

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

By the Secretary of State.

WHEREAS, W.A. Briggs, C.E. McAister and C.H. Whitner, all of Greenville, S.C.

did on the 18th day of July 1914 file with the Secretary of State a written Declaration, signed by themselves, setting forth:

- First: The names and residences of the said petitioners to be as above given.
Second: The name of the proposed corporation be that of Briggs Company
Third: The principal place of business of the corporation will be Greenville, S.C.

Fourth: The general purpose of the corporation, and the nature of business it proposes to do. To buy and sell at wholesale and to act as brokers and commission merchants, and do the business of brokers and commission merchants in buying and selling all kinds of groceries produce and provisions, including grain, flour, lard, bacon, and dried meats of every kind and all kinds of stock feed and also to keep and operate a bonded warehouse, but not for the storage of cotton.

Fifth: The amount of the capital stock to be Five thousand (\$5000.00) Dollars, and the number of shares into which the same is to be divided to be Fifty (50)

of the par value of One hundred (\$100.00) dollars each.

Sixth: The capital stock to be payable as set forth in the Declaration and Petition.

AND WHEREAS, on 18th day of July A. D. 1914 the date above named, petitioners were commissioned by me a Board of Corporators: AND WHEREAS, the said Board of Corporators, on the 27th day of July 1914 did file with the Secretary of State their return in writing, over their signatures, certifying, among other things, that pursuant to published notice as required in the commission of the said Corporators, the books of subscription to the capital stock of the aforesaid Company were duly opened, and that thereupon exceeding fifty per centum of the capital stock was subscribed by bonafide stockholders; that thereupon a meeting of stockholders was called, and the aforesaid Company duly organized by the election of a Board of Directors, and other necessary officers. That, furthermore, they have complied with all the requirements of the Code of Laws of the State of South Carolina, of 1902, and all Acts of parts or Acts amendatory thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Secretary of State, by virtue of the authority in me vested by the aforesaid Code and Acts amendatory thereto, do hereby certify that the said Company has been fully organized according to the laws of South Carolina, under the name and for the purpose indicated in their written declaration, and that they are fully authorized to commence business under their charter; and I do hereby direct that a copy of this certificate be filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Mesne Conveyance in each county where such Corporations shall have a business office.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of the State, at Columbia, this twenty seventh day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen and in the one hundred and thirty ninth year of the Independence of the United States of America. R. M. McCowan Secretary of State.



Recorded Aug 11 - 1914

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

By the Secretary of State.

WHEREAS, D.L. McGinnis, O.O. McGinnis, and J. P. Blackwell, all of Greenville, S.C.

did on the 10th day of July 1914 file with the Secretary of State a written Declaration, signed by themselves, setting forth:

- First: The names and residences of the said petitioners to be as above given.
Second: The name of the proposed corporation be that of McGinnis Brothers
Third: The principal place of business of the corporation will be Greenville, S.C.

Fourth: The general purpose of the corporation, and the nature of business it proposes to do. Manufacture and sell certain mill supplies and generally exercise all powers conferred by law on business corporations.

Fifth: The amount of the capital stock to be Seventy thousand (\$70,000.00) Dollars, and the number of shares into which the same is to be divided to be Seven hundred (700)

of the par value of One hundred (\$100.00) dollars each.

Sixth: The capital stock to be payable as set forth in the Declaration and Petition.

AND WHEREAS, on 10th day of July A. D. 1914 the date above named, petitioners were commissioned by me a Board of Corporators: AND WHEREAS, the said Board of Corporators, on the 29th day of July 1914 did file with the Secretary of State their return in writing, over their signatures, certifying, among other things, that pursuant to published notice as required in the commission of the said Corporators, the books of subscription to the capital stock of the aforesaid Company were duly opened, and that thereupon exceeding fifty per centum of the capital stock was subscribed by bonafide stockholders; that thereupon a meeting of stockholders was called, and the aforesaid Company duly organized by the election of a Board of Directors, and other necessary officers. That, furthermore, they have complied with all the requirements of the Code of Laws of the State of South Carolina, of 1902, and all Acts of parts or Acts amendatory thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, R. M. McCowan Secretary of State, by virtue of the authority in me vested by the aforesaid Code and Acts amendatory thereto, do hereby certify that the said Company has been fully organized according to the laws of South Carolina, under the name and for the purpose indicated in their written declaration, and that they are fully authorized to commence business under their charter; and I do hereby direct that a copy of this certificate be filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Mesne Conveyance in each county where such Corporations shall have a business office.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of the State, at Columbia, this twenty ninth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fourteen and in the one hundred and thirty ninth year of the Independence of the United States of America. R. M. McCowan Secretary of State.



Recorded Aug 1 - 1914

State of South Carolina, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. PURSUANT TO LAW, THE CAPITAL STOCK OF THE WITHIN CORPORATION HAS BEEN THIS DAY INCREASED TO THE SUM OF 100,000.00 DOLLARS. GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE STATE AT COLUMBIA, THE 22nd DAY OF September A. D. 1914. W. Banks Dorr Secretary of State.

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. #1335. Decreased. \$70,000.00. J.P. Blackwell. Decrease Recorded. July 5th, 1914 at 4:26 P.M.

Increase recorded in Dept. #30 of Deeds, at 83

and Bank of S.C.