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No. 21881.  
**CHARTER**  
Of the Peoples Cotton Oil Co.  
of Lafayette, La

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF  
LAFAYETTE.

Be it known that on this twentieth day of the month of June "Anno Domini" One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety Six and of the Independence of the United States of America the One hundred and twentieth, before me Ed. G. Voorhies, Clerk of Court and ex-officio Notary Public, in and for said parish and State, as such duly commissioned and qualified, and in the presence of the witnesses hereinafter named and undersigned: Personally came and appeared the several persons whose names are hereunto subscribed who declared, That availing themselves of the provisions of the law of this State relative to the formation of Corporations they do by these presents, covenant and agree and bind themselves and those whom they represent and those who may hereafter become associated with them, to form and constitute a corporation and body politic in law for the purpose and under the agreements and stipulations following.

ARTICLE I. The name and title of this corporation shall be People's Cotton Oil Company, Limited. Its domicile and place for doing business shall be in the parish of Lafayette State of Louisiana, and its capital stock shall be "Fifty Thousand Dollars" divided into five hundred shares of One hundred dollars each: The appearers being share-holders and their places of residence, and the number of shares held by each of them respectively, being set opposite their names, which said shares are to be paid for in installments of not more than twenty per cent every sixty days beginning with the first payment on the first day of August Eighteen hundred and ninety-six, subject to the call of the Board of Directors.

ARTICLE II. Said corporation shall commence its existence from the date of these presents and shall continue for a period of Ninety nine years and by its corporate name may sue and be sued and prosecute in any and all courts of justice here and elsewhere. The president of this corporation shall be the officer on whom citation may be served, and in his absence on the vice president.

ARTICLE III. This corporation is organized for the purpose of erecting and operating a Cotton Oil Mill for the manufacture of Oil, and all other products from cotton seed, and conducting and operating all businesses incidental thereto. Said corporation shall also have power to acquire, hold, receive, purchase and convey by and under their corporate name real and personal property, said corporation shall have power through its board of Directors to pledge mortgage or hypothecate its real and personal property for the purposes of its business.

ARTICLE IV. Said corporation shall be managed by a board of Nine Directors who shall be citizens of this State and actual stockholders of said corporation to be elected by ballot on first Tuesday of June of each year and said board shall hold office for one year or until their successors are duly elected and qualified. All elections shall be conducted under the supervision of three stockholders to be appointed by the board of directors for that purpose and in case of any one of said commissioners of elections declining or failing to act, the president shall appoint another to fill his place. The nine persons receiving the highest number of votes shall be declared elected. In case of a tie between any two or more among the number exceeding nine receiving the highest number of votes, then the tie shall be determined by casting lots. The said board of directors shall elect from their number a president and vice president who shall serve without salary and from the other stockholders a secretary who shall be book keeper, a treasurer and a general manager whose salaries shall be fixed by the board of directors. The board of directors shall have power to fill vacancies occurring on the board.

ARTICLE V. The said board of directors shall make and ordain such by-laws for the proper management of the corporation, as may be necessary and proper in conformity with law and such by-laws to alter amend or repeal at pleasure. They may adopt for the use of the corporation a seal of such device as they may deem fit and appropriate.

ARTICLE VI. The names of the shareholders, their places of residence, their number of shares respectively are

as follows:  
Crow Girard, Lafayette La. ten shares.  
James J. Davidson, " ten shares.  
Felix Demanade, " ten shares.  
Samuel R. Parkerson " ten shares.  
Eugene Broussard, " five shares.  
Chas. O. Mouton, " five shares.  
T. M. Bissat, " twenty shares.  
Benjamin Falk, " five shares.  
Chas. D. Caffery, " five shares.  
John I. Bell, " five shares.  
P. B. Roy, Youngsville, " five shares.  
James G. Parkerson Laf. " ten shares.  
Estorge & Billeaud, Broussard, " ten shares.  
C. H. Bernard, " five shares.  
Alcide Judice, Scott, " five shares.  
Henry Crouchet, Carencro " one share.  
John S. Whittington, Lafayette, " ten shares.  
William S. Parkerson, New Orleans, " five shares.  
Charles M. Parkerson, Lafayette, " four shares.  
J. C. Couvillon, " one share.  
J. W. Taylor, " forty shares.  
Pueck & Freret, N. O. " five shares.  
Alfred Hebert, Lafayette, " one share.  
V. E. Dupuis for Carencro Union Oil Lim. " five shares.

ARTICLE VII. This article of incorporation may be changed, modified or altered or said corporation may be dissolved at a special meeting of the stockholders convened for that purpose after thirty days prior notice by publication in a weekly newspaper published in the town of Lafayette with the assent of three fourths of capital stock of said corporation.

ARTICLE VIII. No stockholder shall ever be held liable or responsible for the contracts or faults of said corporation in any further sum than the unpaid balance due by him, nor shall any mere informality in organization have the effect of rendering this charter null or of exposing a stockholder to any liability than the unpaid balance due on said stock.

ARTICLE IX. The following named persons shall constitute the first board of directors: Pierre B. Roy, John S. Whittington, J. Omer Broussard, Ed. J. Estorge, Crow Girard, Charles O. Mouton, Chas. D. Caffery, James J. Davidson, Samuel R. Parkerson.

ARTICLE X. At all meetings of stockholders for the election of directors or for any other purpose each stockholder shall be entitled to one vote for each share of stock owned by him.

ARTICLE XI. This corporation shall begin business when twenty thousand dollars of stock shall have been subscribed for.

Thus done read and signed on the day and date first above written at my office in said parish in presence of Hebert Billeaud and Abraham Hirsch competent witnesses who sign with appearers and me Notary Public.

"Original signed"  
Witness,  
R. BILLEAUD,  
ABRAHAM HIRSCH,  
J. G. PARKERSON,  
Chas. O. Mouton,  
P. B. Roy,  
J. W. Taylor,  
J. O. Broussard,  
W. S. Parkerson,  
per S. R. P.  
J. S. Whittington,  
Estorge & Billeaud,  
per Ed. L. Estorge,  
Ernest Bernard,  
pp. C. Girard,  
Crow Girard,  
E. G. VOORHIES,  
Clerk of Court.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,  
PARISH OF LAFAYETTE.

I do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original filed June 25th. A. D. 1896, and recorded same day and date in Book of Miscellan's Accounts T2 Folio 148, 147, 148.

In faith whereof I have signed my name and affixed the seal of my office at Lafayette, La., this 25th. day of July A. D. 1896.

F. H. HOPKINS, Dy. Clerk.

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