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Ombria County ss.

At a Court of General Quarter  
Sessions of the Peace held at  
Ebensby in and for said  
County on the 25. of September  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and seventy six before the Honorable  
John Sloan President Judge and Res. J. Lloyd  
and John Flanagan Esqrs. Associate Judges.

The petition of their inhabitants of Black  
lick township in said County was presented whereby  
they do request that a new Bridge be erected  
over Black lick Creek in said township at the  
point where the public road commonly known  
as the Clay Pike crosses said stream near the  
mill of Thomas Hancock. And Petitioners  
further request that the expense of creating a  
new Bridge will be more than it is reasonable  
the said township of Black lick should bear.

The Court upon due consideration had of the  
premises do order and appoint James Mayers  
J. R. Davis and James C. Murray to view the place  
proposed for said bridge who having been duly  
sworn by oath as affidants to discharge the  
duties of their appointment with fidelity are to  
go upon the premises, and inquire whether

Said Bridge is necessary, and whether it need  
 be too expensive for the limits of Black River  
 to bear the cost of its erection. And make  
 Report of their proceedings to the next Court of Quarter  
 Session to be held for said County of Columbia.

By the Court.  
 P. M. Selgan Pathy.

Ch 20, 1876

Order to view  
 location for a bridge and  
 Black River Creek near  
 Thomas Duncan, also in  
 Black River Parish.

Report of

James James Selgan  
 O. R. Davis Jr  
 James Callaway.

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21 February 1877  
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5th March 1877 John of view  
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To the Honorable the Judges within named.

We the subscribers persons appointed by the Court to view the place proposed for a bridge in the within order mentioned respectfully report that having been present together James Meyer, J. R. Davis and James C. Murray, met at the time and place according to notice, and having all first been sworn and affirmed according to law, in pursuance of said order we have viewed the premises aforesaid and are of the opinion that a bridge over Blacklick Creek at the place where the Clay Lick from Ebensburg to Indiana crosses the same is necessary and that the erecting of such bridge would be attended with more expense than is reasonable the said Township should bear the same. Beginning at West Buttment thence South Eighty five degrees East fifty feet to Eastern Buttment on the bed of Clay Lick above named.

Witness our hands this 29<sup>th</sup> day of November 1875.

Wm. H. Campfield J. J.

James C. Murray

James Meyer

J. R. Davis

Said County. This 29<sup>th</sup>

Day of Nov. 1875

Geo. H. Campfield J. J.