

# The St. Tammany Farmer.

"The Blessings of Government, Like the Dew from Heaven, Should Descend Alike Upon the Rich and the Poor."

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## CHARTER

OF BAYOU LACOMB COOPERATIVE DRUG COMPANY, LIMITED.

United States of America, State of Louisiana, Parish of St. Tammany, Village of Bayou LaCombe.

Be it known, that on the 27th day of April, 1910, the persons whose signatures are hereto attached, wishing to avail themselves of act No. 36 of 1888, and act No. 78 of 1904, of the general assembly of Louisiana, relative to corporations, hereby covenant and agree to bind themselves, as well as such other persons as may be hereafter associated with them, to form and constitute a corporation and body politic, under the stipulative articles and conditions following, to-wit:

ARTICLE I. The name of this corporation shall be BAYOU LACOMB CO-OPERATIVE DRUG COMPANY, LIMITED. Said corporation, unless sooner dissolved, in accordance with this charter, shall exist and continue for a period of ninety-nine years from date hereof, and its domicile is hereby established in Bayou LaCombe, La., and under its corporate name, said corporation shall have power and authority to contract, sue and be sued, to make and use a corporate seal, the same to break and alter at pleasure, to hold, receive, have, purchase, improve, alienate, convey, sell, borrow, pledge, mortgage and hypothecate under its said corporate name, property, real, personal and mixed, to name and appoint such officers, directors, agents, managers and employees as the interests or convenience of said corporation may require, to make and establish by-laws, rules and regulations for the relations and proper management of its affairs, as may be deemed necessary and proper, and to carry out the objects and purposes of the said corporation.

The president, or in his absence, the vice-president, shall be the proper person upon whom citation or other legal process shall be served.

ARTICLE II. The objects and purposes for which this corporation is organized, and the nature of business to be carried on by it are declared to be the following, to-wit:

To carry on and conduct a retail drug store, buying, selling drugs, patent medicines, proprietary goods, perfumeries, toilet articles, cigars, tobacco, soda water, ice cream and any other merchandise necessary in the conduct of such business.

ARTICLE III. The capital stock of this corporation shall be three thousand (\$3,000) dollars, divided up into three thousand shares of one dollar each, which shall be paid as follows: Cash on purchase or in service rendered or goods furnished equal to the cash value of the stock. This corporation shall begin business as soon as five hundred dollars of its stock have been paid for in cash. The board of directors shall have the right to determine how much of the stock shall be issued.

ARTICLE IV. The corporate powers shall be vested in a board of directors composed of the President, vice president, secretary and treasurer, and two other stockholders, selected by the other three, and three of said directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of all business, and their decisions shall be valid and corporate acts. The following persons shall be the first officers and board of directors of this corporation: Dr. R. B. Paine President; J. H. Depre, vice president; W. J. Tucker, secretary and treasurer.

No person shall serve as director or hold any office unless they shall own at least one hundred dollars worth of stock in said corporation.

The said board will hold office until the first Thursday in April, 1911, on which date, and thereafter annually, a board of directors and officers shall be elected, unless the above named date be a legal holiday, when an election for that purpose shall be held on next legal day thereafter.

Notice of such an election shall be given by sending each stockholder a postal card at least ten days before the election is held. The board of directors shall appoint three stockholders to preside and act as commissioners of election, and in the event of failure of any of the commissioners to attend and perform their duty, the secretary shall, by appointment from the president, act in their stead. Should for any reason whatever the election be held, the officers and board of directors shall hold office until their successors have been elected and qualified. In such an event the president shall issue a call for an election every thirty days until such time as he may get a quorum together. At every election and meeting, each stockholder shall be entitled to one vote for each share of stock held by said stockholder and must vote in person. After each election the board of directors shall elect the manager of the drug store, and other employees necessary, by ballot.

The said board shall have full control of the property of this corporation and shall so conduct, manage and use same as in their discretion they may deem fit. The said board is further authorized to form and adopt such by laws, rules and regulations as is necessary for the proper conduct of the business affairs of their corporation, fix the compensation of employees, and determine amount of compensation due the organizer of this corporation, which shall be payable in stock of this corporation.

ARTICLE V. The charter of this corporation shall

be changed, modified or amended, the capital stock increased or decreased, or this corporation dissolved at a general meeting of the stockholders convened for that purpose.

Ten days prior notice of such meeting must be given each stockholder by postal card. No meeting for any of said purposes, however, shall be held, unless petitioned to the president for by at least seven stockholders, whereupon the president shall issue a call for a meeting.

