

State of New York, Montgomery County, Village of Fort Plain, May 26, 1842,
Before, Homer G. Mountford, Allen Warden, Thomas Cloney Esqrs appraisers
In the Matter of the Claim of Charles Walrath, on the 26th day of May 1842,
at Fort Plain in the County of Montgomery before the said appraisers Came Charles
Walrath the claimant above named and presented a claim for damages
caused by the appropriation of parts of lots 6 & 7 in said Village for the enlarge-
ment of the Erie Canal. Having viewed the premises the said appraisers heard
the proofs offered by the claimant & the state at the time & place aforesaid
which with the claim & title is subjoined to the entry hereof, the lots in question
are 50 feet front & rear on the north side of the Canal, next east of lot No.
8 belonging to John Bell, in said Village, from which have been appropri-
ated for said Enlargement 27 feet upon the Canal front & through the entire
width of the lots, there was upon each lot a small house which have
been removed back and raised 4 feet by the State and placed in full ay

good Condition as before the removal, the Witness estimates the damage to each lot at \$125, the real damage is simply the loss of so much land in the rear, which as in the claim of John Bell for lot-8 adjoining the appraisers think does not exceed \$100 per lot or \$200 for both, which the appraisers allow, the claimants ^{damages} for the cause aforesaid are appraised, at two hundred dollars \$200.00

In Witness Whereof the said appraisers have hereunto set their hands this 3rd day of November 1842, Henry G. Martinckle, Thos. Lowry, Allen Warder, (State of New York Albany Co, on this 4th day of November 1842, before me came Henry G. Martinckle, Thomas Lowry & Allen Warder to me known as the same person described in & who executed the above Transcript & severally acknowledged the due execution thereof by them Wm. Larnelle Recorder of Albany.

Recorded the 19th day of November 1842, at 11 o'clock a.m.
J. L. L. L.