

To the Honorable A. V. Barker,
President Judge of the Court of
Quarter sessions of Cambria County:-

The Petition of the undersigned inhabitants of the
Township of Gallitzin in the said County of Cambria respect-
fully represents:

That it is necessary that a bridge should be erected
over Clearfield Creek in said Township, at or near the resi-
dence of Frank Donahue, at the place where the public road
leading from Chest Springs to Gallitzin crosses the said
Creek, and that the expense of erecting said bridge would be
burdensome upon the inhabitants of said Township, and more
than is reasonable they should bear.

The petitioners therefore pray the Court to appoint
three persons, qualified according to law, to view the place
proposed for said bridge, and inquire whether such bridge is
necessary, and would be too expensive for the said Township
of Gallitzin to bear, and make report of their proceedings at
the next Term of said Court.

And they will ever pray, etc.

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George & David	Thos. H. Myers
P. A. Sybert	Geo. Myers
L. L. Platt	John E. Ignan
J. G. Sybert	Joe Ignan
E. A. Milder	H. J. Converse
Edward Bradley	E. D. Delozier
John. E. Gallagher	E. A. Sheehan
Joseph Benge	F. L. Gallahan
F. J. Donoughue	Peter Melhorn
F. P. Giller	W. H. Bremer
F. A. Coon	Rev. Ferdinand Kittell
F. B. Platt	J. E. Moran
Wm. M. Smith	J. J. Moran
D. D. Myers	Harry Stearns
Elias Beke	E. J. Korns
J. T. Derry	H. Himmelfright
Peter Gutwald	M. H. Douglass
B. Myers	F. E. Shields
Samuel Kevidin	J. Murphy
A. J. Bradley	J. P. Braumen

CAMBRIA COUNTY, SS:

Public Before me, the subscriber, a ^{*Notary*} ~~Justice of~~
the Peace in and for said County, personally came *Peter*.....
Mozan....., who, being duly sworn according to
law, says that the facts set forth in the foregoing Petition are
true, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Sworn and subscribed
before me this *12th*.....
day of *July* 1901.

Peter Mozan

J. J. Stephens N. P.

~~Justice of the Peace.~~
NOTARY PUBLIC;
COMMISSION -- EXPIRES,
MAY 1st, 1905.

No June Dec 1901

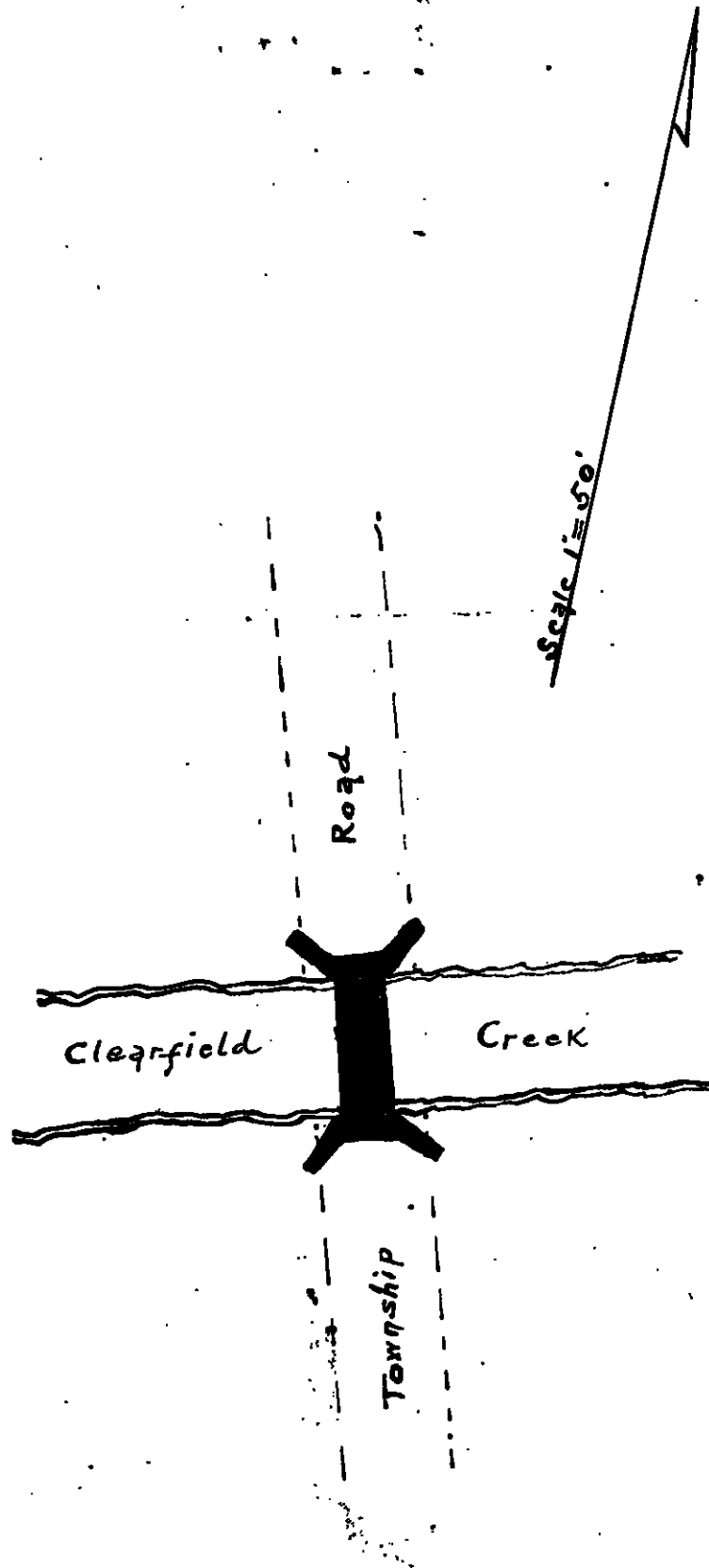
Petition of inhabitants of
Hallam Township for the
appointment of a bridge
over Bearfield Creek at
near the residence of Frank
Dunlap in said
Township.

