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St. John's Lutheran Church of New Fane

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The land was purchased from Henry & Elisabeth Hebenner on the 27th of January in 1863 for the sum of \$14.00 containing 328 square rods(?) of land and its land lies at the junction of highway DD and S and on the east side of highway S.

It lies in the extreme east half of the east half of section 26 of the Town of Auburn at New Fane. Atlas Reading: Town 13-North-Range 19 east.

The Certificate of Incorporation was made on June 24th of 1861

The land for the church & school was purchased by a quit(?) claim deed by Henry Hebenner on January 27th 1863.

The log church was built the same year but in the spring & summer.

In 1866 the log school was built.

The present stone & wood church was built in 1871.

The second purchase of land was on February 23rd in 1874.

Location: The property is in the extreme northeast corner of the SE 1/4 of section 26 of the township of Auburn and is on east side of the junction of highway S and highway DD

Most of the land around the site is owned by the State of Wisconsin.

The site north of the St. John's property is called the New Jersey flats and is a marsh area of over 1600 acres.