

Villages

PRAIRIE DU SAC, Sauk Co.

Incorporation papers rec.  
Oct. 24, 1885.

STATE OF WISCONSIN } ss.  
Department of State  
Received and Filed

OCT 17 1917

*W. B. Magler*  
RECEIVED BY DEPT. OF STATE

STATE OF WISCONSIN }  
County of Sauk } ss.

I, C. M. DuBois, Register of Deeds of Sauk County, do hereby certify that the foregoing  
and annexed Copy of Order of Court for Incorporating the Village of  
Prairie du Sac, as recorded in Vol. E of Misc. on Page 131  
has been compared by me with the original record and is a true copy thereof and of the whole of  
such original record.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Baraboo

this 13<sup>th</sup> day of October A. D. 1917

(Seal)

*C. M. DuBois*  
Register of Deeds

OCT 17 1917

*L. P. [Signature]*

Order of Circuit Court

for

Incorporating village of

Prairie du Sac.

STATE OF IOWA  
Department of State  
Received and Filed

OCT 17 1917

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
By *[Name]* Secretary of State

State of Wisconsin,  
 Circuit Court for Sauk County. }

At a regular term of the Circuit Court for the County of Sauk in the State of Wisconsin, held at the Court House, in the city of Baraboo, in said county on the third Monday being the 21st day of September, A.D. 1885.

Present, Hon. Alva Stewart, Judge, Presiding.

In the matter of the application of Edward Oertel, et al for the incorporation of the village of Prairie du Sac, in the county of Sauk, and State of Wisconsin.

On reading and filing the petition of Edward Oertel, George Schneller, E. C. Moore, C. P. Riley, H. Garner and twenty two other persons, residents of the territory hereinafter described, praying for the incorporation of such territory under, and by the name of the village of Prairie du Sac, and it appearing by said petition, and the map, affidavits and papers thereto attached and accompanying the same, that they, the said petitioners have caused to be made by a practical surveyor, an accurate survey, and map of the territory intended to be embraced within said village, showing the courses and distances of the boundaries, and the quantity of land contained therein, the accuracy of which map and survey is verified by the affidavits of said surveyor attached thereto. That they have caused to be taken an accurate census of the resident population of such territory, as it was on the 17th day of July, 1885, not more than ten weeks prior to the date of this order, exhibiting the name of every head of a family, and the name of every person a resident in good faith of such territory on that day, and the lot or quarter quarter section of land on which each and every person resided on that day, which said census is verified, by the affidavit of Sarah J. Baker, the person who took the same affixed thereto. That such map survey and census when completed and verified as aforesaid, were left at the place of business of Thomas Baker, a resident of said territory, which said place of business is within said territory and there kept subject to examination at all reasonable hours, by all persons interested for a period of five weeks, <sup>and</sup> more from the first publication of the notice hereafter mentioned. That they gave notice that on a day therein specified to wit: on the 21st day of September, 1885, or as soon thereafter as the applicants could conveniently be heard, they would apply to the Circuit Court of the County of Sauk, being the

county in which such territory lies, for an order incorporating such territory as a village by the name of the village of Prairie du Sac, which said notice contained a description of such territory and described the courses and distances of the same, and specified the town in which such territory lies, and stated where such map, survey and census had been left, subject to examination by all persons interested as aforesaid, by the publication of said notice once in each week for six consecutive weeks, in the "Sauk County News" a weekly newspaper published within such territory, and after full hearing of all parties interested, the Court being satisfied the requirements of the statute in that behalf have been complied with, That all of the land embraced in such territory ought justly to be included in the proposed village. That the interests of the inhabitants of such territory will be promoted by such incorporation, and that such territory as ought to be included contained at the time such census was taken the population in number and in proportion to quantity of land contained therein, required in Section 854 of the Revised Statutes as amended.

