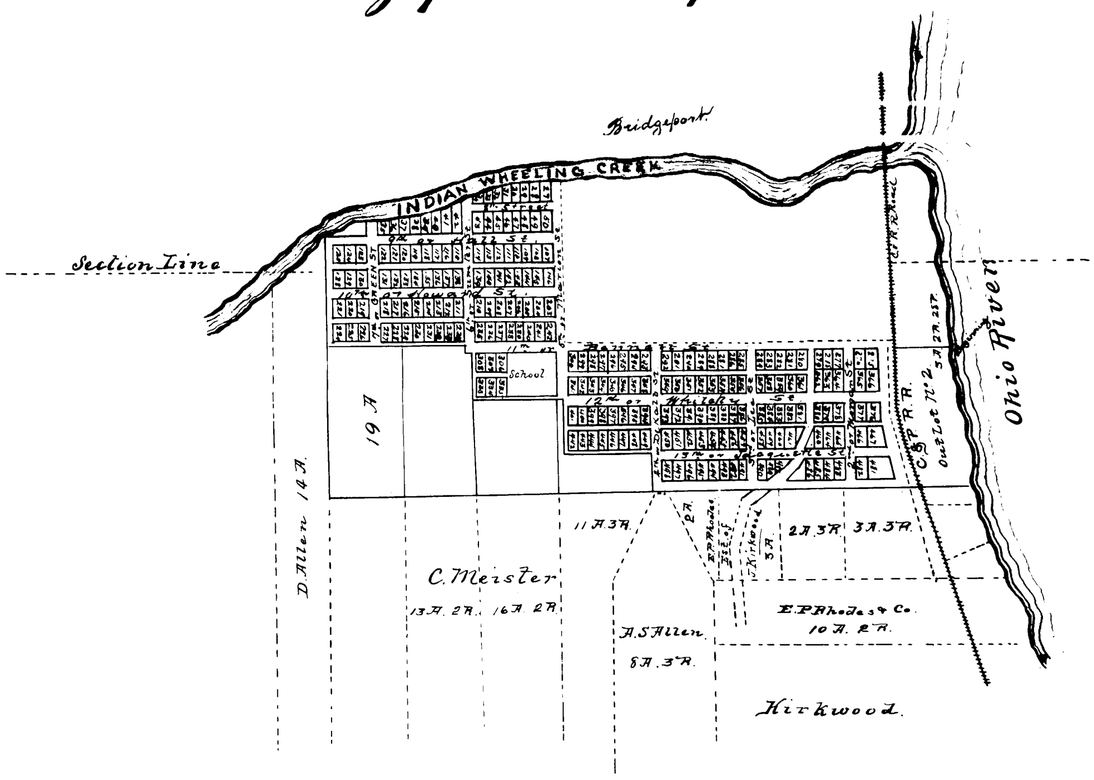
Extension of Bridgeport Corporation.



To the Commissioners of Belmont County Ohio.

The Council of the Incorporated Village of Bridgeport, Belmont County, Ohio, represent that an Ordinance has been duly and legally passed by the Council, authorizing the annexation of the Territory herein described, in Pease, in said County, contiguous to the present corporate limits to said village, and they petition the Commissioners to enlarge the Corporate limits of said Village by the annexation of said territory, which is described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the South side of Bennett Street intersects the Ohio River: thence running with said South line of said Street to Marion Street: thence with the West line of Marion Street to the middle of Indian Wheeling Creek: thence up said Creek to a point where the East line of David Allen's 14 acre lot intersects said Creek: thence with the East line of David Allen's 14 acre lot South to the South line of an Alley known and marked on the Plat of Kirkwood as Kennon's Alley: thence with the South line of Kennon's Alley to a point where said line intersects the Ohio River: thence with the Ohio River to the point where the line of the South side of Bennett Street intersects the Ohio River: being the place of beginning. A Plat of which said contiguous territory as above described is hereto attached.

Israel Phillips, Mayor.
J. R. Mitchell, Clerk.

F. C. Smith.
J. T. Bugg.
Wm. Alexander.
S. A. Jenkins.
August McConnaughey
G. W. Bartholomew.
} Councilmen.

Transcript of the proceedings of the Commissioners
In the matter of annexation of Territory to the Incorporated Village of Bridgeport. } Sept 6th. This day the Incorporated Village of Bridgeport presented its petition for the annexation of certain contiguous territory, described in the Petition, and also a Plat of said territory, and an Ordinance of the Council of said Village, authorizing the annexation to be made. It is ordered that said papers be filed, and the Board appoint the 30th day of December, for the hearing of said application at their office in Saint Clairsville.

Dec. 30th 1870.

In the matter of annexation of territory to the Incorporated Village of Bridgeport } This day came the Petitioners by their Agent and Attorney, and also came McConnaughey and others, remonstrants, by their Attorney, and this application came on for hearing upon the Petition, Ordinance, Affidavits, Remonstrance and testimony. Witnesses being duly sworn, were examined by both sides, and the evidence and arguments for and against, having been heard, the Commissioners find, that by due notice by Advertisements, and posting up notices of the time and place of hearing has been given as required by the Statute, that the Petition contains all the matters required, and that its statements are true, that the Petition contains an accurate description of the territory contiguous to the incorporated Village of Bridgeport, which it is proposed to annex thereto, and that the accompanying Plat is accurately made, and further, the Commissioners find that it is right and proper that the prayer of said Petition be and the same is hereby granted. And that the territory described in said Petition be annexed to said Incorporated Village. Notice of an appeal by the Remonstrants, was given.

James Kinney.
Wm. M. Armstrong } Commissioners.
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Entered for Record March 24th 1871.
Recorded March 30th A. D. 1871.

Wm. H. Barnes Rec.
Per J. M. Riley