

Woods
Royal Order of Lions

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That,

- W. P. Woods, A.B. M.D.
- Stanford E. Pomroy,
- Theodora J. de Sabla,
- George J. Van Alstair,
- William E. Loos,

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All of Evansville, Vanderburgh County Indiana, being desirous of associating themselves together for the purpose of forming a body corporate under the laws of the State of Indiana for the Incorporation of Voluntary Associations, approved March 9th, 1901 and all acts and laws amendatory and supplementary thereto, do make and adopt and mutually agree to and abide by the following articles to-wit:

ARTICLE 1. NAME.

The name of the Society or association shall be known

ARTICLE 2. CAPITAL.

There shall be no capital stock, the Association not being organized for pecuniary profit or reward.

ARTICLE 3. OBJECT--PLAN.

The object and purpose of this Society or lodge is social intercourse and entertainment; to do deeds of charity within its membership and to mutually aid and assist a member when in need or distress.

The proposed plan for carrying out the object and purposes of this Society is to organize into what is known as a lodge with a ritual, and to adopt such secret work as may be necessary to accomplish this purpose.

SECOND--To adopt suitable by-laws, rules and regulations to govern the Society.

THIRD--To provide in the BY-LAWS, RULES AND REGULATIONS of the society for the payment of monthly membership dues by each member for the support and maintenance of the society, and to provide for the relief of

ARTICLE 4. NAMES AND PLACES OF EACH INCORPORATED PARTY.

The names and residences of each of the incorporating parties are as follows:-

W. E. Woods, A. B. M. D., Evansville, Ind.
Stanford K. Pomroy, Evansville, Ind.
Theodore J. deSable, Evansville, Ind.
Geo. W. Van Alstyne, Evansville, Ind.
William E. Loos, Evansville, Ind.

ARTICLE 5. DOMICILE.

The Domicile of the society shall be at the City of Evansville, County of Vanderburgh, State of Indiana, but the society reserves the right to establish subordinate organizations elsewhere.

ARTICLE 6. TERM.

The society not being organized for profit, its term of existence shall be perpetual.

ARTICLE 7. SEAL.

The seal of the Society shall be a round metal disc, on the upper margin of which shall appear the words "ROYAL ORDER OF LIONS" on the lower margin thereof the name and number of the lodge; in the center shall appear a fac Simile of a Lion's head with the word "SEAL"; said seal to be so constructed, that by its use a raised impression of same will be made on paper.

ARTICLE 8. OFFICERS OF THE SUPREME

Officers of the Supreme Royal Den shall be as follows:-

- A Supreme Royal President.
- A Supreme Royal Vice President.
- A Supreme Royal Secretary and Treasurer.
- A Supreme Royal Overseer.
- A Supreme Royal Guard.

ARTICLE 9. SUPREME ROYAL GOVERNING BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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There shall be a Supreme Royal Governing Board of Trustees consisting of five members who shall manage the business and prudential of the Company.

The selection of the Supreme Royal Governing Board of Trustees shall be for a term of office to be as provided for in the Constitution.

The Supreme Royal Governing Board of Trustees for the first year after their members are duly elected and qualified shall be as follows:

- W. P. Woods, A.B. M.D.,
- Stanford K. Pomroy,
- Theodore J. de Sabla,
- Geo. J. Van Allstyn,
- William E. Loos.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands and seals, this 18th day of August, A.D. 1911.

W. P. Woods (SEAL)
Stanford K. Pomroy (SEAL)
Theodore J. de Sabla (SEAL)
Geo. J. Van Allstyn (SEAL)
William E. Loos (SEAL)

STATE OF INDIANA, VANDERBURGH COUNTY ss:

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State,

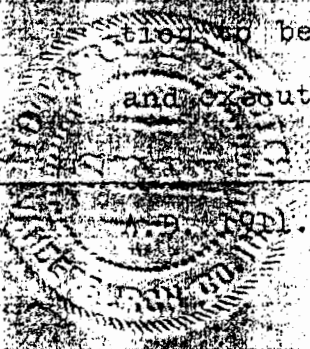
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and acknowledged the execution of the foregoing Articles of Incorporation to be their free act and deed for the purpose therein set forth and executed the same in duplicate.

Witness my hand and Notarial Seal this 18th day of August,

C. F. Werner
Notary Public.

My commission expires September 24, 1911.





ROYAL ORDER OF LIONS

SUPREME DEN, EVANSVILLE, INDIANA

FOR 100% AMERICANS ONLY



*"If we can ease one life from aching,
Or cool one pain;
If we can stop one heart from breaking,
We shall not live in vain."*

*"The happiest heart that ever beat,
Was in some quiet breast,
That found his brother's friendship sweet,
That helps those in distress."*

RIGHTEOUSNESS :: OBEDIENCE :: ORDER :: LOVE

Hi Leo: We are Going Some



Come on fellows, keep pace with us.