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CHARTER

THE FASHION COMPANY, INCORPORATED.

United States of America—State of Louisiana—Parish of Ascension.
BE IT KNOWN, that on this, the 27th day of the month of June, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen, before me, **SIDNEY A. MARCHAND**, a notary public, duly commissioned, sworn and qualified in and for the above named parish and state, and in the presence of the witnesses, personally came and appeared: **ARNAUD BLOCH**, **MARCEL HIMMELER** and **LEON BLOCH**, all of said parish and state, residents of the city of Donaldsonville, parish of Ascension, and state of Louisiana, who declared that, availing themselves of the provisions of the general act of the state of Louisiana, relative to the organization of corporations, and especially of Act No. 267 of 1914, they have agreed and do hereby agree and covenant among themselves, as well as such other persons as may hereafter become associated with them, to form and maintain a corporation and body politic in law under the agreements, articles and provisions following, to-wit:

ARTICLE I.
The name and style of this corporation shall be **THE FASHION COMPANY, INCORPORATED**. Under its said corporate name it shall have power to contract, to sue and be sued; to make and use a corporate seal, the same to be of silver or of gold; to acquire, hold, lease or purchase, as well as sell, alienate, convey, mortgage or hypothecate property, both real and personal; to make all necessary rules and regulations for its corporate management and control; and in general, to exercise and enjoy all powers incident to a corporation consistent with the objects and purposes expressed herein, and needful and proper for its government and support, which are conferred upon like corporations by the laws of this state.

ARTICLE II.
The domicile of this corporation shall be in the city of Donaldsonville, parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana, and all citations and other legal processes shall be served upon the president, and in his absence or inability, upon the vice president, and in the absence of both, upon the secretary-treasurer. All meetings of the board of directors shall be held at the domicile, provided that with the written consent of all the directors, meetings may be held elsewhere.

ARTICLE III.
The objects and purposes for which this corporation is formed are hereby declared to be to conduct and carry on the business of wholesale or retail dealers (or both) of general merchandise, and particularly dry goods, notions, hats, shoes, clothing, furnishings, goods for both men and women, and all things usually kept in stock in a general store, in the parish of Ascension and other places in the state of Louisiana, as the stockholders may hereafter determine; to acquire by purchase, lease or otherwise, real estate and personal property, and to hold, improve, lease, mortgage, sell or otherwise dispose of same; and, in furtherance of the above purposes, this corporation may borrow money and acquire real estate, buildings and sites, and generally do and perform all acts incidental and necessary to the purposes hereinabove named and specified.

ARTICLE IV.
The capital stock of this corporation is hereby fixed at the sum of twelve thousand (\$12,000) dollars, divided into one hundred and twenty shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each, which said stock shall be issued only for cash or in payment of property or services actually received by or rendered to said corporation. Of said stock, five thousand five hundred (\$5,500.00) dollars, as is hereinafter set out, all of which said amount has been paid in by said incorporators. This corporation shall commence business and become a going concern as soon as six thousand dollars of the capital stock has been subscribed and paid for. The residue of said stock shall be issued and payment made therefor subject to the action and call of the board of directors.

All parties to this act declared that they hereby subscribe for the number of shares of said capital stock set opposite their respective signatures hereto, so that this act of incorporation shall serve as an original subscription. The initial stockholders of this corporation are hereby declared to be as follows: Arnaud Bloch, of Donaldsonville, La., subscriber for thirty (30) shares of stock; Marcel Himmler, of Donaldsonville, La., subscriber for twenty-five (25) shares of stock; and Leon Bloch, of Donaldsonville, La., subscriber for ten (10) shares of stock.

ARTICLE V.
No stockholder shall dispose of stock in this corporation without first giving written notice to the corporation of his intention to sell, thereupon the corporation shall have the first privilege of purchasing said shares at market value. This option to purchase stock from retiring stockholders shall exist for a period of thirty days from notice of intention to sell. The board of directors is hereby authorized to purchase said shares of stock for the account of the retiring stockholders without reference to a meeting of the stockholders.

ARTICLE VI.
All the powers of this corporation shall be vested in and exercised by a board of three directors, to be elected each year by the stockholders at the annual meeting; said directors shall be owners of at least one share of stock in the corporation. The board of directors shall consist of Arnaud Bloch, who shall be president; Leon Bloch, who shall be vice president; and Marcel Himmler, who shall be secretary-treasurer, all residents of the city of Donaldsonville, parish of Ascension, and state of Louisiana, and all of whom shall hold office until the first Monday of February, 1917, at which time a new board of directors shall be elected to serve for one year thereafter or until their successors are elected and qualified. The regular annual meeting for the election of directors shall be held on the first Monday of February of each year, or in the event of the failure to hold the election on that date, the president of the corporation shall call a special meeting of the stockholders for that purpose, after complying with the provisions hereinafter contained. Immediately after the election of directors as herein stated, the directors shall meet and elect from their own number, one to be president, one to be vice president, and one to be secretary-treasurer.

