

hereafter to have a common seal for their use, and the same at their will and pleasure, 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 necessary to the corporation herein and hereby constituted and erected, to enable them duly and fully in the law to execute all things touching and concerning the design and intent of their said corporation, for the benevolent succour, relief and good order of its members, and the widows and orphans of deceased members of said society, agreeably to the constitution and such rules and by-laws as may be established by the said society.

General powers

Sec. 8. *And be it enacted*, That no member of the said society, shall in his individual capacity, be answerable for any losses, deficiencies or failures of the joint funds of the said society, for any more or larger sum or sums of money whatsoever, than the current amount by him payable into the common fund of the society.

Liabilities

Sec. 9. *And be it enacted*, That if at any time it may be thought necessary to dissolve this society, a proposition to that effect shall be laid on the table in writing, signed by at least seven benefit members of said society, at a stated meeting of the said society, and may be discussed at the next stated or special meeting; but shall not be finally decided on until it has been two full months before the society, and shall not take effect unless three fourths of the benefit members residing within the city and precincts of Baltimore are in favor thereof.

Method of dissolving

Sec. 10. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall be and remain in force until the first day of January, eighteen hundred and forty five; *Provided*, that no such dissolution shall in any manner be construed to affect or invalidate any claim against the society hereby incorporated, contracted previous to such dissolution, or in any way affect any suit instituted, or to be instituted by or against said corporation.

Limitation