

Sketch showing location of an old bridge over the Kettle Run in Barr Township, Cambria County, Pennsylvania and the location for a new bridge, recommended by the viewers, to take the place of the present old structure.

Viewed upon an Order of the Court of Quarter Sessions of said county and state August, 1926
 A.M. Shomaker, J.D. Ritter & Adam Shuman, Viewers.

No. 2 June Sessions 1926

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County, Pa.

Order to View
Bridge over Tea
Kettle Run in
Barr Township,
Cambria Co., Pa.
and

Report of
Viewers

Dated 16 August 1926

CERTIFIED

Jacob M. Hoffman

COUNTY CONTROLLER

A. M. Shoemaker

R E P O R T O F V I E W E R S .

To the Honorable, the Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of
Cambria County, Pennsylvania.

We, the undersigned members of the Board of Viewers of Cambria County, appointed by your honorable Court, upon the attached order, to view and determine as to the necessity for a new and more substantial bridge over Tea Kettle Run, in Barr Township, Cambria Co., Pa., on the public road leading from the Village of Nicktown to the Village of Strongstown and to examine the road bed and determine if the route thereof, near the said bridge should be changed or varied ; respectfully report:-

That having been duly sworn according to law to perform the duties of our appointment faithfully, impartially and to the best of our judgment and ability, and having given due notice of the view and of the time and place of meeting of the viewers to the Commissioners of Cambria County, to the Supervisors of the township of Barr; and having them accept service of notices hereto attached, and to the traveling public by printed hand bills posted in public and conspicuous places at the site of the present old bridge and in conspicuous places along the public highway in the vicinity thereof; all of us met at the site of the present old bridge, in accord with the notices so given and having carefully viewed and examined the said old bridge, the location thereof and the road leading thereto as well as to the financial condition of the township of Barr and are all of the opinion that a new and more substantial bridge over Tea Kettle Run, at the place designated in the attached order of the Court and referred to above, is necessary, that the road bed at either side of said bridge for a short distance should be slightly changed to correspond with the herein^{after} suggested new location for the proposed new bridge and that the expense of constructing the proposed new bridge would be more than is reasonable the taxpayers of the township of Barr should be required to bear and therefore we recommend that same should be borne by the County of Cambria.

A plot or draft showing the location of the old bridge and the relative location of the proposed new bridge, as well as the suggested change of the approaches thereto, is hereto attached and made

a part of this report.

The Viewers beg leave to suggest that the new bridge should be located about four feet farther Southward than the present old bridge, that the ~~New bridge~~ should be located so that the South-West corner will come four and one half feet and the North Westerly corner six and one half feet farther Eastward than these respective corners of the present old bridge and that the proposed new bridge should be sixteen feet wide and twenty one feet long, instead of eleven feet wide by twenty one feet long, as is the old bridge, and that the approaches thereto should correspond with the suggested location of the proposed new bridge.

Witness our hands this 16th.
day of August, A. D., 1926.

Adam Shuman

J. D. Ritter

A. M. Shoemaker

Viewers.

BRIDGE NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that the Viewers appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County, Pa., to view and determine as to the necessity for a new bridge over Tea Kettle Run, in the township of Barr, said county and state, on the public road leading from the Village of Nicktown to the Village of Strongstown, at a point near the Killen's School House, and to determine if the cost of constructing same is more than the township of Barr should bear; and to investigate if a change in the road bed leading to said bridge would be advisable:

will meet at the old bridge, located as above suggested, in the Township of Barr aforesaid, on the 12th day of August 1916, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of performing the duties of their appointment.

A. M. Shoemaker,

J. D. Ritter and

Adam Shuman,

Viewers.

Ebensburg, Pa. 7/31/1916.

Now, August, 11, 1926, service of the within notice is hereby
accepted for the Commissioners of Cambria County, Pennsylvania.

D. S. Stinson

Clerk

BRIDGE NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that the Viewers appointed by the Court of _____ Quarter
Sessions _____ of Cambria County, Pa., to view and determine as to the
necessity for a new bridge over Tea Kettle Run, in the township of
Barr, said county and state, on the public road leading from the
Village of Nicktown to the Village of Strongstown, at a point near
the Killen's School House, and to determine if the cost of construct-
ing same would be more than the township of Barr should bear; and to
investigate if a change in the road bed leading to said bridge would
be advisable:

will meet _____ at the old bridge, located as above suggested, ~~xxx~~ in the
Township _____ of _____ Barr _____ aforesaid,
on the 12th. day of August _____ 1926, at 10:00 o'clock A.M.,
for the purpose of performing the duties of their appointment.