Now therefore, on motion of E. W. Young, attorney for said petitioners the Court does hereby order and determine that all the territory described in said petition, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section one(1)	42.14 acres
The southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section one(1)	40 "
The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section one (1)	40 "
The northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section one(1)	40 "
The southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section one (1)	40 "
The northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section one (1)	41.82 "
A fraction in the northeast quarter of the northeast <sup>quarter</sup> of section one(1)	33.44 "
The southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section one (1)	40 "
The northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section one (1)	40 "

All of the above mentioned lands being in township number nine(9) north of range number six(6) east.

Also the following described lands situate, lying and being in township number nine (9) north of range number seven(7) east, to-wit:

A fraction in the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty-one (31) containing	8.10 acres
--	------------

And a fraction in the

III

And a fraction in the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter, and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter containing 20.22 acres

Also the following described lands situate, lying and being in section thirty-six (36), town ten(10) north, of range six(6) east, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter	40	"
The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter	40	"
A fraction in the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter	16.50	"
The southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and a fraction in the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter	43.06	"
Also area of land between Wisconsin river at middling stage of water and the meandered boundary	3.55	"

Making in all five hundred and twenty-eight and eighty-three one-hundredths (528.83) acres.

And all of said territory is in the township of Prairie du Sac, Sauk County, Wisconsin.

The following is the description of the boundaries of such territory by courses and distances, to-wit:

Commencing at the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section number one(1) township number nine(9) north of range number six(6) east, Sauk County, Wisconsin, running south on the 1/8 line, a true variation of 6 degrees 25 minutes east, twenty-five chains and ninety-five links, thence south on same variation of 6 degrees 25 minutes east, twenty(~~20~~) chains thence south on same variation of 6 degrees 25 minutes east, twenty chains to the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of above section number one(1). Thence east along said 1/8 line twenty chains and one link, true variation, 6 degrees 40 minutes east; thence east, variation 6 degrees 50 minutes east, nineteen chains and ninety-five links; thence <sup>east,</sup> variation 6 degrees 50 minutes east, nineteen chains and ninety-five links; to the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of above section number one(1); thence east, variation 6 degrees 50 minutes, east, six chains and ninety-two links, to the Wisconsin river at water mark at middling stage. Thence north, 1 degree west, along the water edge of the above river seven chains and seventy-six links; thence north 10 degrees east, four chains and sixteen links; thence

north 6 degrees 30 minutes west, seven chains and forty-four links; thence <sup>north,</sup> 11 degrees west, three chains and ninety-two links; thence north, 14 degrees west, four chains and fifty-five links; thence north, 22 degrees west, 5 chains and eighty seven links; thence east by south end of bridge house, fifty links; thence <sup>north</sup> 22 degrees west, 1 chain and sixty links; thence west twenty-five links; thence north 25 degrees 45 minutes west, five chains and thirty-seven links; thence north 41 degrees 30 minutes west, four chains and sixty-five links; thence north 44 degrees west four chains and forty links; thence north 37 degrees west, three chains and fifty-six links; thence north 39 degrees west, 5 chains and six links; thence north, 38 degrees west, one chain and seventy-seven links; thence north, 25 degrees west, eight chains and eighty-four links; thence north, 22 degrees 45 minutes west, four chains and fortyfive links; thence north, 45 degrees 45 minutes west, six chains and seventy-five links; thence north, thirty-eight degrees <sup>west,</sup> five chains and fifteen links; thence north, 31 degrees west, five chains and forty links; thence north, 39 degrees 45 minutes west, twelve chains and seven links, to the centerline of section number thirty-six(36) township number ten(10) north of range number six(6) east, Sauk County, Wisconsin. Thence west, 5 degrees 30 minutes east, one chain and fifty links, to where the north and south and east and west center lines cross each other; thence variation 5 degrees 30 minutes east, twenty chains, to northwest corner of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of above section number thirty-six(36) thence south, variation 5 degrees 44 minutes east, nineteen chains and ninety-six links; thence south, variation 5 degrees 44 minutes east, nineteen chains and ninety-six links to the place of beginning. containing five hundred and twenty-eight and eighty-three one-hundredths acres.

