

CITY OF COOPERSTOWN

The Voters of the Village on Tuesday Decided to Incorporate.

The business men of Cooperstown by their votes at the recent election decided to incorporate as a city. The vote stood 74 for and 46 against the proposition, which is a very substantial majority. The deal carries with it a special election for the purpose of electing a mayor and a board of aldermen, also dividing the city into wards. At this time the COURIER believes that we ought to elect as our first mayor, provided he could be persuaded to accept the office, Mr. John Syverson. No man in the state has done more in the way of public improvements for his town than he, and not only this, his example has been a great incentive to make other citizens improve their property. It would be a nice compliment worthily bestowed.