



## Office of the County Clerk,

WATERLOO COUNTY, IOWA.

Of Waterloo,

JAMES

To Shadrach Croston

1867.

You are hereby notified that you have been appointed a Commissioner of view, and if  
 required to locate, a \_\_\_\_\_ County Road, petitioned for by \_\_\_\_\_

*Semenant* and others. Said \_\_\_\_\_ Board petitioned for, is  
 to commence at *The South East corner of Section fifteen township*  
*Eighty-eight, Range Eleven East on Section Sixty to North East*  
*corner of Sec 23 town 88 Range 11 thence South on Section*  
*line forty rods to the corner of South West of North West*  
*of North West 1/4 Sec. 24 town 88 Range 11 thence due East*  
*on said line to the State well.* -

You will, therefore, appear at the Office of \_\_\_\_\_ in  
 said County, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 1867, at \_\_\_\_\_  
 O. M., and qualify according to Law, and proceed immediately to the discharge of your duty  
 and make your report thereon according to Law and the following Instructions, on or before  
 the next term of this Court:

1. In your survey of this Road you will particularly describe the point of commencement, with reference to some monument record, which will generally be 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. You must also measure to, and in your field notes return the distance to some section or quarter section corner, from the point where you intersect each and every line of sections in the public surveys.
3. 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.
4. All letters and figures inscribed upon wood must be cut with a "marking iron," similar to that used in the government survey of lands.
5. 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 Dubuque to Cascade: D. & C. R. When bearing trees cannot be had at angles, it is recommended that 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.
6. Marks in timber will consist of a smooth blaze with a notch in the center, except those trees which the line cuts, each of which must have three notches, both upon the side which the line strikes and that upon which it leaves the tree.
7. After completing your survey of this Road you must carefully protract the same upon paper, with a view to the detection of all errors, either in your chaining or course.
8. Before commencing your survey you must compare and adjust your chain to a standard kept for that purpose, in this office.
9. These Instructions in no way relieve you from each and every duty prescribed by the Code of Iowa, pages 91 and 92.
10. Your compass must be adjusted to run upon the true medium; that is, the true magnetic variation only must be employed, and this must invariably be stated, and all changes, as a part of the field notes of this survey.

Given under my hand, and the Seal of said County, at my Office in Waterloo, this

*James*

1867.

County Clerk.

By

*Leah W. Adams*

Deputy.

The State of Iowa, } ss. J. Parlon  
~~Burlington~~ 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 instruction.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 14<sup>th</sup> day of June A. D. 1867

... J. Parlon  
Notary Public Iowa

246261

Commission.

Lennant Road.  
Hot Township,

Filed, June 19<sup>th</sup> 1867  
E. E. Eberhart, Clerk.  
By J. E. Bates Deputy.

To the Board of Supervisors of Black-Hawk County  
Your petitioners respectfully represent that  
they desire a County Road located as follows namely

Commencing at the South East Corner of Section  
Sixteen-88-11 Thence East on Section line to the  
North East Corner of ~~Sec. 3-88-11~~ Thence South on Section  
line Eighty rods to the Corner of the South West  
of the North West of N. 1/4 of ~~Sec. 24-88-11~~ Thence Due East  
on said line to the State Road

Names  
John Tennant  
E. P. Gifford  
A. B. Gifford  
W. E. Gleason  
N. H. Hyle  
Lewis Richard  
Wm Marshall  
Joshua Cowin  
A. N. George

Names  
John Corton  
Samuel B. Lake  
Peter Wessler  
Felix Gaffney

Notice is hereby given that a petition  
will be presented to the Board of  
the Board of Supervisors of Black Horse  
Co on the 30<sup>th</sup> Day of May A.D. 1867  
asking for the appointment of a  
Commissioner to view & locate a road  
commencing at the South East  
Corner of Section 16 T<sup>88</sup> Range 11  
Thence East on said line to the  
North East Corner of sec 23 T<sup>88</sup> Range  
11 Thence south on section line  
Eighty rods to the corner of the  
South West of the North West of  
the North West fourth of section (24)  
T<sup>88</sup> Range 11 Thence Due East on  
said line to the state road

State of Iowa  
Black Horse Co

John Steward do solemnly  
swear that I did before the 1st day of May  
1867 post notice of which the above is a true  
copy at the following places to wit, one on  
the Court House Door and three in public  
places along the line of the proposed road  
in Simpson Township

Subscribed & sworn to  
before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day  
of May A.D. 1867  
John Steward  
Justice of the Peace

