

Oren Road

Jan. 18th. 1872

To J. M. Gorte
County Auditor

Black Hawk Iowa

We the undersigned respectfully
solicit that you appoint
a Commissioner to examine
into the expediency of establishing
a County Road on the following
route viz - (Commencing at the
South East corner of section number
thirty-four (34), Township Eight seven
(87) ^{South Range Orleans (11) West} West of the 6th P.M. thence
running West on the County line, one
half mile. Four notices were
posted on the 6th ^{of Sep} 1872 as
required by the Laws of Iowa

Names of Petitioners

Jesse Cren

Georg Merrill

Jan. 17th 1872

D. W. Froot^g

Auditor Sir As
I am busy at present and
cannot well be in Waterloo
on the 18th I have ventured
to send you the documents
necessary in the case.

I would suggest that
you name Walter Bush
or Washington Myers as
the Commissioner.

They would probably
not ask anything for
their services.

Notify me if you please
if there be anything further
necessary on my part
Yours Jesse Ren

Mr. Gen. Bishop

thinks you are very particular in this matter - doubts the necessity of the 25¢ stamp &c -
I trust all is right now - in fact if it is not the road may go over board as I do not feel much interest in it. Others have solicited action on my part and I have complied with their wishes. I will be in Waterloo on the 25th Inst at the stock sale and will then see you. Yours
Jesse

Road Bond.

STATE OF IOWA, }
BLACKHAWK COUNTY. } SS.

BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS,

January Term, A. D., 1892

Know all Men by these Presents, That we, Jesse Oren and
G. Bishop, 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
Fifty 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 Jesse Oren
has this day made application by
petition to the County Auditor of said County, to appoint a Commissioner to view and
locate a road, to be called The Oren Road

Now, if said Jesse Oren 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 18th day of January A. D. 1891

Jesse Oren
G. Bishop

Approved this _____ day of _____ A. D. 186

Pres't of the Board of Supervisors.

STATE OF IOWA, }
BLACKHAWK COUNTY, } SS:

To

William R. R. R.

You are hereby notified that you have been appointed a Commissioner to view, and if expedient to locate county road as petitioned by John and others, and to be called the Don

Road, described as follows:

Commencing at the South East corner of Section 10 of Township (34) in Township of Liberty (34) North of Range 10 Eleven (11) West of the 3rd R. M. - thence running West on County line between the boundaries of Black Hawk & Boone - One Half (1/2) mile to the South East corner of the South East quarter of said Sec 10 from 34

You will meet the Commissioner from Boone County at the house of State Commissioner at the Black Hawk, February 3rd 1872

You will, therefore, appear before some officer authorized to administer oaths in and for said county, and qualify according to law; and on the 3rd day of February 1872, 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 10th day of February 1872.

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 commencement.
3. Where bearing trees are taken, 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 boundary, either, or corner of an enclosure be taken, 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. Mile 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 official seal this 1st day of February 1872.

Paul M. Root
County Auditor.

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

3rd day of February 1872.
R. J. McQuillan
Justice of the Peace

STATE OF IOWA, }
BLACKHAWK COUNTY. } SS:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of said County:

to act in conjunction with Commissioners from Benton County
The undersigned, having been appointed a Commissioner to view, and, if thought
necessary, *to act* a certain Road in said County petitioned for by

J. Green and others, and known as the
Green Road, would report as follows:

That, having been duly sworn, he found, upon examination, that it was

necessary that a road should be established
for the accommodation of the public, that the road should be *deposited*
as petitioned for.

Therefore with the assistance of _____ as surveyor

_____ as chainmen,

_____ axmen, who were all duly sworn, your Commissioner proceeded on the day set therefor, to-wit: the _____ day of _____

A. D. 187 , 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 herunto annexed, and which are made part of this report.

Your Commissioner is of the opinion, that the road will be of *great utility*
and *absolutely*

to the public, and would hereby _____ recommend its *deposition*

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. Richardson
Commissioner.

The following Fees should be paid by the Petitioner for the Road:

Fees Commissioner,	<i>1 day</i>	Mileage <i>5</i>	\$ <i>2.00</i>
" Surveyor,	"	"	\$ _____
" Chainmen,	"	"	\$ _____
"	"	"	\$ _____

J. W. Richardson, Commissioner appointed to view and report upon said road for Benton County, would concur in the above
W. H. Richardson

ROAD NOTICE.

