

**CHAP. 213.** providing that the expenses of altering and straightening such public roads in said county as the levy court may deem proper, shall be borne by the petitioners applying for such alteration be, and the same is hereby repealed, and the expenses incident upon such alterations, shall be paid by the person or persons petitioning for the said road, or levied on the county, or may direct the said damages to be paid by the petitioners and the county, in such porportion as the court may deem just; and that this act shall take effect from and immediately after its passage.

Expenses paid

**CHAPTER 212.**

Passed March 4, 1847. *An act to divorce Ellen Browning from her husband Louis H. Browning.*

Divorced.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Ellen Browning be, and she is hereby divorced a vinculo matrimonii from her husband Louis H. Browning; that she be called and known by the name of Ellen Lowry, and that she shall have the care, custody and control of her child, the issue of her marriage with the said Browning.

**CHAPTER 218.**

Passed March 3, 1847. *An act to incorporate the Benevolent Division, Number Twenty, of the Sons of Temperance.*

Incorporated.

**SECTION 1.** *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Godfrey Koontz, John A. Steiner, Frederick Young, John Houck, jr., Peter L. Storm and others, officers and members of Benevolent Division of the Sons of Temperance, and all others who may become members of said division, and their successors be, and they are hereby incorporated and made a body corporate and politic, by the name and number of the Benevolent Division, Number Twenty, of the Sons of Temperance, and by that name may sue and be sued, and have a common seal, and the same at their pleasure to alter, and be entitled to use the powers and privileges incident to such corporation.

Corporate powers.