

CHAP. 242 for a term of years; *provided*, that the said Zulma Marcilly shall give bond to the State of Maryland, in the penalty of one thousand dollars, with security to be approved by the orphans court of Frederick county, with a condition that the said Zulma Marcilly will secure to the said servant girl Rachel, her freedom at the expiration of the term of servitude of the said Rachel; *and provided*, that the said orphans court of Frederick county shall be satisfied by competent testimony, of the time when the servitude of the said Rachel shall expire, which said time shall be stated in said bond.

Proviso

CHAPTER 242.

Passed Feb 17, 1842 *An act to incorporate the Mechanics Band of Cumberland.*

Incorporated. SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Thomas Rizer, John B. Widenen, Upton R. Lowderwilk, Amer S. McNamee, Henry J. McNamee, Henry Shuck, Henry B. Osborn, George Rabold, William R. McCully, Gustavus Rizer, David W. McClary and Jacob Wolfe; together with such other persons as may become associated with them, and their successors, be and they are hereby incorporated and made a body politic and corporate, for the purposes of extending the knowledge and improving the style of performance of martial music, by the name and style of the Mechanics Band of Cumberland, and by that name they may sue and be sued, have a common seal, and the same at pleasure, alter, and be entitled to use the powers and privileges incident to said corporation.

Choose officers SEC. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the said corporation shall at their first or some subsequent meeting, choose a president, secretary, treasurer, and such other officers as they may deem necessary or convenient for the government and regulation of said corporation and its property; they shall have power to make standing rules or by-laws, for prescribing the terms of office and the duties of their officers, for regulating the terms on which persons may be admitted and continue members of the corporation, and generally for the regulation of their officers; *provided*, such by laws are not repugnant to the laws of this State or of the United States.

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May hold real and personal estate SEC. 3. *And be it enacted*. That the said corporation shall be capable of taking and holding real estate, not ex-

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