DEFICIENT PROVISIONS FOR EDUCATION.

The insufficient provision for public education in the primary branches is not alone felt in Louisiana, a fact which has been most graphically shown in a statement by the Louisiana State Treasurer; nor is this deficiency confined to cities adjacent to New Orleans. It is experienced in other States and other cities as well.

From a message by Mayor Low to the Board of Aldermen of New York city, it is learned that the metropolis will spend this year $19,263,017 on its public schools, in addition to nearly a half million dollars for the maintenance of its Normal College and the College of the City of New York, and yet Mayor Low says that $10,000,000 are urgently needed to-day for the new school sites and school buildings, and he believes that this should be the first claim upon the resources of the city.

The conditions in New York are only mentioned for the purpose of showing that we in Louisiana and New Orleans are not alone deficient in school accommodations; nevertheless, we ought to do all in our power to remedy our deficiencies in educational provisions, by striving, above all other considerations, for the instruction of the rising and future generations in the primary elements of an education. If the State will teach all its people to read and write and cipher, so that they will not only be able to carry on their business to advantage, but will be able to vote intelligently, it will be doing a better and greater work for them and for the State than if it were to give every soul of them a college education. The illiteracy among the white and black population of the State is the greatest blot upon it. Let there be a grand effort to redeem Louisiana from such disgrace, if it cost even the limitation of the public high schools and colleges to their present status.—*Picayune.*

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It lies within the sphere of every municipality to have a successful hustling business town or settlement where people merely exist. There is no section in the South but is blessed with some great natural resources which would, if properly appreciated and developed, bring fame and wealth to the surrounding cities and towns. The South is far more blessed in this respect than any section of the entire United States. The great staples and commodities which are produced and found in the Southern soil serve as the fly wheel of the greatest manufacturing centers of the Northern and New England States. With the many opportunities which exist on all sides it is a mystery that so many Southern towns, and especially Louisiana towns, remain in a Rip Van Winkle state.

The development of Southwest Louisiana is looked upon as wonderful when compared with the rich parishes of sugar, cotton and lumber districts of the State. But it is not to be wondered at. It is only to be expected. When progressive men determined to devote their energies to the development of this country began their labors they went down in their pockets for money to pay for advertising it. They invested in all concerns which served as public benefactors. They have all pulled together ever since, preaching, praying and singing praises for their country.

Every town has a chance to go forward, but it will not progress one step unless the business men show their confidence by invesing money in institutions which help to develop the resources of the surrounding territory.—*Signal.*

BEST FOR THE BOWELS

If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're ill or will be. Keep your bowels open, and be well. Force, in the shape of violent physic or pill poison, is dangerous. The smoothest, easiest, most perfect way of keeping the bowels clear and clean is to take

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KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN

An egg promoting company of Ohio has been running off and on for 20 years under different names, its latest line being food for the production of fresh laid, ready colored Easter eggs. But this is not nearly so good a trick as the promoters turned some fifteen years ago when they advertised royal ruffed Brahma eggs at $12 a dozen and signed a contract to take all the chicks the owners would part with at $2.50 each when they were six weeks old. Shrewd housewives bought freely and received hard boiled eggs for their money. The company did not violate their contract to buy all the surplus chicks. However, the hens "set" themselves to death before they were hatched. When a new chicken scheme is sprung in this town the P. O. Department will be justified in dispatching an inspector to watch developments.

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There's no rest for those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always busy, curing Torpid Liver, Jaundice, Biliousness, Fever and Ague. They banish Sick Headache, drive out Malaria. Never gripe or weaken. Small, taste nice, work wonders. Try them. 25c at Estorge Drug Co. drug store.

A New York physician has recently drawn attention to the danger of tuberculosis infection in childhood from visits to menageries. These greatly loved visits of the little ones should, he thinks, give concern to sanitarians. To visit the monkey houses in the zoological gardens and to remain there as long as nurses, time and temper will allow is the delight of every child. But monkeys, also, like the children of men, are prone to tubercle. The commotion, dust, impure air of the average monkey house are certainly favorable to the dissemination of tubercle.

For The Complexion.

