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This day came John Duncan, principal petitioner therein, and presented to the Board of County Commissioners, a certain petition which was in words and figures as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of Sec. 5, Twp. 33, Range 15, Montgomery County, Kansas, and running thence north along the east line of said quarter section to a point where said east line of said quarter section intersects the County Road numbered 119; then returning to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of said southwest quarter of Sec. 5, and running thence west along the north line of said southeast quarter of said southwest quarter of Sec. 5, about 900 feet; from thence in a northwesterly direction to the center of the east end of the bridge across Rock Creek in a southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of said Sec. 5. And to vacate all that part of road numbered 119 lying upon or across the said southeast quarter of said Sec. 5, that lies west of a point upon said road 325 feet west of the east line of said quarter section, and all that part of Road 325 that lies east of the bridge above described and all of Roads 4 and 2 that lie upon the west half of said Sec. 5. And upon examination and consideration thereof, the said Commissioners do find that the said petition is a legal one; that the signatures thereto are genuine; that the said petitioners whose names are signed to said petition all reside in the vicinity where said road is to be laid out, and are all householders of Montgomery County; and that John Duncan, 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 the said bond shall pay into the Treasury of the said county, the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on said petition in case the proceedings had in pursuance of said petition shall not be finally confirmed and established; and it is, therefore, ordered that Erastus Surber, R. L. Madden, and Samuel Walker, who are disinterested householders of said county be, and they are hereby appointed viewers of the said roads, so by said petition prayed to be laid out and vacated, and that the County Clerk do forthwith notify each of them in writing of their said appointment; and it is further ordered that the said viewers shall meet at the place designated as the place of beginning of said road on the 6th day of December, 1892, 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 that an order be issued to him to that effect; and it is further ordered that the County Clerk, by advertisement, set up in his office, and in the township of Independence, through which township said roads are prayed to be laid out and vacated, for at least twenty 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 in said manner at least twenty days before the date hereinbefore fixed for said viewers to meet, setting forth that said petition has been presented, and the substance thereof, and that the viewers will, on the day hereinbefore fixed, proceed to view said roads and give to all parties a hearing; 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 hereby ordered and directed to enter the same thereon. 10/12/1892
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Notice is hereby given that a petition signed by John Duncan, and others, was on the 12th day of October, 1892, presented to the Board of Commissioners of

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said road so by said petition prayed to be laid out; and that the County Clerk do forthwith notify each of them in writing of their said appointment; and it is further ordered that the said viewers shall meet at the place designated as the place of beginning of said proposed road on the 22nd day of May, 1893, 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 that an order be issued him to that effect; and it is further ordered that the Co. Clerk, by advertisement, set up in his office, and in the Township of Independence, through which township said road is prayed to be laid out, for at least twenty 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 in said manner at least twenty days before the date hereinbefore fixed for said viewers to meet, setting forth that said petition has been presented; and the substance thereof; that 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 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 Commissioners; and the said County Clerk is hereby ordered and directed to enter the same thereon. 4/13/1893

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Came this day John Pittman, principal petitioner therein, and presented to the Board of County Commissioners, a certain petition, which was in words and figures as follows, to wit: We, the undersigned petitioners, hereby petition your Honorable Body to appoint viewers to view and lay out a road beginning as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the quarter section line 1546 feet north of the quarter post on the south line of Sec. 36, Twp. 33, Range 13 East, thence north on the quarter line to a point 1394 feet south of the quarter post on the north line of Sec. 36, Twp. and range as above. And upon examination and consideration thereof, the said Commissioners, do find that the said petition is a legal one; that the signatures thereto are genuine; that the said petitioners whose names are signed to said petition all reside in the vicinity where said road is to be viewed and laid out, and are all householders of Montgomery Co., and that John Pittman, 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 the said bond shall pay into the Treasury of the said county, the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on said road in case the proceedings had in pursuance of said petition shall not be finally confirmed and established; and it is therefore, by the said Board of County Commissioners, ordered that C. P. Burns, Harlan Dixon, and A. C. Greer, who are disinterested householders of said county be, and they are hereby appointed viewers of the said road, so by said petition prayed to be laid out; and that the County Clerk do forthwith notify each of them in writing of their said appointment; and it is further ordered that the said viewers shall meet at the place designated as the beginning of said road on the 15th day of August, 1893, 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 that an order be issued to him to that effect; and it is further ordered that the County Clerk, by advertisement set up in his office, and in the Township of Rutland, through which township said road is prayed to be laid out, for at least twenty days, and by publication in said County, shall give notice for two consecutive weeks, and complete the same in

