

CHAP. 95. on the first Monday in May, or on such other day and at such place in the city of Annapolis, as the rules or bye-laws of the Society shall provide, and elect twelve directresses to manage the concerns of said Society for one year, and until a new election under the provisions of this act shall be made, and until such election shall be made the above named Mrs. Elizabeth Maynadier, Mrs. Rebecca Nicholson, Mrs. Prudence G. Ridout, Mrs. Amelia Pinkney, Mrs. Blanchard, Mrs. Elizabeth F. Wic, Mrs. Ann Stockett, Miss Liiza Mills, Miss Ann Franklin, Miss Mary Done, Mrs. Mary Green and Mrs. Brewer, shall be the directresses of said society; and the said directresses and those hereafter elected as aforesaid, or a majority of them shall have power to fill all vacancies in their own board, and in the board of Trustees incorporated as aforesaid, so as to continue the succession of the said Trustees; to elect a President, Treasurer, and such other officers of said Society as they may deem necessary; to provide for and regulate the election or other admission of members, the conditions and evidences of membership, the right and manner of voting at elections of directresses, appoint judges of such elections, and the time, place, and manner of holding them; to provide for the receipt and collection of donations, contributions or other funds; to provide for the distribution, or other application of all property, effects and funds which they or the Trustees aforesaid shall obtain or receive; to the payment of all the necessary expenses which they shall incur, and generally to do all such lawful acts, and pass all such bye laws as shall be necessary to the exercise of all power vested in them by this act, and to effect the benevolent object of their association.

Present directresses

Succession secured

General powers

Exempt from taxation

Se. 3 *And be it enacted*, That the property of this Society shall be exempt from taxation until the Legislature shall otherwise direct.

CHAPTER 96.

Passed Feb 17, 1830. *An act authorising the Levy Court of Frederick county, at their discretion, to levy a sum of money to erect a bridge over the River Monocacy.*

Levy \$12,000 authorized for erection.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That from and after the passage of this act, the Levy Court of Frederick county be, and they are hereby authorised if in their discretion the public interest and convenience require it, to levy a sum of money, not exceeding twelve thousand dollars, for the erection of a bridge over the river Monocacy, at or near where the public road leading from the cities of Philadelphia and Baltimore to Frederick town, now cross-