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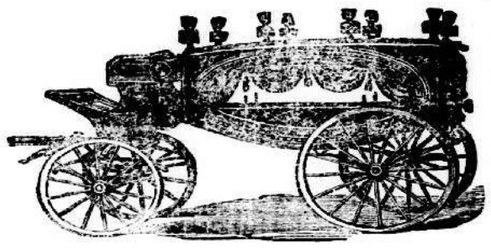

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Sheriff's Sale.

F. Lombard vs. A. Degrez—No. 4011—18th Judicial District Court—Parish of Lafayette, La.

By virtue of a writ of fifa issued in the above entitled and numbered cause, by Judge C. Debaillon of the 18th Judicial District Court, holding sessions in and for Lafayette parish La., and to me directed, I, the undersigned have seized and will sell for cash, to the last and highest bidder at the front door of the court-house in the town of Lafayette, between legal hours, on

Saturday, May 10, 1902,

the following described property to wit:

A certain lot or portion of ground situated in the corporation of Lafayette, La., containing and measuring 100 feet front on Julia avenue by the depth of 250 feet, bounded north by property of D. L. Caffery, south by property of Lafayette High School, east by Julia avenue and west by property of Dr. T. B. Hopkins, with the buildings and improvements; also cotton gin and press, steam engine and boiler contained in and upon said premises.

I. A. BROUSSARD,
Sheriff Lafayette Parish.

April 5, 1902.

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CHARTER

—OF THE—

LAFAYETTE BRICK AND TILE M'FG CO.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
PARISH OF LAFAYETTE.

Be it known that on this 14th day of March, A. D. 1902, before me Ed. G. Voorhies, clerk of court, in and for the parish of Lafayette, La., as such duly commissioned and qualified, personally came and appeared the parties whose names are hereunto subscribed, all of full age, who declared that, availing themselves of the provisions of the laws of this State, relative to corporations, and especially of Act No. 36 of 1888 of the General Assembly of Louisiana, they have covenanted and agreed and by these presents covenant and agree, and bind themselves, as well as such other persons as may hereafter become associated with them, to form and constitute a corporation and body politic in law, for the purposes and objects and under the stipulations, articles and conditions following, to wit:

ARTICLE I.

The name and title of the said corporation shall be "Lafayette Brick & Tile Mfg. Company," and its domicile is hereby established in Lafayette, parish of Lafayette, State of Louisiana; and under its said corporate name, said corporation shall have power and authority to contract, sue and be sued; to make and use a corporate seal, and the same to break and alter at pleasure; to hold, receive, have, purchase, improve, alienate, convey, sell, borrow, pledge, mortgage and hypothecate, under its said corporate name, property, real, personal and mixed; to name and appoint such officers, directors, agents and managers or employees, as the interest or convenience of said corporation may require; to make and establish by-laws, rules and regulations for the proper management and regulation of its affairs, as may be deemed necessary and proper, and the same to change and alter at pleasure; and to do all other acts and things permitted by law or as shall or may be necessary and proper to carry out the objects and purposes of said corporation.

Said corporation, unless sooner dissolved, in accordance with its charter, shall exist and continue for the period of twenty-five years from and after the date hereof.

The president, or in his absence the vice-president, shall be the proper person upon whom citation or other legal process shall be served.

ARTICLE II.

The objects and purposes for which this corporation is organized, and the nature of the business to be carried on by it, are declared to be the following, to-wit: The manufacture and sale of bricks and tiles, and such other commodities incidental thereto, as may be necessary or convenient

ARTICLE III.

The capital stock of the said corporation shall be twenty-five thousand dollars divided into and represented by two hundred and fifty shares of the sum of one hundred dollars each, which said stock shall be paid in subject to the call of the Board of Directors either at the time of subscription or the same may be issued at not less than par, in payment or exchange for property or right actually received or purchased by said corporation, and for such other valuable considerations or services as the Board of Directors of said corporation may determine; provided, that no stock shall be issued until the consideration therefor has been received by the said corporation.

Any stockholder may sell, assign or transfer his stock in this corporation, provided thirty (30) days' prior notice of such intention to sell, assign or transfer the same to be given the company, and the other stockholders thereof shall have the first privelege of purchasing same, after which thirty days the said stock may be sold in open market.

The stock of said corporation may be transferred under the above conditions, provided such transfer thereof be made on the books of said company, at its office ————' and on surrender of the certificate therefor. No transfer of any fractional part of a share shall be made.

This corporation shall commence doing business as soon as ten thousand dollars of the capital stock shall have been subscribed for.

The Board of Directors shall have the right to determine how much stock shall be issued.

ARTICLE IV.