The complexion always suffers from biliousness or constipation. Unless the bowels are kept open the impurities from the body appear in the form of unsightly eruptions. DeWitt's Little Risers keep the liver and bowels in healthy condition and remove the cause of such troubles. C. E. Hooper, Albany, Ga., says: "I took DeWitt's Little Early Risers for biliousness. They were just what I needed. I am feeling better now than in years." Never gripe or distress. Safe thorough and gentle. The very best pill. John R. Taylor.

According to his own frank admission Senator Foraker is convinced of the inaptness of discriminative tariff duties which he injected into the St. Louis platform. There is hope that he may recant some of the other political sophistries he has been advocating. But it is not necessary to impale him on the charge of inconsistency for the marked change in his views. Better attribute it to enlightenment. Sometimes it is a good idea for a statesman to revise erroneous opinions.

Chronic Diarrhoea.

Mr. C. B. Wingfield, of Fair Play, Mo., who suffered from chronic dysentery for thirty-five years, says Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy did him more good than any other medicine he had ever used. For sale by James A. Lee, Druggist.

Twelve hundred mules were loaded on board steamship at Chalmette this week in one hour and forty minutes, they were destined for use in South Africa. Gen. Pearson ought to have a chance to capture this "munition of war."

Mrs. C. E. VanDeusen, of Kilbourn Wis., was afflicted with stomach trouble and constipation for a long time. She says, "I have tried many preparations but none have done me the good that Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets have." These Tablets are for sale at Lee's drug store. Price, 25 cents. Samples free.

The news from Boton is that the big strike there is practically ended only 300 of the 20,000 strikers being idle. The same good news comes from other points where labor disturbances have existed. Just when the other cities have been setting satisfactory these disturbances it is proposed to begin them in New Orleans.

The Best Prescription for Malaria,

Chills and Fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No cure —no pay. Price 50c.

Among the "traitors" whom Funston would have hanged, says the Philadelphia North American, are Wayne McVeagh, Senator Edmunds, George S. Coutwell, the presidents and professors of most of the great universities, the leading educators, lawyers, clergymen and statesmen of nearly every State in the Union. Gen. Funston has made a good record in the field, but there is danger that he will spoil it if he keeps on talking like a military maniac.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

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ACT OF INCORPORATION

OF THE

Teche Canal Company, Limited.

United States of America, State of Louisiana, Parish of Iberia.

Be it known, that on this twenty-fifth day of the month of January, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Two, before me, Anthony N. Muller, Notary Public, in and for the Parish of Iberia, State of Louisiana, 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 laws of this State relative to the organization of corporations, they have agreed, and bind and obligate themselves, as well as such persons as may become associated with them and their successors, do form and constitute a corporation and body politic in law for the objects and purposes, and under the conditions and stipulations as contained and set forth in the following articles, to-wit:

ARTICLE I.

The name and title of said corporation shall be "THE TECHE CANAL COMPANY, LIMITED." It shall exist for the full term and period of ninety-nine years from the date hereof.

ARTICLE II.

The domicile of this company shall be in the City of New Iberia, State of Louisiana, and all citations and other legal process shall be served upon the President of said Corporation, or in case of his absence or inability to act, upon the Vice-President.

ARTICLE III.

The objects and purposes for which this corporation is established, and the nature of the business to be carried on by it are hereby declared to be as follows, to-wit: To build or excavate canals or water-ways for draining or irrigating lands to be planted and cultivated in rice or other crops. To erect and operate a pumping station to supply such canals with the necessary water for irrigating purposes and to buy and operate harvesting and threshing machinery, and shall for such purposes have full power to purchase and own, or lease, real estate, machinery necessary and convenient to carry on said business, to pledge or mortgage, sell or exchange same, to fix tariff or rate of charges for draining or irrigating lands, thrashing and harvesting rice, and generally, to make and enter into any and all contracts in relation to said business that may become necessary.

ARTICLE IV.

This corporation may sue and be sued in its corporate name, hold, have, receive, purchase, convey, sell, mortgage, hypotheate, pledge, lease and sub-lease and enjoy real and personal property; also borrow money and make contracts, receive grants of land and personal property, and make and use a corporate seal, the same to alter and break at pleasure; name and appoint such managers, directors, officers, clerks and agents as the interest and convenience of said corporation may require; make and establish such by-laws, rules and regulations for the proper management and regulation of the affairs of the corporation as may be necessary, and the same to alter and change at pleasure, and shall possess all the rights, powers and privileges to which corporations are or may be by any general law or laws of this state authorized or entitled to possess.

