

CHAPTER 206.

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*An act to incorporate the Uncas Tribe, Number Six, of the Improved Order of Red Men, of the State of Maryland.*

Passed Mar. 2, 1846.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That J. Thomson Laws, Joshua Adams, William Somerville, Philip A. Moltz, William H. Allen, Thomas Coburn, John Kettlewell, Joseph C. Boyd and George F. Sable, and others, the officers and members of Uncas Tribe, Number Six, of the Improved Order of Red Men of the State of Maryland, and their successors, be and they are hereby declared to be a community, corporation and body politic, by the name, style and title of Uncas Tribe, Number Six, of the Improved Order of Red Men of the State of Maryland, and by that name they and their successors shall, and may at all times hereafter, be capable in law to have, receive and retain to them and their successors, property real and personal, and also, devises and bequests of any person or persons, bodies corporate or politic, capable of making the same, and the same at their pleasure to transfer or dispose of in such manner as they may think proper; *provided always,* that the said corporation or body politic, shall not at any one time hold or possess property, real and personal or mixed, exceeding in annual value the sum of five thousand dollars.

Incorporated.

Name and style.

Hold property

Proviso.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the said corporation and their successors, by the name and title aforesaid, shall be capable in law to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, answer and be answered unto, defend and be defended, in all or any courts of law and equity, and before all or any judges, officers or persons whatsoever, in all and singular actions, matters or demands whatsoever.

Legal capacity.

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted,* That it shall and may be lawful for the said corporation, to have a common seal for their use, and the same at their pleasure to change, alter and make anew, from time to time as they may think best, and shall in general have and exercise all such rights, privileges and immunities as by law are incident and necessary to corporations, and what may be necessary to the corporation herein constituted, and to enable the members of said order to exercise all things concerning the design of this corporation, for the benevolent relief of the sick and distressed, and for the promotion of their purposes generally.

Have a common seal.

Corporate powers.