

**CHARTER**  
of Arcadia Ice & Fuel Company, Inc.

State of Louisiana,  
Parish of Bienville.

Be It Known and Remembered: That on this the 7th day of October, A. D., 1920, before me, L. E. Ozley, a Notary Public in and for said Parish and State, duly commissioned and sworn, came and appeared Bertram F. Barnette, Lawrence Daniel, Leo Daniel, J. A. Bryan, J. M. Tompkins, R. W. Ozley, J. B. Herring, B. A. Brewer, J. L. McClellan, S. A. Conger, Jas. A. Caskey, J. E. Currie, H. L. Mitchell, Bert Davis, Mrs. H. L. Mitchell, J. B. Dreyer, R. H. Madden, R. H. Madden, Jr., R. L. Williams, Miss Ella McGuire, W. D. Yarbrough, W. A. Austin, F. A. Givens, S. J. McGuire, B. E. Lowery, C. E. Lowery by B. E. Lowery, Dave Hoffman, M. O. Collinsworth, B. C. Aycock, E. H. Fisher, Fred W. Pentecost, Mrs. M. R. Anderson, Fred W. Pentecost, Jr., Jas. R. Butler, Ray P. Oden, J. N. Smelley, B. R. Felts, W. L. Atkins, Lawrence E. Daniel by Lawrence Daniel, S. H. Madden, P. A. McGuire, Jos. Dawidoff, Victor M. Dawidoff, Simeon Dawidoff, Victor M. Dawidoff, D. E. Brown, Jr., G. H. Goldman, Mrs. G. H. Goldman, J. B. Bryant, Clarence Daniel, J. B. McConathy, R. D. Sims, Carl Goff, Robert Goff by Carl Goff, W. M. Deas, L. M. Tooke, B. A. Madden, Shehee & Williams, W. D. Goff, S. A. Cook, J. W. Sherard, R. L. Taylor, J. S. Andrews, R. H. Nelson, W. T. Grisby, R. C. Ferguson, W. J. Murphy, J. E. Reynolds, Roberta Stewart, Mrs. T. D. Stewart all residents of Bienville Parish, Louisiana, who, in the presence of the attesting legal and competent witnesses, declared to me, Notary, that, availing themselves of the provisions of the laws of the State of Louisiana relative to the formation, organization and establishment of corporations, and the operation and management of same, they do by this act and these presents form themselves and such other persons as may associate themselves with them, or succeed them, into a corporation, under the name and terms and for the purposes hereinafter set forth in the various articles.

**ARTICLE I.**  
The name of this corporation shall be "Arcadia Ice & Fuel Company, Inc." in and under which name it shall sue and be sued, carry on its business, and do and perform all acts necessary in carrying out the provisions of this charter, and such other acts as are or may be authorized by law, and shall have succession for a period of ninety-nine years from date hereof, unless sooner dissolved in accordance with law.

**ARTICLE II.**  
The object of this corporation, and the purpose for which it is formed are declared to be to purchase and operate an ice manufacturing plant and to purchase and operate a bottling works and the purchasing and selling of ice, wood and coal and syrups of all kinds and also facilities for handling cold storage products and to buy, hold, lease and sell, real, personal and mixed property and to do and perform all acts necessary and incidental to such business.

**ARTICLE III.**  
The Capital Stock of this corporation shall be TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS, divided into and represented by 500 shares of the par value of \$50.00 each, and the corporation shall begin business when 250 shares are subscribed and paid for in accordance with law. This corporation shall have the authority to increase its capital stock, on complying with the law relative thereto to an amount not exceeding FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

**ARTICLE IV.**  
The domicile of this corporation shall be in the town of Arcadia, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, at which place all service of legal process shall be made on the president and in his absence in accordance with the law existing at the time of such service.