Filed 6 Aug 1901

Aug. 6th 1901 petition
read and J. S. and J. S. de-
cided E. R. Dunlap and
C. H. Perry appointed
viewers —

Respectfully,
By the Court,

C. V. L.



NOTE

New span 38' wide

Roadway 12 "

Waterway 10 "

Viewers appointed upon an order of the
Court of Quarter Sessions, dated August 6, 1901.
J. Leard Elder E. R. Dunegan & C. H. Peary

Viewed August 23, 1901

J. Leard Elder
Surveyor

To the Honorable A. V. Barker President Judge
of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County Pa
We the undersigned viewers appointed by the
aunxed order respectfully report that after giving notice
as required by law J. Leard Elder Surveyor & E. R. Dunningan
and C. H. Perry Viewers having all been present at the
view of the site or place proposed for said
new bridge and having all been severally sworn
or affirmed to perform our duties according
to law. We have viewed the premises aforesaid
and are of the opinion that a new bridge
across or over Clearfield Creek in Gallitzin
Township at or near the residence of Frank Donahue
at the place where the public road leading from
Chert Springs to Gallitzin crosses Clearfield Creek
is necessary and we recommend the same
with a 12 foot roadway and 10 foot footway
and 38 foot span and that the erection
of such bridge would be attended with
more expense than is reasonable the said
township should bear a plot or draft
in herewith enclosed witnesses our
hands this 28th day of August 1901

J. L. Elder	2 days	8.00
" " "	Mileage	.90
E. R. Dunningan	1 day	2.00
" " "	Mileage	.80
C. H. Perry	1 day	2.00
" " "	Mileage	.50
Charles Barker	Chairman	1.50

J. Leard Elder
E. R. Dunningan
C. H. Perry

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA. }
COUNTY OF CAMBRIA, } SS:

At a Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Cambria held at Ebensburg in the said County, on the sixth day of Aug A. D. 1897 before the Honorable Judge of the said Court: Upon the petition of divers inhabitants of the Township of Gallitzin, in the said County, setting forth that they labor under inconvenience for want of a bridge ~~road or highway~~, to lead from

over Clearfield Creek in said Township, at or near the residence of Frank Donahue, at the place where the public road leading from Chest Springs to Gallitzin crosses the said Creek

and therefore praying the Court to appoint proper persons to ^{locate} view and ~~lay out~~ the same according to law. The Court upon due consideration had of the premises, do order and, appoint J. Leary Elder SURVEYOR, and E. R.

Dunegan and C. H. Peary VIEWERS, to ^{locate} view the ~~ground~~ ^{bridge} proposed for said ~~road~~, and if they ^{locate} view the same, and shall agree that there is occasion for such ~~road~~ ^{bridge}, they shall proceed to ~~lay out~~ ^{locate} the same, having respect to the shortest distance and the best ground for a ~~road~~ ^{bridge}, and in such manner as shall do the least injury to private property, and also be, as far as practicable, agreeable to the desires of the petitioners, and that they make a report of their proceedings to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for said County, stating particularly whether they judge the same necessary for a public or private ~~road~~ ^{bridge}, together with a plot or draft thereof, and the courses and distances, and references to the improvements through which it may pass.

BY THE COURT.

ATTEST:

S. W. Davis, Clerk.

the Grand Jury for Dec.
1901 term & recommend
that any substance be
given by the County at
this place

W. A. Barron, Chairman
Dec. 6th 1901

Dec. 6th 1901
Approved & directed
by the Board of Supervisors
H. C. H. H. H.
H. C. H. H. H.
H. C. H. H. H.
H. C. H. H. H.

No. 9. *Justice* Session, 1901

ORDER TO VIEW *estate*
bridge over Clearfield
Creek at or near the
residence of Frank D. D.
D. and D. of
D. D.

Report of Viewers
Filed 3 Dec 1901

Viewers
C. H. D. D.
C. H. D. D.

CLERK DAVIS *Justice* 80 CTS.
C. D. D.

NOTE.—It shall be the duty of all persons appointed in the several counties of this Commonwealth to view, and review any public or private road or bridge, if they shall decide in favor of locating said road or bridge, to endeavor to procure from the person or persons over whose land such location may be made releases from all claims for damages that might arise from the opening of such road or the building of such bridge; and in every case where said viewers shall fail to procure such releases, and it shall appear to them that any damages will be sustained, it shall be their duty to assess the damages and make report thereof signed by a majority of their number, and return the same, together with all releases obtained, to the Court of Quarter Sessions, and the damages so assessed shall be conclusive, or may be subject to appeal, review or modification, as may be provided by existing laws in the different counties of this Commonwealth.

"The persons appointed as aforesaid shall view such ground, and if they shall agree that there is occasion for a road, they shall proceed to lay out the same, having respect to the shortest distance, and the best ground for a road, and in such manner as shall do the least injury to private property, and also be, as far as practicable, agreeable to the desire of the petitioners."

"The viewers, as aforesaid, shall make report, at the next term of said Court, and in the said report shall state particularly: first, who of them were present at the view; second, whether they were severally sworn or affirmed; third, whether the road desired be necessary for a public or private road; they shall also annex and return to the Court a plot or draft thereof, stating the courses and distances, and noting briefly the improvements through which it may pass; and, whenever practicable, the viewers shall lay out the said roads at an elevation not exceeding five degrees (except at the crossing of ravines and streams,) where, by moderate filling and bridging, the declination of the road may be preserved within that limit."