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parallel with the said alley, at the distance of one hundred CHAP 121. feet therefrom, that is to say, beginning at a point on the side of the road leading from said alley to the steam mill bridge at the distance of one hundred feet from said alley, and running southward and parallel with the said alley the whole extent of said alley, shall be as liable to the said acts and its supplements, as the western precincts have heretofore been.

## CHAPTER 121.

Passed Feb 18 An Act to incorporate the Port Deposit Library Company.

Subscriptions.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Thomas L. Savin, Henry H. Broughton and Henry S. Stites, be, and they are hereby appointed commissioners, at such time, and after such notice as they, or a majority of them, shall think proper, to open books and receive subscriptions for any number of shares not exceeding six hundred, of ten dollars each, one fourth part whereof is to be paid at the time of subscribing, and the remainder in such annual instalments as the president and directors shall hereafter direct.

President and directors.

Sec. 2. And be it enacted. That so soon as fifty shares shall be subscribed for, the said commissioners, or a majority of them, shall give notice thereof by public advertisement, and appoint some day for the election of a president and four directors, to be elected by ballot by the said stockholders, and each share shall be entitled to one vote.

Made a corporation.

Sec. 3. And be it enacted. That so soon as fifty shares shall be subscribed, such subscribers, and their successors and assigns, be and they are hereby made a corporation and body politic, by the style and name of The Port Deposit Library Company, and by that name shall be and are hereby made able and capable in law to suc and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered, in any court of law or equity in this state.

Powers.

Sec. 4. And be it enacted, That the said president and directors shall be chosen annually from among the stockholders; and the said president and directors shall have full power and authority to make rules and by-laws for the government of said library company; they shall have power to purchase books, maps, charts, periodical or other works,