ARTICLE V.

The capital of this corporation is hereby fixed at the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000.00) represented by Two Hundred (200) shares of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) each. All stock subscribed for shall be payable in cash or property, real and personal, on such terms and conditions as the Board of Directors may at any time determine. All transfers of stock shall be made on the books of the company, and shall be signed by the stockholder or his attorney.

The corporation shall commence business as soon as One Hundred (100) shares of the stock shall have been subscribed for.

At all elections by, or meetings of the stockholders, each share of the stock shall be entitled to one vote, to be voted either by the person in whose name the stock appears on the books of the corporation at the time of the voting, or his agent or proxy duly authorized in writting to that effect.

ARTICLE VI.

The said corporation shall be managed by a Board of five (5) Directors who shall be citizens of this state and actual stockholders of said corporation owning in his name or the firm or corporation whereof he is a member, or an authorized agent of said firm, not less than two shares of stock, said board to be elected by a majority of all the votes at a meeting to be held for that purpose on the first Monday of January of each year, after fiteen days prior notice of said election having been published in a weekly New Iberia paper. The directors thus elected shall serve for one year or until their successors shall have been elected and qualified.

All elections shall be conducted under the supervision of three members to be appointed by the Board of Directors for that purpose, and in case of any one of said commissioners of election declining or failing to act, the President shall appoint another to fill the place. The said Board of Directors shall elect from their number a President, a Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer who shall serve until their successors are elected and qualified.

The Board of Directors shall have power to fill vacancies occuring in the Board. They shall make such by-laws, rules and regulations as they think proper for the transaction of the business and affairs of the said corporation, and change, alter and amend same at pleasure, appoint and fix the salaries of all officers, clerks and employees, the same to change or dismiss at pleasure, sell, convey, mortgage, pledge, lease and purchase property movable, immovable and personal, borrow money, issue notes and bonds, make contracts and sign or cause to be signed all necessary acts, deeds, etc., and do all necessary things to be done in the management of said business or may be permitted by laws applicable to corporations.

Three members of said Board including the President or Vice-President shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of and management of all business of said corporation.

ARTICLE VII.

This act 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 fifteen days prior publication in a weekly newspaper published in the City of New Iberia with the assent of three-fourths of the 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 balance due by him on subscription to the capital stock nor shall any mere informality in organization have the effect of rendering this charter null or of exposing stockholder to a any further liability than the unpaid balance due by him on said stock.

ARTICLE IX.

The following named persons shall constitute the first Board of Directors to serve until the first Monday of January, 1903: Messrs. S. O. Nuckolls, J. Paul Suberbielle, Thomas W. Muller, Henry Mestayer and James W. Wyche. The officers of said corporation shall be composed of Thomas W. Muller, President; James W. Wyche, Vice-President; Samuel O. Nuckolls, Treasurer and Secretary.

ARTICLE X.

This corporation shall be liquidated at the end of its term, or at its earlier dissolution, provided that three-fourths of the capital stock shall have agreed thereto at a meeting called for that purpose by three commissioners appointed by the Board of Directors at a regular meeting of said Board, said commissioners shall be stockholders of said corporation and their compensation as liquidators shall be fixed by the Board on the day of their appointment. Said commissioners shall continue to act until the business of the corporation shall be entirely closed and liquidated, and in the event of the death of either or two of them, then the survivors, or survivor alone, shall act.

Thus done and passed at my office in the City of New Iberia, Parish of Iberia, State of Louisiana, on the day, month and year first above written in the presence of Messrs. Junius H. White and Homer Dupre good and competent witnesses residing in this parish and city who have signed these presents with the parties and me, notary, after due reading of the whole. Six words (Iberia) interlined before signing.

T. W. MULLER,
S. O. NUCKOLLS,
JAS. W. WYCHE,
J. P. SUBERBIELLE,
HENRY MESTAYER,
V. P. GUILFOUX.

Witnesses:
J. H. WHITE,
HOMER DUPRE.

ANTHONY N. MULLER,
Notary Public.

New Iberia, La., January 25th, 1902.

I, the undersigned do hereby certify that I have examined the Charter of the Teche Canal Company, Limited, and find nothing therein contained, contrary to or in conflict with existing laws, and I therefore approve the same.

