

CHAP. 129. society, duly executed and delivered, such person or persons shall be entitled to receive all the benefits from such insurance, and be subjected to all the liabilities, in the same full and ample manner as if he or they had signed the deed of settlement, as provided for in the second section of said society.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted*, That all acts, and parts of the original charter of said company, and provisions inconsistent with this act, be and the same are hereby repealed.

When to be operative

SEC. 6. *And be it enacted*, That the provisions of this act shall not take effect until the same shall have received the approbation of a majority of the members of said society.

CHAPTER 129.

Passed Feb. 13 1850.

An act to Incorporate the Saint James Building Association of Baltimore.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, J. George Huber, Joseph Eberhart, John Francis Schieser, John Heatheimer, Michael Wehr, Lucius Moors, Joseph Batzer, Peter Fisher, John Batzer, and others, of the city of Baltimore, have formed themselves into an association, under the name and style of the Saint James Building Association of Baltimore; *and whereas*, the object of the said association is to encourage economy and frugality, whereby the members thereof may in an easy and secure manner, accumulate a sum sufficient to build or purchase a domicile for their families—Therefore,

Incorporated, &c.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That the aforesaid members of said association, as well as those who hereafter, according to the constitution and bye-laws of said association, shall become members thereof, be and they are hereby created and made a body politic and corporate, by the name and style mentioned in the preamble to this act, and by that name shall have succession for twenty years, and shall be capable by law to hold and dispose of property, to sue and be sued, to plead and be impleaded, answer and defend, and be answered and defended in all courts of law and equity in this State, or elsewhere, to receive and make all deeds, transfers, contracts, covenants, conveyances and grants whatsoever, to have, make, use a