

expenses accruing on said view and survey in case the proceedings had in pursuance of said petition shall not be fully and finally confirmed and established, and it is, therefore, by the said Board of County Commissioners ordered that David John, C. G. Brooks, and John J. Hall, who are disinterested householders of said county be, and they are hereby, appointed viewers of the said road as by said petition prayed for to be located, and the County Clerk will notify each of the said viewers of their said appointment; and it is further ordered that said viewers shall meet at the place described in said petition as the place of beginning on the 15th day of August, 1888, and proceed to discharge their duties, and that the County Surveyor be, and he is hereby ordered and directed to meet with the said viewers at the said time and place and survey said proposed road under their direction; and it is further ordered that the County Clerk, by advertisement, set up in his office, and in Caney Township, through which township said road is sought to be located, for at least twenty days and by publication for at least twenty weeks in the Southwestern Kansas Farmer and Cattleman for the purpose of giving notice and warning to the same for at least twenty days before the time hereinafter set for said viewers to meet; and it is further ordered that a record of said notice so to be given, and as given by the said County Clerk be entered upon the journal of the proceedings of said Board of County Commissioners, and the County Clerk is hereby ordered and directed to enter the same thereon. 7/7/1888

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The road petitioned for by J. A. Moore, T. A. Stevens, et al, for the establishment of a road as follows, to wit: The northwest corner of Sec. 1, Twp. 34, Range 10, thence running south on the section line as near as practical to the northeast corner of Sec. 1, Twp. 34, Range 10, thence running south through the village of Havana, Anasas, and this came on to be further heard upon the certified return of the County Surveyor, the plat, and the report of the viewers, and said report being favorable to the opening of part of said road and unfavorable to the balance, and there appearing to be no legal objection, and the said Board of Commissioners being satisfied that said road will be of public utility, it is by said Board of County Commissioners, ordered that said report, survey, and plat be duly recorded by the County Clerk upon the road record of said county; and that said road be, and it is hereby declared and to be considered a public highway according to the report of said viewers; it is further ordered that the Trustee of Geney Township, the township through which said road is located, be notified to cause said road to be opened to public travel; and the Board of County Commissioners allowed J. A. Granor for road damages on said road in the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars.

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Road No. 469
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The petition in which B. J. Whelan was principal petitioner, was at this time presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Montgomery County, Kansas, which was in words and figures as follows, to wit: We petition a road to be begun as follows: In Road No. 165, at or near the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Sec. 20, Twp. 17, of 6th E. and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of Sec. 16, Twp. 17, of 6th E. to the south and westerly direction about 16 rods to intersect with Road No. 315; and to vacate the part of road No. 315 that runs across the south end of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Sec. 20, Twp. 17, Range 17 East; all in Montgomery County, Kansas. And upon examination and con-

sideration thereof, the said Board of County Commissioners do find that said petition is a legal one and the signatures thereto are believed to be genuine; and that the petitioners all reside in the vicinity where said road is sought to be located and are householders of said Montgomery County; and that one of said petitioners has duly entered into a bond with security satisfactory to and approved by said Commissioners, payable to the State of Kansas for the use of said Montgomery County, conditioned that the persons signing said bond shall pay into the Treasury of Montgomery County, the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on said view and survey in the case of said proceedings and in pursuance of said view and survey shall not be liable for said costs and expenses established; and it is therefore by the said Board of County Commissioners ordered that M. M. Vandyne, John E. Kerrie, and Isaac Clapp, who are disinterested householders of said County be, and they are hereby, appointed viewers of said road; and by said petition prayed for to be located and vacated, and that the County Clerk will notify each of said viewers of their said appointments; and it is further ordered that the said viewers shall meet at the place described in said petition as the place of beginning on the 10th day of September, 1888, and proceed to the discharge of their duties; and that the County Surveyor be, and he is hereby, ordered and directed to meet with the said viewers at the said time and place and survey said proposed road by under their direction; and it is further ordered that the County Clerk, by advertisement, set up in his office, and in Cherry Township, for at least twenty days and that said road is sought to be located, be published at least twenty days and by publication in the South Kansas Tribune, a newspaper published in said County, for two consecutive weeks shall give notice and complete the same for at least twenty days before the time heretofore set for said viewers to meet; and it is further ordered that a record of said notice, so to be given and as given by the said County Clerk be entered upon the journal of the proceedings of said Board of County Commissioners, and the said County Clerk is ordered and directed to enter the same thereon. 8/9/1888