The stockholders' meeting for the election of directors or for the election of officers shall be held at the domicile of the corporation, after notice to the stockholders, which notice must be delivered to each stockholder at least fifteen days before the meeting. Other stockholders' meetings may be held when ordered by the board of directors, or on application of twenty-five per cent of the outstanding stock; provided that in all cases of stockholders' meetings it shall not be necessary to give notice if all the stockholders waive such notice in writing.

ARTICLE VII.
The 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, as well as to make all necessary rules and by-laws, with power to fill any vacancy in their number, or any vacancy occurring among the officers of the corporation.

ARTICLE VIII.
This act of incorporation may be amended, modified, changed or added to, or this corporation may be dissolved by and with the consent of three-fourths of the then outstanding stock, given at a meeting of the stockholders called for that purpose after ten days prior notice published in a newspaper published in the parish of Ascension in addition to the written notice to each stockholder as hereinabove provided.

ARTICLE IX.
This corporation shall continue for a period of ninety-nine years, unless sooner dissolved in accordance with the provisions of this charter or the laws of this state; in the event of dissolution in either case its affairs shall be liquidated by three liquidators to be elected by the stockholders at a meeting held for that purpose, at which meeting the stockholders shall determine the manner of liquidation, the qualifications of the liquidators and the powers to be given them, all in accordance with the provisions of Act 267 of 1914.

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 the corporation on the shares of stock subscribed for by such person; nor shall any informality in organization of this corporation have the effect of rendering this charter null and void, or exposing a stockholder to any further liability beyond the balance unpaid, if any, on his stock.

Thus done, passed and signed at my office in the city of Donaldsonville, parish of Ascension, state of Louisiana, on the day and date hereinbefore written, in the presence of Messrs. R. J. Chanvin and A. W. Martin, M. D., good and competent witnesses, who sign these presents as such, together with said notary and me, notary, after due reading of the whole.
(NAMES OF SUBSCRIBERS OMITTED).
R. J. CHAVIN,
A. W. MARTIN, M. D.

LOUISIANA'S NEW LAWS.

(Continued from page one.)

Act 220—Amending the Gay-Shattuck law to prohibit minors and girls from serving drinks.
Act 221—Amending Act 193 of 1910, relative to inspection of banks by the bank examiner.
Act 222—Requiring bonds of officers of banks and trust companies.
Act 223—Re-enacting section 397 of the revised statutes rearranging the schedule of fees collected by the Charity Hospital from entertainments.

Act 224—Amending Act 156 of 1888 to provide for the renewal of warehouse bonds.
Act 225—Amending Act 227 of 1914, the drainage law.
Act 226—Amending section 667 of the revised statutes to authorize coroners to appoint deputies.

Act 227—Amending Act 62 of 1906, requiring inclusion of photographic copies of all writings in insurance policies.
Act 228—Making it an offense for an officer or employee of a homestead association to make false report.
Act 229—Relative to liens of laborers and sub-contractors.

Act 230—Concurrent resolution authorizing the governor to appoint a commission of five to look into the Alexander good road proposition.
Act 231—Concurrent resolution petitioning the war department for the guns of the battleship Maine.

Act 232—Requiring a bond of drilling contractors for the protection of owners, workmen, etc.
Act 233—Prohibiting combinations among commission merchants.
Act 234—Making the books and papers of commission merchants subject to inspection.

Act 235—Setting aside a percentage of fines in the city of Shreveport for the relief of destitute persons.
Act 236—Authorizing the governor to fill all vacancies in parish offices and school boards, and in boards of aldermen in towns of less than 5000 population.

Act 237—Placing the deaf and the blind under control of the State University board.
Act 238—Amending Act 189 of 1914.

Act 239—Amending Act 42 of 1890, increasing the number of notaries in the parish of Orleans from 175 to 185.
Act 240—Amending Act 65 of 1906, relative to industrial insurance companies.

Act 241—Authorizing the dock board to borrow money against the revenues of the warehouse system to meet the current expenses thereof.
Act 242—Extending the authority of drainage districts to enable them to extend drainage canals for purposes of navigation and transportation.

