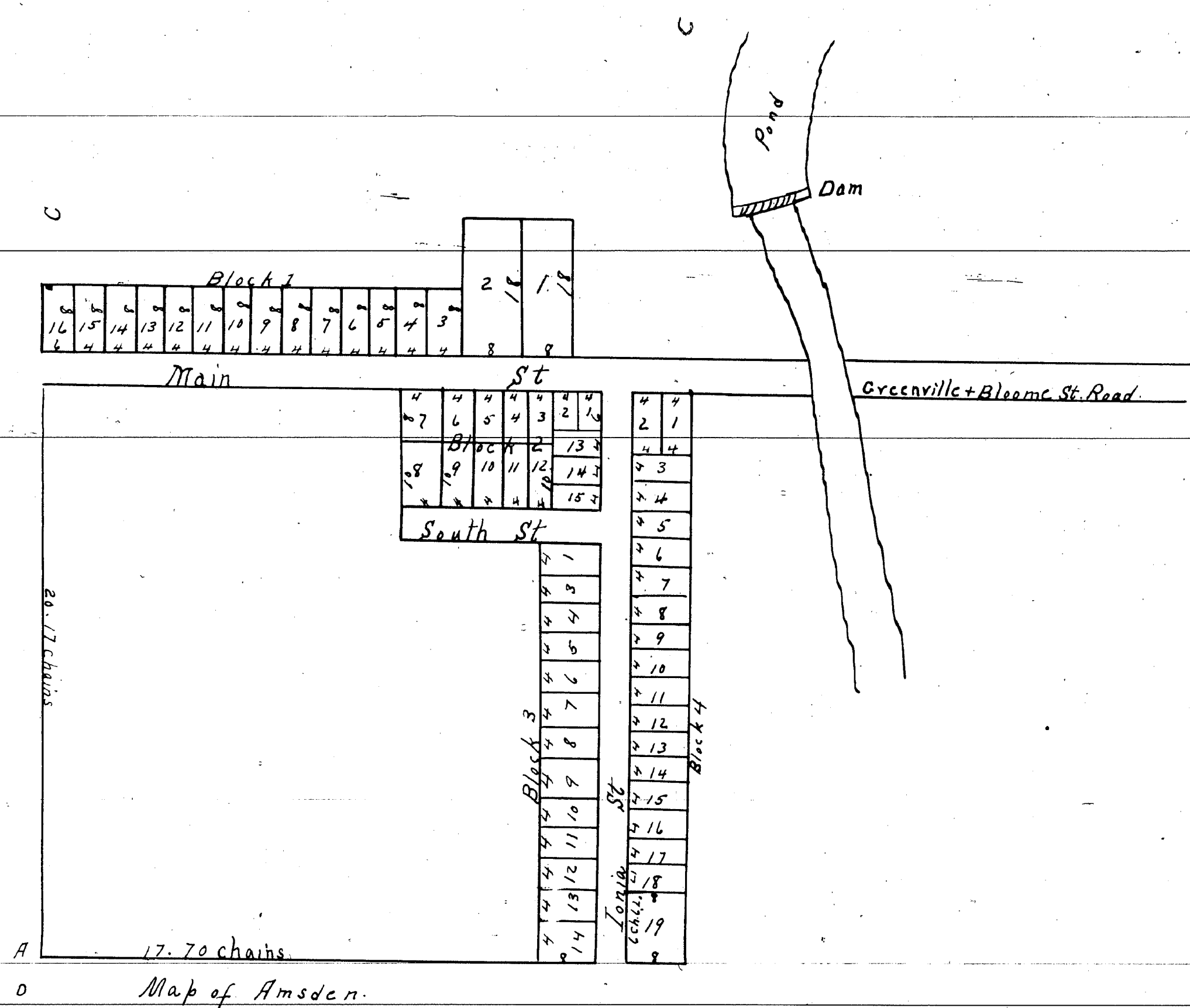




Description of the village of Amsden 1866 in Montcalm County Michigan as surveyed by E. H. Jones, County Surveyor of Montcalm County on the 27th and 28th day of April A. D. 1866. The plat includes a strip of land off the west side of the North west quarter of the south east quarter of section number fifteen 15. in Township nine (9) North of Range seven (7) west ten rods in width measuring from the north and south $\frac{1}{4}$ line of said section a part of the south east quarter of the north west quarter of said section. Described as follows. To wit Commencing on the east and west quarter line of said section eight rods west of the center of the same. Thence north One 1. degree east 5 chains five. Thence west four chains. Thence south One 1 degree west two and one half chains $2\frac{1}{2}$ Thence west $14\frac{1}{4}$ chains to the west line of said lot. Thence south One 1 degree West two and one half chains $2\frac{1}{2}$ to the quarter line aforesaid Thence east $16\frac{1}{4}$

chains to the place of beginning also a part of the north east quarter of the south west. quarter described as follows. To wit Commencing at the center of said section 15 thence south 1 degree West along the north and south quarter line of said section twenty chains 20 thence West two and one half $2\frac{1}{2}$ chains. Thence north One 1 degree east fourteen 14 chains. Thence west four chains and eighty one links $4\frac{81}{100}$. Thence north one (1) degree east six (6) chains Thence east seven chains and thirty one links $7\frac{31}{100}$ to the place of beginning description of streets 1st running east upon the $\frac{1}{4}$ line two and one half $2\frac{1}{2}$ chains and west street being one chain. 2nd Town street commencing at the center of said section Thence running south one 1 degree west twenty chains and six links $20\frac{6}{100}$. Width of street one 1 chain 3rd south street commencing upon the $\frac{1}{4}$ line four and one half $4\frac{1}{2}$ chains south from the center above described Thence running west seven chains and thirty one links $7\frac{31}{100}$ width of street one 1 chain the plat is divided into four blocks numbered respectively 1. 2. 3. + 4 the size of the lots exclusive of the street is marked upon the accompanying plat in red ink in rods and links

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| Chamney E. Shepard | Joseph P. Shoemaker |
| Lair M. Shepard | Sarah A. Shoemaker |
| Alexander B. Amshury | Linnus F. Elton |
| Emma B. Amshury | Sarah Elton |
| E. H. Edwards | Joshua H. Noah. |
| Adelaide Edwards | Emeline Noah |
| | Sarah C. Johnson |

State of Michigan }
Montcalm County } ss. On this 26th day of May 1866 before me a Justice of the peace for said County personally appeared the said Joseph P. Shoemaker Sarah A. Shoemaker Chamney E. Shepard Lair M. Shepard Alexander B. Amshury Emma Amshury Erastus H. Edwards Adelaide Edwards Joshua H. Noah Emeline Noah Linnus Elton Sarah Elton. Sarah C. Johnson known to me to be the persons who executed and acknowledged the foregoing plat and declared it to be their free act and deed and the said Sarah A. Shoemaker Lair M. Shepard Emma Amshury Adelaide Edwards Emeline Noah Sarah Elton Sarah C. Johnson Wives of the aforesaid Joseph P. Shoemaker Chamney E. Shepard Alexander B. Amshury Erastus H. Edwards Joshua H. Noah Linnus Elton being examined by me separately and apart from their husbands acknowledged that they executed the foregoing instrument freely and without any fear or compulsion from their husbands or any one.

Oscarious Shuy Justice of the Peace

I hereby certify that this plat is a correct copy of the plat now on record in the Register of Deeds office being made under the supervision of the Auditor General by tracing the plat on record and affixing thereto a carefully compared copy of the dedication and certificates

Dated this 24th day of April 1911
John B. La Fountain
Clerk And Gen. Deft