

**COPY – PLAT of the TOWN of BADEN**  
**Dated November 28, 1855**

“Be it known that I surveyed and established the town of Baden for Frederick A. Carpenter this fifteenth day of August in the year of one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, which is situated in the North West quarter of Section Eighteen, Town One North Range Five (5) West of the Third Principal Meridian, in Clinton County, State of Illinois, commencing at the South West corner of the North West Quarter of said Section 18; planted a stone for the center of Hanover Street; thence N.  $7^{\circ} 30'$  W. 33 feet; thence N.  $82\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E. 15 feet across Lawrence Street, set a stone; thence N.  $82\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E. setting stakes alternately 300 feet and 30 feet to the South East corner of Lot No. one; thence  $7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West 150 feet; thence  $82\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West setting stakes alternately 300 feet and 30 feet apart to the North West corner of Lot 36; thence S.  $7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E. 150 feet to the S. W. corner of Lot 36, making 6 blocks and 5 streets; each block is divided into 6 lots 50 feet by 150 feet, commencing again at the stone in the center of Hanover Street; thence S.  $7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E. 33 feet; thence  $82\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E. 33 feet set a stone for the N. W. corner of Lot 37; thence  $82\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E. 99 feet to the N. E. corner of Lot 37; thence N.  $82\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  2376 feet setting stakes consecutively 132 feet apart to the N. E. corner of Lot 36; thence S.  $7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E. 330 feet; thence S.  $82\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  W. setting consecutive stakes as before 132 feet to the N. E. corner of Lot 37 same course 99 feet to the N. W. corner of Lot 37, same v. 33 feet to a point in the township line 5.50 chains South of the stone in the center of Hanover Street; thence S.  $7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E. 957 feet to the S. W. corner of said quarter section 18, planted a stone; thence N.  $82\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E. 2640 feet to the S. E. corner of said quarter Section; thence N.  $7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  W. 957 feet to the S. E. corner of Lot 56; thence  $82^{\circ} 30'$  W. 2640 feet to the N. W. corner of Lot 64, which area is divided into eight lots 330 feet by 957 feet (each lot containing seven acres and a quarter).

W. G. Burnside,  
Surveyor of Clinton County, Illinois

It was also established at this time that “Hanover Street is 66 feet wide. Then Center of Hanover Street is the center of the County Road leading from Carlyle to Belleville.”

New Baden Centennial Book, 1855-1955, page 6.