To the Grant of Supervision of  
Black Hawk & County Iowa

The undersigned respectfully informs  
that the laying out & establishing  
of a County Road petitioned for  
by John Stewart and others and  
shown as the Stewart Road,  
Commencing at the South East corner  
of section 10 & 11 in Twp Eighty Eighth  
Range Eleven and running thence  
due East on the section line  
to the North East corner of section  
Eighteen Township Three and Township  
and Range, will damage him  
to the amount of one hundred  
dollars. That he is the owner of  
the  $\frac{1}{2}$  Sec 15, N  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 23 &  
N  $\frac{1}{2}$  N  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 23 Township 3 S Range 11  
Therefore he prays that the State  
and several persons be appointed  
appraisers to assess the damage  
that he will sustain thereby

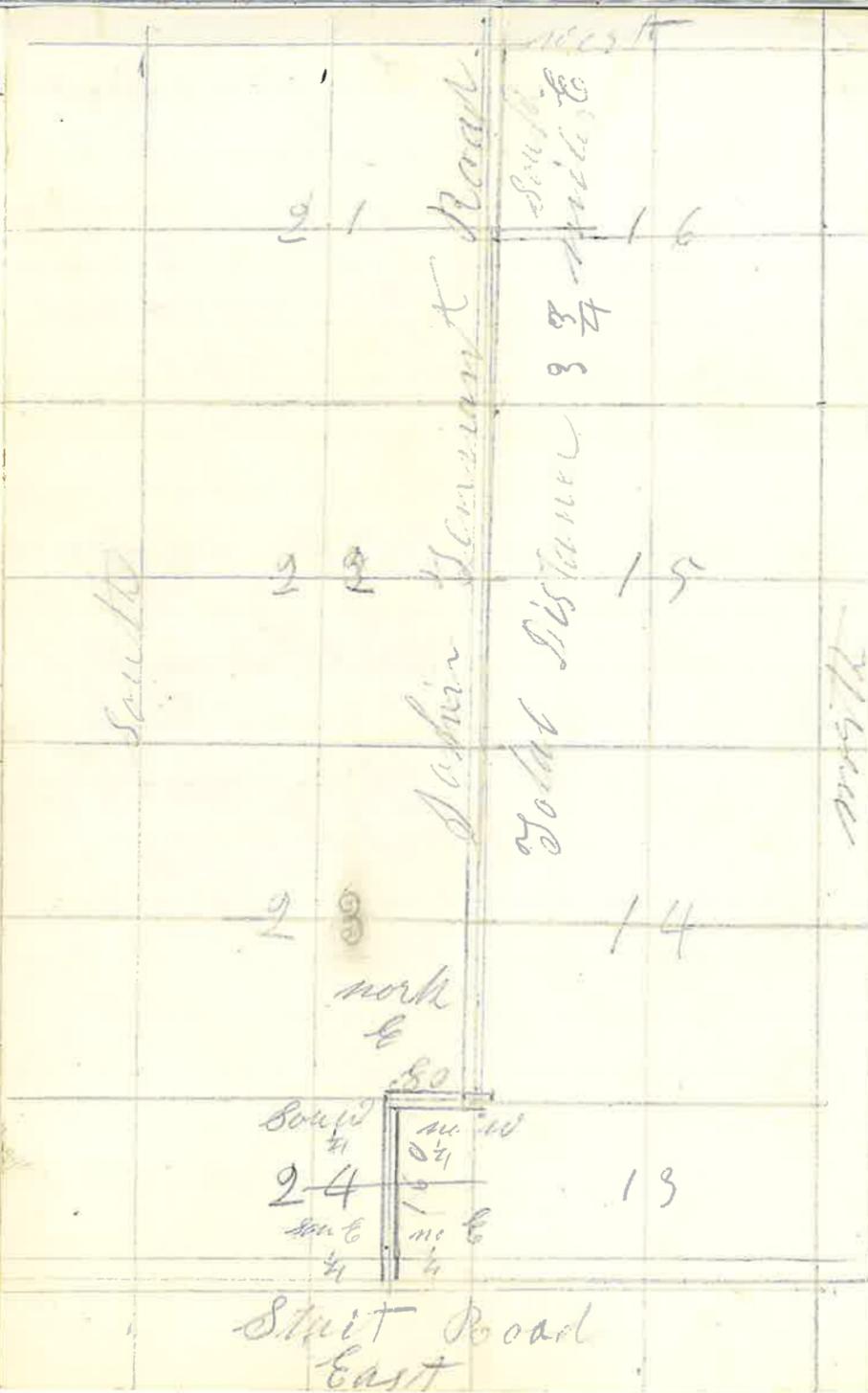
W. J. Taylor  
by G. S. Richardson  
agent

Distinguish the same by the proper  
 marks, mounds or stakes  
 in the manner prescribed  
 by law and in accordance with  
 the field notes and plat  
 of survey of the road which  
 are hereto annexed and which  
 are made part of this  
 report

