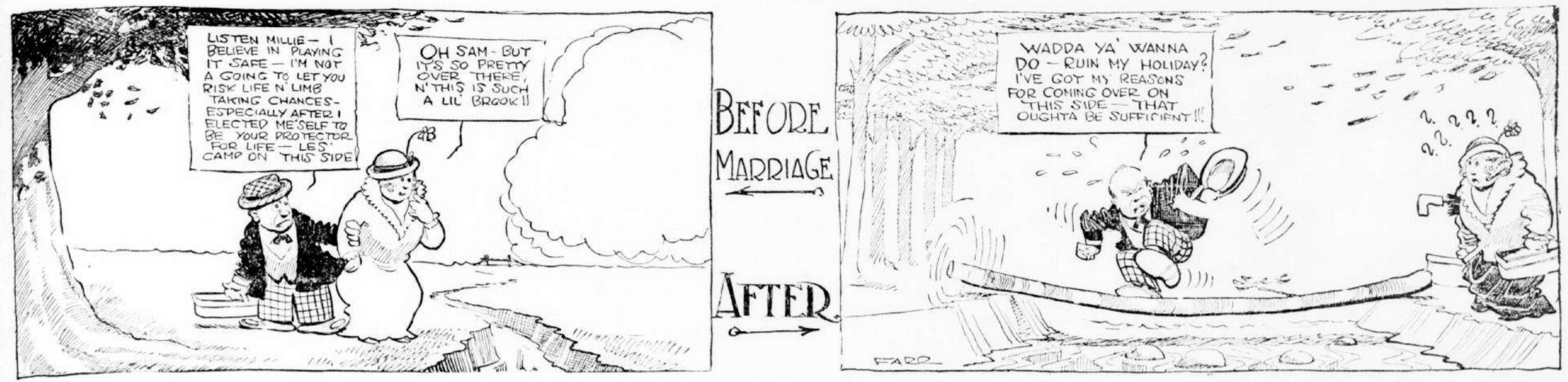


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CHARTERS. MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED. United States of America, State of Louisiana, Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans. Be it known that on this 14th day of July, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, the undersigned, Arthur A. Moreno, a Notary Public, in and for the Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana, duly commissioned and qualified, and in the presence of the witnesses hereinafter named and undersigned, personally came and appeared the following persons whose names are hereunto subscribed, who severally declared that availing themselves of the provisions of Act 254 of 1914, relative to the organization of non-trading corporations, they have covenanted and agreed and do hereby covenant and agree, and bind themselves, as well as all other persons as may hereafter become associated with them or their successors, to form and constitute themselves into a corporation and body politic in and under the laws and regulations of the State of Louisiana, to-wit:

CHARTERS. to promote the general interest of the business of dealers in coal and coke; to secure and disseminate any and all legal and proper information which may be of interest and value to the wholesaler, retailer and consumer of coal and coke; to aid in preventing by legal means, all dishonest and fraudulent practices in the sale and delivery of fuel; to advocate such legislation regarding the fuel industry as will be of benefit to the general public; and to actively aid in the enforcement of all laws and ordinances governing the mining, shipping and distribution of coal and coke.

CHARTERS. of any sum in excess of his annual dues, unless his consent has been previously obtained. ARTICLE VIII.—The business of said corporation shall be directed by and vested in a Board of Directors composed of seven members to be elected annually by the members of the Association on the first Monday in January. The said Board of Directors shall have all the power vested by law in the Board of Directors and shall have the further power to adopt such by-laws, rules and regulations for the government and guidance of the members of the Association and to fix and enforce penalties for violations of the by-laws and to remit the same. A majority of members of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of the business of the Association. The Board of Directors shall be elected annually at a meeting held on the first Monday in January of each year, at such time and place as shall be designated by the president after proper notice. The first board of directors who shall hold office until the annual election of January, 1920, shall be R. P. Hyams, R. D. Reeves, E. W. Scharfenstein, C. W. Andrews, W. D. Rollins, Jr., Frank X. Dupont, and Sam'l B. Stewart. All vacancies on the Board of Directors between elections for whatever cause shall be filled by the remaining directors. R. P. Hyams, shall be first president; R. D. Reeves, shall be first Vice-President; E. W. Scharfenstein, shall be second Vice-President, and W. D. Rollins, Jr., shall be first Secretary-Treasurer. Failure to elect directors at the annual election, or failure to hold an election on the day specified shall not dissolve the corporation, but the directors in office shall hold their respective offices until an election shall have been held after ten days notice of the time and place thereof given to each stockholder.