Witness my hand and seal of office at New Iberia, La., this 25th day of January, A. D. 1902.

ANTHONY N. MULLER,
District Attorney of the 19th Judicial District of Louisiana.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Iberia.

I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true and correct copy of the original, now on file at this office, and of record in Miscellaneous Book No. 4, at folio 207.

In faith whereof, witness my signature and seal of office, this 15th day of February, A. D. 1902.

C. L. PROVOST,
Deputy Clerk, 19th Jud. Dist. Court.

SALE

—BY—

A. G. BRICE, Receiver, Acting as Special Commissioner.

Caffery Central Sugar Factory

STERLING PLANTATION
PEEBLES PLANTATION

By order of the United States Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, in suit of A. H. Morris vs. Caffery Central Sugar Refinery and Railroad Co., Limited, No. 12,992 on the docket of said Court.

Sale to take place

SATURDAY, MARCH 29th, 1902,

at 12 o'clock M., at the front door of the Custom House Building, in New Orleans.

In pursuance of a decree of the Honorable the United States Circuit Court, in and for the Eastern District of Louisiana, rendered on the 18th day of February, 1902, in the case known as No. 12,992 of the docket of said Court, entitled A. H. Morris vs. Caffery Central Sugar Refinery and Railroad Company, Limited, I, A. G. Brice, receiver, acting as special commissioner, will proceed to sell at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, without appraisement, on Saturday, the 29th day of March, 1902, at the hour of 12 o'clock, noon, the following described properties, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, rights, ways, privileges, servitudes and appurtenances thereunto belonging, on the terms and conditions herein set forth, to-wit—

I.

A certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being in the parish of St. Mary, State of Louisiana, near and above the town of Franklin, having a right angular front of one thousand feet (1000) on the west side of the Bayou Teche, running back between parallel lines to the depth of twenty-five hundred feet (2500) on the lower or southern boundary of said tract, and to the depth of twenty-six hundred and two feet (2602) feet on the upper or northern line of said tract, containing a superficial area of fifty-eight and fifty-eight one-hundreth ($58\frac{58}{100}$) acres, bounded below or south partly by land of Mary Hudson and partly by land of Don Caffery, above or north by land of Don Caffery, in the rear or west by property of said Don Caffery, and in front by Bayou Teche—in accordance with a copy of a map thereof made by L. W. Brown, surveyor, annexed to an act passed before Charles T. Soniat on the 22d day of April, 1891, and marked "A."

Which above described tract of land is subject to a servitude of right of way in favor of the estate of Don Caffery, adjacent to the above described property; which right of way is established on a turning road about midway between the Caffery Central Factory building and the railroad scale house.

A certain piece or parcel of ground, lying and being situated in the parish of St. Mary, fronting on the north side of the public road leading from the town of Franklin to the town of New Iberia, having a right angular front on said public road of one hundred feet (100) and running back between parallel lines to the intersection of the Franklin and Abbeville Railroad right of way, bounded on the north by said right of way, on the east by land of Victor Von Schoeler, on the south by the aforesaid public road, and on the west by the Southern Pacific Railroad right of way, containing a superficial area of one and thirty-five one-hundredths acres ($1\frac{35}{100}$).

A certain piece or parcel of ground, lying and being in the parish of St. Mary, between the Franklin and Abbeville Railroad right of way,—the land of Henderson Morris and Mrs. John Morris, and the right of way of the Southern Pacific Railroad, bounded on the north by lands of H. and J. Morris, on the east and south by the Franklin and Abbeville Railroad right of way, and on the west by the right of way of the Southern Pacific road, containing a superficial area of seven and fourteen one-hundredths acres ($7\frac{14}{100}$).

The said two lots secondly and thirdly described form part of what is known as the Barry Rou property, and have such form as will appear by a copy of a map annexed to an act of sale passed before Charles T. Soniat, notary public on the 22d day of April, 1891.

Said lands include all the buildings and improvements thereon known as the Caffery Central Refinery or Factory; together with all rights, ways, privileges, servitudes and appurtenances thereunto attached and belonging without any exception or reservation whatsoever; together with all sugar house machinery, including vacuum pans, triple effects, pumps, boilers, laboratory equipment, tools, machine shop and all other accessories and appurtenances, as per inventory thereof on file in said cause in the clerk's office.

II.

THE STERLING PLANTATION.

