

Chapter 157.**AN ACT to incorporate the Pimlico Trotting Club.**

Created a body politic.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Frank Brown, Richard F. Maynard, Charles T. Cockey, William R. Devries, E. Gittings Merryman, Delano S. Fitzgerald, Henry C. Tunis, T. Alexander Seth, Arthur Emory, David Cowan and John E. Phillips, and their successors, be and they are hereby created a body politic and corporate by the name and title of the Pimlico Driving Club, and by that name shall have perpetual succession, and shall be able and liable to sue and to be sued in any court of law or equity, and may have and use a common seal, and the same, at their pleasure, to alter or renew, and shall have power to purchase leasehold, and enjoy to them and their successors, such real estate as they may select in Baltimore county, for the purpose of training and exhibiting trotting horses, and to hold such personal property as may be requisite to carry out the object of this act.

Affairs—how conducted.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the affairs of said corporation shall be conducted by a board of directors, to consist of not more than twelve and not less than seven, and power is hereby given to the said corporation, by its by-laws, to fix the number of such directors, which directors shall be elected by the members of such corporation annually, on such day as the by-laws may provide, and that said Frank Brown, Richard F. Maynard, Charles T. Cockey, William R. Devries, E. Gittings Merryman, Delano S. Fitzgerald, Henry C. Tunis, T. Alexander Seth, Arthur Emory, David Cowan and John E. Phillips, shall constitute the said board for the first year.

Power of directors.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the said board of directors shall have power to pass by-laws for the government of said club, and to fix therein the terms of membership in said club.

Effective.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 23, 1888.