AS WIDE AS THE STATE

Plan for the Organization of the Utah Bureau of Commerce and Mining.

NOT LIMITED TO THIS CITY ALONE.

Will Take the Place of the Salt Lake Chamber of Commerce, Only it Will Have a Larger Sphere of Action.

A meeting of Salt Lake women was held at the Templeton hotel last evening at which the question of incorporating the Chamber of Commerce was discussed as noted. Mrs. Emma Wells presided and W. D. Jones acted as secretary. It was the unanimous opinion of those present that this should be done and that the organization should be given a new name and a broader sphere of usefulness than the old one had. The matter came up for debate on the presentation of a report from a special committee appointed to revise a plan of organization for the encouragement and promotion of the mining and commercial interests of the State. Accompanying the report were a draft of articles of association and by-laws for the organization, which it is to be known as the Utah Bureau of Commerce and Mining. If these were adopted, they are subject to necessary modification and changes before incorporation.

A special committee composed of J. E. Dooy, L. S. Hills and W. W. Lawrence, was appointed to canvass for membership. The articles provide for the charter membership, which is required to be not less than 100 persons. The general membership fee is nominal initiation, and the annual dues are $1 a year.

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION.

We, the undersigned, agree to form an association under the laws of the State of Utah, for the purpose herein after set forth, each hereby subscribing and agreeing to the following articles of association:

Article 1. The objects of the association are: To foster and encourage the development of the mineral resources of Utah and to promote and protect the commercial, manufacturing and agricultural interests of the State; to guard legislation affecting these branches of industry; to publish reports, pamphlets, and to carry on literature relatively for the protection of the industries of the people of Utah; to preserve and maintain a bureau of information and other objects of the organization.

Art. 2. The name of the association shall be "Utah Bureau of Commerce and Mining."

Art. 3. There shall be a general membership limited to two hundred (200) who shall be known as charter members of this association, who shall pay to Secretary Treasurer without notice, who shall be known as general members and who shall pay to the Secretary Treasurer the sum of $1 for each membership. The dues shall be $1 per year, payable semi-annually in advance by both charter members and general members who shall and do hereby agree to pay same regularly until their death or resignation.

Art. 4. The officers of this association shall be a president, a first vice president, a secretary and treasurer. There shall be a board of directors, consisting of nine (9) members. Five (5) thereof present in person shall constitute a quorum.

Art. 5. The board of directors shall be elected in three classes and shall serve for terms of three years each, excepting the first board, which shall serve as hereinafter designated and provided.

Art. 6. The first annual meeting of the charter members of this association shall be held in Salt Lake City on the second Thursday in January, 1899, and they shall meet on the same day each year thereafter, when director shall be elected to be held by existing class for members who shall have paid their dues in full, to select the retiring directors. No person may vote or in any way participate in the proceedings of any meeting unless personally present. Hypocrisy shall not be allowed.

Art. 7. The board of directors shall meet immediately following each election the officers for the year, namely: A president, one vice president and a secretary treasurer, who need not be members of the board. There shall also elect a treasurer and they may elect any one to act as such.

Art. 8. The board of directors shall have full control and management of the affairs of the association, and shall meet monthly during the year on such date as may be determined by the president.

Art. 9. Immediately upon the adoption of this report the directors above named shall meet and organize as provided in article 7, who shall prepare their first annual report of the board of directors for presentation at the second Thursday in January, 1899.

Art. 10. Vacancies in the board of directors shall be filled by the remaining members of the board.

Art. 11. Upon affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members present, these articles may be amended at any time; but no amendment shall be adopted by less of the board of directors than a majority of those present. The board of directors shall call for the board on the regular monthly meeting, or a special meeting called for that purpose, by a notice in writing addressed to each member of the board, or by the mailing of a notice addressed to the last known address of the director, upon notice of the adoption of such amendments.

Art. 12. In addition to the officers and board of directors hereinbefore provided for, there shall be one (1) vice president in each of the counties of the State who may be either a charter member or a general member, and who shall act as such in the county in which he shall reside. The board of directors shall have power to fill such vacancies in such manner as they may deem proper, and the names thus so selected to be submitted at least 10 days prior to the annual meeting, when the number to be filled shall be voted on, and the names voted for shall be the successors of those whose terms of office shall expire by lapse of time