

LOCAL NEWS.

Mr. George Sillan is in New Orleans spending a few days.

We wire homes and build telephone lines - Lafayette Electric Co., Lafayette, La.

Misses Edna Soulier and Irene French are spending the holidays in New Orleans.

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Mr. Frank Ledoux, son of Mrs. Auguste Ledoux, who was in the navy returned home last Saturday.

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Mr. D. A. Long of Cade was married to Miss Anna Vernette Gondran at New Iberia on Dec. 18th. They will make their home at Cade.

Mrs. W. D. Potter returned to Houston, Texas, Wednesday after spending several days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Knight.

The Bank of St. Martinville has this year issued pretty and costly Calendars, which are highly appreciated by its patrons.

The high school class of 1918 will enjoy a fine supper at the New Era hotel tonight, when several guests will be present.

If you want to wire your home write or phone Lafayette Electric Co., Lafayette, La

Prof. Frank T. Guilbeau who is now teaching French at the State University at Baton Rouge and also instructor of music and leader of the Cadet band, one of the best in the south, was here for a few days visiting friends this week

Albert Rousseau Lodge No. 301 A. F. and A. M. elected the following officers Dec. 14, 1919: Allen D. Long, W. M., B. E. Reed, S. W. J. R. Olivier, J. W., K. Schwartz, Treasurer, Chas. Gutekunst, Secretary, H. D. Smedes, M. of C., E. W. Bienvenu, Tyler, L. M. Fournet, J. D. Chaplain and S. D. to be appointed.

The marriage of Mr. Joseph Chauvin to Miss Susie Salles took place Friday evening Dec. 26th, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Salles.

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CHARTER

STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF ST. MARTIN.

Be it known by these presents, that on this 20th day of October, 1919, before me, James J. Martin, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and qualified in and for the Parish of St. Martin, State of Louisiana, 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 benefit of the laws of the State of Louisiana especially Act 267 of 1914 relative to the organization of Corporations, they have formed and organized, and by these presents do form and organize themselves, as well as such other persons as may hereafter join with them or their Successors, into a Corporation, for the objects and purposes, and under the covenants, stipulations and agreements following, to-wit:

ARTICLE I.

The name, style and title of this corporation shall be "MARTIN LUMBER COMPANY, INCORPORATED," and under said name it shall enjoy a Corporate existence and Succession for a full term and period of twenty five years.

It shall have power to contract, sue and be sued, to make and use a Corporate seal, and the same to alter and break at pleasure, to have, hold, receive, purchase, sell, convey, lease, pledge, bond, hypothecate and mortgage property of any and all kinds, real, personal, and mixed, corporal and incorporeal; to have and appoint such managers, directors, and officers and agents as the business may require, and to make and establish as well as to alter and amend from time to time such bye-laws, rules and regulations for the proper management and government of the affairs of said Corporation as may be necessary and proper, and generally to possess all the powers hereinafter mentioned, and that are now or may hereafter be conferred by law, or necessary to promote its objects and interests.

ARTICLE II.

The domicile of this Corporation shall be at St. Martinville, Louisiana, where service of Citation and other legal process shall be made upon the President of said Corporation, or in his absence, upon the Secretary-Treasurer of said Corporation, and in the absence of both, upon any other officer as may be designated by law.

ARTICLE III.

The object and purposes for which this corporation is organized and founded, and the nature of the business to be carried on are hereby declared to be: To acquire by purchase or lease or other lawful means, and to own and operate thereon, lands, buildings, machineries, improvements of all kinds necessary to the aims and purposes of this Corporation, which are declared to be the purchasing, buying, and operating of a Saw-Mill and Shingle-Mill, to manufacture lumber, and to buy, lease, contract for, and operate swamps, and lands to cut, deaden and remove the timber thereon, and the transportation of the same to said Saw-Mill and Shingle Mill; making of advances and the lending of money for the purposes of enabling timber men to acquire, cut deaden, float and transport timber and lumber for said purpose.

ARTICLE IV.

The Capital Stock of this Corporation is hereby declared to be Thirty Five Thousand Dollars, divided in Three Hundred and Fifty shares of the par value of One hundred Dollars per share. Said stock to be paid for in Cash, or in exchange for such property as may be authorized by law and made in conformity with legal provisions. The Capital Stock may in the manner prescribed by and conformable to Law, be increased to One Hundred Thousand Dollars. The said Corporation shall begin business as soon as Twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) of the capital stock shall have been subscribed and the amount required by law shall have been paid for in property or in money.

And it being contemplated that the bulk of the stock in said Corporation shall be subscribed for and paid for by the transfer to said Corporation of various real and personal properties, the same aggregating a valuation as set forth in the detailed statements of said properties which are hereto annexed, paragraph NE VARIETUS for identification with this act of incorporation. The said detailed and itemized statement annexed hereto is to be read in connection with the provisions of this Charter in accordance with Section Three of Act 267 of the General Assembly of 1914.

ARTICLE V.

