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### CHARTER

OF THE DILLENBERGER PLUMBING COMPANY, LIMITED.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Caddo: Be it known that on this day before me, John F. Slattery, a Notary Public, within and for the Parish and State aforesaid, duly commissioned and qualified, personally appeared the several parties whose names are hereto subscribed, and in presence of the attesting competent witnesses, declared that availing themselves of the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, relative to the formation of corporations, they have covenanted and agreed, and by these presents do covenant, agree and bind themselves, as well as become other persons as may hereafter become associated with them, to form and constitute themselves a corporation and body politic in law for the purposes and under the conditions, articles and stipulations following, to-wit:

**ARTICLE I.**  
 The name and title of this corporation shall be the DILLENBERGER PLUMBING COMPANY, LIMITED, and the City of Shreveport, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, its domicile.

Under its corporate name it shall have power and authority to enjoy succession for the term of ninety-nine years unless sooner dissolved in accordance with the stipulations herein contained; to contract, sue and be sued; to make and use a corporate seal and the same to break or alter at pleasure; to purchase, lease, hold, sell and hypothecate property, real or personal, necessary in its business; to name such managers, agents or directors as the good of the corporation may require, and generally to make all such by-laws, rules and regulations as may be deemed necessary in the proper management of its concerns.

**ARTICLE II.**  
 The purposes for which this corporation is organized and the nature of the business to be carried on by it, are declared to be the purchasing and selling of plumbing, natural gas, electrical and steam fitting supplies and all things incidental thereto, as well as to conduct a general plumbing, heating, gas fitting and electrical business in the Parish of Caddo and elsewhere, on such conditions as may be prescribed by the board of directors.

**ARTICLE III.**  
 The capital stock of this corporation is hereby fixed at ten thousand dollars, represented by two hundred shares of the value of fifty dollars each, and this corporation is authorized to commence business when one hundred shares are subscribed and paid for.

Stock may be issued in payment of services rendered, goods transferred or for cash, and when issued shall be paid for in full.

The capital stock of this corporation may be increased or decreased upon complying with the laws of the State relative thereto. Any stockholder shall have the right to dispose of his stock therein, but must before selling to an outside party offer same to the company, which shall have the privilege of purchasing same at its market value.

**ARTICLE IV.**  
 The corporate powers of this corporation shall be vested in and exercised by a board of directors, composed of five stockholders, a majority of whom shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of all business, and who shall be elected on the second Monday in January 1908 and on the same day of each succeeding year, unless said day shall fall on a legal holiday, in which event it shall be held on the first day thereafter not a legal holiday. Notice of such election shall be given by written notice handed or mailed to each stockholder at least ten days prior to the day on which the election is to be held. Until such time as their successors are elected, which shall not be prior to the second Monday in January 1908, the following shall be and compose the board of directors: H. Dillenberg Jr., George Dillenberg, C. B. Anderson, John F. Raiston and Dan Steiner, with H. Dillenberg Jr., as president; George Dillenberg, vice president, and C. B. Anderson secretary-treasurer. These officers shall hold their positions until their successors are regularly chosen, which shall be done by the board of directors chosen in each year from among their number and as soon after such election as possible.

**SHERIFF'S SALE.**  
 No. 10,870—In First Judicial District Court of Caddo Parish, Louisiana: Louisiana Bank and Trust Company, In Liquidation, vs. H. Kendall.

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale, to me issued in the above entitled and numbered suit, by the Honorable First Judicial District Court of Caddo Parish, Louisiana, I have seized and will offer for sale, at public auction, for cash, according to law, at the principal front door of the court house of Caddo Parish, Louisiana, during the legal hours for sales, on

**SATURDAY, JAN. 19, 1907.**  
 The following described property, to-wit: Lot fourteen (14) of the Brunswick Grove subdivision, as per map of same recorded in conveyance records of Caddo Parish, La.

The above property seized as belonging to the said defendant and to be sold to satisfy the debt specified in the said writ in the sum of three hundred and thirty-seven dollars and forty cents (\$337.40) with 8 per cent interest from September 3, 1904, and all cost of suit, including five per cent on said sum and interest as attorney's fees.

