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EFFECT OF GOOD ROADS. Selling Price of Tillable Farm Land Increases More Than Total Cost of Improvements. To determine as far as possible the exact dollars and cents effect on a county of the improvements of bad roads, specialists of the Office of the department made economic surveys in 8 counties in each of the years from 1910 to 1915, inclusive. This study of the increase in the values of farm lands in the eight counties reveals the rather interesting fact that following the improvements of the main market roads the increase in the selling price of tillable farm lands served by the roads has amounted to from one to three times the total cost of the improvements. The increase in values in those instances which were recorded ranged from 63 per cent to 80 per cent in Spotsylvania County, Va.; from 68 to 194 in Dinwiddie County, Va.; 70 to 80 in Lee County, Va.; 25 to 160 in Wise County, Va.; 9 to 114 in Franklin County, N. Y.; 50 to 100 in Dallas County, Ala.; 25 to 50 in Lauderdale County, Miss.; and from 50 to 740 in Manatee County, Fla. The percentages of increase were based for the most part upon the territory within a distance of one mile on each side of the roads improved. In Spotsylvania County a careful record was made in 1910 of 35 farms located on the road selected for improvement. Of the 7 farms sold in 1912 the prices actually paid show increases of from 37 to 116 per cent over the 1910 valuation. The average value after the roads were improved was \$28.26 per acre, as compared with \$17.31 previous to the improvement. In 1913 four tracts of farm land were on the basis of \$30.11 per acre, whereas the properties were listed in 1910 at only \$13.89 per acre. It appears that the 1,451 acres sold in 1914 increased in value \$28,500, or 80 per cent, or from \$24.46 to \$44.10. In Dinwiddie County, Va., the actual price of 43 farms sold or offered for sale from 1909 to 1914 ranged in price from \$8.38 to \$43.74 per acre before the roads were built, and from \$24.70 to \$73.60 per acre after the roads were improved. There were increases in valuation in other sections of from \$60 to \$90 or even \$100 per acre. In Franklin County, N. Y., the figures seem to indicate that road improvement has added at least \$5 to each acre of land within a half mile of improved roads. Tracts sold at from \$8 to \$10 per acre were sold again after road improvement at from \$20 to \$25 per acre. In Lauderdale County, Miss., the total assessed valuation of real property outside of the city was \$2,757,548. This increased in 1914 after road improvement to \$3,183,509, or 15.4 per cent. Local real-estate men place the increase in land values on account of improved roads at from 25 to 50 per cent.

25 to 50 per cent. In Manatee County, Fla., careful study of sales and real-estate record indicated that the improvement of good roads has added from 15 to 100 per cent, or at least \$15 per acre, to the selling price of all lands within one-half mile of improved roads. This would give a total of \$611,000, or more than twice the value of the bonds issued.—Weekly News Letter, U. S. Agricultural Department.

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All persons are prohibited from trespassing upon the lands between Covington and Abita Springs formerly known as the Boester-Herwis Lands, and from cutting any tree or timber on said lands, or hauling any wood therefrom, or tacking or nailing any advertisements or notices on any of the trees. Ten dollars reward will be paid for information and conviction of trespassing.

We, the undersigned, forbid all ur lands. Anyone caught so doing, hunting, trapping and trespassing or will be punished to the full extent of the law.

All persons are hereby warned and prohibited from cutting, burning, deadening, carrying or floating away, or otherwise injuring or destroying any trees, timber or wood growing or lying upon the lands of the undersigned, on the lake front from Lewisburg to the Tchoutoula river, and along the east bank of said river for about two and a half miles, formerly known as the Amand Marigay and McQuinn tract; and are also prohibited from fishing, hunting or trapping with dog or torch or trespassing in any way on lands belonging to the undersigned. One hundred dollars reward will be paid for information and conviction of trespassers.

D. C. HEIDEN, 1023 Washington Ave., New Orleans, La.

OFFICIAL NOTICES. NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the Parish School Board will receive bids for the erection of a school house in the First Ward at Sand Hill. Bids must be in the hands of undersigned committee by Wednesday, November 8, 1916.

