Madison County Farm Bureau
~~Association~~

to

The Public

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Fee $1.10

Filed for record the 27 day of December A. D., 1927, at 11:50 o'clock A. M.
Gladys B. DeVault, Recorder,
Ercell M. Knott, Deputy

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION
Amended and Substituted.

We, the undersigned farmers, landowners, and business men of Madison County, Iowa, do hereby adopt the following articles of incorporation:

ARTICLE 1. The objects of this corporation shall be to advance and improve, in Madison County, Iowa, agriculture, domestic science, horticulture and animal husbandry.

ARTICLE 2. The name of this corporation shall be Madison County Farm Bureau.

ARTICLE 3. The affairs of this corporation shall be conducted by a president, a vice president, a secretary, and a treasurer, who shall perform the duties usually pertaining to such positions, and by a board of not less than nine directors.

Such officers and directors shall be elected by the members of the corporation at an annual meeting held on the third Monday in December of each year; their term of office shall begin on the first Monday in the next January after their election and they shall serve for a term of one year and until their successors are elected. Not more than two of such directors shall be residents of the same township at the time of election.

We, the said incorporators, have elected the following provisional officers to hold their respective positions until their successors are elected at the annual meeting in the year 1927.

President	J. W. Sawhill
Vice-President	H. C. Patton
Secretary	H. L. Olsen
Treasurer	F. D. Brownell

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

1. Robert Godby	6. C. L. Newton	11. Ernest Vierling
2. J. F. Lentz	7. C. A. Simmons	12. W. H. Breeding
3. David Brittain	8. J. J. Kelleher	13. Lyle Whitworth
4. W. E. Shambaugh	9. Floyd Thomas	14. Ward Greenwood
5. Sam Hoeness	10. Geo. Pilmer	15. Oscar Frederickson

16. Miles Husted 17. Ross Peters

ARTICLE 4. The yearly dues of the members of this corporation shall be five dollars, payable at the time of applying for membership and on the first Monday in January of each year thereafter. No member having once paid his dues shall forfeit his membership until his subsequent dues are six months in arrears.

ARTICLE 5. Any citizen of the county and any non resident owning land in the county shall

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have the right to become a member of the corporation by paying the annual dues and thereafter complying with the articles and by-laws of the corporation.

ARTICLE 6. This corporation shall endure until terminated by operation of law.

ARTICLE 7. These articles of incorporation may be amended at any regular or special meeting called for that purpose.

ARTICLE 8. The private property of the members shall be exempt from corporate debts.

INCORPORATORS

David Brittain	C. R. Peters
W. E. Macumber	C. L. Newton
C. C. Bek	B. H. Johnson
F. J. Thomas	W. H. Breeding
Hugh Boyce	D. W. Short

STATE OF IOWA)
Madison County) ss;

BE IT REMEMBERED, that on the 27 day of December, A. D., 1927, before me personally appeared

David Brittain	F. J. Thomas	C. L. Newton
W. E. Macumber	Hugh Boyce	B. H. Johnson
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	D. W. Short	

to me personally known to be the identical persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing amended and substituted Articles of Incorporation and each for himself acknowledged the same to be his voluntary act and deed.

WITNESS my hand and notarial seal the day and year last above written.

NOTARIAL SEAL

Harry F. Anderson
Notary Public in and for
Madison County, Iowa.