

Grant Road
East Waterloo Sup

STATE OF IOWA, } ss.
Blackhawk County,

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of said County :

The undersigned, having been appointed a Commissioner to view, and, if thought necessary, locate a certain Road in said County, petitioned for by

W B Leavitt and others, and known as the Oreston
Road, would report as follows :

That, having been duly sworn, he found, upon examination, that it was expedient and necessary, for the accommodation of the public, that the road should be located as petitioned for.

Therefore, with the assistance of as chairman, as attorney,

~~Commissioner~~ proceeded on the day set therefore, to-wit: the 24th day of January A. D. 1871, to lay out and locate said Road, and to distinguish the same by the proper marks, mounds, and stakes, in the manner prescribed by law, and in accordance with the Field Notes and Plat of Survey of the Road, which are herewith 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. Would also recommend the location of a portion of said Road to wit, commencing at the south west corner of section no 2, 18th township and 49th N 12 west from running and 2 1/2 by 20th East of which is respectfully submitted.

Edw McMillen
Commissioner.

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The land - due from Boston

STATE OF IOWA, }
Blackhawk County, } SS.

To *Geo. H. Muller*

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

Commencing at the *North West corner of Section 36*

Eighty seven North of Range 4th Tangle West of 5th Avenue running North South Road and also to locate a part of the Ordinary Road described as follows Commencing at the South West corner of said Section 36 and running about Eighty Rods

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 *24th* day of *January* 1871, 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 *30th* day of *January* 1871.

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, in the location of an angle, they should without fail be taken,) a smooth face fronting the angle of the road, should be selected, and in this face should be cut the initial letters of the points of beginning and ending of a bearing, a yard from each to Colony—D & C. R. When bearing trees cannot be had at angles, it is recommended the bearing and distance to a boundary 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 small "blaze" with a notch in the centre, except the trees with the line cuts, each of which must have three notches, both upon the side which the line strikes, and that upon which it leaves such trees. All posts must be set up at every mile, and the distance marked thereon. Stakes must be set at the crossing of fences and streams, and at intervals in the prairie not exceeding one-fourth of a mile each.
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 *24th* day of *January* 1871.

Wm. M. Foster
County Clerk

By _____ Deputy.

The State of Iowa, }
Blackhawk County, } SS.

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.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this *24th* day of *January* 1871.

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

Fees Commissioner, ----- *\$1.37* *dyman & sons*
" Surveyor, ----- *\$* *Notary Public*
" Chainmen, ----- *\$*

ROAD NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition will be presented to the Board of

Supervisors

of Blackhawk County, Iowa, on the Second day of

January

A. D. 1871, for the appointment of a Commissioner to exam-

ine into the expediency of establishing a County Road on the following route, and to re-

port accordingly, to-wit: Commencing at North West Corner of Sec

18 1st 89 Range 12 French Township North

on West line of Sec. 7 of same Township & Range 80

North

Also to locate the following Road & to Commence
at south west corner of Sec 18 1st 89 Range 12
French Township North on west line of same
Section 24th (80) Road

Dated this 28 day of September A. D. 1870

PETITIONER.

STATE OF IOWA, } ss.
Blackhawk County,

I, J B Grant, do solemnly swear,
that I did, on the 28 day of September A. D. 1870, post a no-

tice of which the foregoing is a true copy, at the following places, to-wit:

on the front door of the Court House in Potosi
Said County & on the corner of the fence at each
end of the Road asked to be located & also that
each & are located & that said places are
public places in said French Township in
Blackhawk County State of Iowa

J B Grant

Subscribed and sworn to by J B Grant before me

this 6th of November A. D. 1870

A. M. Hoge
Justice

To the Honorable of Supervisors
of Black Hawk County State of Iowa.

When Relators Respectfully Represent to
Your Honorable Body, that the Public
Necessities for travel require the location of
a Public Road Commencing at the Southwest
Corner of Section 18 Township 89 Range
12 west of 5th P.M. thence running North
on West line of Sec 7 of same Township
& Range 80 Roto

We also Represent that a portion of a Road
so located to wit Commencing at
the Southwest Corner of Section 18 Township
89 Range 12 West of 5th P.M. thence
running North on West line of same
Section 80 Roto is of no value to the
Public or to any private individual

We therefore ask that that part of said
Road herein last specified may be vacated
& that the Road herein first mentioned may
be established

D. D. Grant
& A. A. Grant

Thomas Brooks

James Cornish

W. H. Hulse

George W. Hulse

Road Bond

STATE OF IOWA, }
BLACKHAWK COUNTY. } SS.

BEFORE THE *County Auditor*
~~BOARD OF SUPERVISORS~~,

Term, A. D., 186

Know all Men by these Presents, That we, *A. B. Grant &*
S. B. Grant, of the County of Blackhawk and State
of Iowa, are held and firmly bound unto the State for the use of Blackhawk County, in the sum of
75-14 dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made,
we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, and every one of them, firmly by these
presents.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas *A. B. Grant*
A. B. Grant has this day made application by
petition to the Board of Supervisors of said County, to appoint a Commissioner to view and
the *Blackhawk Road*

Now, if said *A. B. Grant* shall pay all costs that
may be adjudged against him by the Board of Supervisors, in accordance with the statute in such
cases made and provided, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force
and virtue.

Witness our hands this _____ day of _____ A. D. 18

A. B. Grant
A. B. Grant

Approved this *2nd* day of *January* A. D. 186*1*

Pres't of the Board