

CHAPTER 185.

CHAP. 185.

An act to incorporate the Ringgold Infantry.

Passed March 5, 1847.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Thomas P. Chiffelle, Willis Hollingsworth, H. Wilson Harris, Granville S. Oldfield, junior, Israel Cohen, George B. Armstrong and Frank B. Loney, and others, who now are, or may hereafter become members of said corps, and their successors be, and they are hereby constituted and created a body politic and corporate, by the name of the Ringgold Infantry, and by that name shall have perpetual succession, with all the faculties and liabilities of a corporation, and may acquire by devise, bequest or otherwise, and hold chattels and real estate, and the same at pleasure dispose of, transfer or alienate in such manner as they may think proper; *provided,* that the value of such acquisitions, at any time held, other than that which they may invest in erecting and completing an armory and meeting room, for the protection and preservation of their arms, equipments and munitions of war, shall not exceed the sum of five thousand dollars; and may have and use, and at discretion change a common seal; may establish a constitution, or ordain by-laws, rules and regulations for said corporate body, such as they may deem proper, not inconsistent with this act, or the constitution of this State, or of the United States.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That nothing in this act shall be so construed as to authorise the said corporation to issue any note, token, scrip, device or other evidence of debt to be used as currency.

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That the Legislature reserves to itself the right, at its pleasure, to alter or annul this act of incorporation.

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted,* That this act shall be a public act, and shall be in force from and after its acceptance by the members of the corps, at a special meeting thereof, called in pursuance of its charter.

Incorporated.

Issues forbid.

Right reserved.

In force after meeting.

Special.

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by repealed.

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