_____ A. M. Shoemaker,

_____ J. D. Ritter and

_____ Adam Shuman,

Ebensburg, Pa. 7/31/1926.

Viewers.

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Now, August ~~7th~~ 1926, service of the within notice is hereby
accepted by the undersigned Supervisors of the Township of Barr,
Cambria County, Pennsylvania.

W. J. Rister
Frank Stiles

W. A. Krumenacher

Supervisors.

BRIDGE NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that the Viewers appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County, Pa., to view and determine as to the necessity for a new bridge over Tea Kettle Creek, in the township of Barr, said county and state, on the public road leading from the Village of Nicktown to the Village of Strongstown, at a point near the Killen's School House, and to determine if the cost of constructing same would be more than is reasonable the township of Barr should be required to bear, and to investigate further if a change in the road bed leading to said bridge is advisable:

will meet at the old bridge, located as above suggested in the Township of Barr aforesaid, on the 12th day of August 1926, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of performing the duties of their appointment.

A. M. Shoemaker,
J. D. Ritter and
Adam Shuman,
Viewers

Ebensburg, Pa. 7/31/1926.

IN THE COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

To the Honorable, the Judges of the above named Court:

The petition of the undersigned, Supervisors of the Township of Barr, Cambria County, Pennsylvania, respectfully represents:

That it has become necessary to erect a new bridge to take the place of the existing bridge over Tea Kettle Run, in said Township, on the public road leading from the Village of Nicktown to the Village of Strongstown at a point near the Killens School House.

That the existing bridge is unsafe for the traveling public because of its delapidated condition and repairing the same will not place it in a safe condition, the whole bridge being unsafe.

That the erection of such a bridge requires more expense than it is reasonable the Township of Barr should bear and would cause great burden upon the inhabitants and taxpayers thereof.

Your petitioners therefore pray the Court to appoint proper persons, qualified according to law, to view the place for said bridge and inquire whether such bridge is necessary and the proper location of the same and whether too expensive for said Township of Barr to bear and make report of their proceedings to Court.

W. J. Pfister
W. A. Krumenacher
Frank Stiles.

D E C R E E .

And now July 26, 1926, upon due consideration of the foregoing petition, the Court appoints A. M. Shoemaker, J. D. Ritter and Adam Shuman to view the place proposed for said bridge and if they agree that there is occasion for such a bridge and that the erecting of such a bridge would require more expense than it would be reasonable the said Township of Barr should bear; they are to make report

accordingly and the said viewers are further authorized to examine the route of the road crossing the creek over which bridge is prayed for and if, in their opinion a change or variation in the bed of the road be an improvement and saving of expense in the erection of such a bridge; they are to make report thereof and cause such variation as aforesaid to be accurately surveyed and a map or plot thereof to be made which shall accompany said report, the report aforesaid to be made to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to be held for the said County of Cambria.

By the Court,

M.

Extract from the Record.

Certified this 27th day
of July, A. D. 1926.

Frank B. Robb.

Clerk of the Court of Quarter
Sessions.

Cost of View

Preparing, serving &
 posting notices 2 1/2 days - \$18⁷⁵
 Auto hire _____ 5⁰⁰
 Day on View _____ 7⁵⁰
 Auto hire _____ 4⁵⁰
 Surveys, plotting and
 draft _____ 15⁰⁰
 Helper _____ 3⁰⁰
 Tracing cloth _____ 30
 Preparing report, having
 signed assembling & filing - 11²⁵
\$65³⁰

J. D. Ritter
 1 Day _____ 7⁵⁰
 auto hire _____ 3⁵⁰
\$11⁰⁰

Adam Shuman
 Day on view _____ 7⁵⁰
 Auto hire from and
 return to Ebensburg _____ 4⁵⁰
 22 miles to & from Ebq _____ 1¹⁰
\$13¹⁰

