

## CHAP. 320.

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Passed  
Feb. 28, 1859.

*An act to Incorporate the Nottingham Division, number one hundred, of the Sons of Temperance.*

Incorporated,  
&c.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That John M. S. Maccubbin, John T. Stamp, William T. Hyde, M. J. Kaldenback, John W. Coffen, Samuel W. Carey, James Spicknall, M. R. Stamp, Robert Thompson, and James Naylor, of James, and others, officers and members of the Nottingham Division, number one hundred, of the Order 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 politic by the name and number of Nottingham Division, number one hundred, 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.

May hold prop  
erty.

SEC. 2. *And be it enacted,* That the said corporation shall be capable of taking and holding real and personal estate, not exceeding in value the amount of ten thousand dollars, for the benefit and relief of the sick and distressed, the education of the orphans of its members, and for the promotion of their principles generally.

Corporate  
powers

SEC. 3. *And be it enacted,* That said corporation shall and may at all times hereafter, be capable in law, to have, receive and retain to its members, and their successors, any gift, devise or bequest 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.

To make bye-  
laws

SEC. 4. *And be it enacted,* That this corporation shall have power to make, alter and amend their bye-laws at pleasure; *provided,* they do not conflict with the laws of this State, or the laws of the United States.

In force, etc

SEC. 5. *And be it enacted,* That this act of incorporation shall enure and continue for the period of forty years from its passage, unless sooner altered or repealed, the right so to alter, amend, or repeal this charter, being hereby expressly reserved to the Legislature, at its pleasure.