

Monument Committee, the said accounts having been submitted to and approved by the comptroller of the State treasury.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this act shall take effect **Effective.** from the date of its passage.

Approved April 7th, 1892.

CHAPTER 544.

AN ACT to amend and re-enact section one of chapter one hundred of the acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at its December session eighteen hundred and forty, relating to the incorporation of Chosen Friends Lodge of number thirty-four, of the order of Independent Odd Fellows, and to grant additional powers to said corporation.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the officers and members of Chosen Friends Lodge of number thirty-four of the order of Independent Odd Fellows and their successors, be and they are hereby declared to be a community corporation body politic forever by the name, style and title of Chosen Friends Lodge, number thirty-four, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and by that name they and their successors shall and may at all times hereafter be capable in law to have, receive hold and retain to them and their successors, property, real personal and mixed also devises and bequests of any person or persons capable of making the same, and the same at their pleasure to transfer mortgage or dispose of in such manner as they may think proper; provided always that the said corporation or body politic, shall not at any time hold or possess property, real, personal or mixed exceeding in value the sum of thirty thousand dollars; and provided further, that all rights acquired by the officers and members of Chosen Friends Lodge, of number thirty-four, of the Order of Independent Odd Fellows under an act of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at its December session eighteen hundred and forty, chapter one hundred, be and the same are hereby declared to be in full force and effect.

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SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That in order to enable the said corporation to acquire by purchase, real and personal estate in the City of Cumberland, Maryland to be applied by it to the objects of incorporation and such other pur-

To issue
bonds.