

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

ORIGINAL ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION.

(NON-BUSINESS CORPORATION.)

Know all men by these Presents, That we, Leo Turicchi, Pasquale Varone, Tomaso Germani, Paride Domenici and Albert Pellegrini

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 248 of the General Laws of Rhode Island.

SECOND. Said corporation shall be known by the name of

LOGGIA ROMA, NO. 271, ORDER OF THE SONS OF ITALY IN AMERICA

THIRD. Said corporation is constituted for the purpose of

uniting local people of Italian descent in one social entity in order to further civic and social education of its own members; to encourage Italian culture; to promote the moral and intellectual elevation of its members; to organize institutions for furthering social welfare; and to provide a medium through which companionship, fellowship, good will and brotherhood may be promoted among people of Italian extraction, and to engage in any other purposes not contrary to law.

In addition to the foregoing, said corporation shall have the following powers and authority, viz:—(See Sec. 75, Chapter 248 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 said corporation shall have power:

- (a) to have perpetual succession in its corporate name, unless a period for its duration is limited in these articles of association;
- (b) to sue and be sued in its corporate name;
- (c) to have and use a common 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;
- (e) to make by-laws not inconsistent with the constitution or laws of the United States or of this state, or with these 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 one hundred fifty thousand dollars. But if it desires to take and hold property to an amount exceeding one hundred fifty thousand dollars either originally or by amendment, such privilege shall be granted only by the general assembly on petition thereto.

(OVER)

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

(Further provisions not inconsistent with law.)

FIFTH

SIXTH

SEVENTH

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and stated our residences this  
11th day of September, A. D. 19 37

NAME.	RESIDENCE.
Leo Turicchi	56 Cato Ave Pawt. R. I.
Pasquale Varone	39 Vernon St Pawt. R. I.
Tomaso Germani	136 Westminster Blvd Pawt. R. I.
Peride Domenici	141 Columbus av Pawt. R. I.
Albert Pellegrini	58 Cato Ave Pawt. R. I.

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND,  
COUNTY OF Providence

In the City } of Pawtucket  
~~Pawtucket~~ }  
in said county this 11th day of September, A. D. 19 37, then  
personally appeared before me Leo Turicchi, Pasquale Varone, Tomaso Germani,  
Peride Domenici and Albert Pellegrini

each and all known to me and known by me to be the parties executing the foregoing  
instrument, and they severally acknowledged said instrument by them subscribed to be  
their free act and deed.

*Strenzo Corrente*  
Notary Public.

Non-Business Corporation

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Loggia Roma, No. 271, Order

of the Sons of Italy in

America

FORFEITED

UNDER GEN. LAWS 1936  
CH. 114 SEC 76 (A)

AUGUST 1, 1946

FORFEITURE VACATED BY  
SUPERIOR COURT  
SEP 10 1946

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE  
SECRETARY OF STATE.

OCT 9 1937

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A 7822 OFFICE OF THE GENERAL TREASURER

Providence, October 9, 1937.

I Hereby Certify That LOGGIA ROMA, No. 271, ORDER OF THE SONS OF  
ITALY IN AMERICA

has paid into the State Treasury a fee of

five Dollars for incorporation.

in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 248, General Laws, and all acts in amendment thereof.

\$ 5.00

*Henry A. Roberts*

General Treasurer