Act 243—Amending the employers' liability act.
Act 244—Recognizing as legal all grants by parishes to interurban railways; intended to cure any defects in the Orleans-Kenner railroad grants.
Act 245—Amending Act 60 of 1904, the stock law, for cities of 200 population or more.

Act 246—Authorizing towns of less than 10,000 to construct and maintain sewerage systems.
Act 247—Amending article 160, revised civil code.

Act 248—Amending Act 35 of 1912, relative to maintenance of lights at street intersections of railroads.
Act 249—Making the theft or removal of brasses, journals, or bearings from locomotives or railroad cars a crime punishable by imprisonment.

Act 250—Making it a misdemeanor to buy brasses, journals or bearings from unauthorized persons.
Act 251—Amending Act 193 of 1910, relative to examination of state banks.

Act 252—Constitutional amendment giving the judges of the civil district court control of the judicial expense fund of the parish of Orleans.
Act 253—Constitutional amendment exempting ocean-going vessels from taxation.

Act 254—Relative to qualifications of natural tutors.

(L.S.) SIDNEY A. MARCHAND,
Notary Public.
State of Louisiana, Parish of Ascension—
I, the undersigned, clerk of court and ex-officio recorder in and for this parish and state, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing act of incorporation of The Fashion Company, Incorporated, was this day duly recorded in my office in Book of Charters No. 1, at folio 284.
Donaldsonville, parish of Ascension, Louisiana, this 28th day of June, 1916.
(L.S.) MARIE MICHEL,
By, Clerk of Court.
J. PH. FERNANDEZ,
By, Clerk of Court.

BUDGET

—of—
Estimated Revenues and Expenditures of the Parish of Ascension for the Fiscal Year 1916-1917.

Estimated Revenues:	
9 1/2 mills tax on assessment of \$3,945,250 (less commission) \$	36,421.31
Parish license tax	6,227.00
Port Vincent ferry	200.00
Total	\$ 42,848.31
Disbursements:	
Assessor	500.00
Clerk police jury and treasurer	500.00
District attorney	750.00
Coroner	400.00
Justices of the peace	720.00
Constables	750.00
Janitor	200.00
Sheriff's contract	800.00
Police jurors	2,000.00
Parish printer	400.00
Dipping vat certificate	50.00
Transportations	300.00
Witnesses	200.00
Petit jurors	400.00
Grand jurors	100.00
Coroner's jurors	100.00
Board of Health	250.00
Elections	1,500.00
3rd Road District	1,300.00
4th Road District	1,300.00
Stenographers	1,500.00
Public schools	15,000.00
Dry-dock ferry	300.00
Certificates of indebtedness, 1st Road District	3,600.00
Normal School student	165.00
Civil Bank and Trust Co.	4,000.00
Donaldsonville Fire Department	500.00
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Hospital	100.00
Contingent	750.00
Total	\$ 39,301.00

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Act 255—Establishing standards and grades of farm products.
Act 256—Prohibiting recordation of any instrument affecting real estate unless it contains the marital status of the contracting parties.
Act 257—Authorizing the Academy of Holy Angels of New Orleans to confer degrees.
Act 258—Amending Act 47 of 1914 to add fifteen days to the open season for snipe.

Act 259—Authorizing the consolidation of the New Orleans street railway companies.
Act 260—Creating a commission to investigate legislative procedure.
Act 261—Amending the Shreveport charter to make the city board of health elective.

Act 262—Amending Act 167 of 1912 relative to building contracts.
Act 263—Creating a first lien on insurance recoveries in favor of the vendor of perishable property.
Act 264—Amending Act 191 of 1912, the militia law.

Act 265—Amending the fiscal agency law to prohibit syndicate bidding.
Act 266—Amending Act 105 of 1898 relative to official journals.
Act 267—Amending article 543 of the code of practice to permit judges to return judgments in any parish in their district.

Act 268—Curing a defect in a previous act for the development of a navigation and hydro-electric canal from Red river to the Gulf.
Act 269—Allowing a divorce of married people who have lived separate for seven years.

Act 270—Making it a misdemeanor for an employer to deduct from an employee's wages for liability insurance.
Act 271—Amending article 287 of the constitution to permit the granting of passes to employees of agricultural schools and departments.

Act 272—Amending Act 47 of 1914 shortening the season for quail.
Act 273—Regulating the purchase of junk with a view to destroying "fences."

Act 274—Providing that the secretary of state shall print the reports of the Louisiana Historical Society.
Act 275—Prohibiting the collection of license taxes from any dairymen selling his own product.