S. Y. ALEXANDER,  
 Coroner and Acting Sheriff.  
 Caucasian, Dec. 16, 1906.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
 Department of the Interior, Land Office at Natchitoches, La., Dec. 21, 1906. Notice is hereby given that Oliver F. Vanvier, of Vivian, La., has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, viz.: Homestead Entry No. 10,760, made June 16, 1905, for the northeast quarter of northeast quarter section 5, township 21 north, range 16 west Louisiana meridian, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver, at Natchitoches, La., on February 14, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz.: M. Heflin, W. A. Hartzo, O. Boyter, J. Hill, all of Vivian, La.  
 J. ERNEST BREDI, Register.  
 Caucasian, Shreveport, La.

No stockholder shall ever be held responsible for the contracts or faults of this corporation in any further sum than the unpaid balance due by him on his stock, nor shall any mere informality in the incorporation hereof render this charter null or render the stockholder liable beyond the stock owned by him.

This done and signed before me, in presence of the attesting witnesses, by said parties, who subscribe to the capital stock hereof in the sum and number of shares set opposite their names, on this 10th day of December A. D. 1906.

D. S. STEINER,  
 Two shares, \$100.00.  
 JOHN F. RALSTON,  
 One share, \$50.00.  
 GEO. DILLENBERGER,  
 Two shares, \$100.00.  
 C. B. ANDERSON,  
 Two shares, \$100.00.  
 HENRY DILLENBERGER,  
 One share, \$50.00.  
 H. DILLENBERGER, JR.,  
 Ninety-two shares, \$4,600.00.

Attest:  
 C. L. C. SMITH,  
 S. O. WILLIAMS,  
 JOHN F. SLATTERY,  
 Notary Public.

Having examined the foregoing act of incorporation and finding nothing therein contained contrary to law, I approve the same this 10th day of December 1906.

J. M. FOSTER,  
 District Attorney First Judicial District of Louisiana.

Endorsed: Filed and recorded December 12, 1906.

S. O. WILLIAMS,  
 Deputy Clerk and ex-Officio Deputy Recorder.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Caddo: I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original act, as the same now appears on file and of record in my office.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 12th day of December 1906.  
 S. O. WILLIAMS,  
 Deputy Clerk and ex-Officio Deputy Recorder.  
 Dec. 13, 1906.

### CHARTER

OF THE DIXON OIL AND PIPE LINE COMPANY.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Caddo: Be it remembered that on this 17th day of December 1906, before me, Frank A. Blanchard, a Notary Public in and for said Parish and State, duly commissioned and sworn, personally came and appeared S. S. Hunter, J. W. Dixon, W. B. McCormick and J. D. Wilkinson, residents of said Parish and State, and W. H. Hunter, a resident of the Parish of Arcadia, said State, who availed themselves of the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana relative to the formation of corporations, they have formed and constituted themselves and do hereby form and constitute themselves as well as such other persons as may hereafter become associated with them, into a corporation and body corporate and have adopted as their charter and act of incorporation the following, to-wit:

**ARTICLE I.**  
 The name and style of this corporation shall be the "DIXON OIL AND PIPE LINE COMPANY" with its domicile at the City of Shreveport, in the Parish of Caddo, and under its corporate name it shall have and enjoy succession for a period of ninety-nine years, unless sooner dissolved as hereinafter set forth.

**ARTICLE II.**  
 The purposes for which this corporation is established and the nature of the business to be carried on by it are hereby declared to be to purchase, own and lease real estate in the Parish of Caddo and elsewhere for the purpose of boring and exploring for oil, gas or other minerals, and to own, lease and operate pipe lines, tank cars or other means of transporting oil, gas or other minerals in the State of Louisiana or elsewhere, and such oil, gas or other minerals to sell, transfer and dispose of to such persons as may desire to purchase the same.

**ARTICLE III.**  
 All legal process shall be served on this corporation by service on its president, or in his absence on the vice president, or in the absence of both on the secretary and treasurer at the office of the company in said parish.

