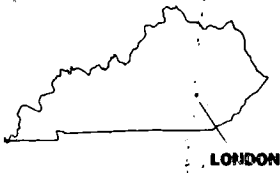


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*City of London, Kentucky*

*City Hall Bldg.  
London, Ky. 40741*

1 May 1981

*Ken Smith, Mayor  
Phone (606) 864-6995*

Ms. Frances Jones Mills  
Secretary of State  
Commonwealth of Kentucky  
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

RE: Requirements of KRS 81.045  
(SB 22)

Dear Ms. Mills:

In reference to the above requirements, we are submitting the following information:

1. Name of City - City of London
2. Date of Incorporation - February 11, 1836 ✓  
by an act of the Legislature as recorded in  
Volume I for 1835-1836
3. Present Classification - 4th Class
4. Present Boundry - see enclosed map.

If you need any further information, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Ken Smith, Mayor

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Enclosure (1) map

*Laurel County*

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Powers and duties of trustees.

such by-laws as they may deem expedient, for the government of said town, and the inhabitants thereof: *Provided*, They be not contrary to the constitution and laws of this state; and should any vacancy happen in said board of trustees, by death, resignation, or from any other cause whatever, it shall be lawful for those remaining in office to fill such vacancy, a majority concurring therein.

Approved, February 11, 1836.

CHAP. 143.—AN ACT for the benefit of the committee of David Ford.

§ 58 33, allowed Wm. Ratliff, jr. for keeping David Ford, an idiot.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky*, That the sum of fifty-eight dollars and thirty-three cents, shall be paid to William Ratliff, Jr. the committee of David Ford, for keeping him under the order of the judge of the Pike circuit court, from the fourth of November, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, until the first day of January, 1836; and the auditor is hereby directed to issue his warrant on the treasurer for the same, in favor of said Ratliff, and the treasurer is directed to pay the same, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, February 11, 1836.

*Street*

CHAP. 144.—AN ACT to incorporate and extend the limits of the town of London, and to extend the limits of the town of Richmond.

Boundary of the town fixed.

*Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky*, That the boundary of the town of London, shall be as follows, to-wit: beginning at Garrard's south west corner; thence southwardly with the line of the widow Jackson's dower lands, to the Whitley branch; thence down the same to John H. Jackson's line; thence with said line northwardly, passing the east end of the town lots, to Garrard's line; thence with said line westwardly to the beginning, including the twenty-five acres of land, donated by John and James Jackson, for the public buildings of Laurel county, shall be, and the same is hereby established as the boundary of said town.

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*Sec. 2. Be it further enacted*, That the town of London, shall be, and the same is hereby established as the permanent seat of justice for Laurel county, according to the original plan thereof, except Long street, which is hereby extended to sixty-six feet in width; and it shall be the duty of the proprietor, and trustees of said town, to cause the streets and alleys to be extended, and a complete map or plan of said town to be made out, numbering each lot, which map, when so made, shall be recorded in their record book, and also, in the clerk's office of the county of Laurel; and certified copies of the same, shall be good evidence in any controversy, touching the lots and their boundaries.

London permanently established as county seat of Laurel.

Duty of the proprietor of land, and trustees of the town.

*Sec. 3. Be it further enacted*, That it shall be lawful, for all the free white males, within the boundary aforesaid, to meet annually at the court house in said town, on the first Monday in May, in each year, and elect five trustees for said town of London, under the superintendance of the clerk of the county of Laurel, who shall, before they enter upon the duties of their office, severally take an oath before some justice of the peace for said county, faithfully to discharge the duties of their office, who shall continue in office for one year, and until their successors are duly qualified, who, and their successors in office, shall be a body corporate, under the name and style of the trustees of London; and as such, may contract, and be contracted, with, sue and be sued, and as such pass all needful by-laws, for the government and regulation of said town, that they may deem right: *Provided*, They are not against the constitution and laws of this state, or of the United States. They shall make one of their own body chairman, and shall keep a record of their proceedings; and shall have power to fill all vacancies which may arise in their own body, for the residue of the term for which they were elected, and shall possess all the necessary powers granted to incorporate towns in this commonwealth.

Time and place of holding annual elections for trustees.

Trustees to take an oath.

Term for which they shall serve.

Their powers and duties.

