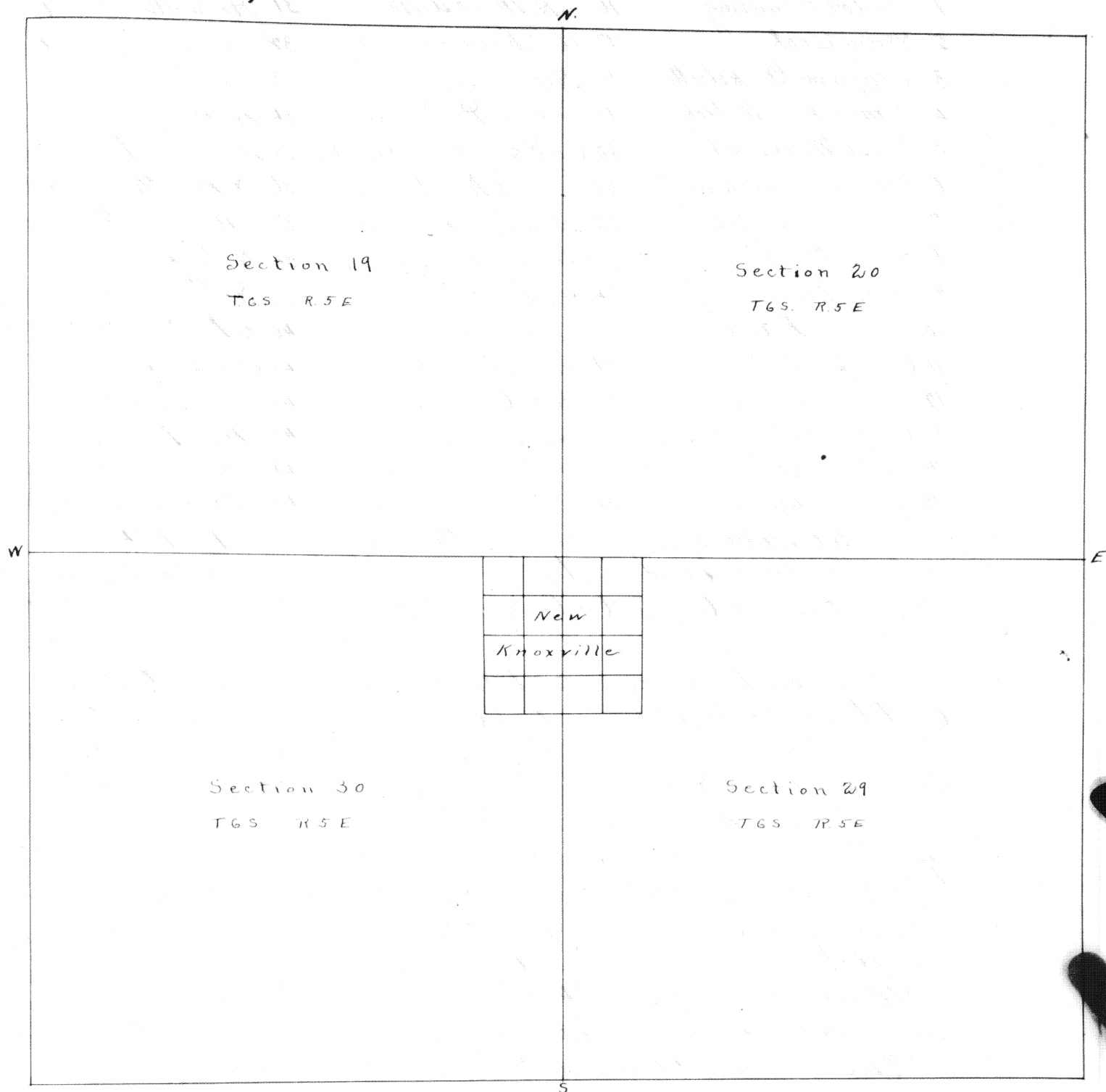


Map. "A."