ARTICLE VI. In case of dissolution or termination of this corporation, either by limitation of its charter, or any other cause, the liquidation of its affairs shall be conducted by three commissioners selected from the stockholders at a meeting called for that purpose. Said commissioners shall hold office until the affairs of this corporation shall be fully liquidated.

ARTICLE VII. No stockholder shall be held liable for any contracts or faults of this association further than the amount of stock held by him or her, nor shall any informality in organization have the effect of rendering this charter null, or exposing any stockholder to any liability beyond the value of his or her stock.

Original signed: R. B. PAINE, JOHN H. DEPRE, WM. J. TUCKER, WILLIAM H. DAVIS, ISOM H. KELLER.

Witnesses: F. Edw. Vix, J. H. Depre.

This done and passed at my office on the day above written in the presence of F. Edward Vix and John H. Depre, witnesses of lawful age and domicile.

WILLIAM G. DAVIS, Notary Public of the Parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana.

State of Louisiana, Parish of St. Tammany, Clerk's Office.

I certify that this instrument was filed for record April 27, 1910, recorded

book Q, page— of the official records.

W. E. BLOSSMAN, Deputy Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder.

TOWN COUNCIL

Covington, La., May 3, 1910.

The town council met in regular session on above date.

Present—E. V. Richard, Mayor; J. Seiler, J. Louis Smith, P. J. Lacroix, M. P. Planché and Leon Hebert.

Absent—E. J. Frederick.

The reading of the minutes of last meeting was dispensed with.

The following bills were read and ordered paid:

Covington Grocery and Grain Co. \$8.75.

Schonberg's Pharmacy \$3.20.

South Hardware Co., \$46.50.

P. J. Lacroix, \$1.80

The following report was read: TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT.

Collections for month of March.

Licenses..... 95 00

Corporation taxes..... 353 58

School building tax..... 187 19

Fines..... 82 00

Sale of cemetery lot..... 5 00

Total..... 722 77

To A. R. Smith, Treasurer: 722 77

March 15, checks on banks, 373 33.

April 1, checks on banks, 350 44.

Collections for the month of April

Licenses..... 30 00

Corporation Taxes..... 222 93

School building tax..... 118 48

Fines..... 146 00

Sale of cemetery lot..... 5 00

Total..... 552 91

To A. R. Smith, Treasurer: 552 91

April 15, checks on banks, 211 65

May 2, checks on banks, 241 26

522 91

E. J. RICHARD, Secretary.

It was moved and duly seconded, that above reports be accepted and referred to finance committee.

Carried.

The following petition was read:

To the honorable Mayor and city council of the town of Covington, La.

Gentlemen—We the undersigned, property holders and residents on the Lee Ferry Road, respectfully submit this petition to your honorable body to have an arc light placed on the Lee Ferry Road, at Elm Street.

Trusting that same will receive your favorable consideration, we are

Respectfully,

Signed by fourteen residents:

It was moved and seconded that above petition be accepted and an arc light be ordered placed at said corner.

Carried.

It was moved and seconded that the meeting adjourn subject to call.

Carried.

E. V. RICHARD, Mayor.

E. J. RICHARD, Secretary.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that at the coming session of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, which will meet in Baton Rouge, a special act shall be introduced to effect a sale of the square of ground with the building and improvements thereon, known as the school house and described as follows: A square of land bounded by Jefferson and Thoard Avenues, Silver and Gold Streets, in the division of Morgan, Virtue and Commerce Avenues, of the Town of Covington, La. Said sale or transfer to be made to the School Board of the parish of St. Tammany.

Any person or persons desiring to oppose this transfer is here hereby notified to file opposition within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

E. V. RICHARD, Mayor.

ORDINANCE

Whereas it is made to appear by a resolution of the Board of Health that certain contagious diseases often exist in the town of Covington, and the physician or person attending has not reported to the Board of Health.

Therefore be it ordained that physician or other person knowing of the existence of any of the following contagious diseases: Small Pox, Diphtheria, Scarlet Fever, Tuberculosis, Measles, Whooping Cough and Pink Eye, and failing to report the same within twenty-four hours after same comes to his knowledge; shall be fined in a sum of five dollars, and in default to be sentenced not to exceed ten days in jail.

E. V. RICHARD, Mayor.

E. J. RICHARD, Secretary.

POLICE JURY

The Police Jury will meet in regular session, on Monday May 16, 1910.

GEO. KOEPP, JR., President.

E. D. KENTZEL, Secretary.