

Annexation of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen & Ober Bremen.

Transcripts of all the Ordinances, Abstracts of the returns of the votes and other papers, and proceedings in the matter of Annexation of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen, Auglaize County Ohio.

The following is a copy of the proceedings of the Council of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio, to wit: On the 7th day of Sept. 1875 an ordinance was passed by the Council of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio, as follows, to wit:

An Ordinance

No. 1- Relative to submitting the question of the annexation of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen to the qualified electors of said last named Village.

Sect. 1- Be it ordained by the Council of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Auglaize County Ohio that the question "Shall said Village of Ober Bremen be annexed to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Auglaize County Ohio?" shall be submitted to the qualified electors of said Village of New Bremen at the general election to be held therein on the 2nd Tuesday of October 1875 being the 12th day of said month, Notice thereof shall be given by publication in the Auglaize County Democrat, for at least twenty (20) days prior to the time of holding said election, and also by posting up at least six (6) posters in six (6) of the most conspicuous places in said Village for said period of twenty days prior to said election.

Sect. II That the judges and clerks of said election shall be the same, and elected in the same manner as for the election of Officers for said Village. The electors voting at said election in favor of said Annexation shall place upon their ballots the words "For Annexation;" and those voting thereat against annexation shall place upon their ballots the words, "Against Annexation;" that the poll books and tally sheets of said election shall be signed, attested and deposited as in cases of election of Officers of said Village.

Sect. III This Ordinance to take effect and be in force on and after ten days after its first publication according to law.
Passed September 17th 1875.

J. A. Kuenzel Mayor
Attest: Wm. Burns Clerk

We do hereby certify this to be a true copy of the original now on file in the Clerk's Office of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio.

Attest: J. A. Kuenzel Mayor
Wm. Burns Clerk

I do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was duly published by insertion in the Auglaize County Democrat on the 16th day of September 1875 for one week according to law.
Wm. Burns Clerk

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On the 20th day of September 1875, Notice of election was duly given to the qualified electors of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio, as follows, to wit:

Election
Notice:

The Qualified electors of the Incorporated village of New Bremen Ohio are hereby notified to meet at the usual place of holding Elections in said Village on Tuesday the 12th day of October 1875. and then and there between the hours of six O'clock A.M. and six O'clock P.M. proceed to vote upon the question, "Shall the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen Ohio be annexed to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio" all votes in favor of said Annexation will place upon their ballots the words "For Annexation" those opposed to the same will place upon their ballots the words "Against Annexation" in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance of said Village providing for the submission of said question to the voters of each of said Villages
New Bremen Ohio Sept 20th 1875.

J. B. Kuenzel Mayor.

We do hereby certify this to be a true copy of the original now on file in the Clerk's Office of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen O.

Attest: J. B. Kuenzel Mayor
Wm. Bruns Clerk.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Election notice was duly published by posting up posters on the 20th day of September 1875 within said Village for twenty days, according to law.

Wm. Bruns Clerk

Election.

On the 12th day of October 1875 an election was duly held in pursuance of said notice, with the following result, to wit:

Tally sheet of the election held in the Town of New Bremen County of Auglaize and State of Ohio on the 12th day of October 1875, On the question shall the Village of Ober Bremen be annexed to the Incorporated of "New Bremen"

For Annexation } 101
Against Annexation } 16

We do hereby certify that the number of votes cast For "Annexation" amounts to one hundred and one (101) and those cast against Annexation amounts to sixteen (16)

Attest Wm. Bruns Clerk

J. B. Kuenzel
Mc. Tassler
Mc. Goethaus } Judges

We do hereby certify this to be a true copy of the original, now on file in the Clerk's Office of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio.

Attest J. B. Kuenzel Mayor
Wm. Bruns Clerk

On the 8th day of October 1875 said Council passed a resolution as follows, to wit:

A. Resolution.

To appoint three Commissioners to arrange the terms and auditing of the annexation of the Incorporated Village of

City of Bremen O. to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio.
Be it Resolved by the Council of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio that J. Borsel, F. Vogelrang and C. Schmitt be and are hereby appointed as Commissioners to confer with an equal number of Commissioners appointed by the Council of Ober Bremen for the purpose of arranging the terms and conditions for the annexation of Ober Bremen Ohio to New Bremen Ohio.

J. A. Kuegel Mayor
Wm. Bruns Clerk

New Bremen Ohio Oct. 18th 1875.

We do hereby certify this to be a true copy of the original now on file in the Clerk's Office of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio.

Attest: J. A. Kuegel Mayor
Wm. Bruns Clerk

I do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly published by posting up posters on the 19th day of October 1875 within said Village for ten days according to law.

Wm. Bruns Clerk

On the 20th day of Nov. 1875 said Commissioners filed their report in writing whereupon on the first day of Feby. 1876, said Council passed an ordinance as follows, to wit:

An Ordinance

Approving and confirming the report of the Commissioners arranging the terms and conditions of the annexation of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen.

