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ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT AND INCORPORATION

Buffalo Oil Company

Know all Men by these Presents, That the Corporators hereinafter named have this day, and by these presents, formed a Corporation under and in pursuance of an Act of Congress approved February 18th, 1901, entitled "An Act to put in force in the Indian Territory certain provisions of the Laws of Arkansas relating to Corporations and to make said provisions applicable to said Territory," which said Act provides for incorporations for manufacturing and other lawful business purposes in the Indian Territory, and in evidence thereof do hereby execute the following Articles of Incorporation:

FIRST: The name of said Corporation shall be *Buffalo Oil Company*

SECOND: The Corporators are *Louis A. Fischer, Gibson T. Williams and Frederick O. Groves,*

THIRD: The place of business is to be located at *Leola, Indian Territory,*
and its office for the transaction of business shall be in *Leola, I. T.,* or at such other place as the Board of Directors may select.

FOURTH: The general nature of the business proposed to be transacted by this Corporation is:

To obtain, purchase, acquire, own, hold, deal in, transfer, encumber and dispose of, by grant, deed, lease, mortgage, or otherwise, in whole or in part, whenever and wherever desired, as principal, agent, trustee or otherwise, oil, oil lands, oil leases, gas lands and leases, gas mines, mining, claims, minerals, mineral leases, all kinds of real and personal property, leases and lease hold estates, and any and all products thereof and therefrom or thereby produced and by products thereof together with all machinery, appliances and materials, used or to be used therewith, thereto belonging or connected therewith, or therein or thereon; and to own, hold, acquire, encumber, and dispose of by grant, deed, lease, or otherwise, any and all the above described property, and any right, title, or interest therein and products thereof and shall have the right to acquire, own, hold, encumber and dispose of franchises for lighting, heating and power purposes; to erect, establish, maintain and operate all buildings, shafts, plants, machinery plants, telephone and telegraph lines, pipe lines, and appliances for producing, transporting, refining, storing, and disposing of oil, gas, minerals and other products and by products; to borrow money and execute notes and bonds, mortgages and other evidences of indebtedness and instruments of conveyance and to make all contracts and do all things necessary and proper in the transaction of the above business not inconsistent with the laws of the Indian Territory.