The corporate powers of this company shall be vested in and exercised by a board of seven directors, consisting of the president, vice-president and five stockholders. Four of said board shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, and their decisions shall be valid corporate acts.

The following persons shall constitute the first Board of Directors: J. A. Roy, Crow Girard, John Whittington, F. G. Mouton, Louis Lacoste, Alex. D. Verrot and A. E. Mouton.

No person shall be eligible as director or an officer who is not a stockholder of this company.

During the absence of the president the vice-president shall act and preside.

Said Board shall continue in office until the 15th day of March, 1903, on which date and thereafter, annually, a Board of Directors shall be elected on the 15th day of March of each year unless the same should be a holiday, when the election shall be held on the next legal day thereafter.

Notice of such election shall be given by at least thirty (30) days' publication immediately preceding each election, in one of the weekly newspapers of this city; and the Board of Directors shall appoint one or more stockholders to preside at such election as commissioners. In the event of the failure of any commissioner or commissioners to attend, the president shall by appointment, fill the vacancy. Any failure from any cause whatever to elect directors, the day named for that purpose shall not dissolve the corporation, but the directors then in office, as well as the officers of said company, shall hold over until their successors are chosen.

In such event the president shall cause another election to be held within thirty days', and shall give notice thereof as herein before provided.

At every election and meeting each stockholder shall be entitled to vote for each share of stock registered in his name, and may vote by proxy.

The election of directors shall be by ballot, and the majority in amount of votes cast, each share of stock voted upon to be counted for one vote, shall elect the person or persons for whom they have been cast.

After each election the Board of Directors shall elect from their own number the officers of said company.

ARTICLE V.

The Board of Directors shall have full power to fill vacancies in their number caused by death, resignation or otherwise, from among the stockholders of the corporation.

The said Board shall have full control of the property of this company, and shall so conduct, manage and use the same as in their discretion they deem fit, and that is consistent with the objects of this company, or the welfare of the same.

The said Board is further authorized to frame and adopt such by-laws, rules and regulations as the affairs and business of the corporation may require, and as it may deem necessary for the conducting and management thereof; provided the same shall not conflict with this charter, or with the laws of the State, or of the United States.

The said Board shall elect or appoint a secretary and such other officers, agents, employees, servants and clerks as it may deem necessary for the conducting of the business of the corporation; fix their compensation, term of service, with the right to dismiss them at said Board's pleasure; and said Board shall have the right to fix and determine the salaries of the several officers herein provided for.

ARTICLE VI.

This charter may be changed, modified or amended, the capital stock increased or decreased, or this corporation may be dissolved at a general meeting of the stockholders convened for the purpose, with the assent of three-fourths of the entire capital stock, whether present or represented at such meeting.

Ten days' prior notice of such meeting shall be given in any weekly newspaper published in the city.

In case of dissolution or termination of this corporation, either by limitation of its charter or from any cause, the liquidation of its affairs shall be conducted by three commissioners, selected from the stockholders with like assent, and that a meeting called for that purpose, as above set forth in this article.

Said commissioners shall remain in office until the affairs of said corporation shall have been fully liquidated. In case of the death of one or more of said commissioners the survivors or survivor shall continue to act.

ARTICLE VII.

No stockholder of this corporation shall ever be held liable or responsible for the contracts or faults thereof, in any further sum than the unpaid balance due the company on the shares of stock subscribed for or owned by him, nor shall any informality in organization have the effect of rendering this charter null, or of exposing a stockholder to any liability, beyond the unpaid balance, if any, of his stock.

This done and passed at my office in the town of Lafayette, Louisiana, on the day, month and year herein first above written, in the presence of D. A. Cochrane and F. E. Girard, competent witnesses, of lawful age, and residents of this city, who hereunto sign their names together with said parties, and me, notary, after reading of the whole.

Original signed:—

J. J. DAVIDSON,
L. LACOSTE,
GEO. M. SNODGRASS,
O. B. HOPKINS,
F. G. MOUTON,
MRS. ODEIDE MOUTON, per F. G. Mouton;
CROW GIRARD,
J. A. ROY,
MOUTON BROS.

Witnesses—D. A. Cochrane, F. E. Girard.

E. GD. VOORHIES, Clerk of Court.

I, William Campbell, District Attorney for the 18th Judicial District of Louisiana, do hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing act of incorporation which has been handed to me for examination as to its legality, and that I am of the opinion that the objects and purposes of said corporation as specified in said act, are legal, and that none of the provisions therein contained are contrary to law.

Parish of Lafayette, La., this 14th day of March, 1902.

(Signed:) WM. CAMPBELL,
District Attorney, 18th Judicial District, La.

I hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true and correct copy of the original charter filed and recorded in my office on March 14, A. D. 1902.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Lafayette, La., this March 24, 1902.

