

N. O. STEAMSHIP COMPANY. CHARTER OF THE NEW ORLEANS STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

It is known that on the twenty-first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight...

ARTICLE I. The name and title of said Company shall be the "NEW ORLEANS STEAMSHIP COMPANY," and the domicile is hereby established in the city of New Orleans...

ARTICLE II. The object of said Company is to construct or otherwise procure and maintain one or more steamships...

ARTICLE III. The capital stock of said Company is hereby fixed at the sum of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS...

ARTICLE IV. The affairs of said Company shall be under the direction and management of the Board of Directors...

ARTICLE V. The regular meetings of the stockholders of the said Company shall be held on the first Monday of January, 1889...

ARTICLE VI. The Board of Directors may at any time have the privilege of associating with him one or more persons...

ARTICLE VII. It shall be the duty of the Manager to keep an account of the business of the Company...

ARTICLE VIII. In the event of the resignation, permanent absence or death of the Manager...

ARTICLE IX. All transfers of stocks shall be made in the office of the Company...

ARTICLE X. No stockholder shall ever be held liable or responsible for the contracts, debts or liabilities of said Company...

ARTICLE XI. The following named persons are Stockholders in said Company...

ARTICLE XII. The Board of Directors shall be empowered to receive transfers of shares...

ARTICLE XIII. This Association shall go into operation as soon as the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars shall have been subscribed...

ARTICLE XIV. The Board of Directors may at any time have the privilege of associating with him one or more persons...

ARTICLE XV. The following named stockholders, viz: George F. P. J. M. Lapeyre, C. M. Lapeyre, J. M. Lapeyre...

ARTICLE XVI. The Board of Directors may at any time have the privilege of associating with him one or more persons...

ARTICLE XVII. The liquidation of the affairs of the Association shall be made by three commissioners...

ARTICLE XVIII. The name of the stockholders, their residences, and the number of shares held by each...

ARTICLE XIX. This done and passed in my office, at the said city of New Orleans, on the second day of May...

ARTICLE XX. The undersigned, James of this old and well-known WATERBURY FLOUR...

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NATURAL GAS COMPANY. STATE OF LOUISIANA. CITY OF NEW ORLEANS.

It is known that on the twenty-first day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight...

ARTICLE FIRST. The name and title of said Corporation shall be THE LOUISIANA NATURAL GAS COMPANY, and its domicile is established in the city of New Orleans...

ARTICLE SECOND. The object and purpose of said Corporation is to extract from the soil of the State of Louisiana the natural gas...

ARTICLE THIRD. The capital stock of this Corporation is hereby fixed at the sum of \$200,000...

ARTICLE FOURTH. The Board of Directors may at any time have the privilege of associating with him one or more persons...

ARTICLE FIFTH. These articles of association may be modified or altered, and the capital stock may be increased or diminished...

ARTICLE SIXTH. All powers of this Corporation shall be vested in the Board of Directors...

ARTICLE SEVENTH. In the event of the resignation, permanent absence or death of the Manager...

ARTICLE EIGHTH. A plurality of votes (counting one vote for each share of stock voted) shall be sufficient to elect Directors...

ARTICLE NINTH. A majority of the Board shall be necessary to form a quorum, and a decision of such majority shall be a valid corporate act...

ARTICLE TENTH. The Board of Directors shall appoint a secretary and all clerks and agents...

ARTICLE ELEVENTH. The Board of Directors shall be empowered to receive transfers of shares...

ARTICLE TWELFTH. A failure from any cause to elect Directors on the day named for that purpose...

ARTICLE THIRTEENTH. Each shareholder, at all meetings for the election of Directors...

ARTICLE FOURTEENTH. This Corporation shall exist for the term of twenty-five years from the date of the recording of this charter...

ARTICLE FIFTEENTH. The following named stockholders, viz: George F. P. J. M. Lapeyre, C. M. Lapeyre, J. M. Lapeyre...

ARTICLE SIXTEENTH. The Board of Directors may at any time have the privilege of associating with him one or more persons...

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INSURANCE. GERMANIA INSURANCE COMPANY. NEW ORLEANS.

Second Annual Statement. In conformity with the requirements of their Charter the Company publish the following STATEMENT.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Total Premiums for the year ending 31st March, 1888: \$209,758 44.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Fire Premiums: \$158,839 80. Marine Premiums: \$74,930 31. River Premiums: \$14,783 15.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Losses Paid: \$36,082 45. Marine Losses: \$3,737 98. River Losses: \$4,344 57.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Reinsurance: \$11,948 48. Expenses, less interest: \$2,362 67. Tax and Subscriptions: \$10,296 67.

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INSURANCE. NINETEENTH ANNUAL STATEMENT. CRESCENT MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY. NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, May 23, 1888. The Trustees, in conformity with the charter, submit the following statement of the affairs of the company on the 30th day of April, 1888:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Total net earned Premiums: \$447,534 23. Fire loss on paid and estimated: \$9,900 63.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Marine loss: \$7,074 05. River loss: \$5,572 47. Paid Taxes: \$20,019 54.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Paid reinsurance and discount in lieu of scrip: \$6,103 30. Paid interest, return premiums, general expenses less discount etc: \$7,649 03.

