

Term of directors. Monday in May, 1898, or until their successors shall be elected; and to continue the succession of said corporation, general meeting of the stockholders shall be held quadrennially on the second Monday in May, at which meeting a board of directors shall be elected in manner aforesaid to serve for four years or until their successors shall be elected; and other meetings may be called of the stockholders by the president and directors, or a majority of them, according to such rules as may be adopted by the by-laws of said corporation; and the board of directors may meet as often as may be necessary for the transaction of the business of the corporation.

May hold an exposition. SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That the corporation hereby formed shall have power, and it is hereby authorized to hold an exposition of arts, industries, manufactures, and the products of the said mine and sea, in the city of Baltimore, and maintain the same for a period of not less than one month nor more than six months during the said year of eighteen hundred and ninety-seven; to fix admission fees and dispose of privileges of every character upon its grounds; to establish and maintain hotels, restaurants, amusements or any species of entertainments which the board of directors may deem proper; to lay tracks, run cars, and to establish an electric lighting plant upon its grounds; to allot space for exhibitors; prepare a classification of exhibits; determine the plan and scope of the exhibition, appoint judges and examiners for the exposition, and award premiums, if any.

Appointment of policemen. SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That for the purpose of preserving order in and around the grounds of said corporation, the Governor, upon application of the association, may appoint such number of policemen as he may deem fit; and shall issue to each of said persons a commission for such period as he may deem proper, to be recorded in the office of the Secretary of State, and revocable at the pleasure of the Governor.

Oath. SEC. 7. *And be it enacted*, That every such policeman, before entering upon the duties of his office, shall take and subscribe before the Secretary of State the oath or affirmation prescribed by the sixth section of the first article of the Constitution, to be recorded in said office.

Powers. SEC. 8. *And be it enacted*, Every policeman who has been thus qualified shall be a conservator of the peace, possessing throughout the corporate limits of the city of Baltimore, all the common law and statutory police powers and authority of constables, policemen and other peace officers.