Your Commissioner is of the opinion  
 that the road will be of  
 great convenience and utility  
 to the Public and would hereby  
 recommend its establishment  
 all of which is respectfully  
 submitted

S. Croxtone  
 Commissioner

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~~24~~ 261  
Lennant Road  
Fox Gap

Report of  
Commissioner

Filed June 17/67  
G. Eberhart  
Clerk  
By J. C. Bates  
Deputy

June 15 1867  
To the Honorable Board of  
Supervisors of Blackhawk  
County, the undersigned  
having been appointed a Com-  
missioner to view and if thought  
necessary locate a certain road  
in said County petitioned  
for by John Tennant and  
others known as the  
road would report as follows  
that having been duly sworn  
he found upon examination  
that it was expedient and more  
necessary for the accommodation  
of the public the road should  
be located as petitioned for  
therefore your Commissioner  
proceeded on the fourteenth Day  
of June A.D. 1867 to lay out  
and locate said road and to

Know All Men by these Presents, That we, John Tennant  
 of Black Hawk County, & A. H. Rickard  
 of Black Hawk County, and  
 of \_\_\_\_\_ County, and  
 Auctioneers of said Black Hawk County, are held and jointly bound unto the  
 State of Iowa, in the sum of Fifty  
 Dollars, for the payment of which we find 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: Corn, at the South East corner see Exhibit  
Tennant's Eighty Eight Range Eleven thence  
East on section line to the North East corner of  
see 2:3 Township 88 - R 11 - thence South on section  
line Eighty Roads to the Corner of the South West of the North  
West of that it that that see 24 East of R 11 thence due South  
to the sign in pen to the State Road

John Tennant

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.

In WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands this 30th  
 day of May A. D. 1867.

John Tennant

A. H. Rickard

August 10<sup>th</sup> 1868

We the undersigned have  
received our fees for appraising  
the Damages on the Terminal  
road Fox Tp Black Hawk Co Iowa

J. Marsh  
A. Harrod  
Geo Arthur

Tarrant Road

Appraisals Recd

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W. B. Smith, Clerk

THE STATE OF IOWA, } SS.  
BLACKHAWK COUNTY, }

To Daniel Mack, Sheriff, Allen Barndt,  
and M. G. Everett, Not Appraisers, & M.  
G. Tyler, Assessor, and Appraisers.

GENTLEMEN: You are hereby notified that you have been appointed by the Board of Supervisors of said County, appraisers to assess the damages sustained by A. Tyler on Sec 16-15-18-11, No 22-18-11 & M's on 23<sup>rd</sup> in consequence of the location of a County Road petitioned for by Peter Penant and others in Ark Township, as located by S. G. Brown of Sec 23 Thoms 80 R. Commissioner Com at Sec 16 & 16 cor of the State Road. You will therefore meet at the office of Commissioner at 11 o'clock, A. M., on the 26 day of June 1868 and qualify according to law, and proceed immediately to the discharge of your duty, and make your report herein on or before the 1st Monday in June 1868.



Witness my hand and the seal of the Board of Supervisors, this 26 day of June 1868.  
A. D. Clerk  
By Robert D. Deputy.

STATE OF IOWA,  
BLACKHAWK COUNTY,

We, Daniel Mack of Ark and M. G. Everett of Ark do each of us solemnly swear, that having been appointed appraisers to assess the damages sustained by John Penant in consequence of the location of a road petitioned for by John Penant and others, we will faithfully and impartially discharge the duties of appraisers according to the best of our knowledge and ability.

Appraisers: {  
D. Mack  
M. G. Everett  
John Penant

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 26 day of June 1868.  
W. H. Chandler

SEE 'ROAD LAWS AND FORMS,' SEC. 543, PAGE 7.  
SWARE OR FORFEIT, } SS.  
BLACKHAWK COUNTY.

To the Hon. Board of Supervisors of said County:  
We, the appraisers appointed to assess the damages sustained by A. Tyler in consequence of the location of a road petitioned for by John Penant and others, as located by John Penant Commissioner; beg leave to report that we find that the said A. Tyler has sustained damages to the amount of

not over 19 Dollars.  
Signed this 29 day of May 1868.  
Appraisers: {  
D. Mack  
M. G. Everett  
John Penant

Road No. 261

Report of Appraisers.

Tennant Road.

Damages Assessed, \$

Filed, May 30<sup>th</sup> 1868

A. Eberhart Clerk.

By J. Gates Deputy.

Appraiser's Fees, \$ 4.50

Paid by

Fees for appraising damage on the  
within road;  
Do one day service each May 29, 1868  
Five & 50/100 dollars

J. D. March  
A. H. Hark  
y as witness