

Miscellaneous Record, No. 19, Madison County

Green-Rogers Post #184)
 American Legion)
 to)
 The Public)

Articles of
 Incorporation

Filed for record; the 15 day of January A.D.
 1920 at 11.30 o'clock A.M.
 Nettie E. Winship Recorder
 Winifred Whedon, Deputy
 # 119

We whose names are hereunto subscribed, do hereby certify that we have associated ourselves together as a body corporate.

Article I.

The name of this Corporation shall be Green-Rogers Post No. 184 of the American Legion at Winterset, Madison County, Iowa.

Article II.

The business of this corporation shall be to provide and maintain Post Rooms for Green-Rogers Post No. 184 of the American Legion, and to conduct the financial affairs, advance the interest of and hold, buy, sell the property of said Post and to inculcate patriotism and 100% Americanism.

Article III.

The members of this corporation shall consist of the active members of Green-Rogers Post from time to time, as shown by the Post records.

Article IV.

This corporation shall commence business on the 1st day of January A.D. 1920, and continue twenty years with the right of renewal, unless sooner dissolved by a three-fourths vote of all the members at a meeting called expressly for said purpose.

Article V.

The affairs of this corporation shall be conducted by nine directors, who shall hold their office one year, and until their successors are elected and qualified. The Post officers shall be ex officio directors and shall hold their office for the term of their election. Said Post shall from its own numbers elect a Post Commander, Vice Post Commander, Post Adjutant, Post Finance Officer, Post Historian, Post Chaplain and Three Directors at the first meeting of each year and they shall hold office for one year and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified.

Article VI.

The election of the officers and directors of this corporation shall be held in the Post Room at Winterset, Iowa, on the 1st Monday of January A.D. 1920, and of each January thereafter. At all elections and meetings of the members of this corporation each person shall be entitled to vote as provided in the By-Laws of this corporation. Ten days' Notice, by posting a written notice on the Post Bulletin Board in the Post Rooms at Winterset, Iowa, shall be given of all called or special meetings, and notice of same published in at least one newspaper.

Article VII.

The directors may call a meeting of the members at any time they see proper and shall do so upon written request of five members.

Article VIII.

The directors of this corporation until the election in January A.D. 1920 shall be Fred Green, Robert Goshorn, and Charles W. Aikins.

Article IX.

The private property of the members of this corporation shall be exempt from liability for the debts of this corporation.

X.

The indebtedness of this corporation shall not at any time exceed One Thousand Dollars.

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XI.

No alteration or amendment shall be made to these Articles of Incorporation unless the same be adopted by a two-thirds majority vote of the members present at a meeting of the members called for that purpose.

Witness our hands this 15th day of January A.D. 1920.

Raymond O. Brook
Richard McNamee
John H. Winthrope
A. J. Holstrom
Charles W. Atkins
Carlston E. Hull
Will H. Henry

Lynn Vance
William J. Case
Clarence S. Ely
Earnest C. Hamilton
Bigobert A. Gaskle
Fred E. Green
Thomas P. Rowe

State of Iowa)
Madison County) ss.

On this 15th day of January A.D. 1920, before me personally appeared the persons named in the foregoing instrument and to me known to be the persons named in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their voluntary act and deed.

Phil R. Wilkinson

Notary Public in and for Madison County, Iowa.