CHARTER. four, New Orleans, La.; Sam'l B. Stewart, New Orleans, La. A. A. MORENO, Notary Public. I, the undersigned, Recorder of Mortgages, in and for the Parish of Orleans, State of Louisiana, hereby certify that the above and foregoing Act of Incorporation of the New Orleans Coal Merchants Association, Incorporated, was this day recorded in my office in Book 1231, Folio 86. EMILE J. LEONARD, Dy. R. A true copy. A. A. MORENO, Notary Public. Aug. 14-28, Sept. 4-11-18. AMENDMENT TO CHARTER OF H. B. STEVENS AND COMPANY, LIMITED. State of Louisiana, Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans. Be it known that on the seventh day of the month of August, in the year one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, the undersigned, Charles F. Fletchinger, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and qualified, and in the presence of the witnesses hereinafter named and undersigned, personally came and appeared the following persons, to-wit: Charles F. Fletchinger, Chairman, and C. L. Stockton, Secretary, of a meeting of stockholders of H. B. Stevens and Company, Limited, a Corporation created under the laws of Louisiana, by act of Incorporation passed before Jeff C. Wenzel, Notary Public, in this City, on the 24th day of July, 1918, and recorded in the Mortgage Office of this Parish in Book 844, Folio 86, and as amended by an act passed before Joseph F. Falton, late Notary, under date of May 12, 1918, recorded in the Mortgage Office of this Parish in Book 813, Folio 480, held at the office of said corporation in this City on the 7th day of August, 1919, at which meeting, in the presence of the said stockholders of said corporation was represented by the stockholders thereof, either in person or by proxy.

CHARTERS. personal or mixed, corporeal and incorporeal; to issue bonds and, if desired, to secure same by mortgages to hold stock in other companies; to name and elect officers and directors; to make and establish, alter and amend, by-laws, rules and regulations for its proper government, as may be deemed necessary and proper for the extension of the business in which the corporation is engaged.

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CHARTER OF INTERNATIONAL SHIP SUPPLY, INCORPORATED. United States of America, State of Louisiana, Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans. Be it known that on this 14th day of the month of August in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nineteen, before me, William J. Guste, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and qualified, in and for the above Parish and State, therein residing, and in the presence of the witnesses hereinafter named and undersigned, personally came and appeared the several parties whose names are hereunto subscribed, and who severally declared that availing themselves of the provisions of Act 254 of 1914, relative to the organization and formation of corporations, they have covenanted and agreed and by these presents do hereby covenant, agree and bind themselves, as well as all other persons as may hereafter become associated with them, to form a corporation for the objects and purposes under the articles and stipulations following, which they hereby adopt as their charter, to-wit:

ARTICLE I.—The name and title of this corporation shall be "International Ship Supply, Incorporated," and under its corporate name, it shall have power and authority to have and enjoy corporate existence for a period of ninety-nine years from date hereof, unless sooner dissolved by liquidation or otherwise. It shall have power to contract; sue and be sued; to make and use a corporate seal, and to alter and break the same at pleasure. To hold, receive, lease, purchase, transfer, assign, mortgage, hypothecate, pledge or otherwise dispose of, property real,

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CHARTERS. Directors shall not operate the forfeiture of special, be entitled in person or written or this charter or any rights thereunder. Any vacancy occurring in the Board of Directors may be filled by the Directors for the unexpired term. ARTICLE VIII.—This charter and act of incorporation may be changed, modified, altered or amended by and with the consent of three-fourths of all the stock present or liquidators shall be permitted to sell or otherwise dispose of his stock without first offering the same in writing to the other stockholders through the Board of Directors at a price not exceeding the market value of the stock at the time of offering. ARTICLE IX.—Notice of this charter and act of incorporation may be given in the manner provided for giving notices in case of election, unless the same shall have been waived. The stockholders and Directors may waive notices. ARTICLE X.—In case of the dissolution, liquidation or termination of this charter, by liquidation or otherwise, the affairs of the corporation shall be liquidated by one or more liquidators elected by a three-fourths vote of the stockholders who may provide the number of said liquidators and vest them with such power and authority as may be by laws permitted, fixing the terms and conditions upon which they shall serve and their compensation and provide that in case of death or disability