F. K. HOPKINS,
Deputy Clerk of Court.

TAX SALES.

Corporation of Lafayette vs Delinquent Tax payers.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the constitution and the laws of the State of Louisiana, I will sell at the town hall in the corporation of Lafayette, in the State aforesaid, between legal sale hours, beginning at 11 o'clock a. m., on

Saturday, May 17, 1902,

all property on which taxes are now due to the corporation of Lafayette to enforce collection of taxes assessed in the year 1901, together with interest thereon from the 31st day of December, 1901, at the rate of 2 per cent per month until paid and all costs. The names of said delinquent tax-payers, the amount of the taxes due by each on the assessment of said year and the property assessed to each to be offered for sale as follows:

WHITE.

Billeaud, Mrs. Azema, half lot No. 38, old corporation; general tax 2.25, water and light tax 1.50, school tax 60c, notice 25c, interest 13c; total 4.73.

Givens, Jno., lots 11, 12 to 14, McComb addition, and improvements; general tax 18.94, water and light tax 12.62, school tax 5.05, notice 25c, interest 1.04; total 37.90.

Hopkins, Mrs. George, lot No. 293, Mills addition; general tax 1.88, water and light tax 1.25, school tax 50c, notice 25c, interest 12c; total 4.00.

Hanc, Jos., half lot No. 160, Mills addition; general tax 19c, water and light tax 13c, school tax 5c, notice 25c, interest 2c; total 64c.

COLORED.

Griffin, Ben, lot and improvements, McComb addition; general tax 94c, water and light tax 62c, school tax 25c, notice 25c, interest 6c; total 2.12.

Montgomery, Lucien, lot No. 116 and improvements, Mills addition; general tax 1.88, water and light tax 1.25, school tax 50c, notice 25c, interest 12c; total 4.00.

NON-RESIDENTS.

Andrus Jr., Alex, lot and improvements, Mouton addition; general tax 38c, water and light tax 25c, school tax 10c, notice 25c, interest 2c; total 1.00.

Landry, R. C., lot No. 185 and improvements, Mouton addition; general tax 75c, water and light tax 50c, school tax 20c, notice 25c, interest 5c; total 1.75.

Rubert, Poline, lot McComb addition, and improvements; general tax 94c, water and light tax 62c, school tax 25c, notice 25c, interest 6c; total 2.12.

Vetre, J. B., lot and improvements, McComb addition; general tax 1.31, water and light tax 88c, school tax 35c, notice 25c, interest 8c; total 2.87.

On said day I will sell such portion of said property as each debtor will point out and in case the debtor will not point out sufficient property I will at once and without further delay sell the least quantity of said property of any debtor which any bidder will buy for the amount of taxes, interest and cost due by said debtor. The sale will be without appraisement for cash in legal tender money of the United States and the property sold shall be redeemable any time for the space of one year by paying the price given with 20 per cent and cost and penalty added.

The mortgage creditors are hereby notified that if the property to be sold is not redeemed the sale thereof when recorded in the conveyance or mortgage office shall operate as a cancellation of all conventional and judicial mortgages thereon.

CHARLES DEBAILLON,
Collector.

Lafayette, La., April 12, 1902.

No. 5023.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

....OF THE....

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LAFAYETTE,

At Lafayette, in the State of Louisiana.

At the close of business, April 30, 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$163,840 76
Overdrafts, secur'd and unscur'd		5,332 52
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		1,600 00
Stocks, securities, etc		29,000 00
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		6,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		25,016 43
Due from approved reserve agts.		72,331 03
Checks and other cash items		549 04
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		207 05
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:		
Specie	$19,025 20	
Legal-tender notes	13,500 00	32,615 20
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500 00
Total		$389,052 03

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	15,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,376 59
National bank notes outstanding	50,000 00
Dividends unpaid	127 00
Individual deposits subject to check	258,578 04
Demand certificates of deposit	3,971 00
Total	$389,052 03

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Parish of Lafayette, } ss.

I, S. R. Parkerson, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

S. R. PARKERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of May, 1902.

ORTHER C. MOUTON,
Notary Public.

Correct attest:

J. G. PARKERSON,
F. DEMANADE,
CHAS. O. MOUTON,
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Women And Jewels.

Jewels, candy, flowers, man—that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even that greatest of all jewels, health, is often ruined in the strenuous efforts to make or save the money to purchase them. If a woman will risk her health to get a coveted gem, then let her fortify herself against the insiduous consequences of coughs, colds and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Boschee's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive the dread disease from the system. It is not a cure-all, but it is a certain cure for coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at Lafayette Drug Co. Get Green's Special Almanac.

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