

No. 15

May

Term, 190

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County Bridge

versus

over Susquehanna
River in Girard & Co
Bradford Lake,

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Petition of the Citizens of
 Girard and Bradford Townships
 to the Court of Clearfield
 County Pa for a view for a
 Bridge across the Susquehanna
 River at mouth of Bald Hill
 Run in Girard Twp. Said bridge
 to connect the townships of Girard and Bradford.
 names

J. Steel Shopp
 B. J. Maines
 H. L. Harey
 C. A. Harey
 J. M. English
 F. E. Houser
 J. F. Houser
 L. W. Houser
 B. B. Houser
 M. M. Houser
 William Houser
 Ashley Shopp
 James Shopp

Thomas Mullen
 Joseph Mullen
 M. C. Mullen

Charles H. Houser
 Arthur Watson
 A. E. Woolbridge
 W. B. Hughes
 H. Q. Barker
 J. Morris
 C. E. Lamsburg

Wm. Graffius
 H. A. Woolbridge
 H. B. Woolbridge
 John Houser
 Geo. B. Houser
 E. J. Houser

E. H. Houser
 S. S. Lamsburg
 J. A. Houser

names

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W. H. Wier

Par. Menees

Edmon. Cranner

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John E. E. E.

J. E. E. E.

J. H. E. E.

C. F. Graham

J. H. E. E.

Robt. Luger

J. H. E. E.

H. O. Shirey

H. H. Bagger

C. H. Shirey

J. D. Dugan

J. S. Luger

C. H. E. E.

U. B. Bishop

Ed. M. Bailey

J. M. McDowell

St. W. Butler

John Livingston

C. W. Clemm

Mary Graham

Matthew Graham

W. H. E. E.

Ed. W. Wiser

Hamilton Grabbins

S. W. R. E. E.

F. S. Forey

J. A. M. E. E.

W. H. E. E.

J. B. Wether

A. B. Gooshael

D. B. E. E.

E. H. Woolridge

Matthew Snapp

Abraham Hummel

H. S. E. E.

Jacob Himmel

J. S. Ward

W. H. E. E.

E. S. Pelton

Stephen Holt

C. S. Pelton

Harris Peters
O. H. Hemmel
Floyd Pelton
E. J. Williams
Harry Hemmel
Ellis W. Evans
David Williams
James Harrier
Pam Harrier
Joshua Graffius
David Young

A. W. Cowden
W. F. Knapp
George W. Smith
Elihu Brown
F. Kent Muller
Lester K. Hart

J. B. Barrett
Austin E. Hart
J. M. Bristol

A. Taylor
W. F. Hart

J. B. Harris
Walter H. Hart
George Graffius
Jas. F. Thompson

Petition of the
Citizens of
Hind and Broad
Land such to
the Judge of the
Court of Chancery
Es &c

names

C. O. Graham
 L. H. Moines
 Paul Smith
 John Murphy
 W. K. Stewart
 Isaac Smith
 Martin Martell
 Frank Martell
 Simon Jury
 Jno A Graham
 S. C. Bradford
 Daniel Plubell
 Wm Jury
 Elsie Shirey
 Hilary Delisle
 A. J. Smith
 H. W. Shaw
 J. K. Munn

names

Eddie Merat
 Alphonse Delisle
 Henry Beauneigne
 Edmond Derrinor
 James Beauneigne
 Sando Lufier
 Arthur Merat
 J. C. Stuycomb
 James Graham
 Andy McGowan
 Fred Hite
 Ahley Tyler
 Joseph Hite
 J. F. Rhine
 Prosper C. Bonnet
 E. V. Billie
 E. J. Mignot
 A. J. Henry

Ira D. Loring
Daniel Bradford
Aaron Murray
Bert Dunlap
Lewis Huger
Henry Buck

Byron Leggy
W. C. Kriss
Mitchell Newcomb

H. F. Bondriet
Peter Brown
Dan Bingham
Curt Jurey
Wm. Brook

~~John Bingham~~
George Dunlap
Fred Shirey

<i>Road</i> <i>5 May 1. 1902</i>	Petition of inhabitants of Bradford and Grand Township for County Bridge across Susquehanna River at or near mouth of Bald Hill Run.		<i>Now April 23, 1902, the within petition and and considered and thereupon Harry Byers, S. W. Byers and George Savage are appointed a board to view the site of the proposed County Bridge and make report of the necessity thereof to the next term of Court</i>	A. H. WOODWARD, 1902 APR 23 Attorney at Law, Grant H. Theobald, Pa. Notary Public
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1205 By Petitioned

And now May 9th 1902. We approve the report of the viewers and do further find said Bridge to be necessary and would be too burdensome upon the inhabitants of said Townships to build. - and recommend that the County build the bridge, the inhabitants on the Bradford Township side build their abutment and the approach thereto. And the inhabitants on the Girard Township side build their abutment and the approach thereto.

R. E. Green,

Roman Grand Jury.

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

23rd day of April, A. D.

