

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations.

ORIGINAL ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION.

(NON-BUSINESS CORPORATION.)

Know all Men by these Presents, That we, Oscar R. Johnson, of the City of Cranston, State of Rhode Island, Alfred Johnson, Charles G. Hultman, Harold Norberg and John Lundberg, of the City of Providence, said State, Oscar A. Larson, of the Town of Warwick, said State, and Carl E. Sandberg, of the City of Woonsocket, said State,

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 Title III of Chapter 1925 of the Public Laws of Rhode Island.

SECOND. Said corporation shall be known by the name of DISTRICT LODGE, RHODE ISLAND, No. 3, VASA ORDER OF AMERICA.

THIRD. Said corporation is constituted for the purpose of co-operating with the subordinate lodges of the Vasa Order of America in the State of Rhode Island and promoting greater economy and careful supervision over the maintenance of a common death benefit fund, in conformity with the constitution of the Grand Lodge of Vasa Order of America.

In addition to the foregoing, said corporation shall have the following powers and authority, viz:—

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

FOURTH. Said corporation shall be located in Providence, Rhode Island.

Further provisions not inconsistent with law.

FIFTH.

SIXTH.

SEVENTH.

In Testimony Whereof, We have hereunto set our hands and stated our residences
this 25th day of August A. D. 1922.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.
Oscar R. Johnson	Granatan R.I.
Alfred Johnson	Providence R.I.
Oscar A. Larson	Warwick R.I.
Charles G. Hultman	Providence R.I.
Carl E. Sandberg	Woonsocket R.I.
Harold Norberg	Providence R.I.
John Lundberg	Providence R.I.

State of Rhode Island,
County of Providence }

In the City } of Providence
Town }

in said county this 25th day of August, A. D. 1922, then
personally appeared before me Oscar R. Johnson, Alfred Johnson, Charles
G. Hultman, Harold Norberg, John Lundberg, Oscar A. Larson and
Carl E. Sandberg,

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

Hugo A. Mason
Notary Public.

Non-Business Corporation

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ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION OF

DISTRICT LODGE, RHODE

ISLAND, No. 3, VASA ORDER

OF AMERICA.

FORFEITED

UNDER GEN. LAWS 1932
CH. 116 SEC. 26 (A)
JULY 22, 1941

FORFEITURE VACATED BY

GENERAL ASSEMBLY
(SEE S-72 APPROVED FEB. 11, 1943)

FORFEITED

ORDER OF COURT
FORFEITURE VACATED BY
SUPERIOR COURT
DECREE ENTERED SEP 10 1962

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE
SECRETARY OF STATE.

August 28th, 1922



State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
A 352 OFFICE OF THE GENERAL TREASURER

Providence, August 28, 1922

I hereby certify that District Lodge, Rhode Island No. 3, Vasa
Order of America

has paid into the State Treasury a fee of Five 00/100 Dollars for incorporation

in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 192 Public Laws, January Session, 1920.

General Treasurer

John W. ...