**ARTICLE IV.**  
 The capital stock of this corporation is hereby fixed at the sum of three hundred thousand dollars, divided into three thousand shares of one hundred dollars each, and shall commence business whenever one thousand shares are subscribed and paid for. Such stock may be issued for cash, or for property or services rendered this corporation, and all stock issued shall be fully paid and non-assessable from and after the issuance thereof. In all stockholders meetings each share of stock shall be entitled to one vote, either by its holder in person or by written proxy, and the stock of said corporation shall only be transferable on the books of the company by the surrender of the outstanding certificate of stock and its cancellation.

**ARTICLE V.**  
 The affairs of this corporation shall be managed by a board of directors consisting of five stockholders to be elected by the stockholders at a meeting held for that purpose on the first Monday in February of each year. The first board of directors shall be S. S. Hunter, who shall be president; J. W. Dixon, who shall be vice president; W. B. McCormick, who shall be secretary and treasurer, and J. D. Wilkinson, and they shall hold their offices until the first Monday in February 1908 or until their successors are elected and installed. Any vacancies occurring in the said board of directors by death, resignation or otherwise, shall be filled by the remaining directors, who shall elect a stockholder to fill such vacancy. Said board of directors shall have power and authority to make any and all contracts in the purchase, lease or sale or mortgage of the property of the corporation and shall employ and discharge at pleasure such agents, managers, or other employees as may be necessary in the management of its affairs.

**ARTICLE VII.**  
 This charter may be amended or changed or this corporation may be dissolved by a vote of two-thirds of the stock at a meeting of the stockholders called for that purpose, after thirty days' advertisement in one of the newspapers published in the City of Shreveport, and by personal notice mailed to each stockholder through the mails to his postoffice address, provided that nothing herein shall prevent any such stockholder by unanimous consent waiving such notice in writing, except when otherwise specially provided by law. Whenever this corporation is dissolved, either at the vote of the stockholders, or by limitation or otherwise, its affairs shall be liquidated and settled by a liquidator elected by the stockholders at the time of the dissolution thereof, who shall perform such duties and give such bond and security as a majority of the stockholders shall determine and prescribe.

**ARTICLE VI.**  
 No stockholder of this corporation shall ever be held liable or responsible for the contracts or faults of this corporation in any further sum than the unpaid balance due to the company on the shares owned by him, nor shall any mere informality have the effect of rendering this charter null, or of exposing any stockholder to any greater liability than the amount of his stock.

**ARTICLE VII.**  
 In testimony whereof said parties have hereto signed their names on this 17th day of December 1906, in the presence of the undersigned competent witnesses.

S. S. HUNTER,  
 J. W. DIXON,  
 W. H. HUNTER,  
 per S. S. Hunter,  
 W. B. McCORMICK,  
 J. D. WILKINSON.

Attest:  
 J. F. FISHER,  
 L. C. BLANCHARD,  
 F. A. BLANCHARD,  
 Notary Public.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Caddo: Having examined the above and foregoing act of incorporation, and finding nothing therein contrary to the law, I hereby approve same, this 17th day of December 1906.

J. M. FOSTER,  
 District Attorney First Judicial District of Louisiana.

Endorsed: Filed and recorded December 18, 1906.

S. O. WILLIAMS,  
 Deputy Clerk and ex-Officio Deputy Recorder.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Caddo: I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original act, as the same now appears on file and of record in my office.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 18th day of December 1906.  
 S. O. WILLIAMS,  
 Deputy Clerk and ex-Officio Deputy Recorder.  
 Dec. 18.

### CHARTER

OF THE HOSSTON GIN COMPANY LIMITED.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Caddo: Be it known, that this day, before me, F. A. Leonard, clerk and ex-officio notary public in and for said State and parish, duly qualified and acting as such, and in presence of the witnesses hereinafter named, personally appeared Henry J. Lenoir, Alexander R. Thompson, William A. Thompson and Jesse H. Dolph, all of Caddo Parish, Louisiana, who declared that, availing themselves of the provisions of Act No. 36 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, of the year 1888, as well as those of the general laws of this State relative to the organization of corporations, they have formed, and do by these presents form and organize themselves into a corporation for the object and the purposes hereinafter set forth, which they do hereby accept as their charter, to-wit:

**ARTICLE I.**  
 The name and title of said corporation shall be "THE HOSSTON GIN COMPANY, LIMITED," and by that name it shall have power and authority to have and enjoy succession for the term of twenty-five years from date hereof.