All and singular that certain tract of land or sugar plantation, together with all of the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the parish of St. Mary, La., and known and designated as the Sterling Plantation, and lying and being on the east side of the Bayou Teche, about a quarter of a mile above the town of Franklin and containing five hundred and fifty arpents (550), more or less, which said plantation has a front of about a mile more or less, on the east side of the Bayou Teche, and is bounded above by lands formerly of W. H. Smith, in the rear by lands formerly belonging to James Todd, and below partly by lands belonging to the estate of Hiram Anderson, deceased, and in part by lands formerly belonging to James Todd.

A certain strip of land, taken from the lower line of land of Aaron Davis, on the east side of the public road leading from Franklin around the Irish Bend in said parish of St. Mary, said strip having a front of twenty feet (20), on said public road, and running between parallel lines to the Bayou Teche, the same being bounded above by land of Aaron Davis, below by land of Mrs. E. Erhardt, in front by said public road, and in the rear by the Bayou Teche. Together with all the rights, ways, privileges, servitudes and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

III.

THE PEEBLES PLANTATION.

All and singular, the following pieces of real estate, situated in the parish of Iberia, State of Louisiana, and all of them comprised within Township Thirteen (13), south Range Six (6) East, Southwestern Land District of Louisiana, to-wit:—

1. The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section one, containing about forty (40) acres.

2. The south half of the south half, or the southwest quarter of section two, containing about one hundred and sixty (160) acres.

3. All of section twenty-three, containing about two hundred and fifty-seven (257) acres.

4. All of section twenty-four, containing about six hundred and forty (640) acres.

5. The west half of the west half of the west quarter of section twenty-five, containing about one hundred and sixty (160) acres.

6. Two hundred (200) acres in the north end of lots 1, 2 and 3, in section twenty-five.

7. The west half of the west quarter of section twenty-six, containing about one hundred and fifty-five (155) acres.

8. All of section twenty-seven, containing about six hundred and ten (610) acres.

9. That part of section fifty-three lying north of the southern boundary of section twenty-seven, containing about thirty acres.

10. The southeast quarter of section twenty-eight, containing about one hundred and sixty (160) acres.

11. The east half and the south half of the southwest quarter of section thirty-nine, containing about four hundred (400) acres.

12. All of section forty lying west of Coulee Isle Aux Cannes and the western boundary of section fifty-three, containing a two hundred and fourteen $\frac{42}{100}$ (214) acres.

13. of section fifty-three lying west of Co Isle Aux Cannes, containing about hundred and five (205) acres.

14. of section fifty-four lying west of Co Isle Aux Cannes, containing about n (15) acres.

15. of section forty-three, except one hundred 00) acres, in the southern end and al sold to David Riggs, containing ab five hundred and forty (540) acres.

16. North half and the the nortwest quarter section forty-two, and all that part of balance of this section forty-two, w lies west and north of the Coulee Aux Cannes and west of Gall's Log ro containing about two hundred (200) ac

17. A private road running from the northern ds of the said lands, that is, beginnin the lower end of section 2 in said to ip, extending northward towards town of New Iberia, in said parish, terminating at its junction with the arpent road back of said town; be as now laid out between said points, abeing of various widths at different its along its length; together with all buildings and improvements and appurtenances thereof, situated on said lands.

IV.

A certain tract of land, situated in the first ward he parish of Iberia, measuring one of an arpent front by one arpent in th, and bounded on the north by a pub road, dividing the lands of John Desil, Sr.; from the tract herein mortgaged the south and east by lands of Joseph bert or assigns, and on the west by a ge road lying between said herein des d tract of land and those of the succes of Onezime Bernard, deceased.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. Said parties shall be offered for sale in lots listing—

1—Of the ery Central Refinery, with the three lot ground connected therewith.

2—The Sta Plantation.

3—The Pee Plantation.

4—The sub tract of land above fourthly described, after said properties shall be offered lots as aforesaid, then the whole thereof all at once be re-offered as a totality, a if the amount bid for the same shall exd the aggregate prices of all the lots offd for sale separately, then the property all be adjudicated as a whole to the ghest bidder, but if the whole be less in the aggregate price of all the lots arately, then the bid by lots shall be cepted, and the said lots shall be adjudged to the highest bidder for each lot.

