ers of any certificates of debt provided for in said supplement and of any to be created by virtue of future loans, in said supplement provided for, shall be entitled to participate and to vote in person, or by proxy, and in voting shall have the same rights and privileges as the stockholders; and in estimating the number of votes which any holders of a certificate shall be entitled to give. every fifty dollars of the amount held by such person shall be taken and estimated as equal to one share of the stock; provided always, that no person shall be entitled to vote upon any certificate which such person shall not have held at least two months before the election or the meeting of business at which his vote may be offered, nor shall any vote by proxy be received unless such proxy shall have been created within ninety days next preceding that on which such vote shall be ten-

Proviso.

In force.

dered.

Sec. 7. And be it enacted, That this Act shall take effect from its acceptance by the stockholders of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal Company at the next general meeting of the stockholders of the company, which acceptance shall be certified to the Governor of this State, under the corporate seal of the said company.

CHAPTER 205.

Passed Mar. AN ACT to incorporate Howard Lodge, number thirteen, Independent Order of Good Templars of Leitersburg, Maryland.

Directors.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Frederick Bell, Samuel S. Speck, John W. Nerfor, Franklin Clopper and James W. Leggett are hereby constituted a board of directors to manage the affairs hereinafter specified, until the first Saturday in April, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, or until their successors