

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF "THE WEST BRANCH BOOM COMPANY".

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, the undersigned (a majority) all of whom are citizens of the State of Idaho, have this day voluntarily associated ourselves together for the purpose of forming a corporation under the laws of the State of Idaho.

And we hereby certify, First. That the name of the said corporation shall be "The West Branch Boom Company".

(2) That the purposes for which it is formed are, the construction of piers, hanging of booms, and excavation of a stream called "The West Branch" (of the Priest River) so that logs and any other material whatsoever can be floated in the same, and to own and operate any buildings, machinery or appliance necessary to the proper and convenient carrying on of the business hereinafter named and such as are incidental thereto; to make and perform and do any and all contracts, agreements, undertakings, employments and purchases deemed proper in the said business; and to make, sign, execute, endorse and deliver all notes, drafts, bills, deeds and other writings deemed proper in carrying on of the said business, and to do all things, and to have, hold and do all things which may be necessary, useful or proper in the carrying on of the said business or any of it.

(3) That the place where the principal business of the said corporation is to be transacted is the city of Priest River, Idaho.

(4) That the term for which the said corporation is to exist is Fifty years from and after the date of its incorporation.

(5) That the number of directors or trustees of said corporation shall be five, and that the names and residences of the directors or trustees who are appointed for the first year and to serve until the election, <sup>and</sup> qualification of such officers, are as follows, to wit:

Names.	Where residence is at.
William C.Torelle,	Priest River, Idaho.
Albert E.Torelle,	Priest River, Idaho.
M.P.Jones,	Priest River, Idaho.
John Gownlock,	Priest River, Idaho.
Joseph Poirier,	Rathdrum, Idaho.

(6) That the amount of capital stock of said corporation is twenty-five thousand (\$25,000.00) dollars, and the number of shares into which it is divided is Five Hundred, of the value of one cent each.

(7) That the amount of Capital stock which had been actually subscribed is twenty-five thousand (25000.00) dollars, and the following are the names of the persons by whom the same has been subscribed and the amount subscribed by each of them, to-wit:

Names of Subscribers.	No. of Shares.	Amount.
William C.Torelle,	250	\$12500
Albert E.Torelle,	100	5000.00
M.P.Jones,	50	2500.00
John Gownlock,	50	2500.00
Joseph Poirier,	50	2500.00

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and seals this 27 day of April A.D.1896.

Signed, sealed and delivered  
in the presence of  
Henry T.Ray.  
Robt.S.Bragaw.

William C.Torrelle, (Seal)  
Albert E.Torrelle, (Seal)  
Joseph Poirier, (Seal)  
M.P.Jones, (Seal)  
John Gowanlock, (Seal)

State of Idaho

and County of Kootenai:

} ss.

On this 27th day of April A.D.1896,  
before me, Robt.S.Bragaw, a Clerk of the District Court in and  
for the said county and state, personally appeared William C.  
Torelle, Albert E.Torelle and Joseph Poirier, known to me to be  
the persons whose names are subscribed to and who executed the  
within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed  
the same.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed  
my official seal the day and year last above written.

Robt.S.Bragaw,

Clerk District Court.

By Henry T.Ray,

( S E A L )

Deputy.

State of Idaho

County of Kootenai.)

} ss.

On this 30th day of April A.D.1896,  
before me, M.S.Lindsay, Notary Public in and for the County and  
State aforesaid, personally appeared M.P.Jones and John Gowanlock,  
known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to and  
who executed the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that  
they executed the same.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed  
my official seal the day and year last above written.

M.S.Lindsay,

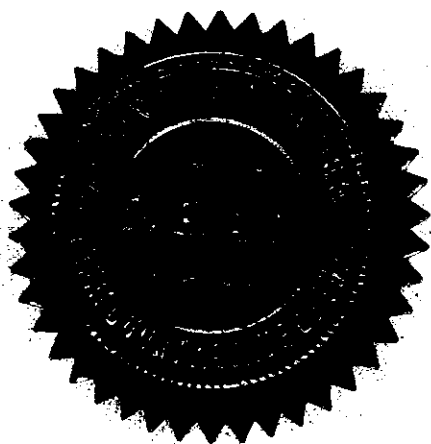
( S E A L )

Notary Public.

State of Idaho )  
County of Kootenai. } ss.

I, Robt.S.Bragaw, County Recorder in  
and for the County of Kootenai, State of Idaho, do hereby certify  
the within and foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy  
of the original Articles of Incorporation of "The West Branch  
Boom Company", as the same appears on file in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal, at Rathdrum, Idaho, this  
7th day of May A.D. 1896.



*Robt S Bragaw*

County Recorder.

By

*Harry T. Ray*

Deputy.