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

of Blackhawk County, Iowa, on the 18th day of

Jan. A. D. 1872 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 the South East Corner

of Section number thirty-four (34)
of Township eight North (87) north of
Range eleven West of 6th W. M.
thence running west on the survey
line one half mile

Dated this 6th day of December A. D. 1871

James Allen
PETITIONER.

STATE OF IOWA, } ss.
Blackhawk County,

I, James Allen, do solemnly swear,

that I did, on the 6th day of December A. D. 1871, post a no-

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

On the Court House in the City of Waterloo.
Also three others on the line
of a private timber road through said
Section No 34, R. 11. W. This road is much
used by all the farmers in the
Eastern end of the township and along
the road over these notices were posted
James Allen

Subscribed and sworn to by
this 28th day of Jan. A. D. 1872 before me

J. B. Bishop, Notary Public

ROAD NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition will be presented to the Auditor
of Blackhawk County, Iowa, on the 18th day of
January A. D. 1872, 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 the South East corner
of Section number thirty-four (34) Town-
ship Eighty Seven (87) South of Range
Eleven west of 6th P. M. thence
running west on the County line
one half mile

Dated this 6th day of December A. D. 1871

Jesse Oren

PETITIONER.

State of Iowa
Black Hawk Co Jesse Oyer being duly sworn
on his oath says that he did, on the 6th day of January
December 1871 post a notice of which the within
is a true copy on the Court-house door in Watrous Ia
and on the same day in three public places near the
mouth of the within proposed Road three other notices of
which the within is also a copy in the same townships of said
County and on the 17th day of January 1872
I do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct
copy of the within and I subscribe myself
Jesse Oyer
one this 17th day of January
A.D. 1872. G. Bishop Notary Public

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 New York, 1st 1872
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OFFICE OF THE
AUDITOR OF BENTON COUNTY, IOWA.

E. M. EVANS, AUDITOR.

VINTON, *June 25* 1872

Dan H. Fouts

County Auditor.

This certifies,

That at the

*June session 1872 of the Board of Supervisors
of Benton Co. Iowa, a County Line Road was
established on the part of said county, as fol-
lows to wit: Commencing at the NE corner of
Sec 9, Twp 86 Range 11 West, and running thence
West one mile or thereabouts.*

*Witness my hand and official
seal the day and year first
above written.*

*E. M. Evans,
Co Auditor.*

E. MARION EVANS,
Auditor.

Office of the
County Auditor,
Benton Co., Iowa.

VINTON, IOWA, *January 22* 1872

County Auditor.
Blackhawk County. }

Sir:

You are hereby notified, that at the January session of the Board of County Commissioners of Benton County. Said Board appointed one Henry Richardson Esq. to act in conjunction with a Commissioner from Your County, to view and locate a road on the County line as follows viz:

Commencing at the North East corner of Section Thru (3) Townships Eighty Six (86) North Range Eleven (11) West of the 5th P.M. and running West one mile or thereabouts. To View Monday February 5th 1872.

Witness my hand and the Seal of Benton County.
the date above written.

E. M. Evans.

Auditor of Benton Co. Iowa.
per W.

Please inform me what action you have taken if any.
E. M. E.

Office of County Auditor,

BLACKHAWK COUNTY, IOWA.

DANIEL W. FOOTE, Auditor.

Waterloo, June 7th 1872

Mr. Orr

Sir - The Board
of Suprs. Approve my action in
establishing the "Orr Road"
(the County line Road)

The Commissioners fees (\$2.)
should now be paid. Either at
this office or to Mr. Ralph at
La Porte. If paid to Ralph
forward his receipt to me.

Immediately on receipt of
the money or Ralph's receipt
I will notify Auditor of Benton
Co & on his notice of like
action on part of Benton Co. I
will notify clerk of Big Creek
Twp.

Respectfully

Daniel W. Foote
Auditor

(over)

If paid to Ralph his next share
read in full of my part as
Commissioner on The Open Road

Yours truly
J. H. Gault
Treasurer
The amount of
the share

WATERLOO. Feb 5th 1872

BLACKHAWK COUNTY

To Wm Ralph Dr.

1872

Feb	5	To One Day as commissioner Over Road	1 50
"	"	Moilage 10 M @ 5 ^c per M	50
			\$ 2 00

I do solemnly swear, that the within account is just and true, and that no part of the same has been paid,

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

7th day of July 1872.
R. J. Mulkin
Justice of Peace

W^m Rolph

No.

Kind of Account.

Claims, \$

Allowed, \$

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Filed,

County Auditor.