The road petitioned for by B. J. Whelan, et al, for the establishment of a wagon road on the following line, to wit: Beginning in Road No. 165 at or near the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Sec. 20, Twp. 31, Range 17 East of 6th P.M. about 15 rods to intersect with Road No. 315. Also to vacate the part of road No. 315 that runs across the south end of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Sec. 20, Twp. 31, Range 17 East of the 6th P.M.; all in Montgomery County, Kansas, came on for final hearing upon the certified returns of the surveyor, the plat, and the report of the viewers; and all of the said returns and plats having been received by the said Board of County Commissioners, and they having considered the same, and thereport of the viewers being favorable to the location and vacation as above described, and there being no legal objections to said report, and said Board of County Commissioners being satisfied that said road will be of public utility, it is by said Board ordered that said report, survey, and plat be duly recorded by the County Clerk upon the road record of said county, and that said road be, and is hereby, declared and shall be considered a public highway; and it is further ordered that the Trustee of Cherry Township be directed to cause said road to be opened for public travel. 10/2/1888

Road no. 470
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And now comes W. C. Weaver and presents to the said Board of County Commissioners of Montgomery County, Kansas, a certain petition which was in words

and figures as follows, to wit: At the northeast corner of Sec. 36, Twp. 31, Range 15, running south on section line between Sec. 35 and Sec. 36, 1/4 p. 1, Range 15, one mile; thence south on same section line one-half mile between Secs. 1 and 2, Twp. 32, Range 15 to intersect a public highway. And upon examination and consideration thereof, the same Commissioners find the said petition to be a legal one; that the signatures thereto are genuine; and that said petitioners all reside in the vicinity of said proposed road and are all householders of said Montgomery County, Kansas. W. C. Weaver, J. E. Harding, and G. W. Trueblood and J. W. Miller, say duly entered into a bond with security satisfactory to and approved by said Board of County Commissioners, payable to the State of Kansas, for the use of said Montgomery County, conditioned that the persons herein said shall pay into the Treasury of said county the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on said survey and view of said road, in case the proceedings had in pursuance of said petition shall not be confirmed and established; and it is therefore ordered by the said Board of County Commissioners, that Joshua Perkins, I. J. Waggoners, and Thomas Burke, who are disinterested householders of said county are hereby appointed viewers of said road; and that viewers shall meet on the 22nd day of May, 1888, and proceed to discharge their duties as viewers, and the County Surveyor, is hereby ordered and directed to meet with said viewers at said time and survey said proposed road under their directions; and it is further ordered that the County Clerk, by advertisement, set up in his office and in the Township of Wyandotte, for twenty days, and by publication for said county, in the official South Kansas Tribune, publish and publish said county, all of said notice shall be given at least twenty days before the date hereinbefore fixed for said viewers to meet; said notice shall be set forth that a petition has been presented and viewers have been appointed to view said road and give all parties a hearing. And it is further ordered that the County Clerk enter upon the Commissioners Journal the said notice herein mentioned. 4/11/1888

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The petition of W. C. Weaver, et al, for the establishment of a road on the following line, to wit: Beginning at the northwest corner of Sec. 36, Twp. 31, Range 15, running south on section line between Secs. 35 and 36, Twp. 31, Range 15 one mile; thence south on same section line one-half mile between Secs. 1 and 2, Twp. 33, Range 15, to intersect a public highway, said highway known as Road No. 9 on book of Road Records, came on to be further heard upon the certified returns of the survey, plat, and report of the viewers, and the said reports and the plat having been received and considered by said Board of County Commissioners, and the report of said viewers being favorable to said road and there being no legal objection appearing and the said Board being satisfied that said road will be of public utility it is by said Board of County Commissioners ordered that said report, plat, and survey be duly recorded by the County Clerk upon the road record of said county; and that said road be, and it is hereby, declared; and it shall be considered a public highway; and it is further ordered that the Trustees of Sycamore Township be directed to order said road open for travel. 7/7/1888