1892, before Judge of said Court, upon a petition of sundry inhabitants of the township of Bradford^{Co} Guard in said

County, setting forth that they labor under

inconvenience for a bridge across Susquehanna River at or near Bald Hill Run

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 Myers, S. J. Purge^{and} James Savage.

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 2 of them, view the same, and any 2 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 L. 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 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.

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Seal.

ASSESSMENT OF DAMAGES.

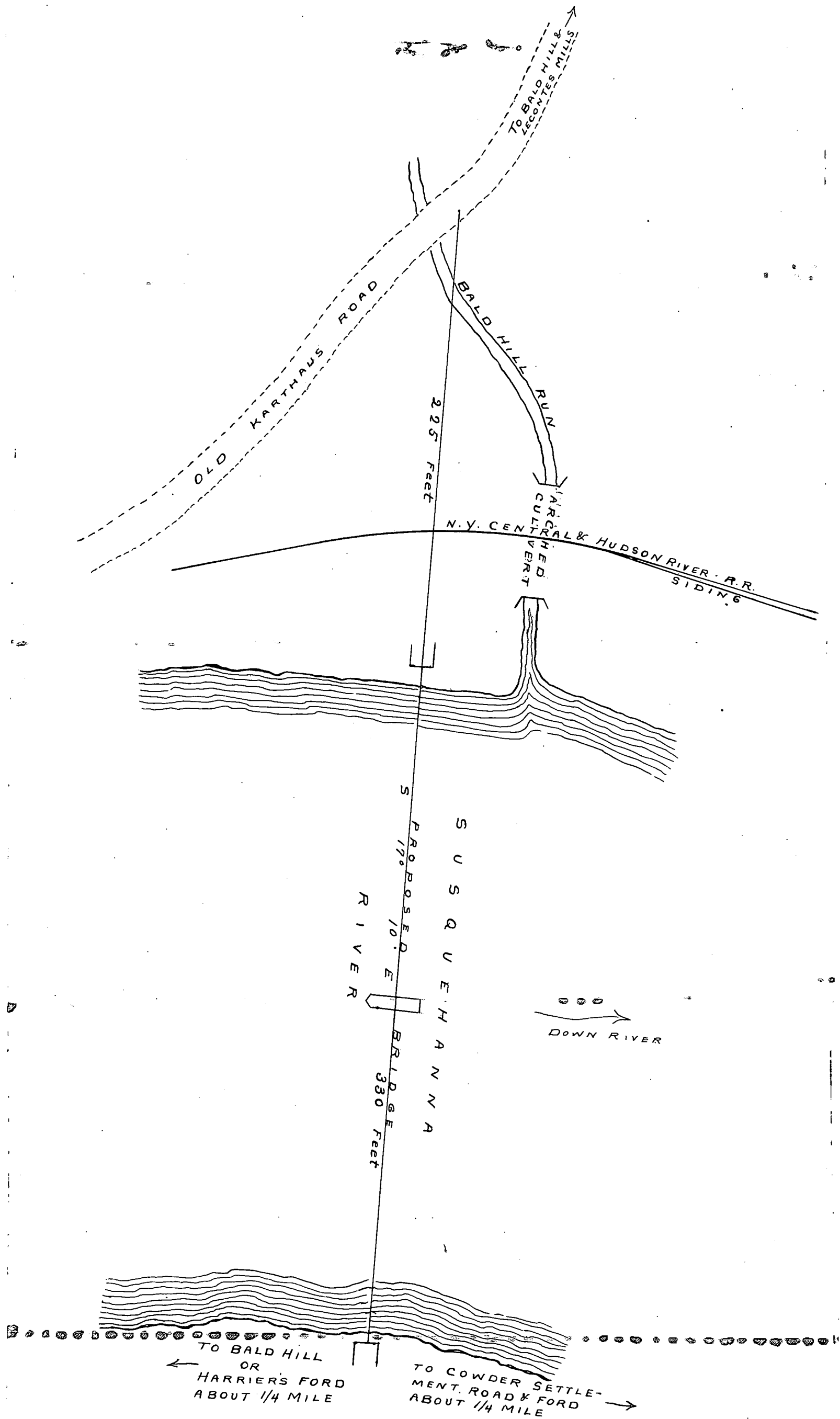
The following persons, having refused to release the damages to which they respectively may be entitled by reason of the location and building of said bridge in the annexed return described, we, the undersigned viewers, under oath in pursuance of our duty, under the Act of Assembly, do assess their damages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

