

No. 10 Dec. Sess. Term, 1897

Public Bridge

versus in

Glen Hope

Borough

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

15th day of November, A. D.

1894, before Judge of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the ^{Borough} ~~township~~ of Glen Hope in said

County, setting forth that the present wooden Bridge was built, fifty three years ago (1846) at the present time the Bridge is in a dangerous condition from water running on the North end of the Bridge the timbers are decayed and liable to break down, by heavy teams passing over and cause heavy damages to Clearfield County

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

and report to next term of Court whereupon the Court upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and appoint Harry Byers, R.R. Fleming and John Byers

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 two of them, view the same, and any two 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.

Grant H. Thompson
CLERK.

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 en sealing 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.....

..... Seal.
..... Seal.
..... Seal.
..... 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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To The Honorable Cyrus Gordon, President Judge of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Clearfield County, we, the undersigned viewers appointed by the within order of court to view the bridge therein mentioned respectfully report that we gave notice of said view and met agreeable thereto and having been severally sworn or affirmed we have viewed the said bridge, only the two undersigned viewers being present, and we report further that after carefully examining the bridge aforesaid we are of opinion that it is of sufficient strength to be safe for travel and that the erection of a new bridge is not necessary at the present time. We recommend that some repairs be made to the bridge this year to secure it against floods. The abutments need some attention, a few pieces of timber should be put in at the North end, and some shingles are needed. Witness our hands this 28th day of November A D 1899

Viewers
Present

Harry Byer
R. R. Fleming

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.

No. 10 Dec^{ssd} 1891
Public Bridge
in
Borough of Glen Hope R.R. Fleming

(1935)
Harry Byers } Days 2
Miles 36 \$11.60
Days 1
Miles 12 320

Days
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ORDER TO VIEW.

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Fees \$1.25, paid by
Dec 1899
Charles H. Thompson,
Prothonotary. Attorney.

We the undersigned Citizens and Taxpayers
 of Glen Hope Borough and vicinity would
 respectfully petition and ask The Board
 of Commissioners of Clearfield County Pa
 to Build and erect a Bridge across Clear-
 field Creek at this place at their earliest
 convenience The present wooden Bridge
 was built Fifty Three years ago 1846
 At the present time the Bridge is in a
 dangerous condition from water
 running on north end of the Bridge
 the timbers are decayed and liable
 to break down with heavy ^{teams} and conse-
 quent damage to Clearfield County

Names

P. Keagy
 Ch. Kimmery
 Geo. B. Bratton
 Ed P. Amis m
 S. D. Helsel
 Robert Caldwell
 J. A. Green
 J. H. Glasgow
 J. H. Baer
 A. B. Helsel
 H. H. Hinkman
 J. R. Davis
 W. R. Dickinson
 Milford Brutton
 J. E. Semple

Names

J. W. Bratton
 A. L. Wick
 Ch. Cooper
 R. Caldwell
 T. P. Cager
 J. A. Smith
 Andrew Litis
 W. B. Davis
 H. L. Patterson
 J. St. Brooke
 J. J. Hough
 John Burk
 Thomas Mathers
 John Kindman

the Re Affiliations of
Sevier & Davis County
Bridges at Glen Hope.

Confirms Nov 18th 1899 the
fact in being traced to
the Court of David Sevier
of Crawford County and
being duly certified
Henry Byers R. R. Henry
and John Rogers are
affiliated Seviors to Sevier
the bridge at Glen Hope,
Crawford County, Va.
and make report to
Sevier's Session 1899.
as to the necessity of no
travelling the Sevier bridge
at said place.

By the Court
Cyrus Gordon
CJ

Names.

Homes

Moses Baer

James Ferguson

Wm. Brown

Alex. Tickerstaff

W. B. Wright

Martin Jones

Thos. Jones

J. B. Runney

Ben. Poole

J. E. Boyce

W. V. Watts

J. C. Bloom

Harry Davis

D. F. Bell

A. K. Green

Philip Watts

Wm. L. L. L.

H. Davis

J. C. Jones

Henry A. Bond

W. B. Wright

Low Cooper

L. G. Hewling

Lower Bratton

C. Frederick

Frank Baer

H. B. Rex