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Ben F. Kiddoo Post No. 686

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CERTIFIED COPY OF CHARTER OF BEN F. KIDDOO
POST NO. 686 DEPARTMENT OF IOWA
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
THE
AMERICAN LEGION

APPROVED
MAR 14 1947
ROLLO H. BERGESON
Secretary of State
By C. F O'Connor

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The required number of persons duly qualified for membership having applied therefor and such application having been approved in due form.

Now therefore, pursuant to the powers conferred by the Constitution of The American Legion, this Charter is granted and those applying together with such others as may unite with them are hereby authorized to establish and maintain a Post of THE AMERICAN LEGION at Macksburg, to be known as Ben F. Kiddoo Post No. 686 Department of Iowa, and this instrument, unless revoked or suspended, shall be conclusive evidence of the lawful existence thereof.

By the acceptance of this Charter, the said Post acknowledges irrevocable jurisdiction and declares itself to be in all things subject to the Constitutions of The American Legion and of the Department of Iowa, and the rules, regulations orders and laws promulgated in pursuance thereof; and further the said Post pledges itself, through its members, to uphold, protect and defend the Constitution of The United States, and the principles of true Americanism, for the common welfare of the living and in solemn commemoration of those who died that liberty might not perish from the Earth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Charter is given under the hand and seal of the National Commander, duly attested by the National Adjutant, at Headquarters in Indianapolis, Indiana, this 22nd day of July, 1946, and countersigned by the Commander and the Adjutant for the Department of Iowa at Des Moines the 24th day of July, 1946.

Countersigned:

/s/ R. R. Stuart Department Commander
/s/ R. J. Laird Department Adjutant

Attest: /s/ John Stelle National Commander
/s/ Donald G. Glasscoff National Adjutant

SEAL

CERTIFICATION

STATE OF IOWA MADISON COUNTY) SS

We, Levi T. Fisher and J. I. Umsted, being first duly sworn on oath depose and say that we are respectively the Post-Commander and Post-Adjutant of Ben F. Kiddoo Post No. 686 Department of Iowa, of the American Legion and that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Charter of the Post of the American Legion at Macksburg, Iowa, known as Ben F. Kiddoo Post No. 686 Department of Iowa.

Dated at Winterset, Iowa, this 12th day of March, A.D. 1947.

Levi T. Fisher Post-Commander
J. I. Umsted Post-Adjutant

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Levi T. Fisher and J. I. Umsted, this 12th day of March, A.D. 1947.

(Notarial Seal)

Shirley A. Webster Notary Public
in and for Madison County, Iowa.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE Des Moines, Iowa
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