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

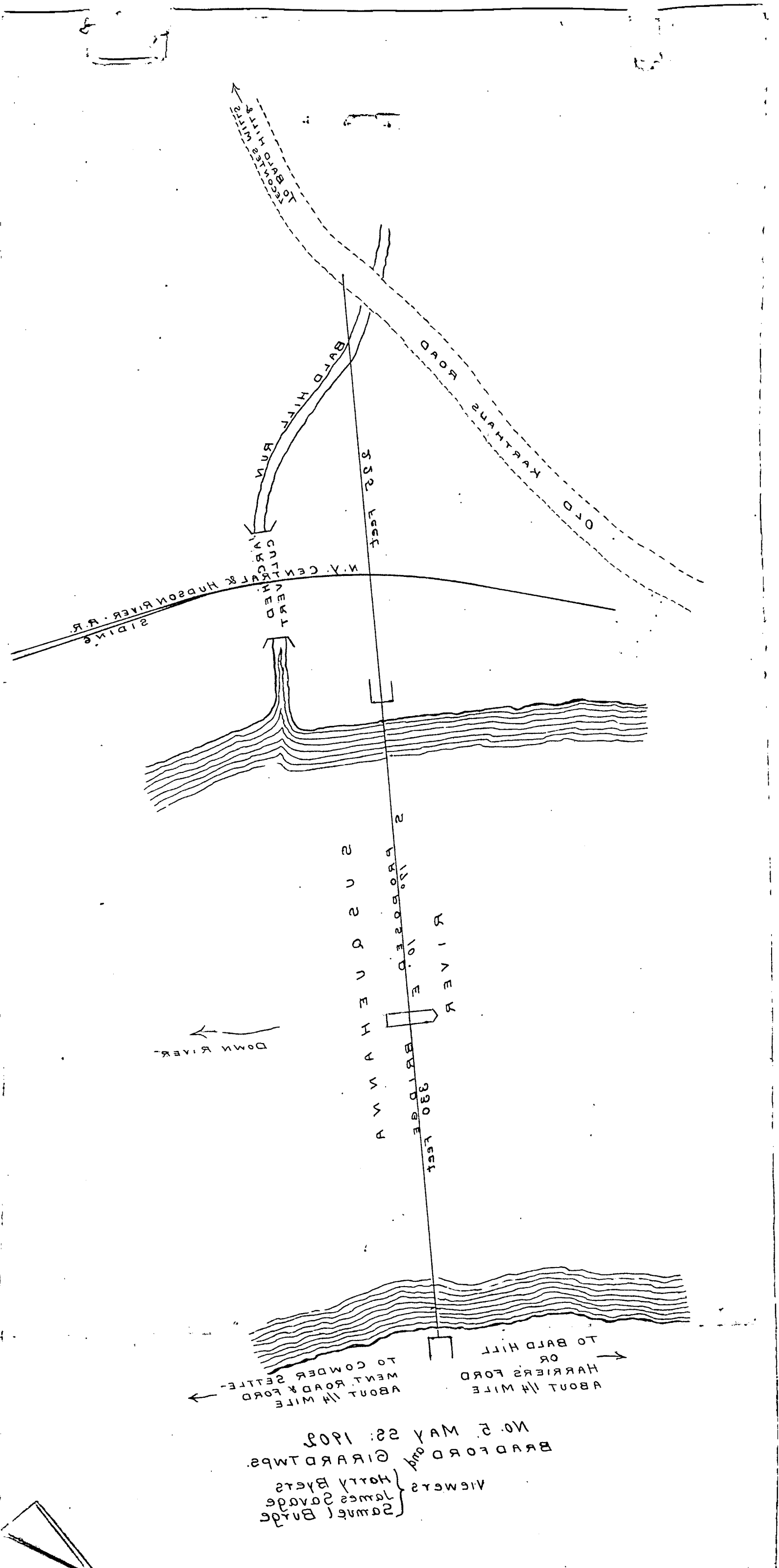
To..... the sum of.....

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



NO. 5. MAY 55: 1902
 BRADFORD CO. GIRARD TOWNSHIP.
 Viewers { Harry Byers
 James Savage
 Samuel Burge



To the Honorable Cyrus Gordon President
Judge of the Court of Quarter sessions of Clear-
field County Pa. We the undersigned members appointed
by the within order of Court to view the bridge therein
mentioned respectfully report that we gave good and
lawful notice of the said view and met agreeable thereto
(The view having been adjourned from time given an notice
one day later at 2:30 P.M.) and having been severally sworn
or affirmed we viewed the premises for the proposed bridge
and are of opinion that a bridge across the West Branch
of the Susquehanna river is ^{at} necessary for the use
of the public at the place mentioned and that
its erection would cost more than it is reasonable
that the Townships of Bradford and Girard should
bear. We recommend that that New York Central
and Hudson River Railroad make crossing under their tracks
to reach said bridge on Girard Township side, that
the bridge be made three hundred and thirty feet
in length in clear and roadway thereon four feet higher
than the June flood marks of 1889. Witness
Our hands this Third day of May A.D. 1901

James Savage
J. C. Burr
Harry Byers

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Suber Bridge
in
Bradford and Grand

ORDER TO VIEW.

16 May 1903 Report
approved and referred
to County Commissioner.
By the Court
Ernest Goodrich

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Fees \$125, paid by *W. H. Thompson*
Grant H. Thompson,
Prothonotary
W. H. Thompson
Attorney.

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.

Harry Byers Days 2
Miles 13 \$9.30
James Savage Days 2
Miles 13 \$5.30
Samuel Benge Days 2
Miles 13 \$5.30

Days
Miles
Days
Miles

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