iron and other articles, and of vending the same; and for CHAP. 338. the aforesaid purposes, to purchase, hold and use estate, real, personal and mixed, and to construct such buildings and improvements on their land as may be deemed necessary, and the said estates, or any part thereof, to sell and convey, or otherwise dispose of and generally to do all such acts, and to ordain, establish and enforce all such by-laws and regulations as shall be necessary and proper for conducting the business of said corporation, the same not

being contrary to law or the provisions of this act. SEC. 2. And be it enacted, That the capital stock of Capital stocksaid company shall be divided into shares of one hundred shares, &c. dollars each, and shall at no time exceed one hundred thousand dollars, and every person who shall be the proprietors of one share or more of said stock, shall in virtue thereof be a member of said corporation, and as such Votes rated entitled at all elections, and in all meetings of the stockholders, to one vote, in person or by proxy, for each and every share of said capital stock which shall be held by such person; and the said capital stock may in whole or How vosted in part consist of and be vested in land, buildings, machinery, tools and materials, necessary or useful for promoting the object, and carrying on the business of said corporation; and the shares of said capital stock shall be deemed Deemed persopersonal estate, and be assignable and transferable only nal estate on the books of the corporation, and in such manner as

SEC. 3. And be it enacted, That the affairs of the said officers-when company shall be conducted by a president and four di- elected rectors, who shall be chosen by and from amongst the stockholders, by ballot, within thirty days after the passage of this act, and annually thereafter, on the same day, or on such other day as the by-laws may provide; and the Term of office president and directors who shall be so chosen, shall be able and capable to act in their respective offices for the term of one year, and until successors shall be chosen; and they or a majority of them shall have full power and Duties, &c. of authority to appoint, employ, compensate, and at their officers pleasure to remove all such officers, agents and servants as they may deem necessary in the business of said company; also to contract and agree for or purchase such lands, chattels, materials, rights and privileges, and to cause all such buildings, machinery and other improvements to be made as they shall think necessary to effect the objects of said company, and the same or any part there-

shall be provided by the by-laws.