**ARTICLE V.**  
The affairs of this corporation shall be managed by and be under the control of a Board of Seven Directors who shall be elected by and from among the stockholders, at the annual stockholders' meeting which shall be held on the First Monday of March of each year, beginning with the year 1921. The following stockholders shall compose the first Board of Directors: Y. M. Lyons, who shall act as chairman; W. M. Deas, who shall act as Secretary; Bertram F. Barnette, Bert Davis, Leo Daniel, J. B. Herring and P. A. McGuire, all of Arcadia, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, who shall hold office and compose said Board till their successors are elected.

**ARTICLE VI.**  
The officers of this corporation shall be a President, a 1st Vice-President and 2nd Vice-President, a Secretary and a Treasurer. The Secretary may also hold the office of Treasurer. They shall be elected annually on the First Monday of March beginning with the year 1921, by the Board of Directors elected on said day by the stockholders, which board shall immediately organize and elect said officers.

The first officers of this corporation shall be Y. M. Lyons, President; Bertram F. Barnette, 1st Vice-President; P. A. McGuire, 2nd Vice-President; W. M. Deas, Secretary; Treasurer, who shall hold said offices until their successors are elected according to law as hereinabove provided.

**ARTICLE VII.**  
Meetings of the Stockholders and of the Board of Directors may be held as often as the needs of the business may require, provided that for stockholders' meetings written notice shall be mailed to each stockholder, at his last known post office address or the address shown by the charter, at least ten days before said meeting is held, and for meetings of the Board of Directors written notice shall be given to each member at least twenty-four hours before said meeting is held; provide that by consent of the board this notice may be waived.

**ARTICLE VIII.**  
No informality in the formation of this corporation shall have the effect

of annulling this charter, nor any stockholder ever held liable for any obligation or fault of the corporation except as provided by law. All stock certificates shall be signed by the President or Vice-President and Secretary. No stock of this corporation shall be sold to a third party, until same has been offered to the corporation or stockholder therein and refused at the same price offered, by such third person. All transfers shall be made on the books of the corporation, on the surrender of the certificate or certificates to be transferred before any transfer is binding on the corporation.

**ARTICLE IX.**  
Whenever this corporation in dissolved by limitation or otherwise its affairs and obligations shall be settled by a liquidator, selected in accordance with law who shall give bond in a sum of not less than one-half of the appraised value of the property of the corporation.

This done, read, passed and signed at my office in the Parish of Bienville, in the presence of Lawrence Daniel and M. H. Currie and W. M. Deas legal and competent witnesses and me, Notary, before whom these appearers have signed their names and set their hands as incorporators and stockholders in this corporation, giving their post office address, subscribing for the sum of shares and amount of capital stock set opposite their names, on the day and date first above written.