All of said territory being in the township of Prairie du Sac, Sauk County, Wisconsin, and the same including upwards of one half square mile in area, and is not included in any heretofore incorporated village. That the quantity of land contained in such survey amounting to 528  $\frac{83}{100}$  acres, be and the same is hereby incorporated as a village by the name of Prairie du Sac, if the electors thereof shall assent thereto in the manner provided by law.

Ordered further, that F. A. Oertel, M. L. Patterson and Alexander Mc Ginnis who are residents of such territory, be, and they are hereby appointed

inspectors of election, and they are hereby directed to perform the duties of inspectors of election as required of them by chapter 40 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Wisconsin.

By the Court,

Dated Sept. 21st, A.D. 1885.

Alva Stewart, Judge.

Recorded Oct. 24th, 1885

at 1½ o'clock P.M.

F. N. Peck, Register.

STATE OF WISCONSIN }  
County of Sauk } ss.

I, C. M. DuBois, Register of Deeds of Sauk County, do hereby certify that the foregoing

and annexed Copy of Statment of Inspectors of Election, Oaths,

Poll List, etc., for incorporating the Village of Prairie du Sac,

as recorded in Vol E of Misc. on Page 133

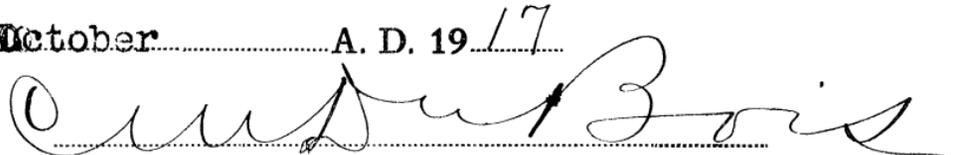
has been compared by me with the original record and is a true copy thereof and of the whole of

such original record.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Baraboo

this 13 day of October A. D. 19 17

(Seal)



Register of Deeds

Statement of Inspectors  
of Election,

Oaths, Poll List, etc.,

for

Incorporating the Village  
of Prairie du Sac.

STATE OF IOWA  
Department of State  
Received and Filed

OCT 17 1917

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Secretary of State

Statement of Inspectors of Election, Oaths, Poll Lists etc. for incorporating the Village of Prairie du Sac.

State of Wisconsin  
County of Sauk } SS

F. A. Oertel, Alexander Mc Ginnis and M. L. Patterson being duly appointed by the Circuit Court of the Ninth Judicial Circuit of the State of Wisconsin, at a regular term thereof, held at the Court house in the city of Baraboo, Sauk County, on the 21st day of September A.D. 1885, as inspectors of election for the incorporation of a village in said Sauk County, to be known as the village of Prairie du Sac, being each duly sworn, each for himself says, I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin, and I will perform the duties of inspector of election, according to law, and I will studiously endeavor to prevent all fraud, deceit or abuse in conducting the same, according to the best of my ability.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of October, A.D. 1885  
Thomas Baker, Justice of the Peace.

F. A. Oertel

Alexander Mc Ginnis

M. L. Patterson

RECEIVED AND FILED

OCT 17 1885

State of Wisconsin,  
County of Sauk } SS.

F. A. Oertel, and Alexander Mc Ginnis, being each duly sworn each for himself says, I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin, and I will perform the duties of Clerk of the election within named, for the incorporation of a village to be known as the village of Prairie du Sac, according to the law, and I will studiously endeavor to prevent all fraud, deceit or abuse, in conducting the same according to the best of my ability.

