State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

ORIGINAL ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION. (NON-BUSINESS CORPORATION.)

Know all Men by these Bresents. That we F. LANSON SUETTERLEIN,
FRANCIS J. BENSON, NATHAN D. GOFF, EDGAR C. PETTIGREW, AND CHARLES W. JOHNSON
all of lawful age, hereby agree to and with each other:
FIRST. To associate ourselves together with the intention of forming a corporation
under and by virtue of the powers conferred by Article III of Chapter 116 of the General
Laws of Rhode Island.
SECOND. Said corporation shall be known by the name of
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CHILD EVANGELISM FELLOWSHIP OF RHODE ISLAND, INC.
THIRD. Said corporation is constituted for the purpose of promoting a program of Home Bible Classes for Children; fostering and carrying on Open Air and Radio Evangelism among Children; conducting conferences and conventions for the Benefit of Children's work; employing colporters to visit homes with the Gospel and with approved Child Evangelism Fellowship Literature for Children and adults; providing a camping program for Children; providing such other programs and facilities as may be deemed necessary, also a Teacher Training program if feasible by the State Committee to reach Children for Christ, carrying for the Physical and spiritual needs of Children, and providing Christian training for boys and girls of unusual promise; cooperating with every other Christian Agency deemed advisable by the State Committee as Daily Vacation Bible School; and expanding this ministry throughout the State of Rhode Island and unto the uttermost parts of the Earth.
In addition to the foregoing, said corporation shall have the following powers and
authority, viz:—(See § 75, Chapter 116 of the General Laws.)
To do any lawful act which is necessary or proper to accomplish the purposes of its incorporation. Without limiting or enlarging the effect of this general grant of authority, it is hereby specifically provided that every such corporation shall have power:
 (a) to have perpetual succession in its corporate name unless a period for its duration is limited in its articles of association or charter; (b) to sue and be sued in its corporate name;
 (c) to have and use a comon seal and alter the same at pleasure; (d) to elect such officers and appoint such agents as its purposes require, and to fix their compensation and define
their duties: (c) to make by-laws not inconsistent with the constitution or laws of the United States or of this state, or with the corporation's charter or articles of association, determining the time and place of holding and the manner of calling and of conducting meetings of its members and directors, the manner of electing its officers and directors, the mode of voting by proxy, and the number, qualifications, powers, duties and term of office of its officers and directors, and containing any other provisions, whether of the same or of a different nature, for the management of the corporation's property and the regulation and government of its affairs;

(f) to make contracts, incur liabilities and borrow money.

Said corporation shall be entitled to take, hold, transmit and convey real and personal estate to an amount not exceeding in all \$160,000.00. But if such corporation desires to take and hold property to an amount exceeding \$160,000.00 either originally or by amendment, such privilege shall be granted only by the general assembly on petition thereto.

FOURTH. Said corporation shall be located in PROVIDENCE , Rhode Island. (City or Town)

(Further provisions not inconsistent with law)

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I Hereby Certify That Chief Evengelian Tells

in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 116, General Laws of 1938

General Treasurer.