**ARTICLE II.**  
 The domicile of this corporation shall be at Hosston, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, and all citations and legal process shall be served on the president of said corporation, and in case of his absence upon the vice president, and in the absence of both, upon the treasurer of said corporation.

**ARTICLE III.**  
 This corporation shall have power and authority to contract, sue and be sued; to make and use a corporate seal and the same to alter at pleasure; to hold, receive, have, purchase, lease, convey and sell, as well as mortgage and hypothecate, under its corporate name, property, both real and personal; to name and appoint such officers and managers as the interest of such corporation may require; to make and establish rules and regulations for the management and regulation of its affairs as may be deemed necessary, and the same to change at pleasure; to borrow and lend money on real estate, or other security; and to do all other acts and things permitted by law, or as shall be necessary and proper to carry out the objects and purposes of said corporation.

**ARTICLE IV.**  
 The objects and purposes for which this corporation is organized and the nature of its business are declared to be operating of a public gin for the ginning of cotton.

**ARTICLE V.**  
 The capital stock of this corporation is hereby fixed at six thousand (\$6000) dollars, to be divided into sixty shares of the par value of one hundred dollars each, which shall be paid in cash at the time of subscription, or stock may be issued, at not less than par, in payment or exchange for property rights actually received or purchased by said corporation.

**ARTICLE VI.**  
 All corporate powers of said corporation shall be vested in a board of directors, to be composed of the stockholders, which board shall be elected annually on the first Tuesday in January of each year, the first election to be held on the first Tuesday in January 1908, a majority of whom shall constitute a quorum.

The first board is declared to be Henry J. Lenoir, Alexander R. Thompson, William A. Thompson and Jesse H. Dolph, with Henry J. Lenoir as president; W. A. Thompson as vice president; A. R. Thompson treasurer, and J. H. Dolph as secretary and general manager; said board to serve until the first election in January 1908, or until their successors are duly elected; provided said board may be increased by vote of the stockholders after due notice.

The directors shall be elected by the stockholders, and no one shall be eligible as a director unless he be the owner of stock—each share of stock shall be entitled to one vote to be cast by its owner in person, or by proxy, and a majority of the votes shall elect.

This charter may be modified, changed or altered, or said corporation dissolved, with the consent of two-thirds in amount of the capital stock, represented at any general meeting of the stockholders convened for that purpose, after ten days' previous notice of said meeting shall have been published in one of the newspapers of the city of Shreveport, Louisiana.

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

**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 shares of stock subscribed for or owned by him, nor any informality in organization have the effect of rendering this charter null, or of exposing a stockholder to any liability beyond the balance due the company on shares of stock.

Done and passed in my office, in the city of Shreveport, Louisiana, in the presence of the attesting witnesses, on this 13th day of December 1906.

H. J. LENOIR,  
 A. R. THOMPSON,  
 W. A. THOMPSON,  
 JESSE H. DOLPH.

Witnesses:  
 D. P. HOLLIS,  
 CHARLES L. GAINES.

F. A. LEONARD,  
 Clerk and ex-Officio Recorder and Notary Public.

Having examined the above act of incorporation and finding nothing therein contrary to law, I approve the same this December 15, 1906.

J. M. FOSTER,  
 District Attorney.

Endorsed: Filed and recorded December 22, 1906.

F. A. LEONARD,  
 Clerk and ex-Officio Recorder.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Caddo: I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original act, as the same now appears on file and of record in my office.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 22nd day of December 1906.  
 F. A. LEONARD,  
 Clerk and ex-Officio Recorder.  
 Dec. 25, 1906.

A good deed is never lost; he who sows courtesy reaps friendship, and he who plants kindness gathers love; pleasure bestowed upon a grateful mind is never sterile, but generally gratitude begets reward.

If your stationery is not as good as it ought to be, you're looking for us.