Bertram F. Barnette, Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; Lawrence Daniel, Arcadia, La., 120 Shares, \$6000.00; Leo Daniel, Arcadia, La., 20 Shares, \$1000.00; J. A. Bryan, 10 Shares, \$500.00; J. M. Tompkins, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; R. W. Ozley, 2 Shares, \$100.00; J. B. Herring, Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; B. A. Brewer, 2 Shares, \$100.00; J. L. McClellan, 2 Shares, \$100.00; S. A. Conger, 2 Shares, \$100.00; Jas. A. Caskey, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; J. E. Currie, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; H. L. Mitchell, 2 Shares, \$100.00; Bert Davis, 6 Shares, \$300.00; Mrs. H. L. Mitchell, 2 Shares, \$100.00; Joe B. Dreyer, Arcadia, La., 6 Shares, \$300.00; R. H. Madden, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; R. H. Madden, Jr., Arcadia, La., 1 Share, \$50.00; R. L. Williams, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; Miss Ella McGuire, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; W. D. Yarbrough, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; Y. M. Lyons, Arcadia, La., 20 Shares, \$1000.00; W. A. Austin, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; F. A. Givens, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; S. J. McGuire, Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; B. E. Lowery, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; C. E. Lowery by B. E. Lowery, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; Dave Hoffman, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; M. O. Collinsworth, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; B. C. Aycock, Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; E. H. Fisher, Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; Fred W. Pentecost, 10 Shares, \$500.00; Mrs. M. R. Anderson, 2 Shares, \$100.00; Fred W. Pentecost, Jr., Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; Jas. R. Butler, Arcadia, La., 4 Shares, \$200.00; Ray P. Oden, Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; J. N. Smelley, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; B. R. Felts, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; W. L. Atkins, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; Lawrence E. Daniel, by Lawrence Daniel, Arcadia, La., 5 Shares, \$250.00; S. H. Madden, Arcadia, La., 20 Shares, \$1000.00; P. A. McGuire, Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; Jos. Dawidoff, Arcadia, La., 4 Shares, \$200.00; Mrs. Joseph Dawidoff, 2 Shares, \$100.00; Simeon B. Dawidoff, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; Victor M. Dawidoff, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; D. E. Brown, Jr., Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; L. M. Tooke, Arcadia, La., 4 Shares, \$200.00; G. H. Goldman, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; Mrs. G. H. Goldman, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; J. B. McConathy, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; Clarence Daniel, Arcadia, La., 1 Share, \$50.00; J. B. Bryant, 20 Shares, \$1000.00; R. D. Sims, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; Carl Goff, Arcadia, La., 4 Shares, \$200.00; Robert Goff by Carl Goff, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; W. M. Deas, Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; B. A. Madden, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; Shehee & Williams, Arcadia, La., 4 Shares, \$200.00; W. D. Goff, Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; S. A. Cook, Arcadia, La., 8 Shares, \$400.00; J. W. Sherard, Arcadia, La., 8 Shares, \$400.00; R. L. Taylor, Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; Joe S. Andrews, Arcadia, La., 4 Shares, \$200.00; B. H. Nelson, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; W. T. Grisby, Arcadia, La., 4 Shares, \$200.00; R. C. Ferguson, Arcadia, La., 5 Shares, \$250.00; W. J. Murphy, Arcadia, La., 10 Shares, \$500.00; J. E. Reynolds, Arcadia, La., 20 Shares, \$1000.00; Roberta Stewart, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00; Mrs. T. D. Stewart, Arcadia, La., 2 Shares, \$100.00.

Attest:—W. M. Deas, Malcolm H. Currie and Lawrence Daniel.  
L. E. OZLEY, Notary Public.

Attest: A true and correct copy of original, on file and of record in my office, as recorded in Book "A" of

Charter Record at Page 85, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.  
Given under my hand and seal of office, this 8th day of October, 1920.  
J. WESTMORELAND,  
Dy. Clerk District Court.

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**PNEUMONIA NOW UNDER CONTROL**

Many Physicians Use Nash's Salve In Treatment.

Influenza, followed by dreadful pneumonia has about had its day. Medical science is working toward its end. Soon, no doubt, it will be as positively controlled and no more feared than lagrippe. Druggists state that Nash's Croup and Pneumonia Salve is now greatly used in cases of influenza and pneumonia.

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**PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN**



This man has Found Something in his paper that he Doesn't Like and He's going around and Bawl Out the Editor. Will the Editor Feel Terrible? Gosh, no, he'll probably Get Mad himself and tell the Peevy Party where to Get Off at! Editors ain't So Meek as they Used to Be.

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**COATS THAT DEFY COLD**



Those handsome plush fabrics which have established a reputation for durability and warmth, as well as rich appearance, have been introduced this fall in many attractive cuts. Besides those that imitate certain furs so closely that they deceive the eyes, there are others that make no attempt to imitate anything, but stand on their own merits as materials of great beauty, especially adapted to coats for the coldest weather.

In the picture a handsome and practical coat is shown made of dark brown plush with a high turn-over collar of fur. Skunk, marten, fox and other pelts provide collars for these coats for coats or short-haired fur, and the balls that finish the ends of the long girdle are of fur. Three handsome buttons secure the closing of the coat and are placed to the left of the front.

Bastions Invented by Italians. Bastions were invented by the Italian engineers of the sixteenth century to prevent the enemy from collecting in the ditch round a fortified town.

