

Resolved, That the officers of this Company be and are hereby authorized and directed to enter into an agreement, under seal of Council, with Joseph B. Hutchinson, of New York, State, whereby this Company will expend \$10,000 in testing and proving the existence of tin ore on the claims of the Pittsburg-Hackler Tin Company, said claims to be specified in said agreement and suits to be guaranteed provided for payments yet to be made on such claims, and will do the necessary assessment work and will expend such further sum or sums as it may think desirable, not exceeding \$2,000 additional, in the development and exploration and in such assessment work, and in consideration of such expenditures this Company to have the right to purchase 260,000 out of a total of 600,000 full paid and unassessable shares of said The Pittsburg-Hackler Company at the price of ten cents per share and if purchased the amount paid for same, being \$26,000, to be used in constructing a suitable mining, milling and concentrating plant, said \$26,000. to be paid into the Treasury of said Company as required for that purpose, said payments to be concluded prior to the first day of July, 1906; but if this Company concludes not to purchase said 260,000 shares, it shall receive shares for the money expended, not exceeding \$50,000, at the rate of ten cents per share.

On motion, the meeting then adjourned.

Charles L. Gifford

Secretary

Minutes of Regular Meeting of Board of Directors of National Lead Company held at 100 William Street, New York on Thursday, 18 February, 1904, at 11:40 A.M.

Present: T. A. Cole

Geo. C. Carpenter

W. W. Lawrence

St. W. Rockwell

R. B. Colgate

E. C. Leshorn

R. V. Howe

A. P. Thompson

E. H. Beale

C. H. Wells

Walter Tufts

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The President related that the agreement...

meeting, and gave the further details of same and it was ordered that said agreement together with the 500,000 shares of The Pillsbury Alaska Tin Company deposited by the Hutchinson as collateral security for his carrying out of said agreement, should be placed in a safe to wit: the minutes of meeting held January 21, 1904, were read and duly approved.

On separate motions, the following resolutions were each unanimously adopted, the vote being called where the expenditure of money was involved:

Resolved, That the following actions of the Executive Committee be and are hereby approved and confirmed:

- Appropriating \$3500 for cost of installing pipe press etc., at Boston Branch.
- " 1185 for cost of tank car, capacity 8000 gallons
- Approving as stockholders several small changes in salaries at the National Lead & Oil Co of Pa.

Resolved, That the affixing by the Secretary of the Seal of the Company to the following documents be and is hereby approved and confirmed:

Atlantic Branch.

- Feb 21, 1903 Bankruptcy paper in re Christopher Farming Co
- " 20, " Proof of claim in re E. D. Rice Bankrupt
- July 11, 1904 Bankruptcy paper in re Raymond L. Laffey Co
- " 7, " Proof of claim and power of attorney in re Combination Rubber & Belting Co.
- " 21, " Bankruptcy claim in re J. H. & Sons Co
- " 26, " Bankruptcy claim in re E. D. Rice Bankrupt
- " 28, " Assignment of claim against Combination Rubber & Belting Co, Bankrupt.
- Feb 8, " Society Bond of the Nelson Indemnity Co. in the case of Walter Ruppelt against A. L. Co.
- " 11, " Bankruptcy claim in re International Rubber Mfg Co

New York Office

- Dec 29, 1903 Ppn, given to H. H. H. to represent H. H. Co at meeting of stockholders of Sterling White Lead Co
- " " " General resolution authorizing as stockholders

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relating to the premises that this Company if then present by its constituted officers could do and as fully to every intent and purpose although the authority hereby intended to be granted to each of said attorneys should not be precisely or specifically herein expressed; this Company hereby agreeing to ratify and confirm all and whatever acts either of said others may have done by virtue of this resolution and the Power of Attorney herein authorized to be executed.

Resolved, That the action of the officers in acquiring the property of Bender & Aldred at Sharpsburg, Pa. and Salena, Kansas, and the New Jersey Lead Co. at Camden, N.J. in pursuance of authority granted at the meeting of the Directors on October 22, 1903, herein is hereby confirmed, the consideration for said properties, value of the cash assets, to be \$120,000. divided as follows, to-wit:

for the Sharpsburg and Salena properties \$75,000.

for the New Jersey Lead Co. property 45,000.

of which \$10,000. is to be paid in cash on each property, and \$20,000. in cash in all and the remainder in notes at one, two, three, four and five years, with interest at five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually.

Resolved, That the transfer by the officers of this Company of the Bender & Aldred properties at Sharpsburg, Pa. and Salena, Kansas, to the National Lead & Oil Co. of Pa., at the cost of same, be and is hereby approved and confirmed, it being a provision of said transfer required by the original vendors, that this Company endorse the notes given for the purchase by the National Lead & Oil Co. of Pa., said notes being dated December 1, 1903, amounting in all to \$65,000., with interest at five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and being as follows:

1 year from date, 2 notes of \$6,500. each	\$13,000.	due December 1, 1904
2 years from date, 2 notes of \$6,500. each	13,000.	due December 1, 1905
3 years from date, 2 notes of \$6,500. each	13,000.	due December 1, 1906
4 years from date, 2 notes of \$6,500. each	13,000.	due December 1, 1907
5 years from date, 1 note of \$5,000.		
5 years from date, 1 note of \$5,000.		
5 years from date, 1 note of \$3,000.	13,000.	due December 1, 1908
In all	\$65,000.	

Resolved, That a Committee, with power, consisting of the President and Messrs Carpenter and Rockwell, be and is hereby appointed to confer with the officers of the St. Louis Smelting & Refining Company as to the advisability of taking an option on the Desloge property or making a contract for their concentrates.

Resolved, That the President appoint a Committee of three, with power, to audit the books of the Treasurer and the securities held by the Company.

In conformity with above resolution, the President appointed a Committee consisting of Messrs. Rowe, Shawman, Beale and Tufts.

On motion, the meeting then adjourned.

Charles Davison

Secretary

Minutes of Meeting of Board of Directors of National Lead Company, held at No 100 William St., New York, on Thursday, April 21, 1904, at 11 A.M.

Present: Messrs L. A. Cole E. E. Brown J. A. Thompson
J. A. Stevens E. O. Carpenter C. H. White
W. W. Lawrence F. W. Rockwell Walter Tufts
L. P. Rowe E. C. Eoshorn

The minutes of meeting held March 17, 1904, were read and duly approved.

The Committee appointed at the previous meeting to confer with the officers of the St. Louis Smelting & Refining Co as to the advisability of taking an option on the Desloge property or making a contract for their concentrates, made a verbal report on the matter showing progress and was continued.

The Committee appointed to audit the books of the Treasurer made the following report:

New York, April 21, 1904.

To the President and Directors
of the National Lead Company.

Gentlemen:

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At the Directors Meeting held on March 17, 1904,