Incorporation of } To the Hon Board of Commissioners of Auglaize County and
 New Knoxville, O. } State of Ohio. - Your petitioners respectfully represent that
 they are inhabitants of said county residing on and adjacent
 to the territory laid off into village lots a plat of which has been made and re-
 corded, situated in said county of Auglaize and State of Ohio, to wit: Section
 number nineteen (19), twenty (20), twenty nine (29) and thirty (30) all in Washington
 township, and township six (6) south, range five (5) east. That the supposed
 number of inhabitants is about three hundred and five (305); that they de-
 sire said territory to be organized into an incorporated village for special
 purposes by the name New Knoxville. The following named persons resid-
 ing on said territory are hereby authorized to act as agents in behalf of
 your petitioners on the premises, to wit: Wm Kuck, Sr., Wm. Fennemann,
 and W. H. Dethkamp. An accurate map of the territory above described
 is hereto attached marked "A" and made a part of this petition.

Your petitioners therefore pray that your Honorable Body will take
 such action in the premises as may be necessary for the purpose of
 organizing the territory above described into an incorporated village
 for special purposes, as your petitioners will ever pray.

Names:	Names:	Names:
1 Theodore Clausung	16 E. H. Meckstroth	31 Helmut Schultze
2 Henry Cook	17 A. J. Katterheimmich	32 James D. G. Black
3 Benjamin Meckstroth	18 H. W. Nuszmeyer	33 E. W. Kuck Jr.
4 Frederick Lutterbeck	19 George Kuhlman	34 W. Henschen
5 Ernst Meckstroth	20 Adolph Huberkump	35 Wilhelm Katterheimmich
6 Heinrich Venneman	21 Ernst Kuck	36 H. Wm. Meckstroth
7 Ernst Lutterbein	22 Heinrich Wellman	37 J. Wilhelm Meckstroth
8 Henry Kuck	23 William Keimay	38 H. Piepmier
9 Henry Kuttman	24 A. Brokriede	39 H. Bielefeld
10 Charles Wande	25 George Holl	40 H. Katterheimmich
11 Adolph Cook, Jr.	26 Wm. Kuck	41 Adolph Bracksick
12 C. Bunderman	27 H. H. Aufderhar	42 Dr. F. Curtine
13 W. Meckstroth	28 H. H. Hoge	43 Wm. Kuck, Jr.
14 Heinrich Hirwille	29 Wm. Lutterbeck	44 Wm. Vennemann
15 J. A. Fledderjohann	30 Wilhelm Schroer	45 H. W. Duthkamp

In the matter of the petition
for the incorporation of the town
of New Knoxville, Auglaize Co. O.

Monday, June 1st, 1874.

This day came H. W. Duthkamp et al. and presented to the Board a petition praying for the incorporation of New Knoxville, in said county, which was duly received and ordered to be filed in the Auditor's office of said county of Auglaize there to be kept subject to the inspection of any person or persons interested. And it was further ordered that Wm. Kuck, Wm. Vennemann and H. W. Duthkamp, the agents of said petitioners give notice containing the substance of said petition in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided and the said petition and application will be heard at the Auditor's office in said county of Auglaize on the 3d day of August A.D. 1874 to which time the matter is adjourned.

Monday, August 3d, 1874. The Board met pursuant to adjournment. In the matter of the application for the Incorporation of New Knoxville, Ohio.

This day said petition came on to be further heard pursuant to the order of this board heretofore made in the premises, and upon examination and consideration of said petition we do find that it contains all the matters required by law and that all the statements therein made are true: that the name proposed for such corporation, to wit: New Knoxville is appropriate: that the limits thereof have been accurately described and that the same are not unreasonably large or small and that the map or plat thereof is correctly made: that the persons whose names are subscribed thereto are legal voters residing on said territory: that notice of the time and place of hearing hereof has been given by said agents as heretofore ordered by this Board, and that now there are fifty qualified voters reside on said territory. It is therefore ordered that said petition be granted and that said territory be organized as an incorporated village for special purposes and that the same be named and known as New Knoxville, and it is further ordered that the Auditor of this county make out a full and complete certified transcript of all the proceedings and orders of this Board herein and after the same shall be signed by us he cause it to be delivered together with the petition and map accompanying said petition and all the other papers on file in his office to the Recorder of this

county to be by him placed on file in his office in pursuance of law.

J. L. McFarland }
L. H. Hensch } Commissioners
Joel Loomis } of Auglaize Co. O.

I certify that the above is a correct abstract of the proceedings of the
incorporation of New Knoxville. October 12th. 1874.

J. F. Smith, Auditor
Auglaize Co. Ohio.

Filed for record Oct. 12th. 1874

Recorded November 6th. 1874

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R. M. Murray, Recorder
By M. W. Smith, Deputy.