

## Guernsey County's Last Covered Bridge

Not too many years ago, the sight of a covered bridge in Guernsey County was not unusual at all. Many rural roads had them. Often they bore the name of residents who lived in the vicinity, or sometimes the streams that they crossed.

Today, only one covered bridge spanning a public highway remains in Guernsey County. Known as the Indian Camp bridge, it spans Indian Camp run in Knox Township, and is located on County Road 68 (old Township Road 537) one-fourth mile east of State Route 658 and about one and one-half miles north of Indian Camp.

Three other bridges remain in the county. Millwood Township has one spanning Leatherwood Creek about one and one-half miles southeast of Quaker City. The road, however, is no longer a public road. The Gunn bridge is partially underwater in Salt Fork Lake spanning what had been the Sugar-tree Fork. It is visible to the east of the bridge over that portion of Salt Fork Lake crossed by the northerly access road. The third bridge is the Armstrong bridge that presently stands in the City Park at Cambridge. It was formerly in Jefferson Township and spanned Salt Fork creek.



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