The building will be erected according to directions of Chas. Jenkins, architect. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

GE. R. DUTSCH, Director. ELMER E. LYON, Superintendent. N. H. FITZSIMONS, President.

NOTICE. The next examination for teachers' certificates will be held in the office of the Parish School Board on December 4, 5 and 6 for whites, and 7, 8, 9, for colored.

Notice is given that after January 1, 1920, no first grade certificate will be renewed unless the holder has three institute credits earned during the life of the certificate or three Summer School credits earned during the life of the certificate. Besides the above credits they must have a recommendation from the parish superintendent stating that the teacher is worthy of this extension of her certificate.

ELMER E. LYON, Superintendent.

ORDINANCE NO. 2, N. S. Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Mandeville, Louisiana, that the following shall be adopted as the budget of receipts and expenditures for the year 1917:

Table with columns: Item, Amount. Rows include Receipts: Ten mill tax on property assessment value, Licenses, Fines, cemetery lots, etc. Disbursements: Salary of mayor, Salary of secy-treas., Salary of town marshal, Salary of Sexton, Salary of town attorney, St. Tammany & New Orleans Ry. & Ferry Co. for town lights, Annual payment, Street improvement and repairs, Publication of official proceedings in official journal, Reserve see wall fund, Improvement of neutral ground between sea wall and street, General fund.

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

AN ORDINANCE. It was moved by Jos. M. Smith, seconded by W. A. Hood, that the following ordinance be and the same is hereby adopted: Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana, as follows, to-wit:

That there shall be levied on all assessable property lying and being situated in the parish of St. Tammany, subject to taxation, the following taxes for the year 1916, which taxes shall be collected for the following purposes, to-wit: Two mills for the road fund; two mills for the criminal fund; three mills for the school fund, and three mills for the general fund for the support of the parish government.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed. Section 3. Be it further ordained, That this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its publication.

Yeas: L. Peters, W. A. Hood, E. J. Domergue, J. M. Smith, S. H. Cowart, Fletcher Crawford, W. H. Davis, H. J. Schneider, Robt. Abney. Nays: None. Adopted October 4, 1916. J. B. HOWZE, President. F. J. MARTINDALE, Secretary.

JUDICIAL ADVERTISEMENT. SUCCESSION SALE.

Succession of Joseph D. Hyland. No. 2210.

Twenty-Eighth Judicial District Court, Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana.

By virtue of an order of sale, to me directed by the Honorable John E. Fleury, Judge of the Twenty-Eighth Judicial District Court, and for the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, in the above entitled cause, dated October 23, 1916, I will proceed to sell at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, between legal sale hours for sales, on Saturday, November 25, 1916, at Pinecland Park, in the Parish of St. Tammany, the following described property, to-wit:

Two 6-inch pipe elevators; two 4-inch pipe elevators; two block and tackle; one well outfit; two 6-foot Brock chain tongs; two jack sets; one set of blocks; one white wash pump; one set of wire stretchers; one and one-half boxes of dynamite; two corn planters; one plow; one switchboard; one lot of storage batteries; two pipe vices; one vise; one grindstone; one spraying machine; one force; one saw; one lot of hose; one set of stocks and dies; one Ford automobile, 1916 model, complete; one drum of gasoline; one can lubricating oil; one jack; one portable 4 h. p. gasoline engine and corn crusher; one dump cart; two lumber wagons; one chain block; one Thomas hay mower; one harrow; one disc harrow and corn cultivator; 1 lumber dolly; 1 extension ladder; 1 10-foot saw; one 25-foot power saw with 7 1/2 h. p. Ray & Bohne engine, named "St. Paul," together with all appurtenances; three mules.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement. T. E. BREWSTER, Sheriff. nov11-3t

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wirland, Widow of Henry Schoemaker, vs. Felix C. Lagrone. No. 2638.

Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court, St. Tammany Parish, State of Louisiana.