The Corporate powers of said Corporation shall be vested in and exercised by, and all the business affairs of this Corporation, shall be managed and conducted by a Board of Directors composed of Five members to be annually elected on the first Monday of March of each year. All such elections shall be by ballot, and the notice of said meeting must be given in the manner prescribed by law. If for any reason the election will not have been held upon the day fixed, then it shall be the duty of the Directors to fix another date within thirty days for the holding of said election. The Directors elected shall continue to hold their offices until their Successors will have been elected and installed, and any vacancy occurring in the Board of Directors from any cause whatsoever, shall be filled by election by the remaining Directors. Three Directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

There shall be a President and a Secretary-Treasurer and a Vice-President and a Manager elected annually by the Board of Directors, and until the first annual meeting in March 1921, the following members shall constitute and compose the Board of Directors to-wit:

- A. O. Levert, whose address is Levert, St. Martin Parish, La.
J. - Gonsoulin, whose address is Levert, St. Martin Parish, La.
Robert Martin, whose address is St. Martinville, Louisiana.
George Knight, whose address is St. Martinville, Louisiana.
T. E. Ramer, whose address is Plaquemine, Louisiana.

And the following shall constitute the first officers to-wit: R. Martin, President and J. S. Gonsoulin, Secretary-Treasurer, Geo. Knight, Manager.

All of the authority in the management of the affairs of the Corporation, employing agents, laborers and employees, in any capacity whatsoever, conducting and operating the affairs of the Corporation within the scope and authority vested by the Charter, shall be vested in the President and Manager and Treasurer of the Company, who shall act for Corporation in all these matters. They shall sign all checks, control the deposit of the funds of

the Corporation, and their disbursing, direct the manufacturing and other operation above set forth, and the disposal of the products in the hands or manufactured state.

A Director may be represented at any Board meeting by proxy, provided there be at least two Directors personally present at every meeting.

ARTICLE VI.

Notice of all meetings of stockholders for election of officers or for any other purpose shall be given in writing by the Secretary by mail, at least ten days before the meeting is held, and directed to each stockholder as his name and address shall appear on the books of the Corporation, unless such notice is waived by the Stockholder in writing. At all meetings every stockholder, in person or by proxy, shall be entitled to one vote for each share of voter stock standing in his name, and the majority of shall decide all questions voted upon at said meeting.

ARTICLE VII.

No Stockholders shall ever be liable or responsible for the contracts, faults or debts of the Corporation in any other sum than the unpaid balance due for the stock subscribed to by him, nor shall any informality of the organization of this Corporation, have the effect of rendering this Charter null, or of exposing any stockholder to any liability beyond the unpaid balance due upon his stock.

No stockholder shall dispose of any share or shares of stock before giving notice to the President and secretary of the Corporation of the intention to so dispose, and he shall tender through the President and Secretary, to the other stockholders, or to any one of them if there be no more than one desiring to purchase the same, such shares of stock at the same price and under the same conditions as he has the opportunity to dispose of the same to other parties. No transfer of stock shall be binding on the Corporation unless the same be made upon the books of the Corporation.

ARTICLE VIII.

This act of incorporation may be altered, amended or modified, or the Corporation may be dissolved, or may be merged with another Corporation by a vote of two-thirds in amount of the Capital stock represented at any general meeting of the stockholders called for that purpose, after giving notice as provided for in Article Six of this Act, and in case of dissolution or merger, at least a majority of the entire stock must be present or represented at said meeting of stockholders, and in case of liquidation or dissolution, the stockholders shall elect two Liquidating Commissioners, who shall have entire charge of such liquidation in accordance with the power vested in them by the Stockholders. The said Liquidators shall fill any vacancy occurring in their numbers.

Thus done and executed at the Town of St. Martinville, State of Louisiana, on the day and date first above written in the presence of Robert Guirard and Edw. Guirard good and competent resident witnesses, and me the undersigned Notary, after due reading of the whole.

Signed R. Martin of St. Martinville, La., for 35 shares.

Signed J. S. Gonsoulin of St. Martin Parish, La., for 25 shares.

Signed T. E. Ramer of Iberville Parish, La., for 85 shares.

Signed George Knight of St. Martinville, La., for 25 shares.

Signed J. L. Hargrove of Port Barre, La., for 25 shares.

Signed A. O. Levert of St. Martin Parish, La., for 10 shares per R. Martin, Atty.

R. Martin, Agent of St. Martinville, La., for 15 shares.

Witnesses: R. J. Guirard, Edw. Guirard.

Jas. J. Martin, Notary Public.

State of Louisiana, Parish of St. Martin.

I, Ignace Bienvenu, Deputy Clerk of Court, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the Charter of the Martin Lumber Co., Inc., which has been filed and duly recorded in the Recorder's office of St. Martin Parish, La., this 19th of November 1919, in Charter book No. 1 folio and inscription No. 16.

In faith whereof I have this day affixed my signature and the seal of my office at St. Martinville, La., this 19th day of Nov. 1919.

Signed Ignace Bienvenu, Deputy Clerk of Court, and ex-officio Recorder St. Martin Parish, La.

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"Between the dark and dimly lit she was quoting, "there's always a bit of pause when the world seems waiting, listening for the children's voice they were so sure they must feed babies. First I had a..."

Then, when they were all around me in my own home, I saw no one but the children's Hour.

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