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said manner at least twenty days before the date hereinbefore fixed for said viewers to meet, setting forth that said petition has been presented, and the substance thereof, and that 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 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 hereby ordered and directed to enter the same thereon. 7/7/1893
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This day the petition of John Pittman, and others, for the establishment of a road as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point on the quarter section line 1546 feet north of the quarter post on the south line of Sec. 36, Twp. 33, Range 13 East; thence north on the quarter line to a point 1394 feet south of the quarter post on the north line of Sec. 36, Twp. and range as above, 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 delivered to and filed by the County Clerk heretofore, 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 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 Rutland Township, in which township said road is located be, and he is hereby 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. 10/6/1893

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Came this day John Pittman, principal petitioner therein, and presented to the Board of County Commissioners a certain petition which was in words and figures as follows, to wit: We, the undersigned petitioners, hereby petition your Honorable Body to appoint viewers to view and vacate a portion of a road beginning as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point 1546 feet north of the quarter post on the south line of Sec. 36, Twp. 33, Range 13 East; thence north 110° west 1174 feet; thence north 100° East. 1174 feet to quarter line; and upon examination and consideration thereof, the said Commissioners do find that the said petition is a legal one; that the signatures thereto are genuine; that the said petitioners whose names are signed to said petition all reside in the vicinity where said road is to be locally vacated; and are all householders of Montgomery County; that John Pittman, 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 the said bond shall pay into the Treasury of the said county, the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on said proposed vacation in case the proceedings had in pursuance of said petition shall not be finally confirmed and established; and it is therefore, by the said Board of County Commissioners, ordered that C. P. Burns, A. C. Greer, and Harlan Dixon, who are disinterested householders of said county be, and they are hereby appointed viewers of the said road so by said petition prayed to be vacated; and that the County Clerk do forthwith notify each of them in writing of their

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Montgomery County, Kansas, praying for the location and vacation of a certain wagon road on the following lines, to wit: Beginning at the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of Sec. 5, Twp. 33, Range 15 East, in Montgomery Co., Kansas, and running thence north along the east line of said quarter section to a point where said east line of said quarter section intersects the County Road No. 19; then returning to the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of said southwest quarter of Sec. 5, and running thence west along the north line of said southeast quarter of said southwest quarter of Sec. 5 about 900 feet and from thence in a northwesterly direction to the center of the east end of the bridge across Rock Creek in the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of said Sec. 5, and to vacate all that part of Road No. 119 lying upon or across the said southeast quarter of said Sec. 5 that lies west of a point upon said road 30 feet west of the East line of said quarter section, and all that part of Road 325 that lies east of the bridge above described; and all of Roads 4 and 2 that lie upon the west half of said Sec. 5; that said petition was granted and Erastus Surber, R. L. Madden and Samuel Walker, three disinterested householders were duly appointed as viewers and said viewers will meet at the place designated as the beginning of said road on the 6th day of December, 1892, and proceed to view said road and give to all parties a hearing. 10/24/1892