By virtue of an order of seizure and sale from the honorable aforesaid court, bearing date the 19th day of October, 1916, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the courthouse, in Covington, La., between legal sale hours for judicial sales, on Saturday, December 9, 1916, the following described property, to-wit:

1. The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section five, township eight, south range twenty, east of St. Helena Meridian in St. Tammany parish, Louisiana, containing forty and thirty-two one-hundredths (40.32) acres, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

2. A certain portion of ground, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and the rights, ways, privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, situated in the parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana, and described as being the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section five, township eight, south of range twelve east of the St. Helena Meridian, in St. Tammany parish, containing forty and thirty-two one-hundredths (40.32) acres. One mule. Four plows. Two cultivators. One harrow, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the courthouse in the town of Covington, Louisiana, parish of St. Tammany, between legal sale hours for judicial sales, on Saturday, December 9, 1916, the following described property, to-wit:

1. The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section five, township eight, south range twenty, east of St. Helena Meridian in St. Tammany parish, Louisiana, containing forty and thirty-two one-hundredths (40.32) acres, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

2. A certain portion of ground, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and the rights, ways, privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, situated in the parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana, and described as being the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section five, township eight, south of range twelve east of the St. Helena Meridian, in St. Tammany parish, containing forty and thirty-two one-hundredths (40.32) acres. One mule. Four plows. Two cultivators. One harrow, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the courthouse in the town of Covington, Louisiana, parish of St. Tammany, between legal sale hours for judicial sales, on Saturday, December 9, 1916, the following described property, to-wit:

1. The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section five, township eight, south range twenty, east of St. Helena Meridian in St. Tammany parish, Louisiana, containing forty and thirty-two one-hundredths (40.32) acres, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

2. A certain portion of ground, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and the rights, ways, privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, situated in the parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana, and described as being the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section five, township eight, south of range twelve east of the St. Helena Meridian, in St. Tammany parish, containing forty and thirty-two one-hundredths (40.32) acres. One mule. Four plows. Two cultivators. One harrow, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the courthouse in the town of Covington, Louisiana, parish of St. Tammany, between legal sale hours for judicial sales, on Saturday, December 9, 1916, the following described property, to-wit:

1. The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section five, township eight, south range twenty, east of St. Helena Meridian in St. Tammany parish, Louisiana, containing forty and thirty-two one-hundredths (40.32) acres, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

2. A certain portion of ground, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, and the rights, ways, privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, situated in the parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana, and described as being the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section five, township eight, south of range twelve east of the St. Helena Meridian, in St. Tammany parish, containing forty and thirty-two one-hundredths (40.32) acres. One mule. Four plows. Two cultivators. One harrow, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the courthouse in the town of Covington, Louisiana, parish of St. Tammany, between legal sale hours for judicial sales, on Saturday, December 9, 1916, the following described property, to-wit:

1. The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section five, township eight, south range twenty, east of St. Helena Meridian in St. Tammany parish, Louisiana, containing forty and thirty-two one-hundredths (40.32) acres, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

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"C", said lot No. 5 sixty (60) feet on Robert street by one hundred twenty (120) feet on Clitru street sixty feet adjoining lot No. 6 in said square, and one hundred twenty feet along the boundary line of lot No. 4, according to a map and plan of survey by J. J. Brakelied, surveyor, said square "C" is bounded on the north by Robert street, on the south by Barthelemy street, on the east by Cary street and on the west by Clitru street, as per the official map of the town of Slidell, Louisiana, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon and the bakery shop equipment with the exception of one light wagon.

Terms of Sale—Cash, without appraisement. T. E. BREWSTER, Sheriff. nov4-3t

SHERIFF'S SALE.

District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Louisiana.

In the Matter of H. F. Ackerman, Bankrupt. No. 2181 in Bankruptcy.

By virtue of an order of sale from the honorable aforesaid court, bearing date the 20th day of October, 1916, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the courthouse, between legal sale hours for judicial sales, on Saturday, December 2, 1916, the following described property, to-wit:

All that certain lot or parcel of land situated in the town of Mandeville, in the parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, and more fully described as lots Nos. forty-one (41), forty-two (42), forty-three (43) and forty-four (44), in square 391 A. Lots Nos. forty-one (41) and forty-three (43) each measure thirty (30) feet front on Foucher street by a depth of one hundred and twenty (120) feet between equal and parallel lines, and lots Nos. forty-two (42) and forty-four (44) each measure thirty (30) feet front on Caroline street by a depth of one hundred and twenty feet between equal and parallel lines, per plan drawn by Charles Pumphals, on October 13, 1911.

