

To the Board of County Commissioners of Perry County Ohio

We the undersigned electors residing within the limits of the following represented territory laid off into Village lots a plat of which territory has been acknowledged and recorded as is provided with respect to deeds...

We do hereby select, constitute and appoint Charles Watts our agent to act for us in our stead in all matters relating here to... December 4th 1893

- List of names: W. H. Brown, George W. Watts, A. J. Barner, E. S. Sturgeon, Jay E. Crooks, W. P. Young, Frank A. Pitti, J. E. Crook, Maxon Spring, A. S. Trachum, Jim Dyer, James Brown, Charles A. Watts, James D. Long, Mackey Young, James Pittman, A. H. Watts, E. S. Taylor, J. M. Nemour, M. D. Chapman, J. M. Mize, J. J. M. Farland, J. G. Taylor, J. H. Pruitt, W. H. Rivin, J. W. M. Spauld, J. C. Fleming, C. A. Whitman, Geo. Brown, S. J. Dyer, M. D., John Christal, N. H. Spender, J. J. Moore, John C. Beckmeyer, W. A. Brown, William H. Hester, Grant Souers, J. M. Keeney, Thos. Sandburn, Jacob Reed, Wm. H. Huff, Jackson Hester, Wilson Winters, J. H. Dugan, A. E. Kell, Ross, J. R. Mauls, W. B. Dulick, L. Layton, E. S. Oliver, Ella J. Brown, E. M. French, E. M. Elard, B. Thump, S. M. Alford, B. W. Doney, Charles Watts.

On the matter of the application for the incorporation of Crooksville, Perry County Ohio Affidavit in support of petition The State of Ohio Perry County, S.S

Charles Watts being duly sworn on oath says that to the best of his knowledge and belief each and every statement contained in the petition are true that the name proposed for said incorporated village is appropriate...

That said territory comprises a large community of persons and is a mining district that disorderly conduct is frequent and that the inhabitants thereof are not protected by law and can not be sufficiently secured without police protection and municipal government

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 12th day of February 1894 James J. Delong Notary Public

Legal Notice

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been presented to the Board of County Commissioners of Perry County Ohio at their regular December Session A.D. 1893...

Beginning at a stone at the North West Corner of the North East Quarter of Section twenty No (20) Township fourteen (14) Range fourteen (14) Perry County Ohio thence running North 634 feet thence South 82 1/2 degrees East 278 feet thence South eighty degrees East 142 feet thence South 77 1/4 degrees East 741 feet thence South 75 degrees East 218 feet thence South 62 degrees East 202 feet thence South 47 1/2 degrees East 349 feet thence East 2130 feet thence South 22 3/4 degrees East 1190 feet thence South 52 1/2 degrees West 333 feet thence South 19 degrees East 1273 feet thence South 25 1/4 degrees East 191 feet thence West 2678 feet thence North 74 degrees West 169 feet thence North 80 3/4 degrees West 188 feet thence North 9 1/2 degrees West 165 feet thence South 76 1/2 degrees West 231 feet thence North 87 1/4 degrees West 1117 feet thence West 208 feet thence North 9 1/2 degrees West 165 feet thence North 9 1/2 degrees West 100 feet thence South 76 1/2 degrees West 231 feet thence North 87 1/4 degrees West 1117 feet thence West 208 feet thence North 3 1/2 degrees West 198 feet thence West 208 feet thence North 3 1/2 degrees West 395 feet thence West 209 feet to the place of beginning and embracing within its limits and the boundaries set forth territory which has been laid off into Village lots a plat of which has been acknowledged and recorded as is provided with respect to deeds...

The State of Ohio Perry County, S.S

J. P. M. Cullinan, being sworn deposes and says that a notice of which the enclosed is a true copy, was published for six consecutive weeks, in the New Lexington Herald, a newspaper printed in said County, and of general circulation throughout, commencing on the 21st day of Dec. 1893