Road No. 471

Came this day J. W. Miller, principal petitioner and presents to the Board of County Commissioners a certain petition which is in words and figures as

follows: At the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of Sec. 21, Twp. 32, Range 14, thence east one and one-quarter miles, thence south 40 rods; thence about 148 rods east to road; thence south 136 rods; thence east 16 rods; thence south about 10 rods to road; thence east one-quarter mile to public road; all of the above described lands are in Montgomery County, Arkansas. And upon examination and consideration thereof, the said commissioners find that said petition is a legal one; that the signatures thereto are genuine; that said petitioners reside in the vicinity of said road; all are householders of Montgomery County, and that J. W. Miller, one of said petitioners has entered into a bond with security satisfactory to and approved by said Board of Commissioners, conditioned that the persons signing said bond shall pay into the County Treasury of said county, the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on said proposed road in case the proceedings had in said petition shall not be finally confirmed and established. And, it is therefore, ordered by said Board that L. G. Metzger, Chas. Dancer, and R. H. Foreman, who are interested householders of said county be appointed viewers of said road; and that the County Clerk notify each of them of their said appointments; and it is further ordered that said viewers shall meet at the place of beginning of said proposed road on the 24th day of May, 1888, and proceed to discharge their duties. And that the County Surveyor be, and he is hereby, ordered and directed to meet with the said viewers at the said time and place; and survey said proposed road under their direction; and it is further ordered that the County Clerk by advertisement, shall up in the office, and in the township of Autland, through which said road is proposed to be located, for at least twenty days, and by publication for two consecutive weeks in the South Arkansas Tribune, a newspaper published in said county, shall complete said notice at least twenty days before the date fixed for said viewers to meet and that said notice shall set forth that said petition has been presented and that said viewers will, on the day hereinbefore fixed, proceed to view said road and give to all parties a hearing; and it is further ordered that said notice, when given by said County Clerk, be entered upon the journal of the proceedings of the Board of Commissioners. 4/17/1888

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The petition of J. W. Miller, et al, for the establishment of a road on the following line, to wit: Beginning at the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of sec. 21, wp. 36, range 14: thence east one and one-fourth miles; thence south 40 rods; thence about 148 rods east to hedge; thence south 136 rods; thence east 15 rods; thence south about one and one-quarter miles to public road. All of the above-described lands are in Montgomery County, Kansas, and came on to be further heard upon the certified return of the surveyor, the plat, and the report of the viewers; and the Board of County Commissioners, having received all of the papers and reports relating to said road; and the report of the viewers being favorable to said road; and there being no legal objections to said report; and said Board being satisfied that said road will be of public utility, it is by said Board, ordered that said report, survey, and plat be duly recorded by the County Clerk upon the road record of said County; and that said road be, and it is hereby declared and it shall be considered a public highway; and it is further ordered that the Trustees of Rutland Township be directed to cause said road to be opened for public travel, conditioned that the township of Rutland put in an under pass on J. E. Greers' land for which the County Commissioners give to said township \$25.00. 7/7/1888

Road No. 472
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And now comes T. P. Skinner, principal petitioners therein, and presents to the Board of County Commissioners, a certain petition which was in words as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of Sec. 5, Twp. 31, Range 15, thence west 20 rods; thence in a northeast direction to the east line of the west one-half of the above-described quarter section; thence north 84 rods; thence west 30 rods; thence in a northeast direction to the north line of Montgomery County, Kansas, and thence to terminate. And upon examination and consideration thereof, the said Board of Commissioners do find that said petitioners all reside in the vicinity of the proposed road; that the petition is a legal one; that the signatures thereto are genuine; and are all householders of the said Montgomery County; and that one of said petitioners has duly entered into a bond with security satisfactory to and approved by said Commissioners, payable to the State of Kansas for the use of the said county into the treasury of said county, the amount of all costs and expenses occurring on said view and survey, in case the proceedings had in pursuance of said petition shall not be fully and finally confirmed and established; and it is, therefore, by the said Board of County Commissioners, ordered that A. L. Scott, L. L. Masters, and Andrew Griffin, who are interested householders of said county be, and they are hereby, appointed viewers of said road as by said petition prayed to be located, and the County Clerk will notify each of said viewers of their said appointment; and, it is further ordered, that said viewers shall meet at the place described in said petition as the place of beginning on the 10th day of August, 1888 and proceed to the discharge of their duties; and that the County surveyor be and he is hereby, ordered and directed to meet with the said viewers at the said time and place and survey said proposed road under their direction; and it is further ordered that the County Clerk, by advertisement, set up in his office, and in Gypsum Township, through which township said proposed road is sought to be located for at least 20 days, and by publication for two consecutive weeks in the South Kansas Tribune, a newspaper published in said county, shall give notice and complete the same at least twenty days before the time heretofore set for said viewers to meet; and it is further ordered that a record of said notice, so to be given, and as given by the said County Clerk, be entered upon the proceedings of said Board of County Commissioners; and the said County Clerk is ordered and directed to enter the same thereon.

