

Elect commissioners. six months preceding any election, and all white male citizens residing in Somerset County, and owning real estate within the limits of said town, shall, on the third Monday in June in each year, elect three persons to be Commissioners of the town as aforesaid; white male citizens who have resided in the State one year and six months within said town limits to be eligible only as Commissioners of said town.

In force. Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 30, 1868.

CHAPTER 319.

AN ACT to incorporate the Provident Life and Trust Company of Baltimore.

Incorporation SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Benjamin T. Hynson, G. Fred. Maddox, Edward Hanzsche, Lewis Turner, William Carmichael, James S. Waters, W. H. Perkins, John T. Ford, James S. Forbes, George H. Berry, Aaron Hoffman, James S. Downes and John M. Browne, their associates, successors and assigns, shall be and they are hereby incorporated as a body politic, under and by the name of the "Provident Life and Trust Company of Baltimore," and by that name shall have perpetual succession, sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, make and use a common seal, and the same to break, alter and amend at pleasure, when, and as they may think proper, and exercise and enjoy all the rights, privileges and immunities of and appertaining to a body politic and corporate.

Insurance. Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the business of the said corporation shall be to make insurance on the lives of individuals, and accidents by travel,