2. The rty parties to said properties shall be adjudicated a, deposit 10 per ct of his or their bids with said commissir, at the moment of the adjudication, a shall pay the balance thereof at sale as the court shall direct, upon ccepting his or their purchases. In case purchaser or purchasers shall fail to complete he payment of his or their bid at the tne so required, his or their deposits shall be forfeited, and the properties sh again be offered for sale at his or their risk, at ten days' advertisement.

3. Said properties shall be sold free of all liens, mortgges and encumbrances, other than the taxs of 19. which taxes are to be assumed by the spective purchasers as part of their bid. The claim of the complainant herein and of all other persons who shall establish claims, liens or mortgages upon said perty, shall be referred to the proceeds of id sales.

4. The property herein stly described will be sold subject to the nt of the receiver to retain possession reof, free of charge, until he completes manufacture of the syrups and molasses herein stored, which are excluded from d sale. Acts of sale at purchaser's ense, before Chas. T. Soniat, notary ic.

A. G. BRICE, Receiver,
Acting as Special Commissioner.
JAS. LEGENDRE, Solicitor.

SALE

—OF THE—

Franklin and Abbeville Railroad.

By A. G. Brice, receiver, acting as special commissioner by order of the United States Circuit Court, in and for the eastern District of Louisiana, in suit of A. H. Morris vs. Franklin and Abbeville Railroad Company, No. 12993 of the Court's docket.

Sale to take place

SATURDAY, MARCH 29th, 1902,

at 12 o'clock M., at the front door of the Customhouse Building in the city of New Orleans, La.

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1. A line of railway, starting at the Caffery Refinery situated on the Bayou Teche, at about one mile north of the town of Franklin, parish of St. Mary, and running to a point of the Southern Pacific Railroad for a distance of about two miles.

2. A line of railway, beginning at a point on the Cypremort branch of the Southern Pacific Railroad situated in the rear part of Harrison Barnes' tract of land, in the parish of St. Mary about four miles from the town of Baldwin and running in a northerly direction to a point on Milton Desilote's tract of land situated in the parish of Iberia, at about two miles from the division line of the parishes of St. Mary and Iberia; which line of railway covers a distance of about seven miles.

3. A line of railway, beginning at a point on the Salt Mine Branch of the Southern Pacific Railroad, situated about the center of the Francois and Ludger David's tract of land, in the parish of Iberia, at about five miles from the town of New Iberia, and running in a southeasterly direction to a point situated on the front part of the Peebles plantation, in Iberia parish; which line railway covers a distance of about four miles.

Together with the rights of way, franchises, depots, shops, roads, rails, railways, sidings, switches, bridges, scales, whims, derricks, fences, turn-tables, water-tanks, buildings, fixtures and all structures whatsoever, including two locomotives and twenty-five cars, and all other appurtenances, privileges, rights, servitudes and accessories required for the operation of said railway, or any part thereof.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The purchaser to whom said property may be adjudicated shall deposit ten per cent of his bid with said commissioner at the moment of the adjudication, and shall pay the balance thereof upon confirmation of the sale by the court. In case any purchaser fails to complete his bid as required, his deposit shall be forfeited and the property shall again be offered for sale at his risk, after ten days' advertisement.

2. Said property shall be sold free of all claims, liens, privileges and encumbrances, other than the taxes of 1902, which are to be assumed by the purchaser as part of his bid. The claim of complainant herein and the claims of all other persons against said property shall be referred to the proceeds of said sale. Act of sale at purchaser's expense, before Chas. T. Soniat, notary public.

A. G. BRICE, Receiver,
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J. W. WYCHE MACHINERY CO., LIMITED.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, State of Louisiana, Parish of Iberia.

Be it known that on this 14th day of the month of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and two, before me, Anthony N. Muller, a notary public in and for the Parish of Iberia, State of Louisiana, 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 laws of this state relative to the organization of corporations, they have agreed, and bind and obligate themselves, as well as such persons as may become associated with them and their successors, do form and constitute a Corporation and body politic in law for the objects and purposes, and under the conditions and stipulations as contained and set forth in the following articles, to-wit:

ARTICLE I.

The name and title of this corporation shall be "THE J. W. WYCHE MACHINERY COMPANY, LIMITED." It shall exist for the full term and period of ninety-nine years from the date hereof.

ARTICLE II.