Terms of Sale—Cash. T. E. BREWSTER, Sheriff. oc28-6t

CONSTABLE SALE.

Louis Jenkins vs. Ira Tyson. Second Ward Justice Court, Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana.

By virtue of an order of seizure and sale from the honorable aforesaid court, bearing date October 19, 1916, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale to the last and highest bidder, at Folsom, La., between legal sale hours for judicial sales, on Saturday, November 11, 1916, the following described property, to-wit:

One lot of pine knots placed on the N. O. G. N. Railroad, just above the depot, at Folsom, property belonging to said Ira Tyson.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement. T. N. GALLOWAY, Constable. oc28-3t

SUCCESSION.

Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana.

Succession of John T. Stroble and Edna Warren Stroble, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the Covington Bank & Trust Company, tutor of the minors, Thelma, Vivian and Edna Stroble, has filed its final account, as tutor, in the office of the Clerk of Court of said parish, and all persons interested are notified to show cause, if any they have or can, within ten days from this date, why said account should not be homologated and said tutor discharged.

This October 21st, 1916. E. J. FREDERICK, Clerk of Court. oc21-3t

CHARTER OF THE SLIDELL SHIPBUILDING COMPANY, INC.

United States of America, State of Louisiana, Parish of St. Tammany.

Be it known that on this 10th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred sixteen, before me, Benjamin M. Miller, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and qualified in and for the parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana, and in the presence of the witnesses herein-after named and undersigned, personally came and appeared the several persons whose name are hereunto subscribed, who declared that, availing themselves of the laws of Louisiana, relative to the formation and organization of corporations, they have covenanted and agreed, and do, by these presents, covenant and agree to bind themselves, as well as those who may hereafter become associated with them to form themselves into a corporation for the objects and purposes, with the name and under the stipulations following, to-wit:

ARTICLE NO. 1. The name and style of this corporation shall be Slidell Shipbuilding Company, Incorporated, and by said corporate name it shall have succession and existence for a period of ninety-nine years from the date hereof, unless sooner dissolved in the manner provided by law and under said corporate name it shall have and enjoy all rights, privileges and immunities which are now conferred upon, or may hereafter be granted to corporations of the same kind and character.

ARTICLE NO. 2. The domicile of this corporation shall be in Slidell, Louisiana, where all citations and other legal process shall be served upon the president, or in case of his absence, upon the vice-president, or in case of the absence of both such officers, then in the manner provided by law.

ARTICLE NO. 3. The objects and purposes for which this corporation is organized, and the nature of the business to be carried on by it, are hereby declared to be: To carry on and operate one or more shipyards, drydocks, and other simi-

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lar plants for the purpose of building, altering, repairing and docking ships and vessels of all kinds, whether of wood, iron, steel, or other material; to own, purchase, lease, charter, or otherwise acquire, and to sell or otherwise dispose of, ships and vessels of every kind; to build, purchase, lease, or otherwise acquire, and to operate, (but not as a common carrier,) ships, vessels, docks, wharves, ferries and transfers, warehouses, and all buildings, structures and appurtenances necessary or convenient to the conduct of all such business; to procure, by lease, and otherwise acquire and obtain, and to sell, lease, grant licenses in respect to, or otherwise dispose of, or use patents, patent rights, trade marks and trade names, and inventions, processes and improvements of all kinds; to purchase or otherwise acquire, hold, lease, improve, mortgage and sell real estate; to purchase, construct, lease and operate tram roads, railroads, tank cars, terminals or landings, but not as a common carrier; to operate saw mills; to carry on a general mercantile business, and generally to engage in any business convenient, necessary, or incident to or connected with the operation of the business and industries above mentioned.

ARTICLE NO. 4. The authorized capital stock of this corporation is hereby fixed at the sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00), represented by One Thousand (1,000) shares of par value of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) each, to be paid at such time and in such manner as are provided by law, and as the Board of Directors may require, and such stock may be issued for cash or in payment for property or services actually received by, or rendered to, the said corporation. The parties hereto declare that they hereby subscribe for the number of shares set opposite their respective signatures hereto, or an aggregate of Sixty-five Thousand Dollars (\$65,000.00).

