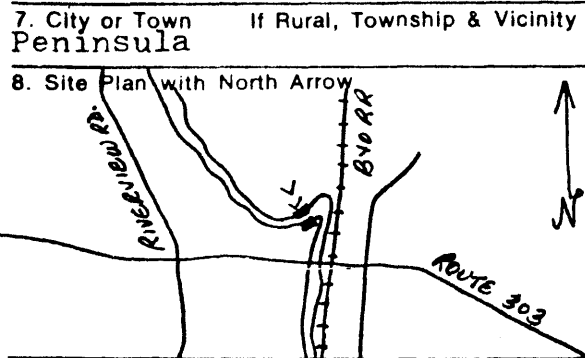


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OHIO HISTORIC INVENTORY

1. No. 15	4. Present Name(s) Lock No. 29 ("Peninsula Lock") and Aqueduct
2. County Summit	5. Other Name(s)
3. Location of Negatives OHS	

6. Specific Location Cuyahoga River, 600 feet north of State Route 303	16. Thematic Category F, H, I	28. No. of Stories
7. City or Town If Rural, Township & Vicinity Peninsula	17. Date(s) or Period 1825-1827	29. Basement? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>
8. Site Plan with North Arrow	18. Style or Design	30. Foundation Material



9. Coordinates Lat. _____ Long. _____ U.T.M. Reference 17 453860 4565640	19. Architect or Engineer	31. Wall Construction
Zone _____ Easting _____ Northing _____	20. Contractor or Builder	32. Roof Type & Material
10. Site <input type="checkbox"/> Structure <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Building <input type="checkbox"/> Object <input type="checkbox"/>	21. Original Use, if apparent canal lock and aqueduct	33. No. of Bays Front _____ Side _____

11. On National Register? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	12. Is It Eligible? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	22. Present Use --	23. Ownership Public <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/>	34. Wall Treatment	35. Plan Shape irregular
13. Part of Estab. Hist. Dist.? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	14. District Potent'l? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	24. Owner's Name & Address, State of O., Dept. of Public Works, 65 S. Front St., Columbus	25. Open to Public? Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> unrestricted	36. Changes (Explain in #42) Addition <input type="checkbox"/> Altered <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Moved <input type="checkbox"/>	37. Condition xxxx <u>good</u>

15. Name of Established District Peninsula Village Historic District	26. Local Contact Person or Organization Summit County Hist. Soc.	38. Preservation Underway? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
16. Further Description of Important Features Lock No. 29 and the abutments of the former canal aqueduct are both of cut stone construction. Lock is standard mitered gate type, measuring 90 X 15 feet within the lock chamber. Aqueduct was originally a two-span structure, acc. to Bishop. Center stone pier was removed when aqueduct was replaced with a single-span steel structure. The new aqueduct was destroyed by the great flood of 1913.	27. Other Surveys in Which Included National Register of Historical Places (8-23-74)	39. Endangered? By What? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
17. History and Significance The Cuyahoga River makes a wide detour at the Village of Peninsula and comes back to within fifty feet of itself, forming a "peninsula." The Ohio and Erie Canal crossed the river at this point by means of an aqueduct--Bishop writes that it was a wooden trough with plank towpath--built upon arches of stone, the remains of which can still be seen. Lock No. 29 is situated at the northern	28. Approx. Acreage: 2	40. Visible from Public Road? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>



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45. Sources of Information Fred W. Bishop, "Peninsula Lock and Aqueduct," <u>Greater Brecksville News</u> , 20 September 1946. Frank Wilcox, <u>The Ohio Canals</u> , selec. and ed. William A. McGill (Kent, O.: Kent State University Press, 1969), p. 14 painting by "Web" Brown, at the Peninsula Public Library, reconstructs the scene at the Peninsula Lock and Aqueduct	46. Prepared by Carol Poh Miller
47. Organization	48. Date 4/76
49. Revision Date(s)	

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