

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage. In force.

## CHAPTER 17.

AN ACT to incorporate the Baltimore File Com- Passed Jan.  
27, 1866.  
pany.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That William McKim, Edwin L. Parker, John L. Weeks, John Coates and Charles E. Waters, and all and every person or persons, who with them or instead shall hereafter become associated with them, their successors and assigns, shall be and are hereby created and declared to be a body corporate and politic by the name and style of the "Baltimore File Company," and by that name shall and may have perpetual succession, and be capable in law of purchasing, holding, improving and disposing of property, real, personal and mixed, for the purpose herein authorized, and may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and defend, in all courts of law and equity, and may make, execute and deliver, or have or cause to be made, executed and delivered to them, all deeds, transfers, grants, covenants, contracts, agreements and bargains whatsoever, necessary for the purposes and objects of said Company, and may have and use a common seal, which they shall have power to alter or renew at pleasure, and generally to do every other act, or thing necessary to carry into effect the objects and provisions of this Act, not inconsistent with the laws of this State or of the United States, and to ordain and establish such by-laws and regulations as they shall deem necessary, proper or convenient for conducting the affairs of the corporation hereby enacted. Incorporated.

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the objects of this corporation are declared to be the manufac- Object of  
corporation.  
turing of files, rasps, and other articles denomi-