

THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

By the Secretary of State.

WHEREAS, E.E. Douglas, Ernest A. Huff, Crawford Clapp and C.P. Blackwelder
all of Greenville, S.C.

did on the _____ day of July 1908 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 _____

Greenville Improved Cotton Ginning 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.

is to manage and conduct a cotton ginnery or ginneries, and to engage in the purchase and sale of seed cotton and cotton seed and the products thereof, and all merchandise in connection therewith.

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

Ten Thousand DOLLARS.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THE

STATE AT COLUMBIA, THE 28th DAY OF

September A. D. 1909

R.M. McCown

Secretary of State

*Received etc 30th 1909
H.B. Ingram
R.M.P.*

(For increase to this Charter, see Deed Book "Q.Q.Q." at page 249)

Fifth: The amount of the capital stock to be Six thousand

Dollars.

and the number of shares into which the same is to be divided to be _____

payable in property, immediately upon the organization of the Company

_____ of the par value of _____

dollars each.

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

AND WHEREAS, on fifth day of July A. D. 1908 the date above named, petitioners were commissioned by me a Board of Corporators:

AND WHEREAS, the said Board of Corporators, on the sixteenth day of July 1908 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. McCown 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

sixteenth day of July

in the year of our

Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight

and in

the one hundred and thirty-third

year of the Independence of the United States of America.

R.M. McCown

Secretary of State.

recorded July 17th, 1908.



THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

By the Secretary of State.

WHEREAS, P.C. Munn, A.A. Butler and D. Lewis Dorroh

did on the 15th day of July 1908 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 _____

THE PROVIDENT INVESTMENT 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.

A general real-estate and loan business.

Fifth: The amount of the capital stock to be _____

One thousand

Dollars.

and the number of shares into which the same is to be divided to be _____

ten

_____ of the par value of one hundred

dollars each.

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

AND WHEREAS, on 15 day of July A. D. 1908 the date above named, petitioners were commissioned by me a Board of Corporators:

AND WHEREAS, the said Board of Corporators, on the 13th day of August 1908 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. McCown 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

13th day of August

in the year of our

Lord one thousand nine hundred and eight

and in

the one hundred and thirty-third

year of the Independence of the United States of America.

R.M. McCown

Secretary of State.

Recorded August, 21st., 1908.