CERTIFIED
 Jacob M. Hoffman


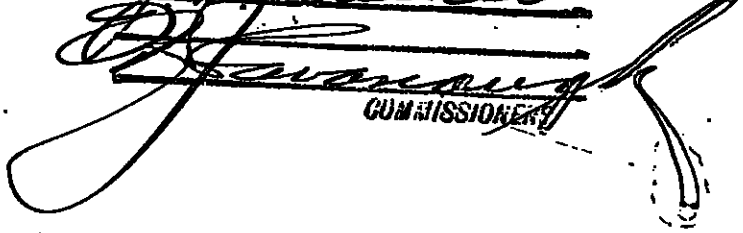
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APPROVED FOR PAYMENT


 COMMISSIONERS

No. 2 June Session 1926

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County, Pa.

Petition of the Supervisors of the Township of Barr for the appointment of Viewers to inquire into the necessity of a bridge over Tea Kettle Run, in Township of Barr

Filed 26 July 1926.

LAW OFFICES OF
J. HARRISON WESTOVER
FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
SPANGLER, PENNSYLVANIA

*First
Circuit Court*

*W. H. Harrison
M. B. Little
C. W. ...*

IN THE COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS OF CAMBRIA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA.

To the Honorable, the Judges of the above named Court:

The petition of the undersigned, Supervisors of the Township of Barr, Cambria County, Pennsylvania, respectfully represents:

That it has become necessary to erect a new bridge to take the place of the existing bridge over Tea Kettle Run, in said Township, on the public road leading from the Village of Nicktown to the Village of Strongstown at a point near the Killens School House.

That the existing bridge is unsafe for the travelling public because of its dilapidated condition and repairing the same will not place it in a safe condition, the whole bridge being unsafe.

That the erection of such a bridge requires more expense than it is reasonable the Township of Barr should bear and would cause great burden upon the inhabitants and taxpayers thereof.

Your petitioners therefore pray the Court to appoint proper persons, qualified according to law, to view the place for said bridge and inquire whether such bridge is necessary and the proper location of the same and whether too expensive for said Township of Barr to bear and make report of their proceedings to Court.

W. J. Fisher

W. A. Krumenacker

Frank Stiles

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA |
COUNTY OF CAMBRIA | SS.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared
W.J. Pfeister, one of the above named petitioners, who being
duly sworn according to law deposes and says that the facts set
forth in the foregoing petition are true and correct.

W. J. Pfeister

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 24th day of July, 1926.

J. M. Weston

NOTARY PUBLIC
My Commission Expires March 6, 1927
D E C R E E

And now July 26, 1926, upon due consideration of the
foregoing petition, the Court appoints Ann Shoemaker
J. D. Ritter and Adam Shuman
to view the place proposed for said bridge and if they agree that
there is occasion for such a bridge and that the erecting of such
a bridge would require more expense than it would be reasonable for
the said Township of Barr to bear; they are to make report accord-
ingly and the said viewers are further authorized to examine the
route of the road crossing the creek over which said bridge is
prayed for and if, in their opinion a change or variation in the bed
of the road would be an improvement and saving of expense in the
erection of such a bridge; they are to make report thereof and cause
such variation as aforesaid to be accurately surveyed and a map or
plot thereof to be made which shall accompany said report, the re-
port aforesaid to be made to the next Court of Quarter Sessions to
be held for the said County of Cambria.

[Signature]
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b I, Stewart Kinkead, Chief Clerk for the Commissioners of Cambria County, hereby acknowledge receipt of a copy of the attached petition with notice that the same would be presented to the Judges of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County, on Monday the 26th day of July, A.D. 1926.

S. S. Kinkead

Dated July 26, 1926.

IN CASE OF ERROR OR RETURN OF GOODS PRESENT THIS SLIP

GEORGE BROTHERS

HARDWARE AND FURNITURE

South Fork, Pa.,19

Name

Address

Sold by

16

These people are not
on the tax list.

Bell Dolan

Gas R. Dolan

✓ Jos. C. Dolan

Macarver Dolan

Samuel Dolan^r not registered
Voting on age.

No. 2 June Session 1926

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County, Pa.

Bond of W.J. Pfeister, Frank Stiles and W.A. Krumenacker, filed upon the appointment of Viewers to inquire into the necessity for a bridge over Tea Kettle Run, in the Township of Barr.

And now, July 26, 1926, the within Bond approved.

