

CERTIFIED COPY

STATE OF MONTANA, }
County of Valley. }

I, W. B. Shoemaker, county clerk and recorder in and for the county and state aforesaid, do hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of the original Art Incorp as the same appears of record in this office, in ~~Book~~ ^{file} No. 289, of Misc filings

Art Inc The First Presbyterian Church of Poplar

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In witness whereof I hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said county, this 10 day of Nov 1910

W B Shoemaker
Clerk and Recorder in and for Valley County, Montana

By.....
Deputy Clerk.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF
POPLAR, MONTANA.

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We, C. E. Scott, J. G. Kurtz, Mrs. Edna E. Patch, Mrs. Anna J. Walker and Paul Haynes, Trustees of The First Presbyterian Church of Poplar, Montana, do by these presents, pursuant to and in conformity with Section 4226 of the Revised Codes of the State of Montana, 1907, and by authority of the members of said church, as shown by the attached resolution adopted by the members thereof, for and on behalf of ourselves and the other members of said church, associate ourselves together, and hereby adopt the following

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

Section 1. The corporate name of said corporation shall be "The First Presbyterian Church of Poplar, Montana."

Section 2. The object for which said corporation is formed is to meet for religious worship, to hold public religious and divine services, to provide and own a suitable church building in which to hold and conduct such religious services, to receive members into said church in accordance with the established rules of said denomination, to own such other church property as may be necessary, and generally to do and perform all acts and things necessary to carry out the objects and purposes for which this corporation is formed, and for such purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits, privileges and immunities incident to and given under the laws of the State of Montana to corporations of this character.

Section 3. The number of trustees for the first year of its corporate existence shall be five.

Section 4. The names of the trustees of said corporation who shall serve for the first year and until their successors are elected and shall have qualified are C. E. Scott, J. G. Kurtz, Mrs. Edna E. Patch, Mrs. Anna J. Walker and Paul Haynes, all of Poplar, Montana.

Section 5. The existence of said corporation shall be perpetual.

Section 6. This corporation shall have and possess no capital

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stock, and the funds necessary to carry out the objects for which the corporation is formed shall be raised by free contributions.

In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals this Sevent day of October A. D. 1910.

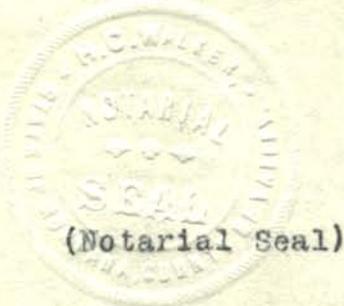
C. E. Scott (SEAL)
J. G. Kurtz (SEAL)
Edna E. Patch (SEAL)
Mrs Anna J. Walker (SEAL)
Paul Haynes (SEAL)

State of Montana,)
County of Valley,) ss.

On this 7th day of October

A. D. 1910, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the State of Montana, personally appeared C. E. Scott, J. G. Kurtz, Mrs. Edna E. Patch, Mrs. Anna J. Walker and Paul Haynes, known to me to be the persons who are described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and severally acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my notarial seal the day and year in this acknowledgment first above written.



H. C. Waerden
Notary Public for the State of Montana,
Residing at Poplar, Montana.
My commission expires on Mar 22 1911

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We, the undersigned, being respectively the presiding officer and the secretary of a meeting of the members of The First Presbyterian Church of Poplar, held at Poplar, Montana, on Tuesday, September 20, 1910, at 8 o'clock P. M., do hereby certify that at such meeting the following resolution was duly adopted by vote of all members present, all members present voting for the adoption of said resolution. Said resolution being as follows: "RESOLVED that the trustees of this church, to-wit, C. E. Scott, J. G. Kurtz, Mrs. Edna E. Patch, Mrs. Anna J. Walker and Paul Haynes, be and are hereby authorized to incorporate this church as "THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF POPLAR, MONTANA", and for that purpose to file with the proper officer articles of incorporation as required by law."

G. Edward Evans

Minister presiding at said meeting.

Attest

Anna J. Walker

Secretary of the Congregation.