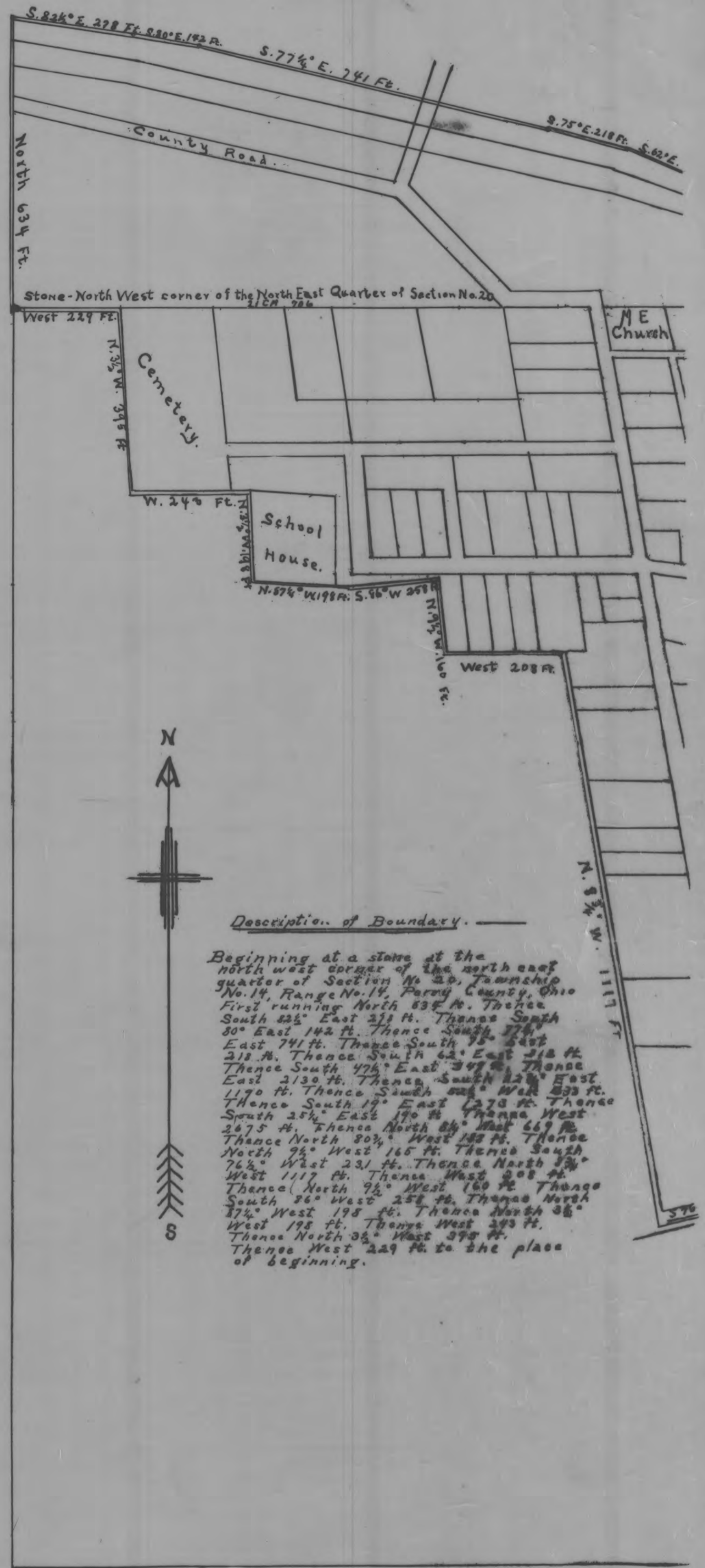
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I was to and to and subscribed before me this 25 day of January 1894 Philip Allen Clerk of Courts

In the matter of the incorporation of Crooksville Perry County Ohio

Charles Watts, being duly sworn on oath says that he is the agent of the petitioners asking for the incorporation of the Village of Crooksville, Perry County Ohio in pursuance of the Act in such case, on the 25 day of Dec. 1893 he posted and caused to be posted a copy of the aforesaid notice in a conspicuous place within the limit of the said corporation and the boundaries in said notice set forth to wit, at the Post Office, one at Taylor stone, one at County Bridge and one at near dry stone for more than prior to the time fixed for the hearing of this matter.

Sworn to before me and subscribed to Charles Watts 4th of February 1894 James J. Delong



Description of Boundary. Beginning at a stone at the north west corner of the north east quarter of Section No. 20, Township No. 14, Range No. 14, Perry County, Ohio First running North 82 1/2 degrees East 278 ft. Thence South 80 degrees East 142 ft. Thence South 77 1/4 degrees East 741 ft. Thence South 75 degrees East 218 ft. Thence South 62 degrees East 202 ft. Thence South 47 1/2 degrees East 349 ft. Thence East 2130 ft. Thence South 22 3/4 degrees East 1190 ft. Thence South 52 1/2 degrees West 333 ft. Thence South 19 degrees East 1273 ft. Thence South 25 1/4 degrees East 191 ft. Thence West 2678 ft. Thence North 74 degrees West 169 ft. Thence North 80 3/4 degrees West 188 ft. Thence North 9 1/2 degrees West 165 ft. Thence South 76 1/2 degrees West 231 ft. Thence North 87 1/4 degrees West 1117 ft. Thence West 208 ft. Thence North 9 1/2 degrees West 165 ft. Thence North 9 1/2 degrees West 100 ft. Thence South 76 1/2 degrees West 231 ft. Thence North 87 1/4 degrees West 1117 ft. Thence West 208 ft. Thence North 3 1/2 degrees West 198 ft. Thence West 208 ft. Thence North 3 1/2 degrees West 395 ft. Thence West 209 feet to the place of beginning.

June, 1981 ATTEST: A reproduction of Plat Book No. 1 Perry County Recorder