The domicile of this Company shall be in the City of New Iberia, State of Louisiana, and all citations and other legal process shall be served upon the President of said corporation, or in case of his absence or inability to act upon the Vice President.

ARTICLE III.

The objects and purposes for which the said Corporation is organized, and the nature of the business to be carried on by it, are declared to be the buying and selling of all kinds of machinery and implements, furnishings and fittings, and the construction of steam power and other plants, cotton gins, oil mills, irrigation plants, sugar machinery, and in fact, to do a general machinery agency and contracting business, and all work kindred to these undertakings and for said purposes to lease or buy real estate, erect suitable buildings thereon and equip them with all necessary machinery, and generally to do all that may be requisite for the carrying out of the purposes above mentioned.

ARTICLE IV.

This Corporation may sue and be sued in its corporate name, hold, have, receive, purchase, convey, sell, mortgage, hypothecate, pledge, lease and sub-lease and enjoy real and personal property; also borrow money and make contracts, receive grants of land and personal property, and make and use a corporate seal, the same to alter and break at pleasure; name and appoint such managers, directors, officers, clerks and agents, as the interest and convenience of said corporation may require; make and establish such by-laws, rules and regulations for the proper management and regulation of the affairs of the said Corporation as may be necessary, and the same to alter and change at pleasure, and shall possess all the rights, powers and privileges to which corporations are or may be by any general law or laws of this State authorized or entitled to possess.

ARTICLE V.

The capital of this Corporation is hereby fixed at the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) represented by one hundred (100) shares of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) each. All stock subscribed for shall be payable in cash or property, real and personal, on such terms and conditions as the Board of Directors may at any time determine. All transfers of stock shall be made on the books of the Company, and shall be signed by the stockholder or his attorney. The corporation shall commence business as soon as fifty (50) shares of the stock shall have been subscribed for.

At all elections by, or meetings of the stockholders, each share of the stock shall be entitled to one vote, to be voted either by the person in whose name the stock appears on the books of the Corporation at the time of the voting, or by his agent or proxy, duly authorized in writing to that effect.

ARTICLE VI.

The said corporation shall be managed by a Board of three (3) Directors, who shall be citizens of this state and actual stockholders of said corporation, owning in his name, or the firm or corporation whereof he is a member, or an authorized agent, not less than two shares of stock, said Board to be elected by a majority of all the votes at a meeting to be held for that purpose on the first Monday of February of each year, after fifteen days prior notice of said election having been published in a New Iberia weekly paper. The directors thus elected shall serve for one year or until their successors shall have been elected and qualified. All elections shall be conducted under the supervision of three members to be appointed by the Board of Directors for that purpose, and in case of any one of said Commissioners of election declining or failing to act, the President shall appoint another to fill the place.

The said Board of Directors shall elect from their number a President, a Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall serve until their successors are elected and qualified.

The Board of Directors shall have power to fill vacancies occurring in the Board. They shall make such by-laws, rules and regulations as they think proper for the transaction of business and affairs of the said corporation, and change, alter and amend same at pleasure appoint and fix the salaries of all officers, clerks and employees, the same to change and dismiss at pleasure, sell, convey, mortgage, pledge, lease and purchase property movable, immovable and personal; borrow money, issue notes and bonds, make contracts, and sign, or cause to be signed, all necessary acts, deeds, etc., and do all necessary things to be done in the management of said business, or that may be permitted by the laws applicable to corporations.

Two members of said board, including the president or vice-president, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction and management of all business of said corporation.

ARTICLE VII.

This act 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 fifteen days prior publication in a weekly newspaper published in the City of New Iberia with the assent of three fourths of the 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 balance due by him on subscription to the capital stock, nor shall any mere informality in organization have the effect of rendering this Charter null or of exposing a Stockholder to any further liability than the unpaid balance due by him on said stock.

ARTICLE IX.

The following named persons shall constitute the first Board of Directors, to serve until the first Monday of February, 1903, viz: S. O. Nuckolls, H. P. Gates and James W. Wyche, with S. O. Nuckolls as President, H. P. Gates as Vice-President and Treasurer and James W. Wyche as Secretary and General Manager.

ARTICLE X.

