

William Shaw, and all such other persons as may be hereafter associated with them, shall be and they are hereby incorporated and made a body politic and corporate, under the name and style of the Western Coal and Iron Company, for the purpose of opening and working mines of coal, iron and other minerals, manufacturing and vending the same, and the prosecution of such other operations as may grow out of, or be connected with the said business, and the said corporation under the name and style of the Western Coal and Iron Company, is hereby invested with all the rights and privileges and powers, conferred upon such companies by an act, entitled an act prescribing general regulations for the incorporation of manufacturing and mining companies, passed the twenty-eighth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, and the said company is hereby made subject to the restrictions and regulations prescribed in said act.

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Objects defined

Under the general law

Sec. 2. *And be it enacted*, That the capital stock of said company shall not be less than twenty thousand dollars nor more than five hundred thousand dollars, to be divided into shares of one hundred dollars each, to be raised by subscription, and that the said company shall have the right to purchase and hold land, not exceeding five thousand acres, in Allegany county

Capital stock

Sec. 3. *and be it enacted*, That this act shall be in force from the passage thereof.

In force

CHAPTER 357.

An act to incorporate the Hillsborough Silk Company. Passed April 3, 1839.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That John Jump, of E., David Knotts and Dr. William Hemsley, of Caroline county, and all such other persons as may be hereafter associated with them, shall be, and they are hereby incorporated and made a body politic and corporate, under the name and style of the Hillsborough Silk Company, for the purpose of growing mulberry trees, feeding silk worms, the growth, manufacture and sale of silk, and the prosecution of such other operations as may grow out of, or be properly connected with the said

Persons incorporated

Objects defined