F. A. Oertel

Alexander Mc Ginnis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of October, A.D. 1885.  
Thomas Baker Justice of the Peace

State of Wisconsin, )  
 County of Sauk ) ss

We the undersigned- inspectors of election for the incorporation of a village to be known as the village of Prairie du Sac, duly appointed by an order of the Circuit Court for the Ninth Judicial Circuit of the State of Wisconsin at a regular term of said Court, held in the Court house at the City of Baraboo, in Sauk County, Wisconsin, on the 21st day of September, 1885. do hereby certify that we caused a notice to be published in the Sauk County News, a weekly newspaper published in the village of Prairie du Sac, Sauk County, Wisconsin, within the territory intended to be incorporated as the village of Prairie du Sac, and mentioned and described in said order, that on the 19th day of October, 1885, we would meet at the feed store of Alexander Mc Ginnis in said village of Prairie du Sac, and hold an election to determine whether or not said mentioned territory should be incorporated as a village, that said notice was duly published in said Sauk County News for four successive weeks the last publication thereof being on the 17th day of October, 1885, that in pursuance of said notice, we met at the feed store of Alexander Mc Ginnis before mentioned on the 19th day of October, 1885 and held an election, that before opening the Polls for said election, F. A. Oertel, and Alexander Mc Ginnis were by us chosen as clerks of said election, that we all as such inspectors, and the said F. A. Oertel and Alexander Mc Ginnis as such clerks of election, each severally took and subscribed to the oath as required by law for clerks and inspectors of election, that the Polls of such election were opened at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and kept open until twelve o'clock noon, when they were closed one hour for dinner, that the Polls were again opened at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and kept open until four o'clock in the afternoon of said day when they were duly closed.

That the number of votes polled at such election was One hundred and twenty two (122) of which number sixty one (61) -were voted Incorporation yes- and sixty one (61) were voted Incorporation -no, and that the following are the names of the electors voting at such election. in the order in which they voted.

- |                          |                           |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Geo Highland          | 35. Geo. Ragatz           |
| 2. Wm. Hickman           | 36. Winthrop Young        |
| 3. John S. Conger        | 37. J. A. Moore           |
| 4. Myron Reynolds        | 38. J. P. Wiswell         |
| 5. Niles Fellows         | 39. J. W. Stevens         |
| 6. James H. Bailey       | 40. Valentine Accola      |
| 7. E. C. Wiswall         | 41. Isaac T. Hubbard      |
| 8. A. W. Young           | 42. A. Hill               |
| 9. Joshua Perkins        | 43. Amos Willis           |
| 10. John Meyers          | 44. E. C. Perkins         |
| 11. Jacob Felix          | 45. N. H. Briggs          |
| 12. D. Grotophorst       | 46. Peter Felix           |
| 13. Jacob Weynand        | 47. John Fowler           |
| 14. Charles Hand         | 48. Jacob Hatz            |
| 15. Erhardt Accola       | 49. Joseph Ragatz         |
| 16. J. H. Ochsner        | 50. Alonzo Waterbury      |
| 17. W. J. Welsh          | 51. Christian Just        |
| 18. J. B. Mc Coy         | 52. Mark Durkee           |
| 19. Geo. Schneller       | 53. M. H. Keysar          |
| 20. J. J. Felix          | 54. James Christian       |
| 21. F. F. Daubner        | 55. H. V. Page            |
| 22. Felix Roll           | 56. Florian Buehler       |
| 23. Oscar Coburn         | 57. Geo. Owen             |
| 24. Thomas Baker         | 58. Edward Oertel         |
| 25. John Fey             | 59. W. F. Conger          |
| 26. Frank Meyres (Sworn) | 60. Peter Kindshy         |
| 27. Florian Gasser       | 61. Albert Fischer        |
| 28. C. E. Whelan         | 62. Anton Haberman        |
| 29. Frank Steward        | 63. Geo. Flanders         |
| 30. Alfred Page          | 64. Christian Kindshy Jr. |
| 31. Nathaniel Perkins    | 65. A. P. Cummings        |
| 32. U. H. Kendall        | 66. Cyrus Clough          |
| 33. Lewis Perry          | 67. Chs. P. Riley         |
| 34. John Fancher         | 68. Chs. Stoddard         |

