

No. 15 Sept Term, 1882

Public Bridge

~~versus~~

across

Bear Run in

Bell Twp

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To the Honorable the Judges of the Court of
Common Pleas, of the County of Charfield,
now composing a Court of Quarter Sessions
of the peace in and for said County,
The petition of the subscribers respectfully
sheweth: That a bridge is much wanted
over Bearrun at the place where the State
Road leading from Currensville to Indiana
Penna. crosses said run in the Township of
Bell, in said County; and that the erection
of said bridge (the abutments will have to be
high and the span not less than forty feet) will
require more expense than it is reasonable, or
than the said Township can bear,
Your petitioners therefore pray the Court to
appoint persons duly qualified to view the
site proposed for said Bridge and lay
out the same according to law.

Patrist Shields,

Chas. Magee

David H. Mott

W. M. Skiesky

H. M. Davidson

Frank. Koring

Joseph Parrish

Samuel Sunderlin

W. B. Adell

James Cassid

W. H. M. Brown

John C. Duff

W. S. Henderson

John Davis

E. L. Miller

T. A. McKee

Daniel Remaley

Jas. Campbell

S. E. Sunderlin

Philip H. Gee

J. W. Miller

S. S. Smith

Andrew Wall

James A. Campbell

Bolser Hultchen

W. H. M. Brown

J. W. Campbell

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J. A. McCune

S. Coover

John McGee

Port. Beringer

W. H. M. Brown

Wm. Remaley

J. H. Smith

J. A. Mott

Daniel Bouch

James A. Miller

J. J. Davidson

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No. 15 Sept. Dec. 1882.

Petition for an
County Judge
over Bear River
in Bell township.

And now to wit
the 5th October 1882
petition presented
and read and the
Court appointed Geo.
H. H. H. H.

to present the premises
and report to the Court
By the Court
J. H. H. H.

W. H. H. H.

Bridge Viewers Report

Clearfield County SS.

at a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Clearfield held at Clearfield in ^{and} for said County on the 5 Oct 1882 before the Judges of the said Court upon the petition of of sundry inhabitants of the Township of Bell in said County setting forth that they labor under great inconvenience for want of a bridge over Bear run at the place where the State road leading from Curwensville to Indiana, Pa crosses said run in said Twp of Bell ^{and} that the erection of said Bridge will require more expense than it is reasonable or than the said Township can bear.

And therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view the same according to law. Whereupon the Court upon due Consideration had of the premises do order and appoint Tho W Moore, Isaac Caldwell ^{and} Cortis Bell, who after being respectfully sworn ^{or} Affirmed to perform the duties of their Appointment with impartiality and fidelity are to view the premises proposed for said Bridge and if two of them agree that there is occasion for such Bridge ^{and} that the erection would require more expense than is reasonable or than

the said Township can bear. They
shall make report thereof particularly
to the Court. At the next Term of
Quarter Sessions to be held for said
County. In which report they shall
state that they have been sworn or
affirmed according to law

By the Court

James Kerr

Clerk Quarter Sessions

To the Honorable Judges of the Court of Quarter
Sessions of Clearfield County

We the undersigned Viewers
appointed by the foregoing order of Court to
view a Site for a Bridge across Bear Run
at the Point where the Public road leading
from Curwensville to Indianer crosses
the same - Do Report - That in pursuance of
said appointment, after, first, having given
due notice of the time and place of meeting
according to ^{been duly sworn to & affirmed -} law, we all met and having
examined the Bridge which crosses said
Run ^{and} find it in a very unsafe condition
it having been at best but an imperfect
Structure, and we are of the opinion that it
is highly important that a new Bridge should
be erected here as soon as it possibly can be done
and we further think that the expense of
building such a Bridge as is necessary at this
Point would be greater than the inhabitants of said
Township should reasonably bear and we would
recommend that the County should assist them
in building the same -

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands
this 6th day of January AD 1880 -

Thos. W. Moore

Stuart Calwell

Ortis. Bell

viewers

Mr. J. S. Lefort. 1882

Report of Bridge

over Bear Run
in

Roll Township

"Nov 11" January 1883 Report
approved & referred to the land
before the Grand Jury
by the Court

John D. H. Miller, Jr.
is subject 1883. The Court in the
recommendation of the Grand Jury - 1883
1883. 1883. 1883.

John D. H. Miller, Jr.
Filed 10" January 1883

Nov 11" January 1883 Report
& recommendation approved

Thomas
Grand Jury

Car No 242

Northmore

Miles 20 14.00

Loose Ballance

Miles 22 8.20

Cortis Ball

Miles 16 5.60