

**PUBLIC HIGHWAYS AND PRIVATE ROADS (EXCERPT)**  
**Act 283 of 1909**

**230.7 Injury to bridges; treble damages.**

Sec. 7. Whoever shall injure any bridge maintained at the public charge, or any public road, by drawing logs or timber on the surface of any such road or bridge, or by any other act, shall be liable in damages to 3 times the amount of the injury, to be recovered in an action of trespass or on the case, by the commissioner of highways of the township within which the injury was done, in his name of office, to be expended by him in the repair of roads in his township.

**History:** 1909, Act 283, Eff. Sept. 1, 1909;—CL 1915, 4464;—CL 1929, 4083;—CL 1948, 230.7.

**Former law:** See section 8 of Ch. 9 of Act 243 of 1881, being How., § 1406; CL 1897, § 4160.