- |                         |                            |
|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| 69. Thomas King         | 103. Harvey Durkee         |
| 70. Samuel Pryor        | 104. John Haberman         |
| 71. O. E. Briggs        | 105. Christian Windshy Sr. |
| 72. Geo. W. Baldwin     | 106. John Habermann Jr.    |
| 73. E. C. Flegler       | 107. D. R. Baxter          |
| 74. M. L. Patterson     | 108. F. P. Ellis           |
| 75. F. A. Oertel        | 109. Amos Farr.            |
| 76. Alexander Mc Ginnis | 110. Chs. Oertel           |
| 77. J. B. Patterson     | 111. Jacob Pluess          |
| 78. Albert Baldwin      | 112. Patrick Moran         |
| 79. Jacob Meiser        | 113. M. Willis             |
| 80. E. C. Moore         | 114. A. M. Böckford        |
| 81. Christian Platz     | 115. Harvey Highland       |
| 82. O. B. Hubbard       | 116. Geo. Grow             |
| 83. J. S. Tripp         | 117. Robert Homberger      |
| 84. Thomas Carey        | 118. Louis Pollman         |
| 85. West Sharp          | 119. Frederick Coburn      |
| 86. E. J. Farr          | 120. Andrew Meyers         |
| 87. Charles Evans       | 121. Wm. C. Cook           |
| 88. William Meyers      | 122. Elson Highland        |
| 89. D. S. Conger        |                            |
| 90. H. C. Keysar        |                            |
| 91. Henry Glarner       | F. A. Oertel               |
| 92. D. P. Grow          | Alexnader Mc Ginnis        |
| 93. Robert Steuber      |                            |
| 94. J. I. Waterbury     |                            |
| 95. H. J. Rose          |                            |
| 96. John Accola         |                            |
| 97. Christian Rose      |                            |
| 98. M. C. Moore         |                            |
| 99. Frederick Rose      |                            |
| 100. James Lang         |                            |
| 101. Eluhue Meyers      |                            |
| 102. David Meyers       |                            |

} Clerks

We the undersigned inspectors of the above named election held in the feed store of Alexnader Mc Ginnis in the village of prairie du Sac, and within the territory included in the order of the Court above mentioned, do hereby certify that the whole number of votes cast at said election was one hundred and twenty two, (122) of which number sixty one (61) were voted "incorporation yes" and sixty one (61) were voted " incorporation no"

There being a tie vote, we at once proceeded under Sections 806 and 807 of the revised statutes of 1878, and placed two ballots in the ballot box, on one of which were the words, " incorporation yes", and on one of which were the words, "incorporation no", and thereupon John Meyers, a qualified elector within said mentioned territory, was duly appointed by us to draw one of said ballots, and on his drawing one of said ballots and on opening the same, it had thereon the words, "incorporation yes"-whereupon we declared that the drawing of lots was in favor of "incorporation yes", and that the foregoing statement of said election is correct in all respects.

Dated October 19th, 1885.

E. A. Oertel	} Inspectors
Alexander Mc Ginnis	
M. L. Patterson	

State of Wisconsin, )  
 County of Sauk ) SS.

E. A. Oertel, Alexander Mc Ginnis and M. L. Patterson, the inspectors of the election above named being each duly ~~sworn~~ severally sworn, each for himself says, I have heard read the above and foregoing statement, report, and certificate of election for the incorporation of a village to be known as the village of Prairie du Sac, by me subscribed and know the contents thereof and that the same is correct and true.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
 this 19th day of October, A.D. 1885

Thomas Baker Justice of the Peace

E. A. Certel  
 Alexander Mc Ginnis  
 M. L. Patterson