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Came this day John Duncan, principal petitioner therein, and presented to the Board of County Commissioners, a certain petition, which was in words and figures as follows, to wit: To vacate a road beginning as follows: All that part of Road No. 119 lying and being on the southwest quarter of Sec. 5, Twp. 33, Range 16, except 30 feet thereof, it being the east 30 feet of said road which is on said quarter section; also all that part of Roads No. 2 and 4 lying and being on the west half of Sec. 5, Twp. 33, Range 16 East, and all of Road No. 325 east of the Rock Creek Bridge on said west half of Sec. 5, Twp. 33, Range 16 East; and upon examination and consideration thereof, the said Commissioners do find that the said petition is a legal one; that the signatures thereto are genuine; that the said petitioners whose names are signed to said petition all reside in the vicinity where said roads are to be vacated, and are all householders of Montgomery County, and that John Duncan, one of said petitioners, has duly entered into a bond with security satisfactory to and approved by the 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 the said county, the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on not be finally confirmed and established; and it is therefore, by the said Board of County Commissioners ordered that Charles Wilson, Jacob Vandyne, and Chas. Overfield, who are disinterested householders of said county be, and they are, hereby appointed viewers so by said petition prayed to view and vacate said road; and that the County Clerk do forthwith notify each of them in writing of their said appointment; and it is further ordered that the said viewers shall meet at the place designated as the place of beginning on the 23rd day of May, 1893, 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 roads so prayed to be vacated under their direction, and that an order be issued to him to that effect; and it is further ordered that the County Clerk, by advertisement set up in his office, and in the Township of Independence, through which township said roads are prayed to be vacated, for at least twenty days, and by publication for two consecutive weeks in the South Kansas Tribune, a newspaper published in said county, shall give notice

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said appointment; and it is further ordered that the said viewers shall meet at the place designated as the place of beginning of said vacation on the 15th day of August, 1893, 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 vacation under their direction; and that an order be issued to him to that effect; and it is further ordered that the County Clerk, by advertisement set up in his office, and in the township of Rutland, through which township said road is prayed to be vacated for at least twenty 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 in said manner at least twenty days before the date hereinbefore fixed for said viewers to meet, setting forth that said petition has been presented, and the substance thereof; and that the 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 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 hereby ordered and directed to enter the same thereon. 7/7/1893
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This day the petition of John Pittman for the vacation of a road as follows, to wit: Beginning at a point 1546 feet north of the quarter post on the south line of Sec. 36, Twp. 33, Range 13 East; thence north 110° west 1174 feet; and thence north 100° east 1174 feet to quarter line, came on to be further heard upon the certified return of the survey thereof, the plat, the report of the viewers, and the said return, plat, and report having all been duly delivered to and filed by the County Clerk heretofore, and having been received by the Board of Commissioners, and having been received by the Board of Commissioners, and having caused the same to be read before its meeting, and said Board having so caused the same to be read before its meeting, and having considered the same; as prayed for, and no legal objection to said report appearing, and the said Board being satisfied that said road is of no public utility, it is by said Board of County Commissioners, ordered that said report, survey, and plat be designated thereon that said road has been vacated; and that said road be, and it is hereby declared, and shall be considered as a public highway no longer; and it is further ordered that the Trustee of Rutland Township, in which township said road is located be, and he is hereby ordered and directed to cause said road to be vacated; and to stop further public work on said road; and that an order to this effect be issued to said Trustee. 10/6/1893

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Came this day J. G. McMillin, principal petitioner therein, and presented to the Board of County Commissioners, a certain petition, which was in words and figures as follows, to wit: Beginning at the section line between Sections 22 and 27, on the west bank of Sycamore Creek about 20 rods east of the half section line, and where Road No. 67 crosses said Sycamore Creek, thence following said road running north and south and numbered 305, all in Twp. 31 South, Range 15 of, the said Commissioners do find that the said petition is a legal one; that the signatures thereto are genuine; that the said petitioners whose names are signed to said petition all reside in the vicinity where said road is located, and are all householders of Montgomery County; and that J. G. McMillin, one of said petitioners, has duly entered into a bond with security sat-