The capital stock of this corporation may be increased to the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$500,000.00) in accordance with the provisions of law pertaining thereto.

No holder of any of the said stock shall, without the consent of the Board of Directors expressed by a formal resolution to that effect, sell or dispose of the same to any person not a stockholder in the company, until he shall first have offered said stock for sale, at the price bona fide offered to him by any non-stockholder, to the Board of Directors of the company, who shall have the right to buy said stock at such price for the benefit of the stockholders of the company, and to distribute the same, pro rata among such stockholders as are willing to buy the same at such price. This clause shall be expressed on the face of every certificate of stock, and the officers of the company shall have no power to transfer on the books of the company any stock disposed of in violation of this provision of the charter.

In case of any increase in the capital stock, the stockholders of record at the time of such increase shall have the preferential right to subscribe at par for any such increase, pro rata to their respective holdings.

ARTICLE NO. 5. All the powers of this corporation shall be vested in and exercised by a Board of Directors, to be composed of not less than eight (8) stockholders, to be elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders. The persons so named as Directors, all of whom shall be stockholders in the corporation, shall elect from their number a President, one or more Vice-Presidents, a Managing Director, a Secretary, a Treasurer, or a Secretary-Treasurer, and such other officers as the Directors may from time to time determine, all of whom shall be under the authority and supervision of the Board of Directors. The first Board of Directors, with their respective addresses, are as follows:

Frederic W. Salmen, Slidell, La. Leroy T. Miles, Slidell, La. Herbert B. Saunders, Slidell, La. Edward F. Halley, Slidell, La. Frits Salmen, Slidell, La. J. A. Salmen, Slidell, La. W. E. Eddins, Slidell, La. A. D. Canulette, Slidell, La.

Until the first meeting of stockholders, Frederic W. Salmen shall be the President; Leroy T. Miles shall be Vice-President; Herbert B. Saunders shall be Second Vice-President, and Managing Director; and Edward F. Halley shall be Secretary-Treasurer of said corporation.

ARTICLE NO. 6. On the third Thursday of January, 1917, and on the same day of each succeeding year, except when such day shall fall on a legal holiday, in which case the meeting shall be held on the next following day, the stockholders shall elect a Board of Directors for the ensuing year; the Board of Directors already installed shall continue to hold over until their successors are elected and qualified.

The Board of Directors so elected shall select from their number the officers of the Corporation as above provided, and every such Board may appoint all necessary managers and agents. The election of Directors shall be by ballot and the persons receiving the largest number of votes cast shall be declared elected. For electing directors, or for any other purpose, each share of stock shall be entitled to one vote and a majority of votes cast shall be required to pass any resolution or decide any question submitted to the stockholders except for the alteration or amendment of this charter, or the dissolution of the Corporation.

Said Board of Directors shall have power and authority to make all necessary rules and regulations for the management, operation and control of the business of the Corporation, and shall have power to fill any vacancy occurring in their number. A majority of the Directors voting at one time, in person or by proxy, shall be required to pass any resolution or adopt any by-law, and which, when so adopted, shall become valid corporate acts.

ARTICLE NO. 7. Notice of all meetings of stockholders for electing Directors or for any other purpose, shall be given in writing by the Secretary, such notice to be delivered personally or to be deposited in the postoffice, properly addressed, to each stockholder, at his last known address appearing upon the books of the Corporation, at least fifteen (15) days before such meeting, unless such notice is waived in writing by all the stockholders ap-

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pearing as such upon the books. ARTICLE NO. 8. This Act of Incorporation may be modified, added to, changed, or amended, or this Corporation may be dissolved, by and with the assent of the holders of two-thirds (2-3) in amount of the then outstanding stock, at a meeting of the stockholders convened after fifteen days prior notice as provided in Article Seven of this charter.

In the event of the dissolution of this corporation either by limitation or otherwise, its affairs shall be liquidated by three (3) liquidators to be elected from among the stockholders at a special meeting of the stockholders for that purpose, as above provided, and said liquidators shall remain in office until the affairs of the corporation shall be fully liquidated as provided by law, and in the event of the death, disability or resignation of one or more of the liquidators, the survivor or survivors shall continue to act.

