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- A. There is quite a drop off. When you are standing on our west lawn you cannot see the top of the road. Right above that it drops off into a large stone gulch which is also a stremm and a water fall.
- Q. In other words, if this right of way line were followed through, it would be completely off the road and down in the gully, is that correct?
- A. Almost down into that stone area where the stream is.
- Q. How much lower than the road bed is that stream approximately?
- A. It varies at the deepest point probably fifteen feet. That is approximate it could be more I don't know.
- Q. Mr. Summers, has there or not been a fence to the east of the dwelling on your property?
- A. Yes.
- Q. And what kind of fence or fences have there been there?
- A. To my knowledge there has always been a wire fence such as/there now.
- Q. Is there or not a gate to the east of the house.
- A. No, not at the present time because when we removed the porch, we removed the small pate and a driveway was changed somewhat on the west side. It used to be a large gate which we used to use as an entrance when we hauled the coal with horse and wagon.
- Q. Seems to me when I was up there there was some cast iron post.
- A. That was the remains of the gate. We took the gate down when we removed the porch. The porch came out six feet it was a narrow porch and we had six feet in front of the house and the porch was built on that area and the iron post is still there because I couldn't get it out it is set in concrete.
- Q. You don't know when that iron fence was put in there?
- A. I assume the same time the sometime between 1890 and 1895 when my grandfather completely redecorated the whole place and put in the Victorian porch and the Victorian iron works.
- Q. I show you another picture, Mr. Summers, which I will mark Petitioners Exhibit #3 and ask you if you took this picture.
- A. Yes, this is the picture I took immediately following the removal of the porch.
- Q. Where did the porch come in front of the house in reference to the steps which are clearly seen in the foregound of this picture?