Preamble. Whereas on the 20th day of November A.D. 1875 Jacob Borsel, F. Vogelrang and C. Schmitt heretofore appointed by a resolution of this Council as Commissioners to act in conjunction with an equal number of persons appointed by the Council of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen to arrange the terms and conditions of the annexation of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen made their report in writing in words and figures as follows, to wit:

To the Honorable Mayor and Council of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio. The undersigned Commissioners appointed by your Honorable Body to act in conjunction with an equal number of Commissioners appointed by the Council of Ober Bremen for the purpose of arranging the terms and conditions upon which Ober Bremen should be annexed to New Bremen have performed the duties devolving upon them, and beg leave to submit the following as the basis agreed upon:

- 1st The present indebtedness of both the Corporations of Ober Bremen and New Bremen whatsoever it may be shall be assumed jointly by both Corporations and shall be liquidated out of the Common fund.
- 2nd All property of whatever kind at present owned by or belonging to Ober Bremen and New Bremen shall be held and considered as joint property without regard to the value of that each particular Corporation.

^{3rd} The total tax levy for 1875 for each Corporation shall stand and remain as it is and from and after 1876 the rate of taxation shall be uniform throughout the limits of the Corporation. All of which is respectfully submitted: New Bremen Ohio Nov. 20 1875.

Jacob Bessel
F. Vogelsang
C. Schmidt
Commissioners

Sect. 1. Therefore be it ordained by the Council of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio that the said report of said Commissioners be and the same is hereby approved and confirmed.

Sect. 2nd This Ordinance passed Feby. 1st 1876 and to take effect on and after ten days after its first publication according to law.

Attest J. S. Kuenzel Mayor
M^{rs} Bruns Clerk

We do hereby certify this to be a true copy of the original now on file in the Clerk's office of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio.

Attest J. S. Kuenzel Mayor
M^{rs} Bruns Clerk

I do hereby certify that the foregoing ordinance was duly published by posting up posters on the 3rd day of Feby, 1876, within said Village for ten days according to law.

M^{rs} Bruns Clerk

The following is a copy of the proceedings of Ober Bremen, Incorporated Village Council, Ohio, to wit: On the 7th day of Sept. 1875, an ordinance was passed by the Council of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen Ohio

Ordinance

Relative to submitting the question of the Annexation of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen to the qualified electors of said first named Village

Sect. 1.

Be it Ordained by the Council of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen Auglaize County Ohio that the question "Shall said Village of Ober Bremen be annexed to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Auglaize County Ohio" shall be submitted to the qualified Electors of said Village of Ober Bremen at the general election to be held therein on the 2nd Tuesday of October 1875 being the 12th day of said month, notice thereof shall be given by publication in the Auglaize County Democrat for at least twenty (20) days prior to the time of holding said election; and also by posting up at least six (6) posters in six (6) of the most conspicuous places in said Village for said period of twenty (20) days prior to said election

Sect 2nd

That the judges and clerks of said election shall be the same and selected in the same manner, as for the election of officers for said Village. The Electors voting at said election in favor of said annexation shall place upon their ballots the words "For Annexation" and those voting there against annexation shall place upon their ballots the words "Against Annexation" That the Poll books and tally sheet of said election shall be

signed attested and deposited, as in case of election of Officers of said Village.

Sect. III

This ordinance to take effect and be in force on and after ten days after its first publication according to law.

Passed September 7th 1875. Attest J. H. L. Nieter Mayor

Theo. Pampus Clerk

We do hereby certify this to be a true copy of the original, now on file in the clerks Office of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio

Attest J. H. Kuenzel Mayor

Wm. Bruns Clerk

I hereby Certify that the foregoing ordinance was duly published by insertion in the Auglaize County Democrat on the 16th day of September 1875 for one week, according to law

Theo. Pampus Clerk

On the 20th day of Sept. 1875 notice of election was duly given to the qualified electors of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen Ohio, as follows, to wit:

Election Notice -

The qualified Electors of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen Ohio, are hereby notified to meet at the usual place of holding Elections in said Village on Tuesday the 12th day of October 1875, and then and there between the hours of six o'clock A.M. and six o'clock P.M. proceed to vote upon the question "Shall the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen Ohio be annexed to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio", all the voters in favor of said annexation will place upon their ballots the words "For Annexation" Those opposed to the same will place upon their ballots the words "Against Annexation" in accordance with the provisions of ordinances of said Villages respectively providing for the submission of said question to the voters of each of said Villages

Ober Bremen Ohio. Sept. 20. 1875 J. H. L. Nieter Mayor

We do hereby Certify this to be a true copy of the original now on file in the clerks office of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio. Attest J. H. Kuenzel Mayor

Wm. Bruns Clerk

I do hereby certify that the foregoing election notice was duly published by posting up posters on the 20th day of September 1875 within said Village for twenty days according to law.

On the 12th day of Oct. 1875 an election was duly held in pursuance of said notice with the following result, to wit:

- Tally Sheet -

Tally Sheet of the Election in the Town of Ober Bremen County of Auglaize and State of Ohio on the 12th day of Oct. A.D. 1875 on the Question "Shall the Village of Ober Bremen, O. be annexed to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio."

