

Minutes of a meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Riverhead, held at the Town Clerk's Office, Wednesday, January 27th, 1904, at three o'clock.

Present:- Geo. L. Wells, Supervisor,  
John H. Hagen, Town Clerk,  
Geo. A. Buckingham,  
Wm. H. Taft,  
F. H. Tuthill,  
John L. Gordon, Justices.

The meeting was called upon request of the Commissioner of Highways to take some action on the statement presented by Highway Commissioner Edwards in regard to the condition of the first bridge on Peconic Avenue, which has been pronounced unsafe by the Commissioner.

Com'r Edwards appeared before the Board and stated his views, also Mr. Oliver A. Terry appeared, representing the business men who use the bridge daily.

WHEREAS, the north bridge over Peconic River at the foot of Peconic Avenue, has become unsafe, and there not being sufficient moneys in the hands of the Commissioner of Highways of said Town to rebuild the same, therefore be it

RESOLVED, That we do hereby consent that the Commissioner of Highways of the Town of Riverhead cause said

bridge to be immediately rebuilt according to the provisions of Sec. 10 of the Highway Law.

On motion of Justice Buckingham, the plans and specifications as submitted by the New Jersey Bridge Co. are hereby approved by the Board and submitted to the careful consideration of the Commissioner of Highways, with a view to their adoption.

Motion was made by Justice Buckingham that this Board approve a contract with the New Jersey Bridge Co. with the understanding and agreement that no action thereunder shall be taken until said agreement or contract be approved by Mr. T. M. Griffing, the counsel of this Board. Motion carried.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

*John H. Hagen*  
*Sam Clark*