

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said corporation and its successors, by the name and style and title aforesaid, shall be forever hereafter capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered unto, defend and be defended in all or any courts of justice, and before any judge, officer or person whatsoever.

May sue and
be sued.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*, That it shall be lawful for the said corporation to have a common seal for its use, and the same at pleasure to change, alter and make anew from time to time, and shall in general have and exercise all such rights, privileges and immunities as by law are incident for the exercise of the powers to it granted by this act.

Seal.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted*, That said corporation shall have the right to adopt such by-laws, rules and regulations as it shall deem proper for the purpose of fraternal use; aid its members and their dependents; the education, socially, morally and intellectually, of its members; assist the widows and orphans of deceased members; establish a fund for the relief of the sick and distressed members, and one for a widow and orphans' benefit fund; provided that it shall in no case pay a greater death benefit than one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

May adopt by-
laws, etc.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to authorize the said corporation to issue any note, token, device or other evidence of debt to be used as money.

Cannot issue
notes.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the said corporation may hold its annual meetings in any state in the United States, and its acts at such meetings shall have the same effect as if done in this state; provided that the principal office of said corporation shall at all times be in the city of Baltimore.

Annual
meeting.

SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That the General Assembly of Maryland may at any time repeal this act.

May repeal.

SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Effective.

Approved April 4, 1888.