

States of South Carolina, }
 Greenville County. } Renunciation of Dower.
 I, L. C. Patterson, Notary Public for South Carolina, do hereby certify unto all whom it may concern, that Mrs. Margaret S. Parker, the wife of the within named Lewis W. Parker, did this day appear before me, and, upon being privately and separately examined by me, did declare that she does freely, voluntarily, and without any compulsion, dread or fear of any person or persons whomsoever, renounce, release, and forever relinquish unto the within named B. S. Lewis, and his Heirs and Assigns, all her interest and estate, and also all her right and claim of Dower of, in or to all and singular the Premises within mentioned and released.

Given under my hand and seal, this 27th day of May, A. D. 1901.
 L. C. Patterson, (Seal)
 Notary Public. } Margaret S. Parker.

Recorded for May, 30th 1901.

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 Executive Department.
 Charter.

Sec. 15. Every corporation chartered under this Act shall have the following powers, to wit:

1. To have perpetual succession.
2. To sue and be sued by the corporate name.
3. To have a common seal, and to alter the same at pleasure.
4. To prescribe the mode of transferring the shares of the corporation.
5. To make contracts, to loan money to acquire and to transfer property, both real and personal, including shares of stock in other corporations, possessing the same powers in such respects as individuals now enjoy.
6. To make by-laws, and all rules and regulations deemed expedient for the management of its affairs, not inconsistent with the Constitution and laws of this State, or of the United States.
7. To have a lien upon the shares of its stockholders to enforce the payment of installments due upon the capital stock, to provide and to enforce the collection of such fines and penalties for delinquency in payments of its installments upon the capital stock as its by-laws may fix, not to exceed ten per centum on accounts due.
8. To borrow money for the purpose of carrying out the objects of its charter, to make notes, bonds or other evidences of debt, and upon a vote of the stockholders had after such notice as is provided in section 10 of this Act to secure the payments of its obligations by mortgage or deed of trust on any of its property and franchises.

both real and personal. Contract from Acts S.C. 1876, p. 99.
 The State of South Carolina,
 Office of the Secretary of State.
 Whereas, C. O. Smith, Isham W. Mayfield and A. R. Hood, did on the eleventh day of January, 1901, 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 to be that of "Smith-Mayfield Co."
 The principal place of business of the corporation will be Greer, South Carolina.
 The general purpose of the corporation, and the nature of business it proposes to do is general merchandise.
 Third: - The amount of the Capital Stock to be Five Thousand Dollars, and the number of shares into which the same is to be divided to be fifty, of the par value of One Hundred Dollars each.
 And Whereas, on the eleventh day of January, 1901, the said above named petitioners were commissioned by me a Board of Corporators:

And Whereas, the said Board of Corporators, on the 28th day of January, 1901, 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 bond-fide 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 an Act of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, entitled, "An Act to Provide for the Formation of Certain Corporations and to Define the Powers Thereof," approved the ninth day of March A. D. 1896, and all acts amendatory thereto;

Now, Therefore, I, M. R. Cooper, Secretary of State, by virtue of the authority in me vested by the aforesaid Act, 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