

such taxpayer a certificate to that effect, which certificate shall be received by the treasurer and collector of taxes for Baltimore County as so much money on account of said tax.

Effective. SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 7th, 1892.

CHAPTER 529.

AN ACT to further supplement an act entitled "An act to incorporate the Baltimore Equitable Society for insuring houses from loss by fire," being chapter thirty-nine, of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of seventeen hundred and ninety-four.

Preamble. WHEREAS, since the act of Assembly of Maryland of seventeen hundred and ninety-four, chapter thirty-nine, incorporating the Baltimore Equitable Society for insuring houses from loss by fire, the Legislature of Maryland has from time to time enacted supplements to said act of incorporation, among which supplements is chapter thirty-five of the acts of Assembly of Maryland passed at the November session of eighteen hundred and one, and whereas in the first section of said last mentioned act of Assembly, regulations are made for the holding of the general meeting of the members of the said society, and power and authority is conferred on said general meetings to alter, amend and add to the then existing articles of the said society; and

Preamble WHEREAS the members of said society in general meetings assembled from time to time, since the passage of said act, have exercised the power and authority thus conferred, and it is deemed desirable that the amendments and provisions hereinafter enacted, should be, by this act, made, therefore,

Amended. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the first section of chapter thirty-five of the acts of Assembly of Maryland passed at the November session of eighteen hundred and one, be and the same is hereby amended, so that from and after the passage of this act, whenever a general meeting of the members of the said Baltimore Equitable Society shall be called as provided for in said section, the said meeting may organize at the hour appointed for said meeting, instead of waiting one hour