ARTICLE NO. 9. No stockholder shall be held liable or responsible for the contracts or debts of this corporation in any further sum than the unpaid balance due to the corporation on the shares of stock owned by him, nor shall any mere informality in organization have the effect of rendering a stockholder liable beyond the unpaid balance due on the stock owned by him, if any.

Thus done and passed, before me, at my office, on the day, month, and year hereinabove first written, in the presence of C. M. Liddle and G. V. Wharton, competent witnesses, who herewith sign their names, together with said signers, and me, Notary, after due reading of the whole.

J. A. Salmen, per pro F. A. Salmen; F. Salmen, F. W. Salmen, L. T. Miles, Herbert B. Saunders, E. F. Halley, W. E. Eddins, per pro E. F. Halley; A. D. Canulette, per pro E. F. Halley.

Witnesses: C. M. LIDDLE, G. V. WHARTON, B. M. MILLER, Notary Public.

I certify the above and foregoing to be a true and correct copy of the original charter recorded in the office of the Clerk of Court for St. Tammany parish, Louisiana, in Charter Book 1, page 85. B. M. MILLER, Notary Public. oc14-6t

AMENDMENT OF CHARTER OF THE MORAN CREEK TURPENTINE COMPANY.

State of Louisiana, Parish of St. Tammany.

Be it known, that on this 25th day of September, A. D. 1916, before me, Harvey E. Ellis, a Notary Public within and for the parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, and in the presence of the undersigned witnesses, personally came and appeared Warren Thomas and E. Jones, residents of said parish, to me personally known, who declared that the said Warren Thomas was chairman of a meeting of the stockholders of the Moran Creek Turpentine Company, held in Covington, Louisiana, the domicile of said corporation, on the 25th day of September, 1916, pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors of said corporation on September 7th, 1916, calling said meeting, said stockholders waiving the notice and advertisement provided by Article 1 of the charter of said corporation, and that at said meeting there were a total of fifty-one (51) shares present, being all the stock issued of said corporation. And appeared declared that at such meeting of such stockholders a resolution was adopted by unanimous vote of all the stockholders that Article 1 of the Articles of Incorporation of said corporation should be amended and said Article was duly amended so as to read as follows:

ARTICLE I. "The name and style of this corporation shall be St. Tammany Turpentine Company, Inc." and by said corporate name it shall have succession and enjoy existence for a period of ninety-nine years, unless sooner dissolved, in the manner provided by law, and the articles of this charter; and, under said corporate name, it shall have power and authority to contract, sue and be sued, to make and use a corporate seal, the same to alter or break at pleasure; to make all necessary rules and regulations for its corporate management and control, and shall have and enjoy all the rights, privileges and immunities which are now conferred upon, or may hereafter be granted to corporations of the same kind and character."

And said witnesses declared that they were authorized and instructed by the said stockholders' meeting to execute the proper notarial act amending the charter of said corporation in accordance with the vote of said stockholders.

And said witnesses thereupon declared that the articles of Incorporation of said Moran Creek Turpentine Company have been duly and legally amended by the vote of the stockholders of said corporation, and they make this declaration and execute this notarial act in accordance therewith.

Thus done and signed at my office in Covington, Louisiana, in the presence of Holger G. Kohnke and Karl J. Kohnke, competent witnesses, who, together with said signers, and me, Notary, after the reading of the whole.

Original Signed, WARREN THOMAS, E. JONES, Witnesses: HOLGER G. KOHNKE, KARL J. KOHNKE, HARVEY E. ELLIS, Notary Public.

A true copy. HARVEY E. ELLIS, Notary Public. I hereby certify that the above and foregoing Amendment to charter of Moran Creek Turpentine Company was filed for record in my office on October 10, 1916, and is truly recorded in Charter Book No. 1, folio 85, et seq., of the records of St. Tammany parish, Louisiana, and seal of office this 10th day of October, A. D. 1916. W. E. BLOSSMAN, Dy. Clerk and ExOfficio Recorder of Mortgages. oc14-6t