*Sec. 4. Be it further enacted*, That the trustees of said town, shall appoint their clerk, treasurer, collector, and commissioner of tax, and may require of them, bond and security, for the faithful discharge of their respective duties; they shall, also, have power and authority to raise a tithe tax, not exceeding one dollar on each titheable, and an advance-

Trustees shall appoint their clerk, treasurer and commissioner of tax, and require of them bonds and security.

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Jorem tax on the real and personal property within said town, of not more than twenty-five cents on the hundred dollars worth, and apply the same to the improvement of the streets, and other public purposes; and they shall have a right to make orders on all the titheables in said town, to work on the public streets of said town, for such length of time, in each year, as may be necessary to make the same firm and convenient, at all times, for foot, and other passengers, which taxes and fines shall be collected and accounted for, in the same manner, and under the same regulations, as taxes are collected by trustees of other towns.

Tax: to be raised, & how, & upon what property imposed.  
In what manner taxes are to be applied.  
May require titheables to work on the streets.  
How taxes and fines to be collected.

Duties of the clerk of the board.  
Trustees to be appointed by county court, in case no election is held.

Penalty for breach of by-laws, and how recoverable & applied.

Annual statement of funds, receipts & expenditures to be advertised.

Monies on hand, to be paid over to successors of the trustees receiving it, and how to be recovered if withheld.

Sec. 5. *Be it further enacted*, That it shall be the duty of the clerk of the board of trustees, to give notice of the time of election, by advertisement, at three of the most public places in said town, at least three weeks before the annual election of trustees; and should an election not be held on the day appointed by this act, the county court is hereby empowered to appoint the requisite number of trustees, who shall continue in office until the next annual election, and possess all the powers they would have had, had they been chosen at the annual election; and the trustees of said town are hereby authorized to recover any sum, not exceeding five dollars, for any breach of their by-laws, which fine shall be recovered before any justice of the peace for the county of Laurel, in the name of the trustees, and shall be applied to the use and benefit of said town.

Sec. 6. *Be it further enacted*; That it shall be the duty of the trustees, annually, in the month of May, to publish for the inspection of the citizens of said town, by advertisement at two of the most public places therein, a full and complete statement of the funds of said trustees, noting therein, the receipts and disbursements, the amount of each, and upon what account; and as soon as their successors shall be appointed to pay over all moneys which may be on hand, and in case of failure, the county court is hereby authorized to summon them to appear at their next succeeding term, to make a settlement, and to enter up judgment against them for any sum that may appear against them, and award execution thereon.

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Sec. 7. That the bounds of the town of Richmond, Madison county, be, and the same is hereby enlarged, and extended, one quarter of a mile in each and every direction, from the most western corner of the lot, now owned and occupied by Doct. Charles Walker, in said town.

Sec. 8. That the persons and property included in the town of Richmond, by the seventh section of this act, shall be subject and liable to all the laws of said town, and entitled to all the privileges as though the same had been included in the original boundary of said town.

Sec. 9. That when any streets, or alleys, are laid out in said addition to said town, it shall be by the consent of the owners and trustees.

Approved, February 11, 1836.

Persons and property included in the part extended, subject to all laws, &c.

CHAP. 145.—AN ACT to authorize the purchase of scientific books for the use of the Engineer department of the State.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky*, That the sum of five hundred dollars be appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purchase of scientific books, reports, maps, models, and drawings, for the engineer department of the state, to be selected, and the appropriation expended, by the president of the board of internal improvement.

Sec. 2. *Be it further enacted*, That when the said books, &c. are purchased, they shall be a part of the library of the state, shall be in the custody of the state librarian, and subject to the same regulations of the other books of said library; but the board of internal improvement, shall have the right to their use, at any time the legislature is not in session, on the written request of said board, or of the chairman thereof.

Approved, February 11, 1836.

\$500 appropriated to purchase scientific books, &c. for the use of engineer department, and by whom to be expended.

To be a part of the state library.

Board of internal improvement to have use of said books, except when the legislature is setting.

CHAP. 146.—AN ACT authorizing the sale of certain land belonging to the infant heirs of Samuel Bradley, deceased.

Sec. 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky*, That it shall be lawful for one or more of the devisees of William H.



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These were sent at the request of your garden  
of which 31 acres are of which an interesting detail is  
sent 9<sup>th</sup> 1836

The Town of London

9. Street St. Pauls Church

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OVERSIZE MAP INCLUDED WITH  
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Office of Secretary of State  
or the County Clerk.