

## NOTICE OF GRANTING LETTERS PATENT

WILLIAM THOMSON &amp; CO., LIMITED.

**PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given, that under "The New Brunswick Joint Stock Companies' Act," Letters Patent have been issued under the seal of the Provincial Secretary-Treasurer, bearing date the fifteenth day of November, A. D. 1915, incorporating Percy Walter Thomson, Ship Owner; David Willett Ledingham, Steamship Manager; John Allan Olive, Cashier; Maude Sherwood Thomson, Married Woman, and Florence Alice Tingey, Spinster, all of the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, for the following purposes, namely:

To acquire and take over as a going concern the business now carried on at the City of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, under the name and style of "William Thomson & Co.," and all the assets of the proprietors of that business, subject to the liabilities thereof, and upon and after such acquisition to carry on the business of steamship and vessel agents, tugboat proprietors, managers and agents, insurance managers and agents, broker, stevedores, commission agents and general agents heretofore carried on by said "William Thomson & Co.," and to carry on such businesses and exercise such powers whether the same were actually heretofore exercised by said "William Thomson & Co." or not.

To buy, sell and deal in stocks, shares, bonds and securities for money.

To carry on the business of a navigation company in all its branches.

To carry on a general real estate business.

To buy, sell and trade in personal property of all kinds, by wholesale or retail.

To carry on business as a general financial agent, broker and promoter to finance or assist in financing partnerships and joint stock companies; to buy, sell and otherwise deal in financial and industrial securities; to underwrite the same; to promote or assist in promoting partnerships and joint stock companies and to act as agents in the buying, assembling, exchanging and disposing of such properties as may enter into the assets of the companies to be promoted; also to act as a holding company and to exercise all powers which may be necessary for the amalgamation of the said Company with any other or others, or for the amalgamation of other companies with each other.

To carry on any other business which may seem to the Company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with the other businesses carried on by the Company, or any part of them or calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of the Company's property or rights.

To do any or all of the things set forth as objects, purposes, powers or otherwise to the same extent and as fully as natural persons might or could do, and as principals, agents, contractors, trustees, assignees or otherwise; by the name of "William Thomson & Co., Limited," with a total capital stock of twenty-five thousand dollars, divided into two hundred and fifty shares of one hundred dollars each. Two hundred and forty-six shares of said capital stock shall be "A" stock, being ordinary stock of the Company, and four shares of said stock shall be Preference Stock, which shall be entitled in each year to receive out of any and all surplus net profits a non-cumulative dividend at the rate of six per cent. per annum in each and every year hereafter, in preference and priority to any payment of any dividends on the common stock for such year, but shall not be entitled to share with the common stock in the remainder of such surplus net profits, nor shall it have any priority in the distribution of assets. And with the head office at the City of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick.

Dated at the office of the Provincial Secretary-Treasurer, at Fredericton, the fifteenth day of November, 1915.

D. V. LANDRY,

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Provincial Secretary-Treasurer.

L. B. READ, LIMITED.

**PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given, that under The New Brunswick Joint Stock Companies' Act, Letters Patent have been issued under the seal of the Provincial Secretary-Treasurer, bearing date the eighteenth day of November, A. D. 1915, incorporating Alice Maud Read, Married Woman; Fred Sydney Abrams, Manufacturer; Henry Thaddeus Brewster, Merchant; Agnes Gertrude Flanagan, Accountant, and Percy Wesley Carson, Accountant; all of the City of Moncton, in the County of Westmorland, and Province of New Brunswick, for the following purposes, namely:

To carry on the business of agents and brokers or insurance in all its branches, and to act as agents on behalf of

others in the purchase and sale of real property or other securities.

To acquire by purchase, mortgage, lease, or otherwise hold and own real estate and imovable property, and to sell, lease, convey, exchange, dispose of, manage or otherwise deal with real property.

To purchase, acquire, hold, transfer, invest in, dispose of and deal in stocks, debentures, bonds or other securities in any other company.

To invest in and deal with the moneys of the Company not immediately required for other purposes, in mortgages or other securities in such manner as may be determined.

To do all acts and exercise all powers and carry on all business incidental to the due carrying out of the objects of the Company.

To buy or otherwise acquire, to hold and to sell, or otherwise dispose of property, both movable or immovable.

To subscribe for, underwrite, buy, take or otherwise acquire and to hold either as principal or agent, and absolutely as owner or by way of collateral security, and enjoy, sell, exchange or otherwise deal in the stock, bonds, debentures and other securities of any municipal, industrial or financial corporation or company.

To investigate, examine, audit and report on the books, standing, prospects, business, affairs and conditions of any person, firm or corporation, and to investigate, examine and report on the title to and value of properties, real or personal, private or public; or in the legality of any issue of bonds, debentures or other security of any corporation, or on the circumstances of any business concern or undertaking, and generally on any assets, property or rights.

To sell, lease, exchange or otherwise dispose of or deal with all or any part of the property, rights or undertaking of the Company for such consideration as the Company may think proper, and in particular for shares, bonds, debentures or other securities of any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to those of the Company; by the name of "L. B. Read, Limited," with a total capital stock of ten thousand dollars, divided into one hundred shares of one hundred dollars each, and with the head office at the City of Moncton, in the County of Westmorland.

Dated at the office of the Provincial Secretary-Treasurer, at Fredericton, the eighteenth day of November, 1915.

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PHILIP N. LEBLANC, LIMITED.

**PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given, that under The New Brunswick Joint Stock Companies' Act, Letters Patent have been issued under the seal of the Provincial Secretary-Treasurer, bearing date the eighteenth day of November, A. D. 1915, incorporating Philip N. LeBlanc, Manufacturer; Vitaline LeBlanc, Married Woman; J. Albert LeBlanc, Clerk; Jos. P. LeBlanc, Clerk, and Jaddus N. LeBlanc, Clerk; all of the City of Moncton, in the County of Westmorland, and Province of New Brunswick, for the following purposes, namely:

To purchase, take over or otherwise acquire as a going concern, the lumber manufacturing business now or heretofore carried on by Philip N. LeBlanc, at the City of Moncton, and to carry on the same; and to purchase, take over or otherwise acquire and hold the property, both real and personal, used by the said Philip N. LeBlanc in carrying on the said business, and to pay for the same in paid-up shares or stock of the Company, or otherwise, and to take over the liabilities of said business.

To carry on a general logging and lumber manufacturing business in all its branches, including driving, booming, sawing, manufacturing, shipping, buying, selling, trading and dealing in all classes of logs, piling, timber and lumber manufactured and unmanufactured, and all products thereof, and to build dams and develop, buy and sell water power.

To carry on the business of contractors and builders and general construction work with all powers incidental or convenient thereto.

To build, purchase, lease or otherwise acquire, hold, operate or otherwise dispose of mills, machinery, plant, booms, dams, waterways, vessels, scows and other craft, and any interest therein as may be deemed necessary.

To borrow money for the needs of the Company and to mortgage any of the assets to secure loans, by the name of "Philip N. LeBlanc, Limited," with a total capital stock of twenty-five thousand dollars, divided into one thousand shares of twenty-five dollars each, and with the head office at Moncton, in the County of Westmorland, in said Province.

Dated at the office of the Provincial Secretary-Treasurer, at Fredericton, the eighteenth day of November, 1915.

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