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At this time, the petition signed by T. P. Skinner, et al., was presented to the Board of County Commissioners. And upon examination and consideration thereof, the said Board of County Commissioners find that said petition is legal one; that the signatures thereto are believed to be genuine; that the said petitioners all reside in the vicinity where the said petition is thought to be located; and that one of said petitioners has fully entered into a bond with security in accordance with the order approved by said Commissioners, payable to the said Kansas for the use of the said county, conditioned that the persons signing said bond shall pay into the Treasury of the said Montgomery County the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on said view and survey in the proceedings had in pursuance of said petition shall not be fully and finally confirmed and established; and it is therefore, by the said Board of County Commissioners, ordered that A. L. Scott, L. L. Masters, and Andrew

Griffin be, and they are, hereby, appointed viewers of said road. 10/2/1888
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The Road petition of J. P. Skinner, et al, for the establishment of a wagon road to the following line, to wit: Beginning at the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of Sec. 5, Twp. 31, Range 15 East; thence west 20 rods, thence in a northwest direction to the east line of the west one-half of the above-described quarter section; thence north 60 rods; thence west about 30 rods; thence in a northeast direction to the north line of Montgomery County, Kansas; and there to terminate, came up for final hearing upon the certified return of the surveyor, plat, and the report of the viewers; and all of the said returns and plats having been received by the said Board of County Commissioners, had having considered the same, and the reports of the viewers being favorable to the location of said road; and there being no legal objections to said report, and said Board of County Commissioners being satisfied that said road will be of public utility, it is by said Board ordered that said report, survey, and plat be duly recorded by the County Clerk upon the road record of said county, and that said road be, and is hereby declared and shall be considered a public highway; and it is further ordered that the Trustees of Geyanore Township be directed to cause said road to be opened for public travel. 10/2/1888

Road No. 473

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This day the petition of J. M. Campbell, et al, for the establishment of a road as follows: Beginning at the center of the north line of Sec. 7, Twp. 32, Range 16; thence west on section line or as near as practicable, one and one-quarter miles to the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of Sec. 12, Twp. 32, Range 15; thence south 80 rods. Also beginning at northwest corner of northeast quarter of Sec. 12, Twp. 32, Range 15 East, and running west on section line or as near as practicable to northwest corner of Sec. 12, Twp. 32, Range 15; thence west to intersection with public road, and thence south on said road to said corner of land in Montgomery County, Kansas, as shown to be further heard upon the certified return of the surveyor, the plat, the report of the viewers, and the separate report of the viewers of the damages assessed by them, and the said return, plat, and reports having all been duly delivered to and filed by the County Clerk, and having been received by the board of County Commissioners, and said board having caused the same to be read before its meeting and having considered the same, and the report of said viewers being favorable to said road; and no legal objection to said report appearing, and the said Board being satisfied that said road will be of public utility; it is by said Board of County Commissioners ordered that said report, survey, and plat be duly received by the County Clerk, and entered upon the Road Record of said county; and that the said road and it is hereby declared that it shall be considered as a public highway; and it is further ordered that the trustees of Synamore township, in which township said road is located be, and they are ordered and directed to cause said road to be opened for public travel, and that an order to this effect be issued to said Trustee. 10/10/1893

Road No. 474

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Came this day the petition of Jacob Blaes, Jr., et al, and was presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Montgomery County, Kansas, which was in words and good figures as follows, to wit: Commencing on the range line between Ranges 16 and 17, at the northwest corner of Twp. 32, thence south 2 miles on said range line to the southwest corner of Sec. 7, Twp. 32, Range 17. And upon examination and consideration thereof, the said Board of County Commissioners find that said petition is a legal one; that the signatures thereto are believed to be genuine; that the said petitioners all live in the vicinity where said road is sought to be located; and are all householders of Montgomery County, Kansas; and that one of said petitioners has entered into a bond with security satisfactory to and approved by said Board of County Commissioners, payable to the State of Kansas, for the use of the said Montgomery County, conditioned that the persons signing the said bond shall pay into the Treasury of said county, the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on said survey and view in case the proceedings had in pursuance of said petition shall not be fully and finally confirmed and established; and it is therefore by the said Board of County Commissioners ordered that Geo. Foster, E. S. Estis, and John Thackwell, who are disinterested householders of said county, be, and they are hereby appointed viewers of said road as by said petition prayed to be located; and the County Clerk will notify each of said viewers of their said appointment; and it is further ordered that said viewers shall meet at the place described in said petition as the place of beginning on the 20th day of November, 1888, and proceed to discharge their duties; and that the County Surveyor be, and he is hereby ordered and directed to meet with the said viewers at the said time and place, and survey said proposed road under the direction of said viewers; and it is further ordered that the County Clerk, by advertisement, set up in his office and in West Cherry and Cherry Townships, through which township said proposed road is sought to be located, for at least twenty days, and by publication for two consecutive weeks in the South Kansas Tribune, a newspaper published in Montgomery County, Kansas; and shall complete the same for at least twenty days before the time heretofore set for the viewers to meet; and it is further ordered that a record of said notice so to be given, and as given by said County Clerk, be placed on the Journal of the proceedings of said Board of County Commissioners; and the said County Clerk is ordered and directed to enter the same thereon. 10/5/1888

