a commissioner to locate a
certain Road, I would say
to you that I have been confin-
ed to the House for the last 8 weeks
with the lung fever & cannot attend
to it - I would suggest your
appointing D B. Eeter I think
him one of the most correct
business of Spring Creek
Township.

Respect yours,
A. G. Baunista

260
~~September 1840~~
Sackling Road
Petterson

Miss Mary Smith
At Blackwell Clear
Camp Chase
Sept

Back

nothing can be
done to
back to

Back to

John Bennett
John Bennett
A. J. Cooper
A. J. Cooper

Wm. Bennett
John Bennett
A. J. Cooper

Deat Helen Charles Harting
 Claudius Spelman, M. Benerator.
 F. Bonaparte
 of Hook,

Dr. Beckley
Chambersburg
N. Hampshire

Know All Men by these Presents, That we, Chas Dickenson
 of Blackhawk County, Wm Pienke
 of Blackhawk County, and J. Bonorden
 of Blackhawk County, and
 holders of said Blackhawk County, are held and firmly bound unto the
 State of Iowa, in the sum of fifty
Dollars, for the payment of which we bind ourselves, our executors and administrators,
 jointly and severally.

WHEREAS, An application has been made to the Board of Supervisors of
Black Hawk County, for the establishment of a State road, as
 follows: Commencing at the South West quarter
of the South East quarter of Sec 10 County and
thence north ~~west~~ line to the shorter end

Now if the said Chas Dickenson Wm Pienke
J. Bonorden
 shall pay all expenses which may accrue in the location of said road, in case the same
 shall not be established a public highway, then this bond to be void, otherwise to remain
 in full force and effect.

For WITNESS HEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands this 25th
 day of May 24. D. 1867.

Chas Dickenson

Wm Pienke
J. Bonorden

And approved by the Board of Supervisors
Samuel S. West Wm Pienke Chas
Superior Des Moines