

Terrell, 1890

Public Bridge
across Lick Run

Versus

Goshen Deep

Contents:

No 8 Dec Dec 1895

Petition for county
bridge across Little
Run in Larcher
township

1/14/96 - Order to view
is discontinued

Met by
Adm. for Petition

Kurt Brothers, Stationers, Clearfield, Pa.

Dec 18 1895

of Spring City, Pa.

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County, Penn'a.

To the Honorable Cyrus Gordon, Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County:

The petition of the undersigned inhabitants and tax payers of Goshen Township, Clearfield County, Pa., respectfully represents:-
over Lick Run
That a new bridge is much needed at or near the mouth of Lick Run in Goshen Township, said county, where the public road leading from Clear-
that the bridge across said run is rotten and unsafe
field to Karthaus crosses said run; that said bridge is necessary, and that the expense of erecting said bridge would be burdensome upon the inhabitants of said township and more than it is reasonable they should bear.

Your petitioners therefore pray the court to appoint proper persons qualified according to law, to view the place proposed for said bridge, and to inquire whether said bridge is necessary, as aforesaid, and make report at the next term of court.

And they will ever pray, &c.

Edgar Shaw.
W. A. Nelson
Edw. Shirey
Rudolph Buick
L. C. Murray
John H. Gorden
Jm Selfridge
A. C. Shirey
R. G. Shann

John C. Smith
J. E. Graham
Thompson Graham
R. B. Tuley
Jm. Gansbury
A. B. K. Oyer
C. J. Tuley
Thomas T. Tuley
J. E. Meader
John A. Tuley

Clearfield County, ss:-

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace held at Clearfield, in and for the said county of Clearfield, on ^{18th} day of Dec. A.D. 1895, before the judge of the said court, upon the petition of of the inhabitants of the township of Goshen in the said county setting forth that " a new bridge over Lick Run is much needed at or near the mouth of Lick Run in Goshen Township, said county where the public road leading from Clearfield to Karthaus crosses said run; that the said bridge is necessary, that the bridge across said run is rotten and unsafe, and that the expense of erecting said bridge would be burdensome upon the inhabitants of said township and more than it is reasonable they should bear" the court on due consideration appoints *John Stephenson, Blair Reed & R M Johnston* who after being respectively sworn or affirmed to perform their duties impartially and to the best of their judgment, are to view the place proposed for the said bridge and if they agree that there is occasion for such a bridge, and that the erecting of the said bridge would require more expense than it would be reasonable the said township should bear, they are to make report accordingly at the next session of the Court of Quarter Sessions.

By the Court
Cyrus Gordon

RELEASE OF DAMAGES.

Know All Men by These Presents, That we, the undersigned owners of lands upon which the bridge is located by the viewers, under the annexed order, passes for and in consideration of the sum of ONE DOLLAR to us respectively paid by the..... at and before the ensealing and delivery hereof, have remised, released and forever quit-claimed; and do hereby remise, release and forever quit-claim to the said..... all damages that may arise to us respectively by reason of the location or building of said bridge, so that neither we nor any of us, nor any person claiming under us, can or may hereafter ask, sue for, demand, have or receive any damages for injuries arising or growing out of the location or building of said bridge.

Witness our hands and seals this..... day of.....
A. D. 189.....

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Seal

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Seal

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Seal

ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES.

The following persons, having refused to release the damages to which they respectively may be entitled by reason of the location and building of said bridge in the annexed return described, we, the undersigned viewers, under oath in pursuance of our duty, under the Act of Assembly, do assess their damages and make report thereof as follows:

To..... the sum of.....

To..... the sum of.....

To..... the sum of.....

Witness our hands this..... day of..... A. D. 189.....

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Clearfield County, ss:

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the county of Clearfield, Pennsylvania, held at Clearfield, in and for said county on the

18th day of December, A. D.

1895, before Judge of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of

Goshen in said

County, setting forth that a new bridge

is necessary over Lick

Run at or near its

mouth in said Twp. where public

road leading from Clearfield to

Karthaus crosses said stream

and that the expense of erecting

said bridge would be burden-

some upon the inhabitants

of said Twp.

and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to view and lay out the same according to law,

and to make report to next term

whereupon the Court upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint

John Stephenson Bear Reaa

R M Johnson

who after being respectively sworn or affirmed to perform their duties impartially and to the best of their

judgment, are to view the place proposed for the said bridge, and if they or any of them, view the

same, and any of the actual viewers agree that there is occasion for such a bridge, and that the

erecting of the said bridge would require more expense than it would be reasonable the said townships should

bear, they are to make report accordingly;

and a map or plot thereof to be made, which shall accompany said report; the report aforesaid to be made to

the next term of the Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for the said county of Clearfield.

BY THE COURT.

