

## **Information Sheet**

**R**      **Short Creek Zinc and Lead Company.**  
**1069**      **Stock certificate, 1916.**  
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This is certificate number 125 for ten shares of capital stock in the Short Creek Zinc and Lead Company at Joplin in Jasper County, Missouri. The certificate was registered to Fieldsteel & Company on 27 October 1916, and signed by President F. A. Hornaday and Secretary C. Scott.

According to Articles of Association filed with the Missouri Secretary of State on 8 April 1916, the Short Creek Zinc and Lead Company was organized on 4 April 1916 by Benjamin Messenger of Galena, Kansas, and F. A. Hornaday, A. W. Thurman, and C. Scott, all of Joplin. Capitalization was \$100,000 in an equal number of shares, of which Messenger owned all but three, the others owning one share each. Assets of the firm included four mining leases and related shafts, mills, and machinery on four parcels of land in southwestern Jasper County.

The company's state charter was forfeited on 2 December 1916 for failure to supply an annual registration with the Secretary of State.

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