

**THE BLIND RIVER NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited).**

Incorporated 17th February, 1888.

Amount of Capital Stock \$10,000.

Number of Shares, 500.—Amount of each Share, \$20.

*Corporate Members* :—Joseph Ryder Lawton, Merchant; Sylvester Howard Lawton, Merchant; Wallace Rathbun Lawton, Book Keeper; Gregory William McGregor, Mariner; Alexander Kidd, Innkeeper; and Charles Mills Garvey, Solicitor.

*First or Provisional Directors* :—Joseph Ryder Lawton, Alexander Kidd and Charles Mills Garvey.

*Chief Place of Business* :—The Town of Sarnia, County of Lambton, Ont.

*Objects of the Company* :—To construct, purchase, acquire, charter, navigate, and maintain steam or sailing vessels or other vessels for the purpose of carrying and conveying passengers, goods, freights, mails, or other traffic, upon and over any of the navigable waters within or bordering upon the Dominion of Canada, to and from any port or ports therein calling at any intermediate port or ports and to and from any Canadian port to any port in the United States of America, and to levy, charge and collect such tolls or remuneration therefor as to the Company may seem reasonable or may be agreed upon, subject to the approval of the Governor General in Council; to construct, purchase, acquire, charter, navigate and maintain steam or sailing vessels, or other vessels, lighters, floats, steam-pumps, engines, hoists, cranes, diving apparatus, plant, machinery and appurtenances necessary for the efficient performance of wrecking and salvage services upon any of the navigable waters within or bordering upon the Dominion of Canada, and to levy, charge, and collect such tolls or remuneration therefor as to the Company may seem reasonable or may be agreed upon; to employ the Company's steam vessels in towing vessels and cargoes in and upon the navigable waters within or bordering upon the Dominion of Canada, and to levy, charge, and collect such tolls or remuneration therefor as to the Company may seem reasonable or may be agreed upon; to charter from time to time the Company's vessels or any of them or let the Company's property or any of it for any or all of the purposes aforesaid upon such terms as to remuneration and otherwise as may be agreed upon between the Company and the Charterers; to exchange the Company's vessels or any of them for others, and to execute and deliver mortgages upon the vessel or vessels received by the Company in exchange, and take mortgages upon the vessel or vessels exchanged by the Company from the persons with whom such exchanges shall be made for any difference in the price arising upon such exchange; to mortgage, hypothecate and pledge at such rates of interest as may be agreed upon, any or all of the Company's real or personal property (including vessel property purchased) to secure payment of the purchase money or any part thereof remaining unpaid upon any vessel or property purchased by the Company; to construct, acquire, purchase or lease any docks, offices, buildings, warehouses and premises that may be necessary for the Company or for the Company's business, and to purchase, hold or sell any real estate requisite for the carrying on of the undertaking by the Company; to make, draw, accept and endorse any promissory note, bill of exchange, draft or bank cheque requisite in the Company's interest; to make contracts with any person or corporation whatever for the benefit of the said Company, and to enforce the same; to from time to time sell and dispose of for cash or upon credit or partly for cash and partly upon credit the Company's real or personal property or any part thereof and to take such securities therefor as to the Company shall seem proper.