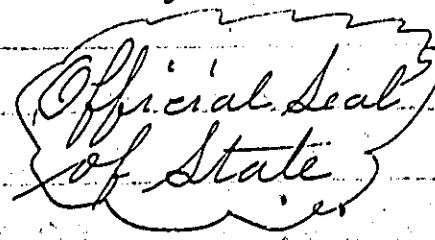


April 1887, file with the Secretary of State a written declaration signed by themselves, setting forth:

First: The names and residences of the Petitioners to be Frank Hammond, Residence Greenville South Carolina, James Le Orr Residence Greenville South Carolina, A S Dunean Residence Greenville South Carolina, J A Russell Residence Greenville South Carolina, J L Donaldson Residence Greenville South Carolina, and G G Wells Residence Greenville South Carolina. Second: The name of the proposed corporation to be that of The Peoples Bank of Greenville S.C. That the principal place of business of said Corporation is to be at the town of Greenville South Carolina. That the purpose of said Corporation is to carry on a banking business under the laws of this State with all the powers and privileges of a bank and to all the provisions relating to banks set forth in the act of the General Assembly of South Carolina in corporation of Banks in this State, approved December the 24th A.D. 1855. Third: The amount of Capital Stock to be Fifty Thousand Dollars and the number of Shares into which the same is to be divided to be one thousand shares and the par value of each share to be fifty dollars. And whereas on the Twentieth day of April A.D. 1887, the said Frank Hammond, James Le Orr, A S Dunean, J A Russell, J L Donaldson and G G Wells, were commissioned by me a Board of Corporators, authorizing and empowering them to open books of subscription to the Capital Stock of said proposed corporation, giving not less than ten days previous notice, by advertisement, in the Daily Greenville News or Newspaper published in the County of Greenville, giving notice of the time and place where said books of subscription would be opened. And whereas the said Board of Corporators on the Tenth day of May A.D. 1887, did file with the Secretary of State this return in writing over their signatures, certifying among other things that in pursuance of the provisions in said commission they gave the required notice of the

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time and place where said books of subscription should be opened; that they opened said books of subscription at the time and place specified in said notice; and that the sum of fifty thousand dollars was then and there subscribed to said Capital Stock to be paid in money by bona fide subscribers; that a majority in value of said subscribers organized said Company by the election of the following Eight Directors Frank Hammond, G A Morwood, H P Hammett, A S Dunean, J A Hoyt, O P Mills, J J Earle and E H Fullenwider; immediately thereafter said Board of Directors met and elected said Frank Hammond President, H P Hammett, Vice President, G G Wells Secretary and J Wilkins Morwood Cashier; That twenty per cent cash of said Capital Stock has been paid into said cashier and the remainder thereof has been secured to be paid in such installments as the Directors may prescribe. Now therefore I W B Leitcher Secretary of State, by virtue of the authority in me vested by an act of the General Assembly entitled "An Act to Provide for the Formation of certain Corporations Under General Laws" approved the twenty third day of December 1886 do hereby certify that said Company has been fully organized according to the Laws of South Carolina under the name and for the purpose indicated in this within Declaration and that they are fully authorized to commence business under this Charter; and that a copy of this Certificate be filed and recorded in the office of the Register of Merue Conveyance in each County where such Corporation shall have a business office. Given under my Hand and the Seal of the State this the Eleventh day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty seven and in the one hundred and eleventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.


 W B Leitcher
 Secretary of State

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