

List of Jurors Drawn for Service in the Twenty-second Judicial District Court for Ascension Parish at the January Term, 1886.

Table with columns: Name, Ward, Name, Ward. Lists names of jurors for various wards.

Ernest Schelling, the ex-coachman who married Victoria, the daughter of Banker Morosini, is at work as a substitute conductor on the Sixth Avenue Surface Railroad.

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The secret-martial which tried Gen. Jovanovich found him guilty of disobeying orders in attacking Stivitzka, instead of maintaining a defensive attitude, whereupon he committed suicide.

Mr. Clifford Lloyd, Colonial Secretary of Mauritius, has been gazetted Lieutenant Governor and will in all probability eventually supersede Sir John Hennessy as Governor of Mauritius.

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BEFORE KNOWN that on the 21st day of September, 1885, the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-Five and of the Independence of the United States of America the hundred and ninth before me, G. H. Hill, Clerk Twenty-second Judicial District Court for the parish of Ascension, State of Louisiana, duly commissioned and qualified, and ex-officio recorder herein residing and hereon acting as a Notary Public, and in the presence of the witnesses hereinafter named and undesignated, personally came and appeared the undersigned persons hereinafter named who declared that they hereby agree and bind themselves and their successors and assigns to form and constitute a corporation and body politic in law under the following terms and conditions:

ARTICLE FIRST. The name and title of said corporation shall be the Berwick Lumber and Shingle Company, and by that name said corporation shall have power and authority to exist and enjoy succession for the full term and period of twenty-five years, commencing from and after the day and date hereinafter expressed, and to make and use a corporate seal and the same to be made and after to hold, receive, hold, charter, purchase and convey, as well as mortgage and hypothecate under its corporate name property both real and personal, including timber and timber lands, and generally to do all and everything pertinent to or in any way incident to the general purpose hereinabove expressed.

ARTICLE SECOND. The domicile and principal office of said corporation shall be in the city of Donaldsonville, in the State of Louisiana. Citation and all legal proceedings shall be served on the president of said corporation.

ARTICLE THIRD. The object and purpose of said corporation shall be the carrying on of the business of manufacturing and selling lumber and shingles, and the transaction of any and all business connected with the manufacture of sawed lumber and shingles at Berwick City, in the State of Louisiana.

ARTICLE FOURTH. The capital stock of said corporation shall be ten thousand dollars, divided into and represented by four hundred shares of the sum of twenty-five dollars each, which shall be paid for in installments at such times and in such manner as the Executive Board of said corporation may determine, with the privilege of issuing said stock for labor done or money, or property actually received, and of such stock being increased or diminished as the necessities of the corporation may require in the mode prescribed by the laws of Louisiana.

ARTICLE FIFTH. All the corporate powers of this corporation shall be vested in an Executive Board composed of three stockholders, each owning at least ten shares, to be elected by ballot annually on the first Monday of November in each year. Said Board at its first meeting shall elect one of their number to be President of said corporation, and they shall also appoint such other officers, employees and agents as the interests of the corporation may require, and shall have full power and authority to execute the same, and to make and amend the by-laws of the corporation, and to make and amend the same to alter and amend as they see fit.

ARTICLE SIXTH. At the termination of the charter of this corporation or earlier of the dissolution of the affairs of said corporation shall be liquidated by three stockholders, to be selected at a general meeting of the stockholders convened for that purpose after thirty days' public notice given in pursuance of the provisions published in Donaldsonville and Morgan City, State of Louisiana, and said liquidators shall have full power and authority to sell and dispose of all the assets and property and to settle and liquidate the affairs of said corporation.

ARTICLE SEVENTH. Stockholders shall only be liable for amount of unpaid stock held by said stockholders of this company.

ARTICLE EIGHTH. William M. McCallister, John E. Quimby and James E. Billington, with said William McCallister as President, have been chosen and selected as the first Executive Board, to serve as such until the first Monday in November, 1886, or until their successors shall have been elected at a general meeting of the stockholders convened for that purpose after ten days' written notice from the Secretary of said corporation. The first Executive Board shall hold their office until the first Monday in November, 1886. This done and passed at the parish of Ascension on the day, month and year first above mentioned, and in the presence of Messrs. H. W. Barton and John D. Cantey, lawful and competent witnesses, who have signed these articles at a general meeting of the stockholders of the same. (Original signed) W. M. McCallister, J. E. Quimby, J. E. Billington, Witnesses, H. W. Barton, J. D. Cantey, J. S. H. Hill, Clerk of Court.

The undersigned, Clerk of the 22nd Judicial District Court of the parish of Ascension, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing articles of incorporation of the Berwick Lumber and Shingle Company were this day duly recorded in my office, in book of miscellaneous acts No. 5, folio 223 of sep. Parish of Ascension, this 21st day of September, A. D. 1885. (Signed) G. H. Hill, Clerk of Court.

State of Louisiana, parish of Ascension, I, Jno. D. Cantey, duly qualified deputy Clerk of the 22nd Judicial District Court for the parish of Ascension, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing articles of incorporation of the Berwick Lumber and Shingle Company, as also of the certificate of the said J. D. Cantey, were this day duly recorded in my office, in book of miscellaneous acts No. 5, folio 223 of sep. Parish of Ascension, this 21st day of September, A. D. 1885. (Signed) J. D. Cantey, Deputy Clerk of Court.

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