

## LAWS OF MARYLAND.

persons a commission for such period as they may deem proper, to be recorded in the office of the secretary of said board, and revocable at the pleasure of the board.

**Policemen shall make oath.** SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That every such policeman, before entering upon the duties of his office, shall take and subscribe before the secretary of the Board of Police Commissioners the oath or affirmation prescribed by the Sixth Section of the First Article of the Constitution, to be recorded in said office.

**Powers of the police.** SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, Every policeman who has been thus qualified shall be a conservator of the peace, possessing throughout the corporate limits of the City of Baltimore all the common law and statutory police powers and authority of constables, policemen and other peace officers.

**Compensation** SEC. 9. *And be it enacted*, That the compensation of every such officer shall be paid by the said Association, and he shall not be entitled to any public compensation.

**Power to adopt by-laws, rules, etc.** SEC. 10. *And be it enacted*, That the directors of said corporation shall have full power to adopt such by-laws, rules and regulations for the direction and management of said corporation as may, in their judgment, be necessary for the purpose of their incorporation, not inconsistent with the provisions of this charter and the laws and Constitution of this State; and the president and directors of said corporation, or a majority of them, shall constitute, appoint and employ such officers, agents and servants for the transaction of all business of said corporation, with full power to fix their compensation and to remove them at pleasure.

**Notice given of increase of capital stock.** SEC. 11. *And be it enacted*, That should such president and directors determine to increase the capital stock of said corporation, as authorized in the second section of this Act, they, or a majority of them, shall give the same notice of the time and place of subscribing such additional stock, as is provided in Section three of this Act, preliminary to the election of a president and directors.

**How subscriptions made.** SEC. 12. *And be it enacted*, That upon every subscription of said stock whether under Section two or Section eleven of this Act, there shall be paid to the incorporators or their agents the sum of one dollar on each and every share subscribed, and the residue shall be paid in such instalments and at such times as the president and directors shall prescribe and require; and if any subscriber shall neglect to pay any instalment for the space of thirty days after the same shall be due and payable, the stock on which it is due and demandable shall, at