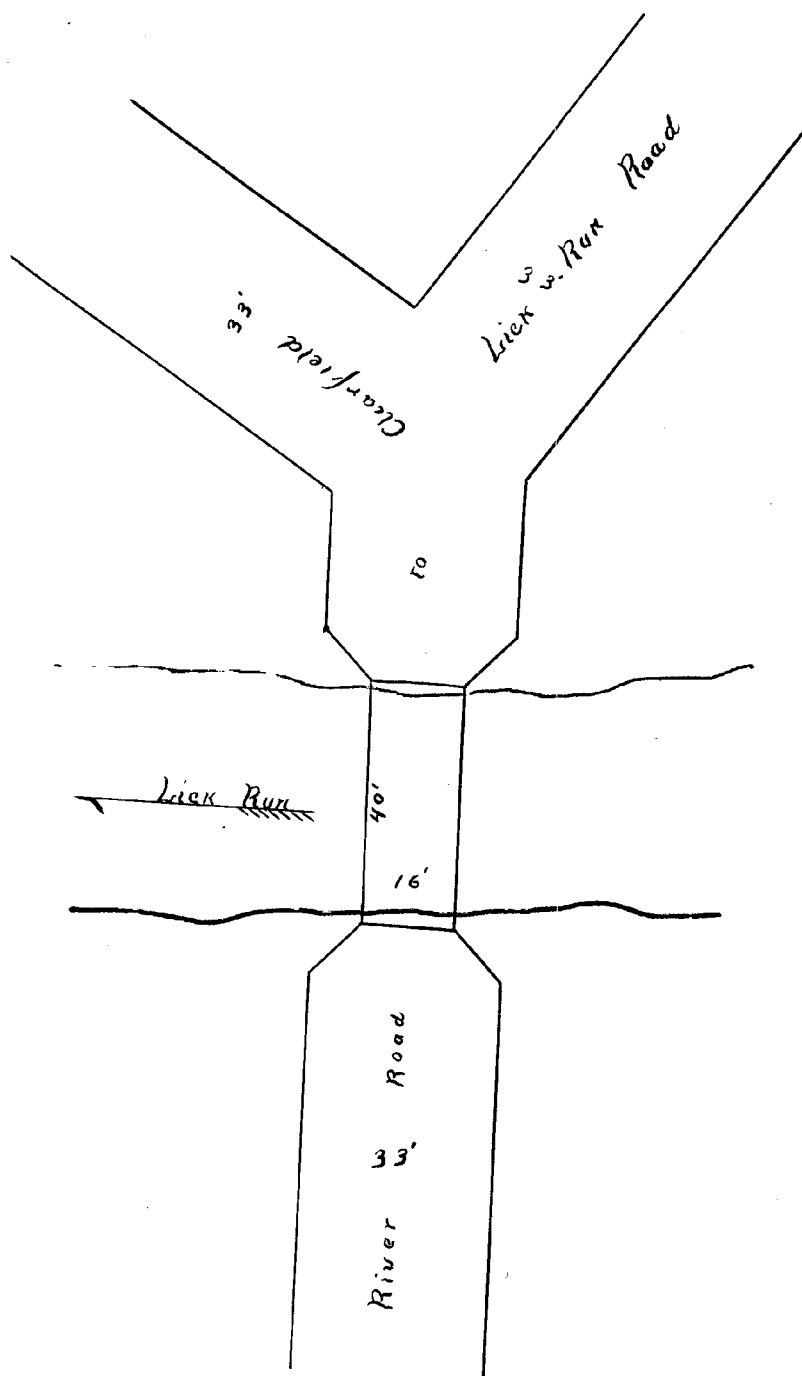
H. G. Ginery

CLERK.

To the Honorable Cyrus Gordon
President Judge of the Court of Quarter
Session of Clearfield County, Pennsylv-
ania. We, the undersigned, viewers
appointed by the within order of Court
to view a site for a Bridge across
Lick Run at the place therein de-
scribed. Do Report. That first hav-
ing given more than five days notice
of the time and place of meeting accord-
ing to law. We all met, and having
been severally sworn or affirmed as
within directed and upon due examina-
tion had and Considerations taken
with references to the wants and ac-
comodations of the public travel. We
are decidedly of the opinion that a Bridge
is necessary at this place. And further
that the expense of Erecting the
same would be greater than the
Township of Toshiaw could reasonably
be expected to bear, and recommend
that the Iron of said Bridge be erected
by the County, and that the Township
build the Abutments.

A plat or draft showing location
of the same is herewith annexed.
Length of Bridge to be 40 ft.
In witness whereof we have
hereto set our hands this Twenty Eighth
day of January A.D. 1896

John Stephenson
E. M. Johnston
J. Blair Reed,
Viewers.



Draft Showing Location of proposed
Public Bridge Across Lick Run, Goshen Twp.

Jan. 28 1896.

Scale. 30' = 1 inch.

J.W. Stephenson, Sur.

NOTE.—Viewers will carefully note the number of days employed, and set the amount out at the foot of their return. Reviewers cannot interfere with damages assessed by the original viewers, except so far as the location may be changed by the reviewers.
 N. B.—If the viewers believe the parties are not entitled to damages, taking into consideration the advantages as well as the disadvantages of the bridge, they will report to that effect.

AMOUNT.

No. 8 Dec 1895
Public Bridge

Goshen Drop in John Stephens (1576) Days 1 Miles 5 4.50
Feb 6/96 Recommenda three (1569) Days 1 Miles 9 2.80
The County furnish the Blair Lead
superstructure for Iron Bridge (1577) Days 1 Miles 33 5.30
W. B. Langsfur
Halaman

ORDER TO VIEW.

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 not approved and rec.
 furnished by the County
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 steel field erect the iron
 bridge and that broken
 township erect the a.
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Filed 1st Feb'y 1896
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Fees \$1.25, paid by

Attorney.

Nov 7 Feb'y 1896 finding of Grand Jury
 approving and proceedings confirmed and the
 matter is referred to the County Commissioners
 for such action as they may consider
 necessary and proper—

By the Court
 J. M. Gordon
 J. M.