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and complete the same in said manner at least twenty days before the date hereinbefore presented, and the substance thereof; and that viewers will, on the day hereinbefore fixed, proceed to view said roads and give to all parties a hearing; 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 hereby ordered and directed to enter the same thereon. 4/13/1893
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This day the petition of John Duncan, and others, for the vacation of the following parts of public wagon roads in Montgomery County, Kansas, to wit: All that part of road No. 119 lying and being on the southwest quarter of Sec. 5, Twp. 33 South, Range 16 East, except 30 feet thereof, it being the east 30 ft. of said road which is on said quarter section; also, all that part of Roads No. 2 and 4 lying and being on the west half of Sec. 5, Twp. 33, Range 16 East; and all of Road No. 325 east of the Rock Creek Bridge on said west half of Sec. 5, Twp. 33, Range 16 East, came on to be further heard upon the certified return of the survey thereof, the plat, the report of the viewers, and the said return, plat, and report having all been duly delivered to and filed by the County Clerk heretofore, 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 the vacation of the parts of roads as prayed for in said petition, and no legal objection to said report appearing, and the said Board being satisfied that said parts of roads are of no utility to the public travel, it is, by the 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 the said parts of Roads be, and they are hereby declared and shall be considered as vacated and not subject to public work; and it is further ordered and directed to cause said parts of roads to be so vacated; and not use any public money or work on said parts of roads so vacated by this order; and than an order to this effect be issued to said Trustee. 10/6/1893

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Came this day I. O. Slater, principal petitioner therein, and presented to the Board of County Commissioners, a certain petition, which was in words and figures as follows, to wit: We, the undersigned petitioners, hereby petition your honorable body to appoint viewers to view and lay out a road, beginning as follows: At the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Sec. 30, Twp. 33 South, Range 16 East, of the 5th P.M. Montgomery County, Kas.; and running thence west one-half mile; thence north one-fourth mile; thence west one-half mile to intersect Road No. 5; said road to be 40 feet in width. And upon examination and consideration thereof, the said Commissioners do find that the said petition is a legal one; that the signatures thereto are genuine; that the said petitioners whose names are signed to said petition all reside in the vicinity where said road is to be laid out; and are all householders of Montgomery County, Kansas; and that I. O. Slater, 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 the said bond shall pay into the Treasury of the said county the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on said proposed road in case the proceedings had in pursuance of said petition shall not be finally confirmed and established; and it is therefore, by the said Board of County Commissioners, ordered that L. T. Barbour, J. F. McCorle, and George Fuster, who are disinterested householders of said County be, and they are hereby appointed viewers of the

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isfactory to and approved by said Commissioners, payable to the State of Kansas, for the use of said Montgomery County, conditioned that the persons signing the said bond shall pay into the Treasury of the said county the amount of all costs and expenses accruing on said petition in case the proceedings had in pursuance of said petition shall not be finally confirmed and established; and it is, therefore, by the said Board of County Commissioners, ordered that A. A. Daugherty, John Busby, and J. B. Brown, who are disinterested householders of said county, be, and they are hereby appointed viewers of the said road so by said petition prayed to be established; and the said part of a road prayed to be vacated, and that the County Clerk do forthwith notify each of them in writing of their said appointment; and it is further ordered that the said viewers shall meet at the place designated as the beginning of said proposed road, on the 24th day of November, 1893, 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, and the said proposed vacation under their direction; and that an order be issued to him to that effect; and it is further ordered that the County Clerk, by advertisement, set up in his office, and in the Township of Sycamore, through which township said road is prayed to be laid out, for at least twenty 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 in said manner at least twenty days before the date hereinbefore fixed for said viewers to meet, setting forth that said petition has been presented; and the substance thereof; and that the 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 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 hereby ordered and directed to enter the same thereon. 10/21/1893
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This day the petition of J. G. McMillin for the establishment of a road as follows, to wit: Beginning on the section line between Secs. 22 and 27 on the west bank of Sycamore Creek, about 20 rods east of the half section line, and where Road No. 67 crosses said Sycamore Creek, thence following said creek or as near as practicable south and easterly to intersect road running north and south and numbered 305, all in Twp. 31 South, Range 15 of, above stated, 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 delivered to and filed by the County Clerk heretofore, 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 recorded by the County Clerk upon the road record of said county; and that the said road be, and it is hereby declared and shall be considered a public highway; and it is further ordered that the Trustee of Sycamore Township in which township said road is located be, and he is hereby 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, and that R. W. Buinn is hereby allowed \$100.00 damages. Road 67 vacated as prayed for in said petition. 1/5/1894