[Handwritten Signature]
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Filed 26 July 1926

LAW OFFICES OF
J. HARRISON WESTOVER
FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
SPANGLER, PENNSYLVANIA

B O N D.

Know all men by these presents, that we, W.J. Pfeister, Frank Stiles and W.A. Krumenacker of the Township of Barr, County of Cambria and State of Pennsylvania, hereinafter called the obligors, are held and firmly bound unto the County of Cambria hereinafter called the obligee, in the sum of two hundred dollars, lawful money of the United States, to be paid to said obligee, its certain attorney, successors and assigns, to which payment well and truly to be made, we do bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals this 24th day of July, 1926.

Whereas, the Supervisors of the Township of Barr, in the County of Cambria, have presented their petition to the Court of Cambria County, praying the the appointment of viewers to view and report, etc., on the necessity for a bridge to take the place of a bridge, over Tea Kettle Run, on the public Road leading from the Village of Nicktown to the Village of Strongstown at a point near the Killens School House.

Now, therefore, the condition of this obligation is such that if the above mentioned obligors, their heirs, executors or administrators, shall and do well and truly pay into the Treasury of the said obligee, when said proceedings are concluded, such amount of money as the said Court may hereafter by order lawfully direct the petitioners aforesaid to pay for compensation of viewers, etc., without any fraud or further delay, then the above obligation to void, or else to be and remain in full force and virtue.

WITNESS PRESENT:

John W. Weston
W. J. Pfeister

W. J. Pfeister (SEAL)

W. A. Krumenacker (SEAL)

Frank Stiles (SEAL)

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA |
COUNTY OF CAMBRIA | SS.

W.J. Pfeister, being duly sworn according to law,
deposes and says that the sureties on the within bond are
owners of real estate worth the penalty expressed therein
and over and above their just debts, liabilities and all
legal exemptions.

W. J. Pfeister

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 24 day of July, 1926.

John W. Weston

NOTARY PUBLIC
My Commission Expires March 6, 1928

Nov 2 June Sessions 1926.

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County, Pa.

No. September Ses. 1926.

IN RE: Bridge over Tea Kettle Run in the Township of Barr, Cambria County, Pa.

Approval of Grand Jury and Decree of Court thereon.

Filed 10 December 1926.

LAW OFFICES OF
J. HARRISON WESTOVER
FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
SPANGLER, PENNSYLVANIA

Now December 10, 1926, the report of the viewers appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Cambria County to view and determine the necessity for a bridge over Tea Kettle Run in the Township of Barr, Cambria County, Pennsylvania, having been filed and the viewers having reported in favor of the bridge and further that the expense of constructing a suitable bridge would be greater than the Township of Barr should bear, the Grand Jury having considered the matter at December Sessions of the Court, 1926, are of the opinion that a bridge over Tea Kettle Run in the Township of Barr at a point indicated in the viewers report is necessary for the convenience and accommodation of the traveling public and further that the expense of constructing a suitable bridge would be greater than the Township of Barr should bear and therefore recommend that the expense of constructing such bridge be borne by the County of Cambria.

Chas Hetrick
Foreman.

Now 10th December, 1926, a petition having been heretofore presented to this Court for the appointment of viewers to view and report according to law on the erection of a bridge over Tea Kettle Run in the Township of Barr as prayed for in the petition, the Court did appoint proper persons for that purpose who made report that after viewing and examining the premises they are of opinion that a bridge is necessary over Tea Kettle Run in the Township of Barr at a point where the same is crossed by the public road leading from the Village of Nicktown to the Village of Strongstown, at a point near the Killens School House, and further that the expense of constructing a suitable bridge would be greater than the Township of Barr should bear, and the said report of the viewers having been filed at September Sessions, 1926, of this Court and no exceptions having been filed thereto, the said report was submitted to the Grand Jury at December Sessions, 1926, ^{who} upon consideration thereof are of opinion that the aforesaid bridge is necessary and that the erection thereof would entail greater expense than the Township of Barr should bear and therefore recommend that the expense of constructing said bridge be borne by the County of Cambria, it is therefore ordered and decreed that the report of the viewers and the recommendation of the Grand Jury be approved and entered of record and that a copy thereof be furnished to the Commissioners of Cambria County by the Clerk of Court of Quarter Sessions thereof.

By the Clerk
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