Act 276—Authorizing the appointment of a commission on uniform boiler codes.
Act 277—Authorizing municipal corporations to dedicate and pledge 2 1/2 mills for 25 years to liquidate indebtedness.

Act 278—Authorizing the register of the state land office to turn into the state treasury fees heretofore accepted under provisions of Act 301 of 1910.

Act 279—Directing the secretary of state to pay one-half of the proceeds from the sale of legislative acts to the state library.
Act 280—Bringing homestead associations under the supervision of the state bank examiner.

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Opportunities to Qualify for Federal Government Positions.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces the following examinations to be held in New Orleans and other large cities on the dates stated. Blank applications and necessary information may be secured from the commission at Washington, D. C., or from the Secretary, Tenth Civil Service District, Room 330, Customhouse, New Orleans, La., and circulars descriptive of the examinations and places to be filled can be seen at the office of The Chief:

Aug. 8—Senior highway engineer, \$2200 to \$4000 per annum, Office of Public Roads and Rural Engineering, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Dairy husbandman, \$1800 to \$2500, Bureau of Animal Industry, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Assistant in farm economics, \$1800 to \$2000, Office of Farm Management, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Associate ceramic chemist, qualified in glass technology, \$2000 to \$2500, Bureau of Standards at Pittsburgh, Pa.

Assistant in market business practice, \$1800 to \$2400, grade 1; \$1200 to \$1600, grade 2; Office of Markets and Rural Organization, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Aug. 9—Electrotypist-finisher, 60 cents an hour, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C.

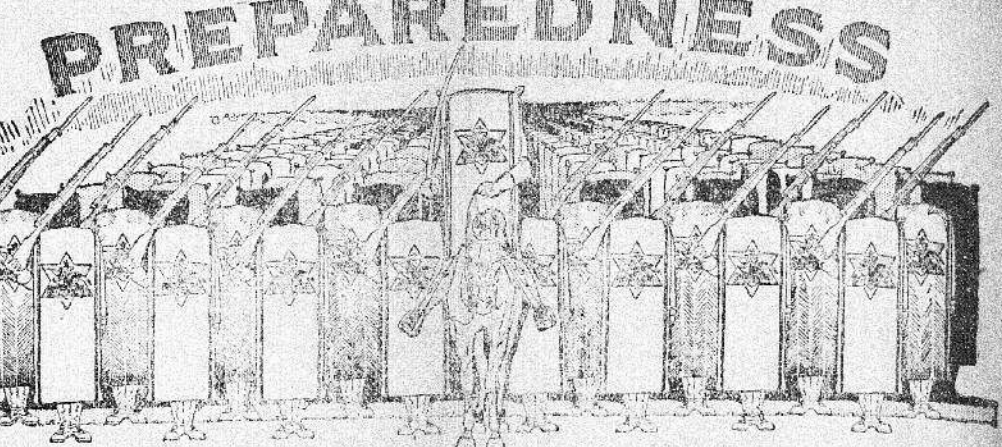
Aug. 15—Electrical draftsman, \$3.52 to \$6 per diem, New York Navy Yard.

Aeronautic draftsman, \$5.04 per diem, aeronautic station at Pensacola, Fla.

Aug. 23—Assistant physicist, qualified in physical metallurgy, \$1400 to \$1800, Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C.

Aug. 23-24—Laboratory assistant, \$900 to \$1200, Bureau of Standards, Department of Commerce.

Aug. 28-29—Inspector of safety appliances, and inspector of hours of service, \$1800, Interstate Commerce Commission.

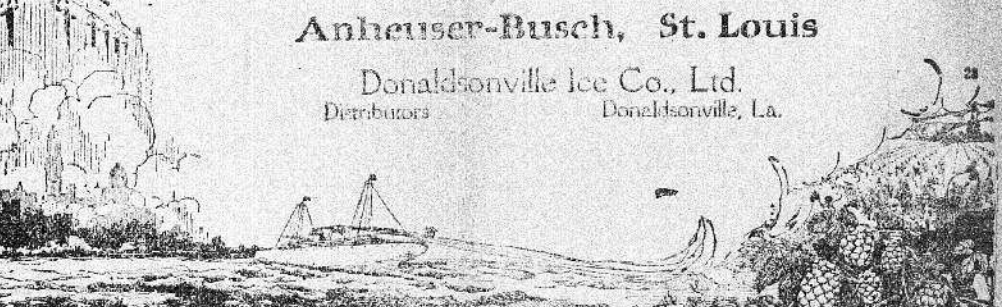


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