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This day the petition of Jacob Blaes, and others, for the establishment of a road on the following line, to wit: Commencing on the range line between Ranges 16 and 17 at the northwest corner of Twp. 32, thence south 2 miles on said range line to the southwest corner of Sec. 7, Twp. 32, Range 17, came on to be further heard upon the certified return of the survey thereof, the plat, and the report of the viewers, and the separate report of the viewers of the said damages assessed by them; and the said return, plat, and reports having been duly delivered to and filed by the County Clerk here-tofore, and the same having been received by the Board of County Commissioners, and said Board having caused the same to be read before their meeting and having considered the same; and the report of said viewers being favorable to said road; and no legal objections to said report appearing; and the said board being satisfied that the road will be of public utility; it is by said Board of County Commissioners ordered that said report, survey, and plat be duly recorded by the County Clerk upon the Road Record of said county, and that said road be, and it is hereby declared and shall be considered a public

highway; and it is further ordered that the Trustee of Cherry and West Cherry Townships respectively, in which townships said road is located, be and they are hereby ordered and directed to cause said road within their respective townships to be opened for public travel; and that an order to this effect be issued to each of said trustees. 1/11/1889

Road No. 475

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Came this day P. H. Fox as principal petitioner and presented to the Board of County Commissioners a certain petition which was in words and figures as follows, to wit: Commencing on a public road running east and west, at the south west corner of Sec. 25, Twp. 34, range 15, thence south on the section line or as near thereto as may be practicable, about one mile and a quarter to intersect the public highway from Coffeyville to Caney. We respectfully petition your honorable body to appoint three disinterested householders to view and lay out the said road as in our petition. And upon examination and such consideration thereof, the said Board of Commissioners have been of the opinion that it is a legal one; that the signatures thereto are believed to be genuine; that the said petitioners all reside in the locality where said road is sought to be located; and are householders of the said Montgomery County; and that one of the said petitioners has duly entered into a bond with security satisfactory to and approved by said County Commissioners, payable to the State of Kansas for the use of the said Montgomery County, conditioned that the persons signing said bond shall pay into the treasury of said Montgomery County the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on said view and survey in case the proceedings had in pursuance of said petition shall not be fully and finally confirmed and established; and it is therefore by the said Board of Commissioners ordered that D. A. Gline, Jerome Travis, and W. B. Allen, being three disinterested householders of said county be, and they are hereby appointed viewers of said road by said petition prayed for to be located; and the County Clerk will notify each of said viewers of their said appointment; and it is further ordered that the said viewers shall meet at the place described in said petition as the place of beginning on the 25th day of Nov. 1889, and proceed to the discharge of their duties; and that the County Surveyor be, and he is hereby ordered and directed to meet with the said viewers at the said time and place and survey said proposed road under their direction and it is further ordered that the County Clerk, by advertisement, set up in his office and in Lawn Creek Township; through which township said road is sought to be located, for at least twenty days and by publication for two weeks in the South Kansas Tribune, a newspaper published in said county, shall give notice and comply the same for at least twenty days before the time therefore set for said viewers to meet; and it is further ordered that a record so to be given, and as given by the said County Clerk be entered upon the Journal of the proceedings of the said County Commissioners, and the said County Clerk is ordered and directed to enter the same thereon. 10/2/1883

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This day the petition of F. H. Fox, and others, for the establishment of a road as follows: Beginning on a public road running east and west at the southwest corner of Sec. 25, Twp. 34, Range 15, thence south on the section line or as near thereto as may be practical, about one mile and a quarter to intersect the public highway from Coffeyville to Caney, came on to be further heard upon the certified return of the survey thereof, the plat, the report of the viewers, and the separate report of said viewers of the damages assessed by them; and the said return, plat, and reports having all been duly