This Corporation shall be liquidated at the end of its term, or at its earlier dissolution, provided that three fourths of the capital stock shall have agreed thereto at a meeting called for that purpose by three Commissioners appointed by the Board of Directors at a regular meeting of said Board, said Commissioners shall be stockholders of said Corporation and their compensation as liquidators shall be fixed by the Board on the day of their appointment. Said commissioners shall continue to act until the business of the corporation shall be entirely closed and liquidated, and in the event of the death of either or two of them then the survivors, or survivor alone, shall act.

Thus done and passed at my office in the City of New Iberia, Parish of Iberia, State of Louisiana, on the day, month and year first above written, in the presence of Messrs. Andrew J. Cammack and J. Wofford Sanders, good and competent witnesses residing in this Parish, who have signed these presents with the parties and me, Notary, after due reading of the whole.

JAS. W. WYCHE,
H. P. GATES,
S. O. NUCKOLLS,

A. J. CAMMACK, } Witnesses.
J. WOFFORD SANDERS, }

ANTHONY N. MULLER, Notary Public.

Parish of Iberia, State of Louisiana.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I have examined this the Charter of the J. W. Wyche Machine Company, Limited, and find nothing therein contained contrary to, or in conflict with existing laws, and I therefore approve the same.

Witness my hand and seal of office at New Iberia, La., this 14th day of February A. D. 1902.

ANTHONY N. MULLER,
District Attorney 19th Jud. District

State of Louisiana, Parish of Iberia.

I, the undersigned authority do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy or the original now on file in this office and of record in Miscellaneous Book "4" at folio 212 et seq.

In faith whereof, witness my signature and seal of office, this 15th day of February, A. D. 1902.

J. G. LEBLANC,
Clerk 19th Jud. District Court.

HOMOLOGATION NOTICE.

SUCCESSION OF FREDERICK DUPERIER.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Iberia, 19th Judicial District Court.

Whereas, J. Gabriel Duperier, a resident of Iberia Parish, has applied to the Honorable 19th Judicial District Court, holding session in and for Iberia Parish, to be appointed Administrator of the above entitled and numbered estate.

Notice is therefore hereby given to all whom it may or doth concern, to show cause, if any they have, within ten days from the first publication hereof, why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted.

Witness the Hon. T. Don Foster, Judge of our said Court this 8th day of March, A. D. 1902.

A. J. MAMMUS,
Deputy Clerk of Court.

Marshal Sale.

E. GAJAN
VS. [No. 353.
JULES F. DUBUS AND L. GASTON DUBUS.

City Court, State of Louisiana. Parish of Iberia, City of New Iberia.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the above entitled matter, I C. C. Palfrey, Jr., have seized and will offer for sale, and will sell to the last highest bidder, FOR CASH, at the Court-House door, in the city of New Iberia, Parish of Iberia, State of Louisiana, between legal sale hours on

SATURDAY, MARCH 22d, 1902,

the following described property, to-wit:

3 Shares of stock of the Teche Canal Company, Ltd., seized on the 28th day of February, 1902.

To pay and satisfy the sum of Eight Five Dollars, with interest, attorney's fees and all costs.

Given officially, this 8th day of March, 1902.

C. C. PALFREY, JR.,
Marshal City Court.

Dr. Thomas E. Conrad,

DENTIST,

OFFICE, CLUB BUILDING,

NEW IBERIA, LA.

Cotton felt sectional mattresses, at McMahon's.

CHARTER O

The Satterfield Comp, Ltd.

State of Louisiana, Parish o is.

Be it known that on this 23d day January, A. D. 1902, before me, Fred W. Ba a Notary Public, duly commissioned and in and for the Parish of Iberia, State of Liana, personally appeared the persons names appearing hereunto subscribed, who declared that ing themselves of the provisions of the al laws of this State relative to the organiz of corpora tions they have covenanted and agr and do by these presents covenant and agr ind, form and constitute themselves as well ch persons as may hereafter join or become ated with them, into a corporation and body ie in law for the objects and purposes and the agreements and stipulations following it.

ARTICLE I.

The name and title of this corp on shall be THE SATTERFIELD COMPANY ITED, and under that name it shall have and oy all the rights and privileges granted by to corpora tions; it shall exist for a period (10) years unless sooner dissolved by consent the stock holders; it shall have power to sue, and be sued in its corporate name, e and use a corporate seal; to hold, receiv ortgage, hypothecate or pledge property, b al and personal, issue bonds, notes and o