J. S. WILLIAMS  
Notary Public  
Office in  
J. S. McConathy's Store  
Arcadia, La.

Foster T. Taylor Sam'l Barksdale  
TAYLOR & BARKSDALE  
Attorneys at Law  
Office on Court House Hill  
Arcadia, Louisiana

R. L. WILLIAMS  
Attorney at Law  
Arcadia, Louisiana  
Will practice in all the courts

**FARM FACTS**

The quality of your corn is either improving or deteriorating from year to year; it does not remain stationary. You wouldn't raise scrub cattle any more—then don't raise scrub corn.

A rain-soaked bale of cotton will weigh more than one kept dry, but this seeming advantage is more apparent than real. Cotton samplers and graders were not born yesterday and they take a special delight in penalizing to the limit any subterfuge.

One experiment station has found that adding sour milk to the grain ration of hens increases the annual production by 43 eggs, or by adding meat scrap the increase is 52 eggs. The increased profit from feeding milk was 92 cents and from adding meat scrap \$1.17 a hen.

East Carroll is the latest addition to the list of progressive parishes that employ farm demonstration agents. C. E. Hester, a graduate of the Louisiana State University and formerly assistant director of the North Louisiana Experiment Station at Calhoun, is the new agent. Let Bienville Parish be the next.

Received: One Wife.

It was the privilege of a factor of the Hudson's Bay company, who did not care for the facilities at hand, to order for himself a wife through the necessities to those of its agents who made proper application. One such transaction is noted in an old receipt book of the company as follows: "Received one wife in fair condition; hope she will prove good, though she is certainly a run one to look at."—World's Work.

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**Pains Were Terrific**

Read how Mrs. Albert Gregory, of R. F. D. No. 1, Blufford, Ill., got rid of her ills. "During... I was awfully weak... My pains were terrific, I thought I would die. The bearing-down pains were actually so severe I could not stand the pressure of my hands on the lower part of my stomach... I simply felt as if life was for but a short time. My husband was worried... One evening, while reading the Birthday Almanac, he came across a case similar to mine, and went straight for some Cardui for me to try.

**TAKE CARDUI**  
The Woman's Tonic

"I took it faithfully and the results were immediate," said Mrs. Gregory. "I continued to get better. All my ills left me, and I went through... with no further trouble. My baby was fat and strong, and myself—thank God—am once more hale and hearty, can walk miles, do my work, though 44 years old, feel like a new person. All I owe to Cardui." For many years Cardui has been found helpful in building up the system when run down by disorders peculiar to women.

**Take Cardui**

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Will add much to the cheer and comfort of your home, and is a source of satisfaction and pride to the house-wife who loves to make her home inviting.

We have several complete sets of bed room furniture in the most approved designs. Also choice parlor furniture, floor lamps, and everything else necessary to furnish the home complete.

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Is giving lower prices on men's and ladies' Ready-to-Wear, Clothing, Furnishings, Millinery, Dress Goods, Underwear, Shoes and Accessories. We're taking a reduction in profit. But we will gain in th friends that we'll make for the store.

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OUR RATES HAVE NEVER CHANGED  
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FOR  
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In order to reduce my stock on the following we will sell at prices listed:

Flour—none better. Small sack \$1.50, \$1.85 and \$1.90  
Flour—none better... Large sack .....\$3.80  
Lard, 8 pound .....\$1.75  
Rice, that is nice..... 12 1-2c  
Coffee, big bucket.....95c  
Coffee, ground in bulk.....35c  
Coffee, a real good green, 20c or 5 pounds for.....\$1.00  
Irish Potatoes .....5c  
Cabbage .....5c  
Onions .....5c  
Dry Salt Meat .....20c  
Laundry Soap, 6 bars.....25c  
Soda .....5c

We will appreciate your business and sell as cheap as consistent business will allow.

**J. L. McClellan** Arcadia, Louisiana