For Annexation } IIII IIII IIII IIII IIII IIII IIII IIII IIII = 63

Against Annexation } II = 2

We do hereby certify that the number of votes cast for annexation amounts to sixty three (63) and those cast against Annexation amounts to two (2).

Attest Theod. Pampus Clerk

J. H. L. Krieter

J. Dick

H. Moeller

Judge

We do hereby certify this to be a true copy of the Original now on file in the clerk's office of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio.

Attest: Wm. Bruns Clerk

J. B. Kuegel

Mayer

On the 18th day of October 1875 said Council passed a Resolution as follows, to wit:

- A. Resolution -

To appoint three Commissioners to arrange the terms and conditions of the Annexation of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen Ohio to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio.

Be it resolved by the Council of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen Ohio that Henry Fricke, J. H. Borsch and William Rabe be and are hereby appointed Commissioners to confer with an equal number of Commissioners appointed by the Council of New Bremen for the purpose of arranging the terms and conditions for the Annexation of Ober Bremen Ohio to New Bremen, O.

J. H. L. Krieter Mayor

Theod. Pampus Clerk

Ober Bremen Ohio Oct. 18th 1875.

We do hereby certify this to be a true copy of the original now on file in the clerk's office in the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio.

Attest J. B. Kuegel Mayor

Wm. Bruns Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly published by posting up posters on the 19th day of October 1875 within said village for ten days according to law.

Theod. Pampus Clerk

On the 20th day of Nov. 1875 said Commissioners filed their report in writing whereupon on the 4th day of Feb. 1876 said Council passed an Ordinance as follows, to wit:

- An Ordinance -

Approving and Confirming the report of the Commissioners arranging the terms and conditions of the Annexation of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio.

Preamble - Whereas on the 20th day of November 1875 Henry Fricke, J. H. Borsch & William Rabe heretofore appointed by a resolution of the Council as Commissioners to act in conjunction with an equal number of persons appointed by the Council of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen to arrange the terms and conditions of the Annexation of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen to the Incorporated Village of New Bremen, made their report in writing in words

and figure as follows, to wit: To the Honorable Mayor and Council of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen, Ohio.
 The undersigned Commissioners appointed by your Honorable body to act in conjunction with an equal number of Commissioners appointed by the Council of New Bremen for the purpose of arranging the terms and conditions upon which Ober Bremen should be annexed to New Bremen have performed the duties devolving upon them and beg leave to submit the following as the basis agreed upon: First, the present indebtedness of both the Corporations of Ober Bremen and New Bremen wherever it may be shall be assumed jointly by both Corporations and shall be liquidated out of Common fund. Second, all the property of whatever kind at present owned by or belonging to Ober Bremen and New Bremen shall be held and considered as joint property without regard to the value of that each particular Corporation. Third, The total tax levy for 1875 shall stand and remain as it is and from and after 1876 the rate of taxation shall be uniform throughout the limits of the Corporation. All of which is respectfully submitted.

Henry Finke
 J. H. Borsche
 Wm. Rabe
 Commissioners

Sect. 1 Therefore be it ordained by the Council of the Incorporated Village of Ober Bremen Ohio, that the said Report of said Commissioners be and the same is hereby approved and confirmed.
 Sect. 2 This Ordinance passed Feby. 4th 1876 and to take effect on and after ten days after its first publication, according to law.

Theod. Pampus Clerk

F. H. L. Miller Mayor

I hereby Certify that the foregoing ordinance was duly published by posting up posters on the 5th day of Feby. 1876 within said Village for two days according to law.

Theod. Pampus Clerk

We do hereby Certify this to be a true copy of the original now on file in the Clerk's office of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio.

Attest. J. A. Kneazel Mayor
 Wm. Brown Clerk

On the 1st day of Feby. 1876 the Council of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio, passed a resolution as follows, to wit:

Resolution-

Be it resolved by the Council of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen Ohio, that the Clerk of said Village cause a duly Certified Copy of the report of the Commissioners arranging the terms and conditions of the Annexation of Ober Bremen to this Village which after being duly signed and attested by said Clerk and Mayor of said Village and with the Corporate seal thereof shall be placed on file in the office of the Clerk of said Village. And be it further resolved that it shall be the duty of the Clerk of said Village to make out and certify two transcripts of all the ordinances abstracts of the

returns of the votes and other papers relating to such annexation, one of which he shall cause to be filed in the Recorder's office of Auglaize County Ohio, and the other he shall forward to the Secretary of the State of Ohio.

J. A. Kuenzler Mayor
Wm. Bruns Clerk

New Bremen, Ohio, Feby. 12th 1876

We do hereby certify this to be a true copy of the original now on file in the clerk's office of the Incorporated Village of New Bremen, Ohio.

Attest. J. A. Kuenzler Mayor
Wm. Bruns Clerk

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly published by posting up posters on the 3rd day of Feby. 1876, within said Village for ten days according to law.

Wm. Bruns Clerk

- Certificate -

We do hereby certify there to be true transcripts of all the proceedings relating to the within matter as taken from the records of said proceedings.

Attest. J. A. Kuenzler Mayor
William Bruns Clerk

Filed Feby. 14th 1876.
Recorded March 2nd 1876.

Henry Quast
Recorder