

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That,

We the undersigned have this day associated ourselves together for the purpose of forming a private corporation, subject to and under the Laws of the State of Washington, and for that purpose do hereby make and subscribe in triplicate the following articles of incorporation, to-wit:

ART. I

The name of this Corporation shall be, Cox & Kegley Company,
(limited)

Art. II

The object and purpose for which this corporation is formed is and shall be,

1st. To conduct and carry on a Wholesale and Retail General Merchandise Business.

2nd. To buy and sell any and all kinds of native, natural, and manufactured products, either on its own account or as the agent, or factor of others.

3rd. To purchase, own, control and manage real estate and personal property of every kind and nature, such as the Trustees of this corporation, *may deem advisable to carry out the objects of this corporation* to lease, sell, convey, assign, mortgage, transfer, or otherwise dispose of, or encumber any and all real estate or personal property held or controlled by this corporation, to execute and deliver, and to accept and receive any and all necessary deeds, conveyances, mortgages, leases, or other contracts whatsoever, and do any and all things in connection with the said property which may seem proper and expedient for the further control, management and operation of its business as herein set forth.

Art. III.

The capital stock of this corporation shall be Three Thousand Dollars.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE.

State of Washington,)
County of Whitman,) ss.

I, John Tobin, do hereby certify that I am the Auditor of Whitman County, Washington, and that I am the legal custodian of such records as are by law required to be kept in the Auditor's office.

I further certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy and transcript of *articles of Incorporation* which were on the 27th day of *January* 1896 at the hour of 3 o'clock and 55 minutes P. M., filed for record in the office of the Auditor of Whitman County, Washington, and is now of record in said office on page 196 of book 1 of *Articles of Incorporation*, Records of Whitman County, Washington.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 5 day of *March*, 1896 at the hour of 11 o'clock and 15 minutes A. M.

J. Tobin

Auditor of Whitman

County, Washington.

By *A. W. Parker*
Deputy