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New Orleans, 30th April, 1888. The Trustees, in conformity with the charter of the Company, submit the following statement of the affairs of the company ending 30th April, 1888, to-wit:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Premiums: On Fire Risks: \$9,729 30. Marine Risks: \$4,172 57. Marine Risks: \$9,170 50.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Losses: Less Unretained Premiums: \$1,783 60. Reinsured Premiums: \$2,919 00.

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The New Orleans Crescent. WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 27, 1888.

LETTER FROM RIO JANEIRO. RIO DE JANEIRO, April 15, 1888. Editor of the Crescent:

There has been much excitement here lately among both Brazilians and Americans, caused by the disclosure of certain frauds and forgeries and the arrest of the adventurer who perpetrated them. It appears that some months ago an individual arrived here in the American packet...

And now begins the train of practices by which he imposed on many of the best citizens, obtaining money and credit, as is said, to large amount, and, as we know, from one highly respectable house the considerable sum of \$2500. This was advanced upon his draft on Horace Greeley and H. J. Raymond, of New York, for which he exhibited written authority. When these drafts were returned protested, with the declaration that he was not known and had no genuine authorization...

On Saturday, May 16th, the second game of a series for the championship, between the Oxyka Club, of Oxyka, Miss., and the Enterprise Club, of Oxyka, Miss. It was witnessed by a large concourse of people, and as the first game had been won by the Enterprise, much interest was evinced, as it was feared they would also win the second. But the game resulted in favor of the Oxyka Club, some of whom played remarkably well. We are sorry to say that Mr. Waterman, their best pitcher, was absent, and was stopped in the 7th inning, on account of the sudden illness of the pitcher of the Enterprise Club, Mr. Waterman. It was hardly to be expected that the Oxyka boys could win the game, as three of their best players were absent, viz: Adams, McConnell, Pickles and S. Hipman, and the club was compelled to take two or three outsiders to make up the nine. We neglected to say in the proper place that the Oxyka Club, Mr. Waterman was taken sick, and was absent from the game, and was stopped in the 7th inning, on account of the sudden illness of the pitcher of the Enterprise Club, Mr. Waterman. It was hardly to be expected that the Oxyka boys could win the game, as three of their best players were absent, viz: Adams, McConnell, Pickles and S. Hipman, and the club was compelled to take two or three outsiders to make up the nine. We neglected to say in the proper place that the Oxyka Club, Mr. Waterman was taken sick, and was absent from the game, and was stopped in the 7th inning, on account of the sudden illness of the pitcher of the Enterprise Club, Mr. Waterman. It was hardly to be expected that the Oxyka boys could win the game, as three of their best players were absent, viz: Adams, McConnell, Pickles and S. Hipman, and the club was compelled to take two or three outsiders to make up the nine. We neglected to say in the proper place that the Oxyka Club, Mr. Waterman was taken sick, and was absent from the game, and was stopped in the 7th inning, on account of the sudden illness of the pitcher of the Enterprise Club, Mr. Waterman. It was hardly to be expected that the Oxyka boys could win the game, as three of their best players were absent, viz: Adams, McConnell, Pickles and S. Hipman, and the club was compelled to take two or three outsiders to make up the nine. We neglected to say in the proper place that the Oxyka Club, Mr. Waterman was taken sick, and was absent from the game, and was stopped in the 7th inning, on account of the sudden illness of the pitcher of the Enterprise Club, Mr. Waterman. It was hardly to be expected that the Oxyka boys could win the game, as three of their best players were absent, viz: Adams, McConnell, Pickles and S. Hipman, and the club was compelled to take two or three outsiders to make up the nine. We neglected to say in the proper place that the Oxyka Club, Mr. Waterman was taken sick, and was absent from the game, and was stopped in the 7th inning, on account of the sudden illness of the pitcher of the Enterprise Club, Mr. Waterman. It was hardly to be expected that the Oxyka boys could win the game, as three of their best players were absent, viz: Adams, McConnell, Pickles and S. Hipman, and the club was compelled to take two or three outsiders to make up the nine. We neglected to say in the proper place that the Oxyka Club, Mr. Waterman was taken sick, and was absent from the game, and was stopped in the 7th inning, on account of the sudden illness of the pitcher of the Enterprise Club, Mr. Waterman. It was hardly to be expected that the Oxyka boys could win the game, as three of their best players were absent, viz: Adams, McConnell, Pickles and S. Hipman, and the club was compelled to take two or three outsiders to make up the nine. We neglected to say in the proper place that the Oxyka Club, Mr. Waterman was taken sick, and was absent from the game, and was stopped in the 7th inning, on account of the sudden illness of the pitcher of the Enterprise Club, Mr. Waterman. It was hardly to be expected that the Oxyka boys could win the game, as three of their best players were absent, viz: Adams, McConnell, Pickles and S. Hipman, and the club was compelled to take two or three outsiders to make up the nine