

The State of South Carolina, BY THE SECRETARY OF THE STATE. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, E. H. Pringle, E. H. Pringle, Jr and Julian Mitchell, of Charleston

did on the 5th day of August 1918, file with the Secretary of State a written Declaration signed by themselves, setting forth:

FIRST: That their names and residences are, as above given.

SECOND: That the name of the proposed Corporation is, ie that of Charleston Trust Company

THIRD: That the principal place of business is of the Corporation will be Charleston, S.C.

FOURTH: That the general nature of the business which it is proposed to do is purpose of the Corporation, and the nature of business it proposes to do is to carry on a general banking business and any branch thereof, to act as Agent in any capacity, Guardian, Executor, Administrator, Receiver, Receiver, Conservator or Trustee, or in any other fiduciary capacity, to accept drafts payable at a future date, deposit in domestic and foreign exchange and acceptances, to purchase, hold, sell, send, checks, drafts, currency, securities, stocks, bonds, mortgages, collateral, negotiable papers, instruments of credit, deeds, leases, contracts of all kinds, merchandise, and any and all kinds of property real and personal whatsoever, to make and receive loans, mortgages, discounts and deposits, acquire and own, hold and sell stock in other corporations, and to do anything and carry on any business incidental or convenient to the business aforesaid, and to carry on any business not prohibited by law or if regulated by law upon compliance with such regulations.

Error in Form Recopied in Deed Book 81 at Page 216

For certificates to this Charter see Deed Book 174 Page 267.

FIFTH: That the amount of the capital stock is to be Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars, and the number of shares into which the same is to be divided to be payable Five Thousand Dollars each.

SIXTH: That the number of shares into which the capital stock is divided is of the par value of Five (\$5.00) dollars each.

SEVENTH: That, after due notice, a meeting of the subscribers was held on the day of 1918, at which a majority of all stock in value being present in person or by proxy the following were elected directors

EIGHTH: That subsequently there was elected as President E. H. Pringle, as Vice President E. H. Pringle, Jr and J. N. Walker, as Secretary, A. B. La Grate, as Treasurer, R. D. Small.

NINTH: That all requirements of Article 2, Chapter 163 Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1932, and all amendments thereto, have been duly and fully complied with, 50 per cent, of the aggregate amount of the capital stock having been subscribed by bona fide subscribers, 20 per cent, of the capital stock subscribed having been paid to the Treasurer, and three days' public notice of the intention to file this Declaration with the Secretary of State having been given in that further more, they have complied with all the requirements of the Code of Laws of the State of South Carolina, of 1912, and all acts or parts of acts amendatory thereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, W. Banks Done, 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 purposes 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 or Clerk of Court in each county where such Corporation shall have a business office.



GIVEN under my hand and the seal of the State, at Columbia, this 18th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and 18 and in the one hundred and forty-third year of the Independence of the United States of America.

W. Banks Done, Secretary of State.

Recorded March 23 1937 at 10:00 o'clock A.M.

Handwritten notes on the right margin: 'That Mr. Pringle on 5th day of August 1918... the date above named...'