

Mtn Democrat

Nov 5, 1881

New bridge being installed at the Clay Street crossing of Hangtown Creek.

Oct 11, 1913

"5 foot cement sidewalk constructed on the east side of Clay Street, from the bridge across Hangtown creek to..."

March 15, 1919

City Marshall P.J. Hall and figures have been made for cost of the structure. High waters slightly damaged one approach to the bridge and it is deemed advisable to construct a new one of sufficient width to meet the needs of the traffic between Main street and the High School. Work will be started in April, it is announced.

Meeting of City Council - "Plans were submitted by F.F. Fisher and A.S. Lyon for a bridge over Hangtown Creek at the Clay Street crossing, arch plans of the former being adopted. The clerk was instructed to advertise for steel and concrete for the structure."

Spoke with Maryland Ferguson of the Placerville Historical Society, 1/3/2018, said concrete bridge was built in the 1930's with FDR funds. Recommended to contact David Price (5303066530) with Friends of El Dorado County History Society (something like that). Did not contact because this man is opposed to project.