Nov. 1809.

CHAP. 42.

March, one thousand eight hundred and ten, at the city of Baltimore, and on the same day annually thereafter, or as soon after as may be, and then and there elect the officers of said society, and form such rules and regulations as may be necessary for assuring and carrying into effect the benevolent purposes of this act, provided such rules and regulations be not repugnant to the constitution and laws of this state, or the United States.

To be capable to sue and be sued, &c,

4. AND BE IT ENACTED, That the said corporation, and their successors, by the name aforesaid, shall be for ever thereafter able and 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 all or any judges, officers or persons whatsoever, in all and singular actions, matter and demands. whatsoever, and that it shall and may be lawful for them, and their successors, for ever thereafter, to have a common seal for their use, and the same, at the will and pleasure of them, and their successors, to change, alter, break and make anew, from time to time, as they shall think best, and shall in general have and exercise all such rights, franchises, privileges and immunities, as by law are incident and necessary to corporations of this kind, and which may be necessary to the corporation herein constituted, to enable them, duly and fully, in law, to execute all things touching and concerning the design and intent of their said corporation, for the benevolent 'succours and relief of their members, and the widows and orphans of deceased members of the said society, agreeably to such rules and by-laws as may be established by them.

CHAP. XLIII.

Passed Jan. 6, 1810 An Act to appoint Commissioners to review the Road therein mentioned, in Harford County. Lib. TH. No. 2, fol. 184.

See 1807, ch. 120.

Preamble.

Whereas it hath been represented to this general assembly, by the petitions of the landholders over which the road, commonly called The Sandy Bottom Road, is laid, and others, that the said landholders have sustained considerable damage, for which a very inconsiderable compensation have been made, and that the said road is not of that public utility that will authorise the opening thereof, and pray that a law may pass appointing commissioners of review, to review the said road, with power to reject or confirm the same, and in case of a confirmation thereof, to be authorised to assess and levy such further damages as they in their judgment shall think them entitled, if any; therefore,

Commissioners appointed to review a certain toad, &c. 2. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That John Moores, Andrew Turner, Gilbert Jones, William Whiteford and Thomas Hope, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners of review, to review the road directed to be laid out by an act, entitled, An act to appoint and authorise commissioners to review and lay out the road therein mentioned, in Harford county, passed at November session, one thousand eight hundred and seven, chapter seventy (a), beginning at the Sandy Bottom, and they, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby authorised to confirm the said road as laid under the direction of the aforesaid law, or to reject the same, as they in their judgment may think proper;

(a) Should be ch. 120.