

CHAPTER 355.

Passed Mar. 18, 1867. AN ACT to incorporate Oakspring Lodge, No. nine, of the Independent Order of Good Templars, Hagerstown Washington county.

Incorporated. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That David Zeller, B. F. Kendall, James P. Mathews, William McKee, John F. Thomas, A. I. Weise, John J. Byers, Samuel L. King, Jacob W. Barkdall, Amos Spielman M. J. McKennon, George Chrissinger, Samuel Rouskulp, Charles Poffenberger, William Jones, Abraham Miller, J. B. Loose, be and they are hereby appointed Trustees of Oakspring Lodge, No. 9, Maryland, of the Independent Order of Good Templars, of Hagerstown, Washington county, who are hereby made, declared and incorporated a body politic, with succession in deed and law to all intent and purposes connected with the institution by the name and style of Oakspring Lodge, No. 9, Maryland, of the Independent Order of Good Templars, by which name and title they and their successors may sue and be sued and have a common seal, and the same at their pleasure alter, and be entitled to have and use all the rights, privileges, franchises and powers incident to such corporations.

May hold real estate. Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said corporation shall be capable of taking and holding real and personal estate no exceeding fifteen thousand dollars.

No banking privileges. Sec. 3. *And be it enacted*, That the said corporation shall not be permitted to issue any note, token, scrip, or other evidence of debt to be issued as currency.

Time of holding Elections. Sec. 4. *And be it enacted*, That the time of holding annual elections for said Trustees shall be the first Wednesday in January of each and every year, and that the Trustees herein appointed and hereafter elected shall have power to make such by-laws as they may deem necessary for the regulation and government of said corporation, and to change, alter or amend them at any time, pro-